

Announcements (Cont.)

**Bright Friday Roast & Potluck Thank-You!**

A special thank you to everyone who came and made our Bright Friday Roast & Potluck such a wonderful evening by bringing good food and good fellowship! Leftovers will be served at Coffee Hour!

**Holy Trinity Orthodox Christian Academy Spring Festival**

Will include food and exhibits from across the world made by students & this Thursday (16<sup>th</sup>) at Holy Resurrection Romanian Orthodox Church at 6:30pm

**Last Day of Church School!**

Will be next Sunday! A special thanks to all the Teachers, Parents, & Students that made our Church School program fun and a success!

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**English** – Christ is risen! Indeed, He is risen!

**Church Slavonic** – Khristos voskrese! Voistinu voskrese!

**Greek** –Khristós anésti! Alithós anésti!

**Romanian** – Hristos a înviat! Adevărat a înviat!

**Latin** – Christus resurrexit! Resurrexit vere!

**Arabic** - al-Masīḥ qām! Ḥaqqan qām!

**Italian** – Cristo è risorto! È veramente risorto!

**French** – Le Christ est ressuscité! En vérité il est ressuscité!

**Georgian** – Kriste agsdga! Cheshmaritad agsdga!

**German** – Christus ist auferstanden! Er ist wahrhaftig auferstanden!

**Coptic** – Pikhristos Aftonf! Khen oumethmi aftonf!

**Spanish** – ¡Cristo ha resucitado! ¡En verdad ha resucitado!

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



**Sunday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**Thomas Sunday**

Fr. Brian Crivella, Rector.....330-372-3895 / [BrianCrivella@gmail.com](mailto:BrianCrivella@gmail.com)

Dn. John Tutoki, Hall Coordinator ..... 330-720-3541

**Sunday, May 12<sup>th</sup>** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Pascha / Tone 1 / Thomas Sunday  
9:30 am Divine Liturgy followed by Coffee Hour

**Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>** Ven. Pachomius the Great  
9:30 am Divine Liturgy  
5:00 pm Bible Study

**Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>** Apostle Andronicus of the 70 and his fellow-laborer, Junia  
4:00 – 7:00 pm **Fish Fry Takeout**

**Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>** Martyr Theodotus of Ancyra & those with him  
5:00 pm Great Vespers followed by Confessions

**Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup>** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Pascha / Tone 2 / Myrrhbearing Women  
9:30 am Divine Liturgy followed by Coffee Hour

## Attendance/Stewardship May 5<sup>th</sup>

Attendance: 98 Adults and 33 children	131
Weekly offering:	\$2,688.00
Candle Offering:	\$403.00
Charity of the Month: Children Services	\$0.00
YTD Budgeted Offering Amount	\$51,955.00
YTD Actual Amount Given:	\$54,587.91
YTD Budget Surplus/Deficit	\$2,632.91

## Prayer Corner

Fr. Ted Bobosh	Fr. Emil (Fr. Brian's friend)
Sbdcn Joseph (Clyde)	John Kornmaker
Renee, Anna & Michael	Michelle Thompson
Tracey Fedak (Daria's Cousin)	Sarah Crivella
Shawn Ferry (Fr. Bri & Cheryl's Friend)	Ann (David Wood's Friend)
Patty DiGiacobbe	Pam & Laura (Des's Friends)
Alyssa & William	James Scott & Bradley Dean
Greg Pappas	David (Laura Miklos' relative)
Lynn Luich (Betty-Ann's Niece)	James Livermore
Randy Stan	Rinehart Family
Sawyer Family	Ventura Family
Zoë Stan	David Campbell
Azouria	Kira (Child w/ Bone Disease)
Donna (Cheryl's Friend)	Delmas Higgins (Denise's Bro In-Law)
Sharon McGee (David's friend)	Luke Smith
Kim Butcher (Sonya's Friend)	Bob & Rachel (Randy's Friends)
Tim (Paula's friend)	George Horodnic (Jane Z's brother-in-law)
James and Tommy	Joseph Petrarca (Fickes Family Friend)
Alan Bergeron (Malacky's inlaw)	Joanna (Adrienne's Friend)
Julie Marinkovich (Mary Gearhart's friend)	Barb Datish
George Kaschak Jr.	Jeffrey Tsipis (John Miklos Friend)
Claudine & Joe (Laura Miklos' Sis & Husband)	James & Eugene
Greg Kornmaker (Sbdcn John's Friend)	Eleanor (Sbdcn John's In-Law)
The Faculty, Teachers, and Students of Holy Trinity Orthodox Academy	
The Suffering Christians in Ukraine, Russia, & the Middle East	

**All of our Mothers, Grandmothers, and Spiritual Mothers**

**Expecting:** Elana & Nicholas Giannakos, Andrew & Kati Sawyer

**Newly Illumined:** Carina and Cora (Jeff & Jenna Garica), & Vera (Chase & Natalie York)

**Catechumens:** Tom & Abigail Kirk, Lucian & Lilliana Vasil, Kelly, Carter, Emma, & Bennett Worley, Kayla, Alexander, & Cesar Ventura, Kayla, Donald, Elizabeth, Rebecca, Robert, Timothy, Melissa, Ian, Christopher, & William Cunningham & Tom Sacca

**Newly Departed:** Elizabeth Pershka (5/4)

**Birthdays:** Daniel Ellis, Taleigh Keene, & David Quick (13<sup>th</sup>), Joseph Malacky (14<sup>th</sup>), & Mellissa Wallace (15<sup>th</sup>)

## Candle Commemorations

Theotokos	For the Birthday of Joseph Malacky
Altar	In Memory of Barbara Means
Christ	For the Health of All Mothers in our Parish

## Announcements

### Securing an Orthodox Funeral

Several parishioners have asked about how to ensure they are provided an Orthodox Funeral in case their next of kin tries to give them different arrangements. While it's best to pre-arrange funerals with a funeral home and to specify them in a will, the state of Ohio also has a simple form that allows a person to designate any person they trust, including a priest or church, to make their funeral arrangements. If you're concerned and would like to fill out a form, please see or e-mail Fr. Brian.

### Happy Mother's Day!

At the conclusion of the Liturgy we will bless flowers for all of the mothers of the parish to take home. May God grant all of our Mothers, Grandmothers, and Spiritual Mothers many years, and render eternal the memory of those who have gone into The Kingdom before us!