

The Martyr

St. George Orthodox Church

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September 26, 2021

Upcoming Services and Events

Sept 26 -9:30 am - Divine Liturgy with Fr Nikodhim

Oct 3 - 9:15 am - General Confession
9:30 am - Divine Liturgy

Oct 10 - 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy

Oct 17 - 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy

Prayers for the Blessing

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

Father Gregory Buzi on his journey in the monastery.

Military Deployment: Father James Parnell; Jason Gartsu
Brotherhood of The Holy Cross Monastery

Those who are sick: Christy & Christina Adams; Mildred
Arendac; Juan Aguilar, Antonette Barmashi, Paul Betts;
Alexis Black; James Brideau; Jeannie Brideau; Debi Broadus;
Jim Cerna; Joyce Chadwick; Frank Chamberlain; Bernard
& Annie Christenson; Marianna Coca; Anthony Cordero;
George and Carmen Costa; Renate Deer, Charlie Demetri;
Armando Dias; Brody Federline; Patti Fischer; Louise Karoli
Gallagher; Peter Gallo; Luba Geeza, Linda Vasil Gilbert;
Mike Green; Nancy Hurd, George Jones; Sug Jones; Shirley
Jordan; Isabella Kerma; Violet Laska; Bruce Lazar; George
Leka, June Lopen; Jonathan Lubin, Carole Lundquist;
Jeannine Masek; Thomas Matthews; Jaimie McCarvill;
Kathy Meahlenbrock; Zoe Michael; Michael Moras,
Jr.; Wayne Moras Jr, Theodore Morrison; Andy Nunn;
Kimberly Orosz; Walter Ostrowski, Pat Perrotta, John
Rafail, Helen Reh, David Schutte; Anthony Sica; Angie
Soter; Charles & Joann Soter; Sue & Thomas Spero; Ted
Tallcouch; Thalia Thomas; William Thomas; Paulette
Todisco; Margaret Torre; Eugene and Helen
Troubetzkoy; 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

40 Days

Bess Messier
Mitred Archpriest Sergei Glagolev
Sam Papadopoulos
John Towne
Mitred Archpriest Michael Koblosh

September

29 Shpresa (Theresa) Blowers

October

02 Mary Kochi (1990)

Welcome!

St George is pleased to welcome Father Nikodhim, the
Interim Chancellor of the Albanian Archdiocese, today
as he covers for the vacationing Fr. Sergei.

September Charity Tray

This month, our Charity collection will help support the
Bridgeport Rescue Mission, their mission is "*To fight
poverty from the inside out by embracing people with the
compassion of Christ, offering hope and healing for a
changed life*".

Click onto the following link to learn more:
<https://bridgeportrescuemission.org>

Veteran's Day Care Packages

Father Sergei is putting together Care packages for our two deployed military personnel – Father James Parnell and Jason Gartsu- individuals we continue to pray for.

For those who wish to participate, we are looking for either cash donations or non-perishable snack donations.

The best recommended food to send should be of the non-perishable variety - especially those snacks in cans or plastic jars (no glass) to prevent crushing. Examples: granola or energy bars, flavoring mixes for water, beef jerky, tuna, nuts, gum, trail mixes, Pringles chips, hard candy (candy that won't melt) and well-packaged cookies and crackers are the best bets.

Also, parishioners and children are welcome to prepare or make up a card/note to add to the box.

If you have any questions, please contact Father Sergei.

Church School News

We are looking for a volunteer or volunteers to assist with the church school program. It has been a privilege and a blessing, but it is time for me to pass the torch. If interested, please reach out to Bill Kovachi or Father Sergei.

In Christ,

Sue

FORCC Dinner

Sunday, October 3, 2021

St. Dimitrie - Easton - 1:00 p.m.

\$35.00 paid to FORCC - give to Bob Lazar by 9/24/2021

\$45.00 if after 9/24/2021

NO TICKETS AT DOOR

Guest Speaker: Rev. John Parker, III

Dean of St. Tikhon

Please support FORCC.

Many St. George students have received scholarships in the past.

COVID-19 Guidance Update

The Parish Council met on Tuesday, September 14th. They continue to reinforce the guidelines currently in place:

- ***Masks are strongly recommended to be worn when attending all services.***
- ***The Parish Council has decided to suspend coffee hours as part of this guidance.***

Although unfortunate, these decisions were made to reduce the risk as much as possible of spreading the Delta variant.

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 .