

The Martyr

St. George Orthodox Church

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December 6, 2020

Upcoming Services* and Events

Dec 6 - Services Cancelled

Dec 13 - 9:15 am General Confession
9:30 am Divine Liturgy

Dec 20 - 9:30 am Divine Liturgy

***RSVP to:**

Laura Chadwick by 3:00pm the Saturday prior to the Sunday service if you are attending. Admission is on a first come, first serve basis.

Laura's cell/email - 203.218.1552 lchad@att.net

Prayers for the Blessing

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

Father Gregory Buzi on his journey in the monastery.

Those who are sick: Mitered Archpriest Michael Koblosh, Christy & Christina Adams; Mildred Arendac; Juan Aguilar Paul Betts; Alexis Black; James Brideau; Jeannie Brideau; Debi Broadus; Sharon Buzi; Jim Cernera; Joyce Chadwick; Frank Chamberlain; Bernard & Annie Christenson; Bobby Christo; Anthony Cordero; George and Carmen Costa; Renate Deer, Judy Delaney, Armando Dias; Ashley Federline, Patti Fischer; Louise Karoli Gallagher; Luba Geeza; Mike Green; Nancy Hurd; Patricia Ivanov; George Jones; Sug Jones; Shirley Jordan; Isabella Kerma; Violet Laska; Bruce Lazar; June Lopen; Carole Lundquist; Jeannine Masek; Thomas Matthews; Jaimie McCarvill; Kathy Meahlenbrock; Zoe Michael; Michael Moras, Jr.; Theodore Morrison; Andy Nunn; Kimberly Orosz; Pat Perrotta, John Rafail, Helen Reh, David Schutte; Anthony Sica; Angie Soter; Charles & Joann Soter; Sue & Thomas Spero; Thalia Thomas; William Thomas; Paulette Todisco; Margaret Torre; John Towne; Alice Vasil; Joe Vitale; Michael Wilson.

If anyone should be added or removed from this list, please contact Kim O'Brien at kimbrien720@gmail.com

Prayers in Memoriam

December

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| 06 | Norman Panoli (1975) |
| | Mary V. Taylor (1991) |
| 10 | Louis A. Leka (1955) |
| 12 | George C. Goures (1977) |

St Tikhon's Choir Virtual Concert

St. Tikhon's Seminary Choir comes to Connecticut for a special Sacred Music Concert!

While the difficulties of Covid19 may be a temptation to do away with Christmas cheer, we will still be holding our annual St. Tikhon's Seminary Concert. Obviously, we will not have the concert in our church but instead, we will use a live stream format. The singers will perform before our eyes with live interaction from our hosts. This year's concert will be performed online on **Sunday, December 6th, at 7 PM**. As you may recall, there has never been a set fee for the concert but we usually pass a basket for a freewill offering. Since this too will not be possible, we are reaching out asking for donations to support the needs of St. Tikhon's Seminary. Your donation will go far to help the future priests in our country and to care for their families who have made great sacrifices to follow Christ's call to priestly formation. I thank you in

advance for your support of theological education and for helping the world wide church in helping to train priests to continue the mission of Christ's Holy Church. Please see the Flyer posted on your Church Bulletin Board for more information. You may also call Fr. Patrick Burns at 203-734-3988.

Please be sure to join in on the concert at Online at [YOUTUBE.STOTS.EDU](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCvDnJSwwf-fvezBVH7P8u0bg) & [FACEBOOK.COM/SAINTTIKHONS](https://www.facebook.com/sainttikhons)

Suggested Dress Attire

Due to COVID-19 guidelines, we will be running the heat while keeping the windows open for proper ventilation. With the cold weather approaching, please dress accordingly when attending church services.

2021 Wall Calendars

2021 Wall calendars are available at the candle desk, one per household. Our thanks go out to Dave Dougiello and the Commerce Hill Funeral for this gift.

Video of St. Nicholas Day Parties Past

Due to the COVID pandemic, St. George was not able to hold the annual St. Nicholas Day party for the parish children. As a small replacement to this event, a short video was prepared with some photos from past years. Please click onto the following link to view the video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uyB8KP4lXnE>

Many thanks to Jim Bove for his reading of the Christmas poem "Twas the Night Before Christmas" along with his two great-grandchildren, Caelyn and Christian for their supporting roles. To Erin Galich for her video work, and especially to Melissa Galich for all her editing work assembling the video. Also, a final thank you to parishioners who forwarded photos to be shared.

Church School Sermonette

Monthly Sermonette for Church School posted on St. George's YouTube Channel

Fr. Sergei is providing a video Sermonette each month for the Church School. The video is being posted along with weekly sermons on St. George's YouTube Channel. All parishioners are also invited to view it each month.

St. George's YouTube Channel address is:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCvDnJSwwf-fvezBVH7P8u0bg>

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 .