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St. Mark's Orthodox Church

Diocese of Eastern Pennsylvania

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July 12th, 2026 — 6th Sunday after Pentecost

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Tone 5. Venerable Paisios of the Holy Mountain. Martyrs Proclus and Hilary of Ancyra (2nd c.). Ven. Michael Maleinos (962). Martyrs Theodore and his son, John, of Kiev (983). Ven. Arseny of Novgorod, Fool-for-Christ (1570). Ven. Simon, Abbot of Volomsk (1641). Martyr Golinduc (in Baptism Mary), of Persia (591). Ven. John (998) and Gabriel, of the Holy Mountain (Georgian). Icon of the Mother of God, "THE THREE HANDS." (8th c.).

Epistle: Romans 12:6-14
Gospel: Matthew 9: 1-8

Upcoming Events

Sun., July 12th:	Hours & Divine Liturgy — 9:15 AM Coffee Hour
Mon., July 13th:	T.A.S.K. Carpool leaving St. Mark's at 8:30am
Sat., July 18th:	Reader's Vespers— 6PM
Sun., July 26th:	Blessing of Vehicles following Divine Liturgy St. George Brotherhood Picnic
Wed., July 29th:	Akathist to St. Panteleimon with anointing - 7pm

From the Wrightstown Food Cupboard: The Cupboard currently needs toiletries, cleaning supplies, juices (all package types) and coffee.

Father Raymond on Vacation: From Monday 13th to Friday 24th. In case of Emergency, call Father Victor Gorodenchuk at St. Stephen's Cathedral. You May reach him at 215 745-3232 or his cell phone, 215 756-2289. Father Joseph Sharman from St. Michael's in Wilmington DE will serve the Divine Liturgy next Sunday.

T.A.S.K Carpool Departs Saint Mark's Monday July 13, at 8:30am

St. George Brotherhood Picnic: All are invited, signup sheet in the Vestibule/ Narthex. Please sign up if you want to attend, Sunday July 26 following Divine Liturgy and Blessing of Vehicles**.**

PLEDGE REMINDER from the Stewardship Committee: For those members of the parish that have made pledges to be paid periodically each year, it would be greatly appreciated that you make your 2026 payment as soon as possible to maximize the amount of money we have "in the bank" before we begin negotiating financing for construction. Thank you!

Akathist to Saint Panteleimon - Wednesday, July 29th at 7pm. Anointing with Myrrh from his relics. All are invited to attend who seek healing of soul and body. Non-Orthodox are welcome to attend and be anointed if they so wish. Invite your Non-Orthodox friends who are in need and open to attending.

Birthdays: Mary Anne Swan, Andrew Skordinski,

Name Days: Julia Petrov, Marina Moser, Marina Crosby

Wedding Anniversaries: Niko and Kristen Chochelli

	Jan-26	Feb-26	Mar-26	Apr-26	May-26	Jun-26	YTD
2026 Total General Contribution	$13,517.75	$27,020.00	$25,257.00	$21,855.00	$20,688.00	$16,054.00	$124,391.75
2026 Avg. Per Week Per Unit	$43.89	$87.73	$65.60	$70.96	$53.74	$52.12	$63.50
Change from 2025 (Goal >$8)	-$41.35	$9.12	-$11.44	-$5.63	-$15.94	-$6.61	-$6.35
2025 Avg. Per Week Per Unit	*$85.24*	*$78.60*	*$77.04*	*$76.59*	*$69.67*	*$58.73*	*$69.86*

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Building Fund Contributions*	$4,306.00	$205,932.00	$4,358.00	$4,410.00	$4,234.00	$4,102.70	$227,342.70
% of Goal Obtained ($100k)	4.31%	205.93%	4.36%	4.41%	4.23%	4.10%	227.34%

** Does not include Capital Campaign Pledge Payments*

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, and Jennifer
Inquirers Adam, Chris, Quin, Vigo, Kristen, Wes, Shannon, William, Jonah, Bethany, Jeff, Ruth
Catechumens Angie, Timothy
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: Hieromonk Alexis, Priest Seraphim, Dn. Christopher, Preoteasa Teodora, Barbara, Mark, Ann, Albert, Carol
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 — 7/5/26
General — $2,353.40
Candles — $185.00
Pledge Pmts. — $80.00
Parish Development - $150.00

Total: $2,768.70

Online Collection — 6/29 - 7/5
General — $2,576
Pledge Payments — $185.00
Candles - $10.00
Parish Development - $48.00

Total: $2,819.00
GRAND TOTAL: $5,587.50

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*
Deacon Marek Szeliga, Attached

Subdeacons: Sergei Arhipov

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

The St. Joseph & Holy Myrrbearers Society

(A ministry of charitable service and social interaction)

Clergy contact: Pdn. Gregory Moser
Lay contact: Melissa Ciatto

St. George Brotherhood: Contacts Dn. Marek Szeliga, Rdr. Greg Pavlik, Denis Strelstov

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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.**