

Holy Assumption Orthodox Church

OCA - Diocese of the Midwest

Parish Council President: Matthew Adamcio

Fr. Andrew Bartek, Rector



Sunday, July 28, 2019

Gospel: St. Matthew 9:1-8

Tone 5

Epistle: Romans 12:6-14

6th Sunday after Pentecost

Apostles Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon & Parmentas of the 70

JULY Bulletin Sponsor: Diane Tryon

In loving memory of Mom on the occasion of her birthday

Liturgical & Events Schedule

Sunday, July 28

9:05 am: Hours followed by Divine Liturgy celebrated by His Grace, Bishop Matthias followed by Social & Choir Rehearsal

Monday, July 29

Steaming Cabbage Day

Saturday, August 3

4:00 pm: Great Vespers

Sunday, August 5

9:05 am: Hours followed by Divine Liturgy / Social / Choir Rehearsal

AUGUST

	<u>Cleaners</u>	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Social</u>
4	Jennifer H.	Joe S	Open
11	Stephanie K.	Tim	Open
18	Jean H.	Ron	Festival
25	Open	David	Open

JULY SPECIAL COLLECTION

St Herman's Seminary in Alaska!

40 DAY REMEMBRANCE

July 28: Police officer Tara From Sacramento / Police Officer Jose from TX/ Dan Alex

August 4: John Clay

August 11: Troy / Mat. Vera Mironowicz

August 18: Deputy shot in GA / Archimandrite Pitirim

August 25: Archpriest George Havrila

DANBURY FOOD PANTRY - AUGUST

Suggested donation of Apple Sauce (and other non-perishable goods) will be collected through August 11.

August donations will be delivered to the food pantry Thursday August 15.

Thank You & God Bless.

CANDLE / BULLETIN SPONSORS FOR JULY

Chandelier (\$50) Basil: In loving memory of his mother, Mary Martha and his father, Anthony

Altar Candles (\$50) Basil: In memory of his brother & sisters

Candles on the Tomb (\$25) Maria Demkosky in memory of her dad Frank Flaherty

Eternal Light & Icon Screen (\$25) Susan : Memory of grandfathers Michael & John, Father Frank, God father Peter & brother William Peter

Bulletin: Diane Tryon in B-day memory of her mom

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AUGUST SPECIAL COLLECTION

Respect Life -Port Clinton- March for Life



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Historic recordings of Fr. Schmemmann, Fr. Meyendorff, Sophie Koulomzin, others now available from SVOTS

“So many brilliant and renowned theologians and teachers have graced the campus of [Saint Vladimir’s Orthodox Theological Seminary](#) [SVOTS] over its 80-year history,” said Subdeacon Alexander [Pradeep] Hatcher, SVOTS Director of Institutional and Advancement. “We are so pleased that now you can literally hear their voices in lectures and talks that had been in danger of being lost or forgotten.”

Hundreds of old analog recordings of Father Alexander Schmemmann, Father John Meyendorff, Father Thomas Hopko, Metropolitan Kallistos Ware, Sophie Koulomzin, Jaroslav Pelikan, and many, many others are now available—for the first time—in digital, online format you can listen to anywhere, anytime for free.” Cosponsored by SVOTS with assistance from the [Virginia H. Farah Foundation](#), the [recordings may be accessed by creating a free account](#).

“It is our dream to share with the world the voices of illustrious Orthodox Christian speakers and theologians who shed light on important aspects, historical moments, and even spiritual movements of the Orthodox Christian Church in the 20th century, especially in North America,” explained Archpriest Chad Hatfield, SVOTS President.

The quality of some recordings preserved on this site is not ideal due to the condition of source tapes as well as conditions and equipment used at the time of those recordings.

“As Orthodox Christianity is timeless, so too is the wisdom and insight of its saints and teachers, continued Subdeacon Alexander. “No matter what year it is or how long ago the [digi.svots](#) website was launched, what’s not to get excited about knowing that these precious recordings are available for the next generation and beyond?”

Making the Invisible God Visible; Let’s Get Down to Basics

In last week’s reflection, I expressed some lofty thoughts on parents needing to make the invisible God visible to their children. I would like to get more concrete about how this can be pursued in daily family life. Here are some things for parents to chew on. This may take a few weeks.

We make the invisible God visible in the Christian home by:

- 1) Saying prayers in the morning and evening. (See my posts from August 2018.)
- 2) Remember to keep the fasting days on Wednesdays and Fridays and the four fasts of the year. (See my August 2018 posts.)
- 3) Whenever you find your children fighting over what “is mine”, discipline them by having them take a time out. Don’t conclude the time out until they can commit to, and come up, with a way they can share family items and cooperate with each other.
- 4) Don’t ask anything of your children that you aren’t able to do yourselves.
- 5) Don’t be afraid of admitting your short comings to your children and to ask forgiveness of them.
- 6) Be strict with children using verbally abusive language.
- 7) Do not tolerate acts of physical violence in the family. We only use violence to purge self-willed passions out of our lives that separate us from Christ. *“From the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven has suffered violence, and men of violence take it by force” (Matthew 11:12).*
- 8) Make sure as parents you are not trying to punish violent behavior by using violence yourselves. This will not eliminate violence; it will only increase the ways it will express itself later in a child’s life.
- 9) If you are afraid of answering some tough questions your kids ask you, talk to someone you trust to figure out why.
- 10) Don’t be afraid to tell your children “I don’t know” if you can’t answer their questions. Let them to know you will work on finding the answer for them.

I will continue this list next week. The blessing of the Lord be upon you. The unworthy +Paul

PRAYER LIST Updated 7-24

Clergy:

His Beatitude, Metropolitan Theodosius
His Beatitude, Metropolitan Herman
Archbishop Nikon from New England
John Duranko (*Father's home pastor*)
James Gleason (*Father's Spiritual Father*)
Joseph Gibson
Emilian Hutnyan
Josef Von Klarr
Vladimir Lecko
John Matusiak
Zachariah Trent
Peter Tutko
Deacon Paul Mitchell
Sub-deacon Wylie Meath

Matushkii:

Pani Patricia Duranko
Virginia Lecko
Sonya Tutko
Victoria Kopistiansky

Parishioners / & their Family:

John Beadle (Elcishko)
MaryAnn Cook (Cousin to Twarek's)
John Richard Elchisco
Debbie Garnek (*Roddie's sister*)
Michael Glovinsky (*Basil's nephew*)
Heidi Golob
Ernest Gresh (*Basil's nephew*)
Shirley Gresh (Wife of Ernest)
Aldin Griffith (Soski)
Julia Guzy
Joseph Habegger (*Laura brother-in-law*)
Alice Jackson (Mazurik)
Kathy Jacobs
Michael Kouznetsov (*Mary Hiser's son*)
Kristen (*Cassell's daughter*)
Eileen Libb (Royhab)
Helen Lis
Walter Litzie (*Fr.'s cousin*)
Maria (*Terrie's mom*)
Greg Mazur
Jim Mazur
Judy Mazurik (*Paul Mazurik's*)
Baby Stella Miller
Katelyn Pipenur (*Niece of Jean*)
Helen Jean Rofkar (*Elchisco*)

Joe Rose
Steven Schirtzinger (Soski)
Christy Schutt (*Joe's sister*)
Peter Truta (*Jean H's cousin*)
Diane Tryon
Greg Tryon
Christine Twarek
Valentin (Cassell)
Lauren & her newborn
Maxwell (*Jean H's daughter*)
Nikki and her newborn baby
Brantly
Brianna and her unborn baby
(*Trudy's daughter*)
Katie and her newborn Bodhi
(Cassell's daughter-in-law)

Other Requests:

Alexia
Dick Biro (*Natalie's friend*)
Anna Burch (*Wayne's friend*)
Mary Ann Cook (Twarek)
Bob Cook (Twarek)
Danielle (*Cassell's friend*)
Ben Franklin (*Laura friend*)
Theodore Geletka
(*St. Michael OC-Broadview Heights' choir director*)
Brad George (Christi's friend)
Donald Gresh (Basil)
Tom Hutnyan (Fr. Emil)
Elliot Joy (*Police chief's son*)
Jake Lipstraw (Twarek)
Andy Kukay (Village resident)
Anna Maiani (*Friend of Wayne*)
Charlie Nowak (Avery's)
Beth Reinhard (*Diane friend*)
Elvis Reyes
Sandy Scafaria (friend of Jean)
Matthew Sterling (Tyron)
Janice Timko
Becky Yatsko (Twarek)
Rachel (Darlene M.)
Bonnie (Cassell)
Kim (Cassell)
Sharon (Cassell)
Dominic (Cassell)
Allison Spoerl (Cassell)

Cheyenne Welch & her two newborn (our catechumens):
Luke & Lydia
Katie & her newborn Evan
(*manager at Bruno's wife*)
Mat. Carley & her unborn baby

Military:

Craig Cassell
Nathan Brown

Captives:

Metropolitan Paul
(*Orthodox Archdiocese of Aleppo*)
Archbishop John
(*Syriac Archdiocese of Aleppo*)
The UN & IOCC humanitarian aid workers in & around Syria; Those suffering persecution in Iraq, Syria, Israel, Egypt, Ukraine and throughout the world
NOTE: Please let Fr. Andrew know when someone needs to go on list and come off.

For Your Prayers

Julia Guzy (95 ½ yrs old)
1601 Church Rd
Marblehead, OH 43440
Please remember her & Susan
(her daughter) in your prayers.
Send a card of greeting.

Remembering Protopresbyter John Meyendorff

EDITORIAL INTRO. *Today—July 22, 2019—we remember the repose of our beloved Protopresbyter John Meyendorff, Dean of [Saint Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary](#) from 1984-1992, Professor of Church History from 1959-1992, prolific author, and major voice in and for the Orthodox Christian community worldwide.*

A wide selection of [recordings of Father John's lectures on patristics](#) is now available. A listing of his [many books and articles published in the Saint Vladimir's Theological Quarterly](#) is available on the [SVS Press web site](#).

REFLECTION BY PROTOPRESBYTER LEONID KISHKOVSKY. Each year, at the end of July, we especially honor the memory of Protopresbyter John Meyendorff, Dean of Saint Vladimir's Seminary from 1984 until his retirement on June 30, 1992, just a few weeks before his repose on July 22.

A better way to speak of Father John's repose would be to say that he died "in hope of the resurrection." These words are used in Orthodox prayers for the departed. Father John's theological vision, in accord with the great Christian theologians, affirmed and celebrated the dynamism of our life and our movement toward the resurrection.

In remembering Father John and reflecting on his life and ministry, it is clear that he was a theologian of depth and a teacher of excellence. In this he witnessed to Christ, to the Gospel, to the Orthodox Faith. He exemplified intellectual integrity and seriousness and was allergic to untruth in any form. Theology and teaching were not "academic" endeavors for Father John. He placed his intellect and his teaching in the service of the Church. In this sense, he was as much a pastor as he was a theologian and teacher. During the years of his labors as theologian and historian, teacher and lecturer, Father John achieved respect and recognition around the world in the Orthodox Church, in the ecumenical world, and in academia. Among the Orthodox Churches, his voice articulated the vision of the Orthodox Church in America, affirming the imperative need for unity and mission. In the ecumenical and academic worlds, he articulated and bore witness to the Orthodox vision of God's creation

and the meaning and content of human life in light of the biblical teaching on the image and likeness of God in each human person.

As editor of *The Orthodox Church* newspaper for 20 years, Father John made a major contribution to public discussion of the challenges facing the Orthodox Church in North America and around the world. He saw his service as editor as a continuation of his task as teacher of theology and history. He knew that an educated and informed clergy and laity were necessary for a healthy Church. His birth and education in France were no obstacle to his love for America. On the contrary, he entered fully into the experience of American Orthodoxy, understanding its challenges and appreciating its gifts and possibilities.

In the story of the [autocephaly of the Orthodox Church in America](#), Father John was more than a teacher and scholar. He played a key role in the negotiations which led to the [granting of autocephaly](#), working closely with Father Alexander Schmemmann and the other members of the team charged by the Holy Synod with the responsibility for dialogue and negotiation with the Russian Orthodox Church.

A central aspect of Father John's thought and teaching was the calling of the Orthodox Church to overcome the limitations of national, ethnic Orthodoxy through a proper vision and experience of the unity and universality of the Orthodox Church. This did not mean for him that the national and ethnic realities should be despised or rejected. It did mean that the true vocation of the Orthodox Church cannot be confined to the boundaries of ethnic and national identities. This insight guided the "creators" of the autocephaly of the Orthodox Church in America, and still guides our vision of Orthodox mission in America.

The various aspects of Father John's life and ministry were complementary. Scholar and priest, teacher and educator, dedicated to the Orthodox Church in America, and honored around the world as a theologian, articulate voice for Orthodoxy in the ecumenical context—all of these dimensions were integrated and harmonious, and all were at the service of the Good News of Christ and the Church of Christ.

When Father John received the Sacrament of Unction not long before his death, he **Con't Pg 5**

JULY CELEBRATIONS

BIRTHDAY	ANNIVERSARY
2- Matt Essex 4- Stephanie Kowal 8- Ed Vangeloff 12- Justin Stokley 12- Joe Stokley 12- Joey Hileman 13- Police Chief Casey Joy 17- Jonah Bremer	10- Matt & Rachel Adamcio 16- Peter & Stephanie Kowal 7-22-2002: Retired Metropolitan Herman (Elected as Primate) 24- Frank & Laurie Batura 27- Greg & Natalie Twarek 30- Tim & Jennifer Heffernan <p style="text-align: center;">NAMESDAY</p> 7-31: Archbishop Benjamin of San Francisco
<i>If there are those names to be added or removed, please contact Fr. Andrew. He would like to list all members of your family Orthodox and non-Orthodox.</i>	

Kenneth Kidd named Interim Executive Director of FOCUS NA

[FOCUS North America](#) [FOCUS NA] recently announced the appointment of Kenneth Kidd as its interim Executive Director. Mr. Kidd has served as the Development Director for FOCUS NA America for the last two years.

Brian Bullard, Chairman of the FOCUS NA Board of Directors, stated, “Kenny has a diverse leadership background in non-profit organizations and is well suited to guide FOCUS during this interim period.”

Mr. Kidd succeeds Dr. Seraphim Danckaert, who recently announced his resignation as Executive Director, a position he has held since June 2017. He has taken a position as Headmaster at Saint Peter’s Classical School, Fort Worth, TX.

“Seraphim has made significant contributions to FOCUS over the past two years and positioned the organization for continued growth and success into the future,” Mr. Bullard added. “We are grateful to the many contributions he has made to FOCUS and those we served during his tenure. We wish him and his family our best as they start a new chapter in their life.”

The Board of Directors has formed a search committee to find the next Executive Director. If you are interested in nominating a candidate or would like to be considered as a candidate, please forward the

candidate’s name and resume online [to the attention of the Board’s Search Committee](#).

FOCUS NA is celebrating 10 years as a national movement of Orthodox Christians, united in faith and joined by a desire to provide action-oriented and sustainable solutions to poverty in communities across America. FOCUS has operations and youth volunteer experiences in more than 50 cities in the United States.

Fr. John con’t

said one word – “Eucharist.” When the Eucharistic Liturgy is celebrated at Saint Vladimir’s Seminary Chapel, the icon behind the altar table is the icon of Christ giving Communion to the Apostles. Father John’s vision and experience of the Church was deeply Eucharistic. As he approached the hour of his death, the Eucharist stood at the center of his vision. The life and ministry of Father John, as well as his sickness and death, were full of the hope of the resurrection. And this joyful hope is fulfilled in the Eucharist given to us by Christ.

May Father John’s memory be eternal!

ATTENDANCE - JULY

Sunday, July 7: 23 Total (19 members; 4 guests; 13 Communicants; 3 attended Vespers

Sunday, July 14: 37 Total (23 members; 2 children; 12 guests; 23 Communicants; 7 attended Vespers

Saturday, July 20: 12 attended Liturgy

Sunday, July 21: 53 Total (26 members; 4 children; 23 Guests; 47 Communicants; 7 attended Vespers

OTHER WEEKLY INCOME

Sunday, July 7: \$31 Candles; \$50 Altar Candles; \$100 Chandelier; \$40 Vigils; Special Collection (St Herman's Seminary \$120; \$100 Cemetery; \$13 Miscellaneous; \$50 Biro Manufacturing; \$50 donation

TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$884

Sunday, July 14: \$47 candles; \$55 Vigils; \$150 Special Collection St Herman's

TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$1,571

Sunday, July 21: \$32 Candles; \$75 Vigils; \$25 Eternal Light; \$100 special Collection (St Herman's Seminary /

TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$1,172

WEEKLY VIGILS: JULY 21

- Susan Guzy (2)** Special intention
- Laura Kovach (3)** For health of Joe, Joe, Heidi and Maddie; Safe travel for Jim; In memory of Susan
- Stephanie Kowal (1)** Safe travels for Quincy, Cooper, Mike and Rhanda
- Sandy Martin (1)** Special intentions
- Jim Mazur(2)** Health of family and friends
- Darlene, Nick and Gabe Mazurik (1)** Special intentions
- Ron & Bobbie Royhab (1)**
- Janice Timko(1)** In Blessed and loving memory of my precious parents, Sophia and Peter Monak 8/1 Daddy's Birthday. "Vechnaya Pamyat!"
- Twarek (7)** In loving memory of Mom (Anniversary 7/21); Health and healing to Heidi, Christine, MaryAnn and Bob; Strength and peace for Sue; Health and recovery of Joe, Sonya, Nancy, Julia, Diane, Stella, Ron; Health of Morgan, Steve, John, Becky, Jake, Helen; Special intentions; Special intentions

**MONTHLY TITHING ONLY
Goal Pledged per month: \$4,100**

- Sunday, July 7:** \$443
- Sunday, July 14:** \$1,319
- Sunday, July 21:** \$940

JULY Reposed List

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| 2- John Danchisen (2009) | 14- John Gulla (1968) | 29- Robert Zgonc (2018) |
| 6- Anna Mazur (1969) | 20- Fr. Dc. John Youhas (2012) | 29- Charles Hagmaier (2018) |
| 6- Joseph Golob Jr | 20- Mitered Archpriest Sava Chaly (1991) Former Pastor | Triantafilos Lefas (1995) |
| 7- Mary Martha Glovinsky (1975) | 21- Anna Mazurik (1973) | Mary Danchisen (1927) |
| 9- Andrew Holodnak (1971) | 27- Father Vladimir Meschersky (1937) Former Pastor | Michael Wolf (1929) |
| 10- Gretta Gresh (2018) | 29- Sally Franklin (2018) | |



CHICKEN BBQ- ST. JOES

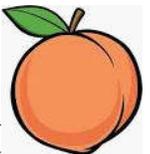
Sunday, July 28 from 11:30-1:30 / Dinner \$10 [Dine In or Carry Out]

(Half Chicken, Baked Potato, green beans, dinner roll)

**ANNUAL PEACH SOCIAL-
ST. PAUL LUTHERAN**

Saturday, August 10 from 4:00-6:30pm

(Ice cream, peaches, chips, pies, hot dogs



PRAY FOR OUR CATECHUMENS

Tim Heffernan
Rachael Adamcio
Luke Welch
Lydia Welch
Tristen Welch

Possible Catechumens:

Loreen Welch
Cheyenne Welch

May God & the Holy Spirit guide them in their journey in the Orthodox Church and the Orthodox way of Life.

Apostle Prochorus the Deacon of the Seventy Commemorated on [July 28](#)

Saints Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon and Parmenas, Apostles of the Seventy were among the first deacons in the Church of Christ.

In the Acts of the Holy Apostles (6:1-6) it is said that the twelve Apostles chose seven men: Stephen, Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas and Nicholas, full of the Holy Spirit and wisdom, and appointed them to serve as deacons. They are commemorated together on July 28, although they died at various times and in various places.

At first, Saint Prochorus accompanied the holy Apostle Peter, who made him bishop in the city of Nicomedia. After the Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos, Prochorus was a companion and coworker of the holy Apostle John the Theologian and was banished with him to the island of Patmos. There he wrote down the Book of Revelation concerning the final fate of the world. Upon returning to Nicomedia, Saint Prochorus converted pagans to Christ in the city of Antioch, where he suffered martyrdom.

Romans 12:6-14 (*Epistle*)

Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith; or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching; he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness. Let love be without hypocrisy. Abhor what is evil. Cling to what is good. Be kindly affectionate to one another with brotherly love, in honor giving preference to one another; not lagging in diligence, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord; rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, continuing steadfastly in prayer; distributing to the needs of the saints, given to hospitality. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse.

Matthew 9:1-8 (*Gospel*)

So He got into a boat, crossed over, and came to His own city. Then behold, they brought to Him a paralytic lying on a bed. When Jesus saw their faith, He said to the paralytic, "Son, be of good cheer; your sins are forgiven you." And at once some of the scribes said within themselves, "This Man blasphemes!" But Jesus, knowing their thoughts, said, "Why do you think evil in your hearts? For which is easier, to say, 'Your sins are forgiven you,' or to say, 'Arise and walk'? But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins" – then He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your bed, and go to your house." And he arose and departed to his house. Now when the multitudes saw it, they marveled and glorified God, who had given such power to men.

Bishop Paul's Travel Schedule

St. Peter the Aleut Church, Minot, ND, July 26th to 29th

Holy Trinity Church, Clayton, WI, August 2nd to 4th

St. Paul Orthodox Church, Dayton, OH, August 8th to 11th

- *Ordination of David Abshear to the Diaconate*

Food - Fun - Music

63rd Annual

Halupki Festival

Sunday August 18, 2019

11:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

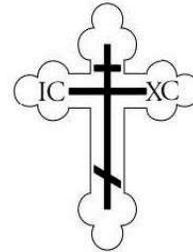
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Marblehead, Ohio

General Info: 419-798-4591

Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.



*Free shuttle service
Nearby parking*
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Carpatho-Russian Dinner \$15

2 Halupki
2 Perohi
Kolbasi
Baklava

Ala Carte
More lines
and cashiers!!

Carpatho-Russian Ala Carte

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Halushki-Pagach & more

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Raffles

Rusyn (Pysanky) Easter Egg Art

Bounce House, Silly Tilly & more

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