

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 9:30am

Confessions:

Saturdays after Vespers and by appointment.

Akathist Service

Wednesdays at 9:15am

Memorial Services (Panikhida/Litya): as requested. Arrange with the Rector.



6th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Tone 5. The SITKA Icon of the Most-holy Theotokos. Holy Greatmartyr Procopius of Cæsarea in Palestine (303). Righteous Prokópy, Fool-for-Christ, Wonderworker of Ustyá (Vologdá—1303). Appearance of the “KAZAN” Icon of the Most-holy Theotokos (1579). The Weeping Novgorod Icon of the Most-holy Theotokos, “OF TENDER FEELING” (14th c.).

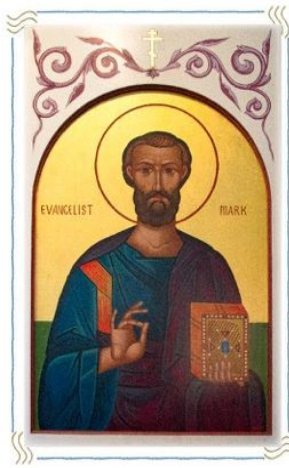
ΕΠΙΣΤΟΛΗ: *Romans 12:6-14*

ΓΟΣΠΕΛ: **Matthew 9:1-8**

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.



WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF SERVICES AND EVENTS

Sun July 8: Hours and Divine Liturgy 9:10am, Litya for Carole Henderson, 40th Day to follow.

Sat. July 14: No Vespers and Confessions

Sun. July 15: Hours and Divine Liturgy 9:10am. Coffee Hour.

Anniversary and Birth Dates: Please complete a form with birth date (day/month), patron saint and names day, wedding anniversary(day/month/year). Everyone is asked to do this so our records can be up to date and accurate. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Church Alarm: If you have key access to the church and do not have the alarm code see Fr. Martin or one of the Council members. If you do not disarm it and there is no one here to do so, Wrightstown Police will be here to see what is going on.

Father Martin on Vacation: Father Martin will be away on vacation from July 11 to 21. There will be no Vespers Service next Saturday or on the 21st. Divine Liturgy on next Sunday will be served by Fr. Kosta Petrogeorge who has served here before and is Larissa Moser Petrogeorge's father-in-law. We welcome Fr. Kosta and are grateful to him for his serving. If you have an emergency while Father Martin is away you should contact Father Noah Bushelli at St. Phillip's Antiochian Orthodox Church in Souderton at 215 954-9286.

Save the Date: Parish Picnic Sunday September 23 after Divine Liturgy. If you are willing to help with set up, cleanup, grill prep, activities, cooking, etc. See Charlotte Regen.

Scrip: Profit \$25.00. YTD \$461.02.

Website Update: Please check out the website which has been recently updated with an Educational Resources page with various audio and video links that are worthy of your time and consideration. Also a good source of questions for discussion. Further development is coming to make it a resource of Christian formation. Stay tuned!

Wrightstown Food Cupboard: Thank you to all who contributed for the Summer Baskets. Please continue to bring pasta, sauce, coffee, tea, juice with you to church throughout the summer months.

VIGIL LIGHTS

From Mosers

For the Health of: Fr. Dmitri, Fr. John, Peter, Stephanie, Vincent

In Memory of: Dn. John, Veronica, Rebecca, Charles, Stephen, William

FROM SWAN FAMILY

For the Health of: Helen, Michael, Nicole, Mary Anne, Ryan, Gregory, Constance

In Memory of: Thomas, Neville.



Please remember in your prayers



Living: Captive Hierarchs Paul and John, Ill afflicted Pcdn Joseph, Matushki Elena, Laryssa, Lisa, Priscilla, Myra; Servants of God Peter, Stephanie, Anthony, Samuel, Sergei, Michael, Tatyana, Vera, Anna, Serge, Dennis, David, Garry, Vincent, Anthony, Helen, Stephen, Raymond, Kathleen, Darrell, Barbara, Daniel, Amanda and Michael . Good estate of Krastyo, Tom, Michael, Martin, Matthew, Nicoletta, Carmen and Nathan.

Departed: *Newly departed* Archpriest Joseph Priest Michael, William, Carole, William, Maria. *Departed* Archpriests Stephen and Vladimir.

Birthdays, Names Day and Anniversaries

Birthday: Michael Browne 7/8, Grace Browne 7/10, Mary Anne Swan 7/14

