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March 1st, 2026 — The Sunday of Orthodoxy

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Epistles: Heb. 11:24-26,32-12:2
Gospels: John 1:43-51

Upcoming events

Sun., March 1st:	Hours & Divine Liturgy — 9:15 AM Coffee Hour
Monday, March 2nd:	TASK Carpool — 8:30 AM
Wednesday, March 4th:	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts — 9:15 AM
Friday, March 6th:	Brotherhood of St. George Meeting — 6 PM Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts — 7 PM
Sat., March 7th:	Memorial Saturday Panikhida — 9 AM Lenten Retreat — 10 AM-3:45 PM Great Vespers & Confessions — 4 PM

From the Wrightstown Food Cupboard: The Cupboard currently needs **coffee, cake mixes, pie crusts** and **feminine hygiene products.** Thank you for all of your donations during the holiday season. They were very much appreciated.

Our parish Lenten Retreat will take place next Saturday, March 7th, beginning at 10 AM. The topic of the morning session will be "The Life and Canonization of St. Olga of Alaska," presented by Fr. Timothy and Rdr. Nicholas Hojnicki. After a potluck Lenten lunch, the afternoon session will be on the topic "Repentance, Mercy, and Divine Providence," and will feature a viewing of the Russian film The Island, with a discussion to follow. All are welcome!

The TASK volunteer carpool will take place tomorrow, March 2nd, departing from St. Mark's at 8:30 AM. For more information, please speak with Fr. Dn. Gregory.

Birthdays: John Wanko, Maria Colucci, Charlotte Regen, Kevin Swan, Jen Sremenak

Name Days: David Gibson

VIGIL LIGHTS

From the Moser Family
For the health of: Raymond, Mara Elizabeth
In Memory of: Dn. John, Veronica, Rebecca, Charles, Sophia, Stephen, Stephanie, Peter

From the Ristvey Family
For the health of: Margaret, Stephanie, Andrew, Margaret, Lorelly, Helen, Delores, Jennifer, Joseph, Michael, Nancy
In Memory of: George, Those who have lost their lives in the wars in Ukraine, Gaza and Africa

From the Swan Family
For the health of: Thomas S. III, Michelle S., Josh H., Peter M.
In Memory of: Thomas S. Jr., Venus L., Helen L., Michael L., Constance S., Neville N., Michael V., Francis M., Daniel B.

From Angelo
For the health of: Irene, Paul, Maria, John, Miriam, Eleni, Michael, Eliana, Anthony, Christina, Gregory, John, Stephen, Juliana, Josephine, Angela, Paul, Frank, Maria
In Memory of: Bp. Augustine, Fr. Nicholas, Fr. John, Carol, Dimitrios, Alexander, Sofia, Cristina, Daniel, Ambrose, Dimitra, Vincent, Paula, Maria, Vasili, Emmanuel, Maria, Michael, Michael

From Irene Arhipov
For the health of: Kathi, Sergei, Norman, MaryAnne, Ann, Alexandra
In Memory of: Elena, Maria

Please remember in your prayers

LIVING

All those, everywhere, who care for the sick, the suffering and the vulnerable.
Ill-afflicted Clergy Archbishops Alexander & Benjamin; Archpriests Alexander & James
Matushki Mary Sedor, Elena, Laryssa, Lisa, Myra, Suzanne, and Jennifer
Inquirers Adam, Chris, Quin, Tyler, Karsyn, Angie
Newly illumined: Elaine, Jon
Servants of God Paul, Elaine, Richard, Jon Thoenebe, Jeanette Ruano, Amanda, Thomas, Zina, William, Margaret, Ayla, Stephen, Deborah, Charlotte, Delores, Joseph, Margie, Michael, Eileen, Emily, John, Lucy, Karen, Rosemary, Sophia, Joyce, Rachael, Thomas, Julianna, Carmen, Sharon, Tovi, John, Anastasia, Shelby, Suzanne, Ned, Larissa, Nicholas, Samuel, Sergei, Anna, Raymond, Andrew, Valerie, Charles, Elena, Sandra, Maria, Julia, child Jacob, Angela, Hunter, Jon Smith, Anselmo Pappas Scandalis, Katrina, Aidan, Aaron, Gloria, Margaret, Dennis, Shane, Charla, Daria

DEPARTED

Newly departed: Bishop Seraphim (Sigrist), Archimandrite Luke, Infant Vladimir
Departed: Archpriest Daniel, Archpriest Theodore, Peter, Jonathan, Mat. Mary, Met. +HERMAN, Louis, Ruth, Nicholai, Thomas, Michael, Venus, Helen, Anthony, Robert, Michael, All those who have died in service to their country, Archpriests Stephen and Vladimir, Mat. Mary, Priest George, Archpriest Paul, Kh. Shirley, Susan, Maria, George, Natalie, Louis, Dorothy, Katherine, Alexander, Anthony

Weekly Contribution Information

Sunday Collection — 2./22/26
General — $1,404
Candles — $140
Pledge Pmts. — $30
Church Store — $6
Parish Dev. — $200,600

Total: $202,180

Online Collection — 2/16 - 2/22/26
General — $1,688
Parish Dev. — $210
Pledge Payments — $66.25

Total: $1,964.25

GRAND TOTAL: $204,144.25

Service Schedule

Hours + Divine Liturgy:	9:10 AM (Sundays & feast days)
Great Vespers / Vigil:	6 PM (Saturdays)
	7PM (Eve of feast)
	6PM (Eve of feast – Sundays)
Confessions:	Saturdays after Vespers & by appointment
Akathist Service:	9:15 AM (Wednesdays)
Panikhidas/Lityas:	as requested

CLERGY

V. Rev. Raymond Martin Browne, *Rector*
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Protodeacon Gregory Moser, *Attached*

Subdeacons: Dustin Joseph Crosby
Sergei Arhipov
Marek Szeliga
Readers: Gregory Pavlik
Samuel Regen

LAY LEADERSHIP

Choir Directors: Daria Cortése
Mat. Martha Moser
Sbn. Sergei Arhipov (Emeritus)

Church School Coordinators: Ruth Pavlik & Riley Tanner

Baptisms: Children must have **Orthodox Godparents** who provide a letter from their parish priest. Parents and Godparents are required to attend two preparatory classes. Please make scheduling arrangements by contacting Fr. Martin directly.

Weddings: Arrangement should be made **at least six months** prior to the wedding; scheduling is subject to the Church's liturgical calendar. Please speak with Fr. Martin **before making reception arrangements.**