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## SUNDAY, JUNE 23, 2013

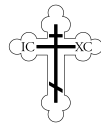
**8th SUNDAY OF PASCHA — Tone 7. HOLY PENTECOST: FEAST OF THE HOLY TRINITY.**

Martyr Agrippina of Rome (253-260). Righteous Artemii of Verkol'sk (1545). Translation of the Relics of St. Herman, Archbishop of Kazan' (1567). Martyrs Eustochius, Gaius, Probus, Lollius, and Urban, of Ancyra (4th c.). Synaxis of the Saints of Vladimir. The Meeting of the VLADIMIR Icon of the Most-holy Theotokos (in commemoration of the saving of Moscow from the invasion of Khan Akhmat—1480).



**Epistle:** Acts 2:1-11

**Gospel:** John 7:37-52, 8:12



## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES



**Confessions:**

Saturdays Following Vespers  
*Also by appointment*

**Vespers:**  
**Vigil**

Saturdays at 6pm  
Eve of Feasts at 7pm

**Divine Liturgy:**

Sundays at 9:30am  
Feast Days at 9:15am

## UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

**Sun, Jun 23:** **PENTECOST.** Hours – 9:10am, Divine Liturgy followed by Kneeling Vespers – 9:30am, Fellowship Hour – 12:15pm (*approximately*)

**Mon, Jun 24:** **DAY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. Nativity of St. John the Baptist.** Hours – 9am, Divine Liturgy – 9:15am

**Wed, Jun 25:** Akathist followed by Adult Education – 9:15am

**Fri, Jun 28:** Great Vespers at St. Stephen's Cathedral – 7pm

**Sat, Jun 29:** **SS. Peter and Paul.** Divine Liturgy at St. Stephen's Cathedral – 9am, Great Vespers and Confessions – 6pm

**Sun, Jun 30:** **All Saints. Twelve Apostles.** Hours – 9:10am, Divine Liturgy – 9:30am, Fellowship Hour – 11:15am

# ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Parish Ministries Conference:** The Orthodox Church in America will hold their 2013 Parish Ministries Conference at Marywood University in Arlington, VA on July 10-13. This year's conference theme will be "Faith in Action: Equipping the Saints for Worship, Learning and Service" with workshops from the departments of Christian Education, Christian Service and Humanitarian Aid, Liturgical Music and Translations, and Youth, Young Adult, and Campus Ministry. Protopresbyter Thomas Hopko will be the keynote speaker. His Beatitude, Metropolitan Tikhon will offer a workshop called "Teaching Scripture in the Parish".

**Adult Education:** meets on Wednesday mornings following the Akathist at 9:15AM. If you would like to participate but can only do so in the evening, please speak with Fr. Martin. All evenings are good except Wednesday's (prison ministry) and one Thursday a month (parish council). **Also**, there has been some interest in having a **discussion group on an Orthodox perspective on Contemporary Issues**. That would meet on a monthly basis. If you are interested, please talk to Fr. Martin for further information.

**The Scrip Program: Income for June \$75.01, year to date \$596.04.** Since the **next Scrip order will be July 7, the holiday weekend**, if you wish to participate but will not be here that week, get a sign up form from Mat. Heidi, fill it out, insert your check and place in the

envelope provided. Give it to Mat. Heidi before July 7<sup>th</sup> and it will be forwarded to Larissa. To all, thank you for your support. **Larissa Ravetto or phone (215) 766-1220 or email [ravetto2001@gmail.com](mailto:ravetto2001@gmail.com).**

**SS. Peter and Paul:** Due to schedule conflicts for choir members, it is not possible to have the feast here. So, you are invited to St. Stephen's Cathedral. Fr. Martin will be there for Great Vespers at 7pm on Friday and Divine Liturgy at 9am on Saturday morning.

**Feed the Hungry, clothe the naked:** We will continue to collect non-perishable food items for the Wrightstown Food Cupboard based at Penns Park UMC. They are very grateful for our contributions and the need is real. It is a work for us throughout the year not just during Great Lent. Additionally, our sister church, St. Michael's Russian Orthodox Church in Philadelphia is collecting used, clean blankets for the homeless (not new ones which are likely to be stolen), as well as men's socks and underwear. See Fr. Martin if you wish to donate.

*If you cannot find Christ in the beggar at the Church door, you will not find him in the Chalice.* St. John Chrysostom.

**Parish Revitalization:** NOTE! Next meeting for the PHIM will be on **July 28, not June 30 due to schedule conflicts which would seriously affect attendance.**  
**Topic: Shared Leadership.**

## VIGIL LIGHTS:

From the Perdikis Family:

- o **In Memory of**  
Arthur, Evangelia, Ekaterini
- o **For the Health of**  
Patricia, Angelo, Angela,  
George

From the Swan Family:

- o **In Memory of**  
Thomas O. Swan, Jr.
- o **For the Health of**  
Michael Love

From the Arhipov Family:

- o **In Memory of**  
Alexander, Victor, Nadezda,  
Katherine, Maria, Ivan,  
Eugene, Lydia
- o **For the Health of**  
George, Vera, Anna,  
Archpriest Alexander, Dmitri,  
Robert, Connie

From Jeanette Ruano:

- o **In Memory of**  
Brady C. Fagan, Santo Ruano

From Lucy:

- o **In Memory of**  
Theodora, Alexander, Eugene,  
Alla
- o **For the Health of**  
Michael, Michelle, Stu, Amy,  
Jacklyn

From a Friend:

- o **In Memory of**  
Arsenii, Nina, Valentina,  
Valentin
- o **For the Health of**  
Aleks, Julia

## NAMESDAYS:

- o Charles Ravetto (St. Peter) – June 29
- o Pierre Djokic – June 29
- o Peter Bohlender – June 29

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

- o Patrick and Maria Colucci – June 28