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June 26th, 2022 — All Saints of North America

Tone 1 — All Saints of North America. All Saints of Russia. St. David of Thessalonica (ca. 540). St. John, Bishop of the Goths in the Crimea (8th c.). St. Dionysius, Archbishop of Suzdal' (1385). Translation of the Relics of St. Tikhon of Lukhóvsk (Kostromá — 1569). Monk-Martyr David of Thessalonica. Appearance of the Tikhvin Icon of the Most Holy Theotokos (1388). The Sedmiyézerskaya Icon of the Most Holy Theotokos (17th c.).

Epistle: Rom. 2:10-16
Heb. 11:33-12:2

Gospel: Matt. 4:18-23
Matt. 4:25-5:12

Upcoming events

Sunday, June 26th:	Hours & Divine Liturgy — 9:10 AM Litya (requested by Lucy Znak), Coffee Hour, Sisterhood Meeting
Tuesday, June 28th:	Great Vespers for Ss. Peter & Paul — 7:00 PM
Wednesday, June 29th:	Divine Liturgy for Ss. Peter & Paul— 9:15 AM
Saturday, July 2nd:	Great Vespers & Confessions — 6:00 PM

Thank you to the many people who contributed their time, talent and treasure to make last Sunday's celebration so beautiful and enjoyable: to those who prepared food, organized the tent rental/setup, cleaned inside and out; to the choir for "being on"; to the acolytes in the altar and the tech acolytes outside the altar; to Charla for taking our parish group photo and many others; to those who cleaned the grounds beforehand, and to all in attendance. There were some who were not able to be here due to Father's Day or sickness, and you were missed.

Many years to the newly ordained Subdeacon Sergei, and to our couples celebrating major wedding anniversaries: the Swans, Mosers, Arhipovs, Brownes, Szeligas, Tyshkos, Crosbys and the Bendas family. Also, a very enthusiastic AXIOS! to Pdcn. Gregory and Mat. Martha on the Gramota from the Holy Synod of Bishops, recognizing their faithful service to one another and those around them in marriage and diaconal ministry.

Sisterhood: There will be a meeting today after Divine Liturgy for those women interested in reviving the Sisterhood of the Holy Myrrhbearers.

The Wrightstown Food Cupboard needs coffee and cleaning supplies.

Birthdays: Julia Sremanak **Anniversaries:** Patrick & Maria Colucci

Please remember in your prayers

LIVING

Captive Hierarchs PAUL and JOHN

All those caring for the sick and suffering at this time throughout the world, especially our families and friends: Charles and Erin, Ann Marie, Joseph, Alexis, Aphrodite, Charla, Sandy

Ill-afflicted Archpriests Daniel and Michael

Matushki Elena, Laryssa, Lisa, Priscilla, Myra, Suzanne, Anne and Jennifer

Servants of God Charlotte, Sbdn. Sergius, infant Luke, Ada, Larissa, Nicholas, Peter, Stephanie, Samuel, Sergei, Anna, Scott, Dennis, David, David, Garry, Vincent, Stephen, Raymond, Darrell, Andrew, Daniel, Amanda, Michael, Laura, Jason, Katina, Donna, Rebekah, Anthony, Alexander, Grover, Valerie, Raymonde, Anita, Jim, Peter, Jonathan, Gregory, Charles, Kyra, Margaret, Arlene, Vaughn, Helen, Nicholas, Elena, Nicholas, John, Alice, Edward, Sydney, Susan, John, Patricia, Ayla, Elizabeth, Sandra, Paul, Anatole, Maria, Julia, Charla, infant Jacob, Alexei.

DEPARTED

Newly departed: Pdn. Averky, Mat. Eugenia, Mat. Lovey

Departed: Archpriests Stephen and Vladimir, Mat. Mary, Priest George, Archpriest Paul, Kh. Shirley

Vigil Lights

From Irene Arhipov

For the Health Of: Sergei, Peter, Stephanie, Alexandra, Anna, Valerie, all people of Russia and Ukraine

In Memory Of: Ivan, Ivan, Jacob, Dimitri, Onisim, Theophan

From Daria and Andrew Cortése

For the Health Of: the Lowry Family, Aidan, Katrina, Suzanna & Ned, Shirley & Louis, Alcinio, Tim, All people of Russia and Ukraine

In Memory Of: Tom, Kate, Louise, Millie, Dorothy

From the Swan Family

For the Health Of: Constance, Michelle, Mary Anne, Angela, Robert, Holly

In Memory Of: Thomas, Michael

From Lucy Znak

For the Health Of: Michael, Michelle, Amanda, John, Lucas, Lucy Cate

In Memory Of: Theodore, Alexandra, Eugene, Wasyl, Myroslawa, Alla, Lenard

Stewardship

St. Mark's now has an Amazon Smile wishlist, which will allow donors to purchase needed supplies such as paper towels and have them shipped directly to the parish. The list may be viewed at https://smile.amazon.com/hz/charitylist/ls/1E8ML90E8GKX5

Purchasing an item from this list will generate a receipt from Amazon you may use for tax purposes. **If you want your donation to appear on your parish contribution statement, please submit your receipt to Andy Skordinski.**

Monthly Donation Tracker:

	Jan-22	Feb-22	Mar-22	Apr-22	May-22	YTD
2022 Total General Contribution	$20,194.59	$20,090.00	$18,668.00	$15,574.00	$26,949.00	$101,475.59
2022 Avg. Per Week Per Unit (56)	$72.12	$89.69	$83.34	$69.53	$96.25	$79.16
Change from 2021 (Goal >$8)	$5.23	$40.54	$12.64	$9.80	$42.12	$17.56
2021 Avg. Per Week Per Unit	*$66.89*	*$49.15*	*$70.70*	*$59.73*	*$54.13*	*$61.60*

	Jan-22	Feb-22	Mar-22	Apr-22	May-22	YTD
Building Fund Contributions	$13,305.00	$3,055.00	$3,505.00	$3,190.00	$6,155.00	$29,210.00
% of Goal Obtained ($100k)	13.31%	3.06%	3.51%	3.19%	6.16%	29.21%

Collection information from June 19th-26th will be posted in next week's bulletin.

Rejoice, O mountains of Pennsylvania;
Leap for joy, O waters of the Great Lakes;
Rise up, O fertile plains of Canada,
For the elect of Christ who dwelt in you are glorified —
Men and women who left their homes for a new land!
With faith, hope, love and patience as their armor,
They courageously fought the good fight.
Comforted by the beauty of the Orthodox Faith,
They labored in mines and mills, they tilled the land;
They braved the challenges of the great cities,
Enduring many hardships and sufferings.
Never failing to worship God in spirit and truth,
And unyielding devotion to His most pure Mother,
They erected many temples to His glory.
Come, O assembly of the Orthodox,
And with love let us praise the holy men, women and children,
Those known to us and those known only to God,
And let us cry out to them:
Rejoice, all Saints of North America, and pray to God for us!

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:	9:30 AM (Wednesdays)
Panikhidas/Lityas:	as requested

CLERGY

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V. Rev. Michael Sekela (Retired), *Attached*
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Sergei Arhipov
Readers: G. Peter Bohlender
Marek Szeliga
Sbdn. Sergei Arhipov

LAY LEADERSHIP

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

Church School Coordinators: Mat. Martha Moser
Julie Stell

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.**