

The Martyr

St. George Orthodox Church

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March 3, 2019

Upcoming Services and Events

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

Sunday of Meatfare of the Last Judgement

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

Sunday of Cheesefare

Forgiveness Sunday

Bring and Share Brunch

17: 9:30 a.m. Children meet with Father
9:45 a.m. Church School
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

Sunday of Orthodoxy

The Return and Procession of the Icons

Prayers for the Blessing

Bishops Paul and John of Aleppo, *captives 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 Geeza; 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; Jeanne 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

March

- 03 Koli Lazar (1960)
Mike Costa (1964)
04 Vasilika Rotta (2000)
07 Vasil (William) Vasil (2017)
08 William Henry Peristere (1965)

Charity Collection

This month, our charity collection will be used toward Easter baskets for veterans at The Home of the Brave. Thank you for your generosity.

Daylight Savings-Spring Ahead!

A friendly calendar alert:

Daylight Saving Time begins on Sunday, March 10th. At 2:00 AM on March 10th, clocks are turned forward 1 hour to 3:00 AM.

Coffee Hour



Today: The Michael Family in memory of Van Michael and the Vasil Family in memory of William Vasil

10: Bring and Share Brunch

17: ????

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.

It's Cheesefare, so Bring and Share!

We will hold a pot luck brunch during coffee hour on Sunday, March 10th, 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

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 31st**. The Church School children will assemble the baskets. Please see Sue Galich or Laura Chadwick with questions or donations. There will be a sign up sheet in the Church hall. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Calling all Binky Makers!

The Binky Patrol will meet in our Church hall on **Friday evening, March 29th 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.

Return Icons

Please return all icons by March 17th, so that we may include them in our procession. Thank you!

Pastoral Emergency 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 .

