



ST. MARK'S ORTHODOX CHURCH

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- ❖ 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



9th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 8. Afterfeast of the Dormition. Martyrs Florus and Laurus of Illyria (2nd c.). Martyrs Hermes, Serapion and Polyaeenus, of Rome. Hieromartyr Emilian and with him Martyrs Hilarion, Dionysius, and Hermippus (4th c.). Ss. John (674) and George (683), Patriarchs of Constantinople. Ven. Makáry the Monk. Repose of Ven. John, Abbot of Rila (Bulgaria—946). Ven. Sophronius of St. Anne's Skete (Mt. Athos—18th c.). Ven. Arsenios of Pharos (1877).

EPISTLE: 1 Cor. 3:9-17

GOSPEL: **Matthew 14:22-34**

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

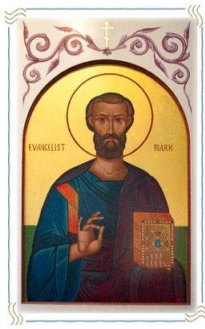
Sun. Aug 18: Hours and Divine Liturgy - 9:10am. Graduates Breakfast.

Wed. Aug 21: Akathist with Bible Study- 9:15am. Prison Ministry - 7:30pm.

Thurs. Aug 22: Parish Council - 7pm.

Sat. Aug 24: Vespers and Confessions - 6pm.

Bible Study: Continues this Wednesday, a Bible Study, focusing on the Fall of Adam. It will meet following the Akathist and finish at 11am.



Vestments: We are very grateful for the donation of two new sets of vestments in the Byzantine style. One set is in remembrance of Linda and Maurice Hakim, the other set from a generous parishioner. Gratitude is also extended to the Milosavs who brought these vestments back from Romania. One set is white/gold and made its debut on Transfiguration, the other set is purple and will appear during Great Lent.

Widows and Widowers: a support group for those whose spouse has died meets at the Morrisville Presbyterian Church monthly from September to June. T.L.A (To Live Again) is open to new members. Further information is in the rack in the vestibule and on the bulletin board in the Church Hall.

Scrip: YTD \$257.65.

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. **Whatever you did for the least of these, you did for me.** NOTE: tea and coffee are especially needed.

VIGIL LIGHTS

FROM ALAN LEE LITVIN

FOR THE HEALTH OF: THE WORLD

IN MEMORY OF: AMELIA LITVIN: MOM, GOD BLESS YOU! I LOVE YOU! I MISS YOU! YOU ARE ALWAYS WITH ME.

I WILL NEVER FORGET YOU



FROM GEORGE LEKVEISHKVILI

FOR THE HEALTH OF: GEORGI, EKATERINE, NICHLAS, TEKLA, MARIAM, IOANNA, LEAH, MONK JOACHIM, LUARA, TENGIZ, NINO, SOPHIA, NINO, NINO, BISHOP SABA, PANTELEMON, NINO, KESARIA, MIRIAN, SABA, KAKABER, LANA, THEODORA, ANDRIA, MICHAEL, SALOME, MAIA

IN MEMORY OF: BONDO, SHOTA, TENGIZ, GELA, NINO, LEUAN, NUKRI, NINO, GEIORGI, KOPA, TEIMURAZ, GURAM, MERY, NODAR, ILYA, ARCHIMANDRITE ATHANASY, BARNABA, NUN THEOPHANO, OLGA, ALEXANDER, ILYA, BABINE

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,, Tatyana, Vera, Anna, Scott, Dennis, David, Garry, Vincent, Anthony, Helen, Stephen, Raymond, Darrell, Andrew, Daniel, Amanda, Michael, Laura, Stephen, Jason, Katina, Donna, Nina, Rebekah, Anthony, Alexander, Grover, Valerie, Raymonde, Anita, Jim, Peter, **Jonathan, Gregory, Charlees Good estate of Krastyo, Tom, Michael, Martin, Matthew, Nicoletta, Carmen and Nathan, Ferne.**



Departed: *Newly departed* Archimandrite Pitirim, Archpriest John, Archpriest Steven, Hieromonk Richard, April *Departed* Archpriests Stephen and Vladimir.

Names Day

Samuel Regen 22nd

Alan Samuel Litvin 22nd

Birthdays

Victoria Tyshko

Mariam Lekveishkvili