

ST. MARK'S ORTHODOX CHURCH

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2013

8th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 7. Afterfeast of the Dormition. Martyrs Florus and Laurus of Illyria (2nd c.). Martyrs Hermes, Serapion and Polyænus, of Rome (2nd c.). Hieromartyr Emilian and with him Martyrs Hilarion, Dionysius, and Hermippus (4th c.). Ss. John (674) and George (683), Patriarchs of Constantinople. Ven. Macarius, Monk. Repose of Ven. John, Abbot of Rila (946). Ven. Sophronius of St. Anne's Skete (Mt. Athos). Ven. Arsenios of Paros (1877).



Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

Gospel: Matthew 14:14-22



SCHEDULE OF SERVICES



Confessions: Saturdays Following Vespers
Also by appointment

Vespers: Saturdays at 6pm
Vigil Eve of Feasts at 7pm

Divine Liturgy: Sundays at 9:30am
Saturdays at 9:15am

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS:

Sun, Aug 18: **Martyrs Florus and Laurus.** Hours – 9:10am, Divine Liturgy – 9:30am, Fellowship Hour – 11:15am
Wed, Aug 21: Akathist followed by Adult Education – 9:15am, Prison Ministry – 7pm-9pm
Thu, Aug 22: Prison Ministry Workshop at St. Stephens Cathedral, 1-4pm
Sat, Aug 24: Great Vespers and Confessions – 6pm
Sun, Aug 25: **Holy Apostle Titus of the Seventy.** Hours – 9:10am, Divine Liturgy – 9:30am, Fellowship Hour – 11:15am, Parish Revitalization Meeting – 12pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

New Online Calendars: St. Mark's has launched its Google Calendar. You can find it as a subpage on our website under the page "News". If you want the schedule on your smartphone, with the monthly calendar that the website software has provided, you can sync the schedule with your Google Calendar or your iCalendar.

ORTHODOXY IN THE PUBLIC SQUARE: A monthly discussion group which will offer the opportunity to look at public affairs from the perspective of Orthodox faith will meet for the first time on next Monday, August 26 at 7PM. The purpose is to assist Orthodox Christians in living out their faith in the public arena. It will not be a forum for partisan political advocacy. All are invited.

Deanery Clergy Family Picnic: The Philadelphia Deanery Clergy Family Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 25 at 1pm at the rectory of St. Stephen's Cathedral in Philadelphia.

The Scrip Program: The next Scrip order will be Sunday, September 8 during coffee hour. This month's scrip was \$122.33. Our up to date yearly profit is now \$805.33. Last year our total was \$877.39. It's only August and we're making good progress. Please continue to support. To all, thank you for your support. **To place orders see Larissa Ravetto or phone (215) 766-1220 or email ravetto2001@gmail.com.**

Parish Revitalization: Next meeting for the Parish Health Inventory Model will be **August 25 on the topic of Shared Leadership.**

Feed the Hungry, clothe the naked: The Rescue Mission in Trenton is in extreme need of clothing. THANK YOU WHO HAVE DONATED. WE ARE FILLED TO OVERFLOWING, WAITING FOR THEM TO PICK UP. WE WILL CONTINUE THE COLLECTION UNTIL SEPT. 2.

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

VIGIL LIGHTS:

From the Moser Family:

- **In Memory of**
Deacon John, Veronica, Rebecca, Charles, Stephen, Michael, Anne
- **For the Health of**
Archpriest Alexander, Archpriest John, Protodeacon Peter, Connie

From Mary Anne Swan:

- **For the Health of**
Michael and Venus Love

From Ida Trevelis:

- **In Memory of**
Zeno, Zoe, Mike, Alice, John, Marina, George, William, Sam
- **For the Health of**
Ida, James, Elizabeth, Nicholas, Alexandra, Michael, Renee, Kristina, Joanne, Brian, Michael, John

From a Friend:

- **For the Health of**
Georgia, Michael, Steve, Martina, Joyce, George, Stephanie, Amanda

BIRTHDAYS:

- Larissa Ravetto – August 18