

# ST. MARK'S ORTHODOX CHURCH

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- ❖ G. Peter Bohlender
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## Choir Directors:

- ❖ Sergei Arhipov
- ❖ Mat. Martha Moser
- ❖ Daria Cortese

## Church School Director

- ❖ Jennifer Sremanak

## Service Schedule

Great Vespers/Vigil

*Saturdays 6pm*

*Eve of Feast 7pm*

*(6pm on Sundays).*

Hours

*Sundays and Feast*

*Days 9:10am.*

**Divine Liturgy**

*Sundays and Feast Days 9:30 am*

**Confessions:**

*Saturdays after Vespers and by appointment.*

**Akathist Service**

*Wednesdays at 9:15am.*

**Memorial Services (Panikhida/Litya):** as

requested.



4th SUNDAY OF PASCHA — Tone 3, Paralytic. < Hieromartyr Patrick, Bishop of Prussa, and his companions: Presbyters Acacius, Menander, and Polyenus (2nd–3rd c.). St. John Bishop of the Goths in the Crimea (8th c.). St. Dunstan, Abp. of Canterbury (988). + Rt. Blv. Dimitry Donskoy, Grand Prince of Moscow (1389). < Ven. Cornelius, Abbot of Komel'Vologdá—1537). Ven. Cornelius, Abbot of Paleóstrov (15th c.). Rt. Blv. John, Prince of Uglich, tonsured as Ignatius (Vologdá— 1523). Ven. Sergius of Shukhtomsk (1609).

ΕΠΙΣΤΟΛΗ: Acts 9:32-42

ΓΕΓΟΝΟΤΑ: **John 5: 1-15**

**Baptisms:** Children must have Orthodox Godparents who provide a letter from their parish priest. Parents and Godparents are required to attend two preparatory classes. Scheduling arrangements should be made with the Rector by contacting him directly.

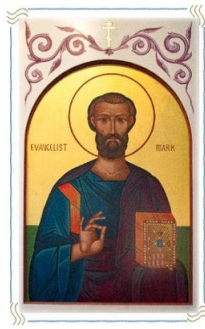
**Weddings:** Arrangements should be made **at least** six months prior to the wedding and scheduling is subject to the liturgical calendar of the church.

**Please do not** make arrangements for receptions without speaking with the Rector first.

CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN! ΧΡΙΣΤΟΣ ΨΟΚΡΕΣΕ! ΒΟΙΣΤΙΝΝΟΥ ΨΟΚΡΕΣΕ! CHRISTOS ANESTI!

ALITHOS ANESTI! ΧΡΙΣΤΟΣ Η ΙΝΒΙΑΤ! Η ΔΕΒΕΡΑΤ Η ΙΝΒΙΑΤ! CHRYSTUS ZMARTWYCHWSTAŁ! PRAWDZIWIĘ

ZMARTWYCHWSTAŁ! LE CHRIST EST RESSUSCITÉ! EN VÉRITÉ IL EST RESSUSCITÉ!



## Weekly SCHEDULE OF SERVICES AND EVENTS

**Sun. May 19: Hours and Divine Liturgy - 9:10am; Coffee Hour:**

**Tues. May 21: Building Committee - 6:30pm.**

**Wed. May 22: Akathist and Psalms class- 9:15am**

**Thurs May 23: Parish Council - 7pm.**

**Sat. May 25: Vespers and Confessions - 6pm.**

**Parish Celebration:** On Sunday June 30th we will welcome Archbishop Mark for his annual Archpastoral Visit. The Divine Liturgy, which will include the usual recognition

of married couples, will be followed by the blessing of the Reflection Path and Icon Shrine as the first phase of our parish development. This will be followed by a parish picnic, during which we will burn the mortgage which was paid off in January. Please do all you can to be present that day to participate. Further details will appear in next week's bulletin.

**Scrip:** YTD \$257.65.

**Thank you!** To all those who came yesterday morning and accomplished so much on the grounds of the rectory and the Church. Some of the work is very noticable and some not so, but very necessary nonetheless. There is more that can and should be done before our June Parish Celebration. So we will have another work day on a Saturday in June, not Father's Day weekend which is also Pentecost. How is June 22nd?

### Wrightstown Food Cupboard:

Our small weekly contributions offered together make a big difference in the lives of many. Christ is hungry and thirsty. We can feed Him. **Whatsoever you did for the least of these, you did for me.**

NOTE: tea and coffee are especially needed.

### VIGIL LIGHTS

#### FROM THE PITRA FAMILY

IN MEMORY OF: PELAGEJA, JULIA MARY

#### FROM ALAN LEE LITVIN

FOR THE HEALTH OF: JOHN LAWRYSH JR III, ALL PARISH MEMBERS WHO ARE SICK.

IN MEMORY OF: MY MOM AMELIA, GRANDMAS ANNA & IDA, AND ALL MOMS WHO HAVE NO ONE TO PRAY FOR THEM.

#### FROM MOSERS

FOR THE HEALTH OF: FR. DIMETRI, MAT. GAIL, MAT. LARISSA, ANTHONY, STEPHANIE, PETER

IN MEMORY OF: DN. JOHN, VERONICA, REBECCA, RACHEL, STEPHEN, SOPHIA, CHARLES

#### **Please remember in your prayers**

**Living:** Captives Hierarchs Paul and John III afflicted *Matushki* Elena, Laryssa, Lisa, Priscilla, Myra, Suzanne; *Servants of God* Peter, Stephanie, Anthony, Samuel, Sergei, Michael, Tatyana, Vera, Anna, Scott, Dennis, David, Garry, Vincent, Anthony, Helen, Stephen, Raymond, Darrell, Andrew, Daniel, Amanda and Michael, Laura, Stephen, Jason, Katina, Donna, Nina, Rebekah, Perry, Alexander, Grover, Valerie, Raymonde, Anita, Jim **Good estate of** Krastyo, Tom, Michael, Martin, Matthew, Nicoletta, Carmen and Nathan.

**Departed:** *Newly departed* Helen, George, Vladimir *Departed* Archpriests Stephen and Vladimir.

### Names Day

Dustin Joseph Crosby

Jack Joseph Crosby

Judy Rybny - 5/21

Eileen McKeown - 5/21

### Wedding Anniversary

Marek & Renee Szeliga 5/17

Sergei & Irene Arhipov 5/16



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