

# ST. MARK'S ORTHODOX CHURCH

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## SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2013

**36th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** —Tone 3. Hieromartyr Haralambos, Bishop of Magnesia in Thessaly, and Martyrs Porphyrius, Baptus and three women Martyrs (202). Synaxis of the Hierarchs of Novgorod, buried in the Cathedral of the Holy Wisdom (Sophia) in Novgorod.

**EPISTLE:** 1 Timothy 1:15-17

**GOSPEL:** Matthew 15:21-28



## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES:



### CONFESSIONS:

Following Vespers on Saturdays  
And by appointment

### VESPERS:

Saturdays at 6:00 PM

### VIGIL

Eve of Feasts at 7:00 PM

### DIVINE LITURGY:

Sundays at 9:30 AM

Feast Days at 9:00 AM

## UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

**SATURDAY, FEB 16:**

6:00 PM – Great Vespers and Confessions.

**SUNDAY, FEB 17:**

**Zacchæus Sunday, Greatmartyr Theodore, Hieromartyr Germogén, Patriarch of Moscow.** 9:30 AM – Divine Liturgy.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Alive in Christ:** The latest issue of Alive in Christ is available online [www.doepa.org](http://www.doepa.org) or in hard copy for those who do not have access to the web.

**Celebrations:** All parishioners are strongly encouraged to submit their birthdays and name's day so we can celebrate together throughout the year. Let us do this in obedience to the Apostle Paul who reminds us to rejoice with those who rejoice as well as weep with those who weep and that we are members of one another. The Church is God's Family, we are part of God's Family, really and truly. Let's live like it in this small way.

**Floor Fund** – You might have noticed that the fund is complete thanks to the generosity of many, most recently the family of Sam Mervis. Work on the new floor and carpet will hopefully be complete before the beginning of Great Lent.

**Fund raising reminder – the Scrip program:** Last year this raised almost \$900 for our parish. January

of this year, \$69. Provide additional financial support to the church at no cost to you. **Please see Larissa Ravetto (or phone (215) 766-1220).**

**House Blessing:** Please see Matushka Heidi to make an appointment. Sanctify and protect your home for the coming year.

**Parish Council:** The Parish Council of 2012-2013 was installed on Sunday, January 27. Jeanette Ruano, Warden; Kevin Swan, Vice Warden; Julia Petrov, Treasurer; Doug Yates, Financial Secretary; Daria Cortez, Recording Secretary; Sandra Bohlender, Martha Moser, Jim Pitra, Trustees; Peter Bohlender, Chuck Ravetto, Auditors. May the Lord bless them in the fulfillment of their responsibility!

**Parish Website:** Coming soon a new parish website with information regarding all aspects of our parish life.

**Religious Education at St. Mark's:** Children classes and Teen discussions – Following Divine Liturgy.

## ORTHODOXY ON THE WEB

The following are reliable sources of information and spiritual growth on the World Wide Web.

- ❖ **Our Orthodox Church in Philadelphia: Parishes, activities, educational and social life.**
  - <http://Orthodoxphilly.com>
- ❖ **The Psalter in the Church's Worship:** Learn how the Church uses the Psalter and how you can do so as well at [www.abbamoses.com/psalter.html](http://www.abbamoses.com/psalter.html)

## YOUTH INFORMATION

- Δ CHECK OUT FOLLOWING RESOURCES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE OF OUR DIOCESE AT [www.ocayouth.org](http://www.ocayouth.org).
- Δ ALSO CHECK OUT THE OCA, [www.yya.oca.org](http://www.yya.oca.org).

MEMORY ETERNAL, THE NEWLY DEPARTED,  
✠ Olga Pelak, 40<sup>th</sup> Day, February 17