

# The Martyr

## St. George Orthodox Church

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### Upcoming Services and Events

**Today:** 9:30 a.m. Children meet with Father  
9:45 a.m. Church School  
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

#### *The Prodigal Son*

**March 3:** 9:30 a.m. Children meet with Father  
9:45 a.m. Church School and **General Confession**  
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

#### *Meatfare*

*One year memorial for Van Michael*

*Two year memorial for William Vasil*

**10:** 9:30 a.m. Children meet with Father  
9:45 a.m. Church School  
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy and Forgiveness Vespers

#### *Cheesefare*

*Forgiveness Sunday*

*Bring and Share Brunch*

### Prayers for the Blessing

Bishops Paul and John of Aleppo, *captive in Syria*.

Brother Gregory Buzi on his journey in the monastery.

*Those who are sick:* Archbishop Nikon; Fr. Steven Belonick; Fr. Daniel Montgomery; Fr. Dimitrie Vincent; Christy & Christina Adams; Mildred Arendac; Paul Betts; Alexis Black; James Brideau; Jeannie Brideau; Debi Broadus; Arlene Bunnell; Sharon Buzi; Jim Cerner; Joseph Chadwick; Joyce Chadwick; Frank Chamberlain; Bernard & Annie Christenson; Bobby Christo; Tara Coppola; Anthony Cordero; George and Carmen Costa; Renate Deer; Armando Dias; Louise Karoli Gallagher; Luba Geza; Irene Jordhamo Hughes; Shirley Hunter; Nancy Hurd; Kiril & Patricia Ivanov; George Jones; Sug Jones; Donald & Shirley Jordan; Violet Laska; Bruce Lazar; June Lopen; Carole Lundquist; Jean-

nine Masek; Thomas Matthews; Jaimie McCarvill; Zoe Michael; Serge Mihaly; Michael Moras, Jr.; Theodore Morrison; Dolores Nauchy; Andy Nunn; John O'Brien; Kimberly Orosz; James Pando; Katherine Pando; Pat Perrotta, Dena Soter Rear-don; Helen Reh; Linda Rich; David Schutte; Anthony Sica; Andrea Snedegar; Angie Soter; Charles & Joann Soter; Tessie Sotir; Sue & Thomas Spero; Christian Tallcouch; Thalia Thomas; William Thomas; Poullette Todisco; Margaret Torre; Alice Vasil; Ann Vitale; Michael Wilson.

*If anyone should be added or removed from this list, please contact Laura Chadwick 203-218-155*

### Prayers in Memoriam

40 Days:

Michael Arendac, Pauline Cane, Peter Costulas, Christy Lambert

#### February

- 24 Eftalia Tallcouch (1983)  
Margarita Nikola (1997)
- 25 Zoitsa Misto Boria (1994)  
Tatyana Valis (2015)
- 26 Anastas Kosta (1963)  
Eileen Bochino (2018)
- 27 George Tochy (1954)  
Dorothy Atanas Louis (2000)  
Todd Christopher Buzi (2001)
- 28 Olympia Tallcouch Henry (1989)  
Jeffrey Mark Louis (1999)

#### March

- 01 Charles C. Sotir (1984)
- 02 Miche Sotir (1953)

### Charity Collection

This month, our charity collection will be used toward The St. George Community Support Fund which will be set aside to help those in our church community in times of need. Thank you for your generosity!

### Coffee Hour



**Today:** The Buzis - Celebrating 40 years in the Trumbull Church

**March 3:** The Michael Family in memory of Van Michael and the Vasil Family in memory of William Vasil

**10:** Bring and Share Brunch

*If you would like to sponsor Coffee Hour, please sign up on the poster in the Church Hall. For any questions, see Kim O'Brien or Vi Bowe.*

### It's Cheesefare, so Bring and Share!

We will hold a pot luck brunch during coffee hour on Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup>, after Liturgy. Suggested items: French toast casserole, quiche or egg casserole, fruit, muffins, bagels, or dessert. Please see Laura Denisevich to sign up. Remember: **NO MEAT.**

### Lenten Project

The Church School children will be putting together Easter baskets for residents of The Home of the Brave. They are looking for the following:

- 10 bottles of shampoo
- 10 deodorant sticks
- 10 toothpaste
- 10 body wash
- 10 decks of cards
- Easter candy
- 10 5.00 gift cards to Dunkin Donuts

A suggestion would be to pick one of these and go in on it with a few people. For example: Three people donate the toothpaste, etc. If you would like to make a cash contribution, we will use it toward the purchase of baskets, cellophane, and other items for the basket. We will need all donations by **March 31<sup>st</sup>**. The Church School children will assemble the baskets. Please see Sue Galich

or Laura Chadwick with questions or donations. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

### Calling all Binky Makers!

The Binky Patrol will meet in our Church hall on **Friday evening, March 29<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-9:30 p.m.** They make blankets that are distributed to those going through a hard time and are in need of some comfort. They supply the materials, and the blankets are very easy to assemble. Some of our parishioners have participated in this activity in the past and have found it both fun and rewarding. The cost is 10.00 to offset the expense of materials. Pizza will be provided. Come and join us! To sign up, see Sharon Buzi- 203-414-7738

### Pan Orthodox Vespers

Consider enriching your Lenten journey by attending the Sunday Pan Orthodox Vespers as we come together with our Orthodox brethren to pray. Those planning on singing should be ready to rehearse at 3:30 P.M. The services begin at 4:00 P.M., with coffee and Lenten refreshments following the service. Here is the schedule:

**March 17:** Holy Trinity, Park Ave, Bridgeport

**March 24:** St. John, Broadbridge Ave, Stratford

**March 31:** Holy Ghost, East Main St, Bridgeport

**April 7:** St. Nicholas, Park Ave, Bridgeport

**April 14:** Holy Unction Service, Three Saints, Ansonia

### Hall Rentals

- Every Saturday morning: Weight Watchers
- Every Tuesday evening: CARES Hope and Support Group
- March 6: Trumbull Town Commons Board Meeting - 7 p.m.
- March 29: Binky Patrol 6:30-9:30 p.m.

### Emergency Pastoral Care

If there is an emergency, and you would like a priest to contact you, call Father Sergei at 203-331-2251 (cell), 203-713-6007 (home) or Bill Kovachi at 203-449-4404 .

