Troparion — Tone 1

When You, O Lord were baptized in the Jordan / the worship of the Trinity was made manifest / for the voice of the Father bore witness to You / and called You His beloved Son. / And the Spirit, in the form of a dove, / confirmed the truthfulness of His word. / O Christ, our God, You have revealed Yourself / and have enlightened the world, glory to You!

Kontakion — Tone 4

Today You have shown forth to the world, O Lord, / and the light of Your countenance has been marked on us. / Knowing You, we sing Your praises. / You have come and revealed Yourself, / O unapproachable Light.

Tone 6 (for the Feast)

Let us the faithful praise the greatness of God's <u>plan</u> for us. For He Who alone is <u>pure</u> and undefiled becomes a man because of our transgressions. He is cleansed with our cleansing in the <u>Jor</u>dan, sanctifying both us and the <u>waters</u>, and crushing the heads of the dragons in the <u>water</u>. Therefore, let us draw water in <u>glad</u>ness, for upon those who <u>draw</u> in faith the grace of the Spirit is invisibly bestowed by <u>Christ God</u>,// the Savior of our souls.

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Friend of the Bridegroom: "He must increase, but I must decrease." (John 3:30)



Sunday, January 12th, 2025 Afterfeast of Theophany

Sunday, Jan 12th 29th Sunday after PNTCST/Tone 4. Afterfeast of Theophany 9:30 am Divine Liturgy followed by Coffee Hour

2:00 pm Blessing of the Mahoning River & fellowship at Mocha House

Wednesday, Jan 15th Ven. Paul of Thebes

5:00 pm AA Meeting

Thursday, Jan 16th Veneration of the Chains of the All-glorious Apostle Peter 6:00 pm Vesperal Liturgy

Friday, Jan 17th Saint Anthony the Great

6:00 pm Akathist followed by Catechuman Class

Saturday, Jan 18th Ss. Athanasius the Great and Cyril

5:00 pm Great Vespers Followed by Confessions

Sunday, Jan 19th 30th Sunday after PNTCST/Tone 5. Ven. Macarius of Egypt 9:30 am Divine Liturgy followed by Coffee Hour

Attendance/Stewardship January 5th

Attendance: 60 Adults and 16 Children 76 Total
Weekly Stewardship Offerings: \$2,065.00
Weekly Candle Offerings: \$80.00
Charity of the Month (Warren Family Mission): \$50.00
YTD Budget Inflows: \$2,065.00
YTD Budget Outflows \$2,960.00
YTD Surplus/deficit -\$895.00

Prayer Corner

Archbishop Anastasios of Albania

Sbdcn Joseph (Clyde) Sbdcn George Kaschack

Sarah Crivella Patty DiGiacobbe

James Livermore Jr. James Sr. & Karen Livermore

David Campbell Cassandra, Patrick, Elizabeth, & Patrick

Renee & Anna Wallace Family
Laura & Roy Greg, Clara, Jeanie

Azouria Walter Toles

Nicky Cole Cara DeToro (Fr Dcn John's Friend)

John & Joan Buranich (Eleanore Krenitsky's Brother & His Wife)

Rachel Derr (Denise Higgin's Goddaughter)

The Faculty, Teachers, and Students of Holy Trinity Orthodox Academy

The Suffering Christians in Ukraine, Russia, & the Middle East

Those Devestated by the Wildfires in California

Newly Departed: Walter Rusnak (1/3) [Harry Krenitsky's friend] & Steve Weller (12/20)

Expecting: Natalie & Chase York

Catechumens: Lucian & Lilianna Vasil, Kayla, Donald, Elizabeth, Rebecca, Robert, Timothy, Melissa, Ian, Christohpher, & William Cunningham, Matthew Rose, Nicky Lewis, Alexander Mackey, Tristan & Colleen Beil

Birthdays: Nina Harvey (13th), Alex Clark (15th), & Kayla Ventura (17th)

Anniversaries: xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Candle Commemorations

Announcements

River Blessing

Today, after Divine Liturgy at 2:00 pm we'll gather at the Warren Amphitheater as we did last year to bless the Mahoning River. Afterwards we'll gather at Mocha House for a free cup of hot chocolate and fellowship!

Budget Committee

If you're interested in serving on the Parish Budget Committee please see Nina Harvey, Jim Stan, or Fr. Brian.

New Parish Light Fixtures Installation - Help Needed

This Monday at 6pm we will be installing new light fixtures like we have in the hallway in the parish social hall. If you're free and would like to give a hand it would be greatly appreciated! See Jim Stan or Mark Malacky for more details.

Parish Hall & Kitchen Clean out

On Wednesday the 29th at 6pm we will be clearing out the Parish Social Hall and Kitchen so that the floor can be waxed and buffed the following Thursday and Friday. See Mark Malacky or Fr. Brian if you'd like to help!