

## THIS WEEK

TODAY **Holy Pentecost**  
9:10am Hours            9:30am Divine Liturgy  
Acolytes: check in the altar            Church School  
Thanksgiving Prayers: Diane  
**Fellowship: A-G**

FAST FREE WEEK!

Wed. 6/18 6pm Daily Vespers

Sat. 6/21 5pm Choir rehearsal  
6pm Great Vespers, Litiya, Confessions

Sun. 6/15 **1st Sunday after Pentecost, Sunday of All Saints of the Church**  
9:10am Hours            9:30am Divine Liturgy  
Acolytes: check in the altar            Church School  
Thanksgiving Prayers: Mat. Marilyn  
**Fellowship: H-P**

Do you think our parish is great & that we're doing just about everything right? *Or, do you think our parish does some things well and in other areas we need some improvement?* Maybe you think, "What's the use of expressing my opinion, no one will listen."

*If you said YES to any of the above and you haven't yet turned in a parish survey then please do so.*

The parish council is serious about wanting your input. There are a stack of surveys on the Literature Table in front of the white little bucket. We urge you to fill one out before you go home today or take an addressed envelope from the table and mail it back in. The first page is a letter from the Council and Father George. You do not have to sign your name to the survey. Please drop them off in the container the Literature Table or place them in the Council President's mailbox in the office. Thank you in advance for your participation.

**Sunday, June 29th is the Feast of All Saints of North America.** To celebrate our patronal feast, we will have an **all-parish potluck**. The Sisterhood is renting a "moon jump" for the kids to play in. After Liturgy that day, we will need a couple of the guys to help put up a few of the blue canopies on the west porch so that folks can sit outside, especially to watch the children. *All Saints of North America pray to God for us!*

**A DRAFT OF THE NEW PARISH DIRECTORY IS READY FOR YOU TO VERIFY YOUR DATA:** Marylee is asking everyone to please check your name, address, phone number and email and make corrections. If you are not listed, please add your name.



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## **15 June 2008** **Holy Pentecost** **Feast of the Holy Trinity**

Welcome Visitors! Christ is in our midst!

*We are honored you are visiting today. \* **Liturgy Books** may be found on the **Candle Table** at the back of the church. \* We invite you to fill out a **Visitor's Card**, also on the Candle Table & place it in one of the Collection Baskets there. \* We do not take up a **Collection** during our services but rather ask you to place donations in one of the baskets on the Candle Table. \* While only Orthodox Christians who have prepared themselves may receive **Holy Communion**, everyone is welcome to come forward at the end of Liturgy to receive a blessing from our priest and to take the blessed bread.. \* It is the **Orthodox practice** to stand during services as a sign of reverence for the Lord but if you need to sit, please do so. Use of chairs is shared. If you are able, we particularly try to stand during the processions with the Gospel and the Gifts, during the Readings, the Creed, during the preparation of the Holy Eucharist, the Lord's Prayer and reception of Communion. \* **We invite you** to stay after the Thanksgiving Prayers **for fellowship** and coffee, so that we may greet you personally, and to answer any questions you may have about our faith, our parish or today's service. \* Please help yourself to the brochures and information on the Literature Table. \* **We hope you will visit us again.***

Please send Prayer Corner names and updates along with bulletin announcements to albddxp@msn.com or call Diane P. at 792-4507

**Rubrics for Today: Pentecost .** See special Tone Sheet on the Literature Table.

### **PRAYER CORNER**

**God Grant you many years to Holy Trinity Orthodox Church** in Santa Fe as they celebrate their patronal feast.

**May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those diagnosed with cancer:** Jim Damon, Lukas, Matthew Ellingson, Fr. Pavel Saucek, Dr. Dan Albu, Marcel Iancu, Fred Sparber, Mike Davis, Faith, Linda, Violet Burkhardt, Monk Priest Joachim, Sr. Katrina, Anna, Fr. Demetri, Silvia, Susan Buhl, Cathy, William Henriksen, Ron Markley, Donna, Nancy Polmenteer, Kim Taylor, Pamela Hawk, Camelia Timis, Bryan, Marcella, Silvia Smith, ...**for those in remission from cancer:** Jo West, Cathy Gonzales, William Charlie Buckla, Alexander, Angie Cordoza, Jo Balthrop, Emily Charles, Anna Zima, Olga Buckla, Mother Raphaela.

**May the Lord grant His mercy and healing to those with other ailments, injuries, difficult situations and intentions needing prayer:** Timothy Boyle, Ludmilla, John-Michael Auron, Aleksey Belaev, Brother Vincent, Jim Finley, Loren Dale, John Parsons, Sharon, Subdeacon Gregory, Maria, Anne-Marie, Mihaela and Gabriela Iancu, Father Christopher Zuger, Cynthia Molnar, Mary, Shanna & daughters Michaela, Chyenne and Logan., Bryan, child Elijah and parents Janice and Timothy, Olga Petroff, Bob O'Loughlin, Mary, Gail, Arnold, Fr. Lucas, Dn. Stephen Henne, Doris Henne, Ken Buhl, Sarah, Elizabeth, Josie Terry, Ernest Mascarenas, Father George, Ryan, Robert Drew, Mother Anna, Basil, Stephen, Rick, Seraphim, Columcille, Deacon Gerry Sondergaard, Connie Dale, Susan Miller, Helen Roskos, Matushka Marilyn, Rebecca Gushard, Julie Molnar, Rick Staats, Lela and her brother.

**God Grant You Many Years ...** to all fathers, grandfathers and godfathers in the parish and to those celebrating Name Days and Anniversaries.

**Memory Eternal** for all of our deceased fathers, grandfathers and godfathers.

### **UPDATE ON PROPOSED AUXILIARY BISHOP FOR OUR DIOCESE**

As part of the vetting process of Abbot Jonah (Paffhausen) as a candidate for auxiliary Bishop, His Eminence, Archbishop Dmitri asked Abbot Jonah to provide a collection of his writings to the members of the DOS Diocesan Council. In addition, **His Eminence would like us to familiarize ourselves with Abbot Jonah's writings.** If you are interested, they are available for reading and download on the Diocesan website with items for the Diocesan Council: [www.dosoca.org](http://www.dosoca.org)

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County requirements need to be researched. The Council also discussed how we might be able to make the library and choir rooms that are shared with church school a bit more comfortable for class use in the fall.

**Surveys:** Wayne Descheneau reported that only 15 surveys have been turned in. With approximately 50+ adults who regularly attend All Saints, the Council hopes to get much better participation in the coming weeks. Surveys will be sent to those members who haven't been at church since the surveys were passed out. The Council agreed to continue collecting surveys through Sunday, July 6th.

**Parish Feast Day Celebration:** see the announcement on page 4.

**Next Council Meeting:** Tuesday, July 15th.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTICES:**

- **GOD GRANT YOU MANY YEARS, HIEROMONK JOHN** and the brotherhood of St. Michael's Skete. We are so thankful that you could be with us today to celebrate the Feast of Pentecost. Please continue to pray for the health of Father George.
- **THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO BROUGHT GREENERY** and to those who arrived early to decorate the church for Pentecost.
- **PRE-ALL AMERICAN COUNCIL TOWN HALL MEETING SCHEDULED AT DALLAS ON JUNE 24 at 3:30PM.** Town hall meetings are being held at in each Diocese of the OCA so that members of the Preconciliar Commission and the Diocesan Bishop can hear the voice of the faithful in an atmosphere of openness and candor. The hierarchs have been asked to simply listen. They want to know how the national financial scandal has impacted us personally, if at all; what would a success at the All-American Council and in the Church look like; what would you want to see the OCA do in the next decade? Diane Prokipchak is planning to attend the town hall meeting and is willing to convey the sentiments of All Saints parishioners on the above points. Please give your comments to her by next Sunday. E-mail is ok. The ground rules at the meetings are: maintain dignity and respect in how we address each other, no judgment of ideas and no attribution of comments in the record, unless requested by the commentator. They have also set up a blog <http://oca15aac.wordpress.com> where you can post your opinions and questions directly.
- **A MEN'S GROUP IS FORMING** with an initial purpose of getting to know each other better. If you are interested, please talk to John Michael.
- **JUNE CALENDARS** are on the Literature Table.

### **COUNCIL MEETING SUMMARY – June 10th**

As was announced last Sunday, the meeting was scheduled for June 10th rather than the 17th.

**Finances:** May income was less than expenses but at the end of five months, income is still keeping slightly ahead of expenses.

**Building Fund:** The Council voted to proceed with paying down the mortgage principal as proposed and reported to the parish from the May Council meeting. All of the feedback Council members had received these last few weeks was affirming.

**Seminary Appeal Month:** A donation basket will be put out for the remainder of June to collect money to support our three seminaries: St. Vladimir's in Crestwood, NY, St. Tikhon's in South Canaan, PA and St. Herman's in Alaska.

**Church School Facilities:** Sam Gonzalez gave an initial report on estimated costs of renting or purchasing a portable building for church school use this fall. We agreed renting/leasing is our best option at this point due to costs and the priority of building a church. Sam will report with more details on leasing and auxiliary costs.

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