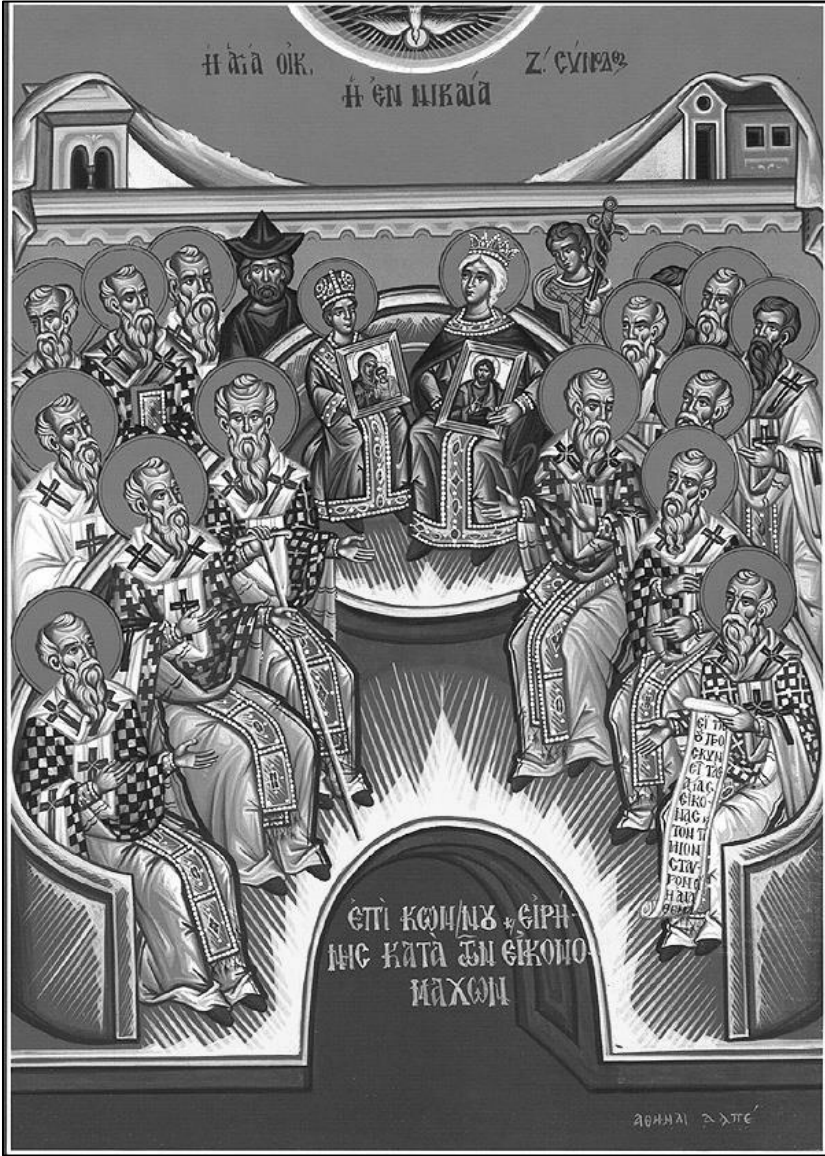


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Epistle: 2 Corinthians 11:31-12:9; Gospel: Luke 7:11-16

SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

Today – The Holy Fathers of the 7th Ecumenical Council

9:30 AM *Divine Liturgy*

Saturday, October 17

5:30 PM Private Confession Available

6:00 PM *Great Vespers*

Sunday, October 18

9:30 AM *Divine Liturgy* with Coffee Hour in Honor of Dasha Piwinski, in Gratitude for her many years of selfless service as Director of our Church School!

Saturday, October 24

5:30 PM Private Confession Available

6:00 PM *Great Vespers*

Sunday, October 25

9:30 AM *Divine Liturgy*

Saturday, October 31

5:30 PM Private Confession Available

6:00 PM *Great Vespers*

**** Remember: Daylight Savings Time ends at 2 AM Sunday, Nov. 1.**

Set your clocks BACK 1 hour, enjoy the extra sleep ... it'll be easier to get to Church on time!

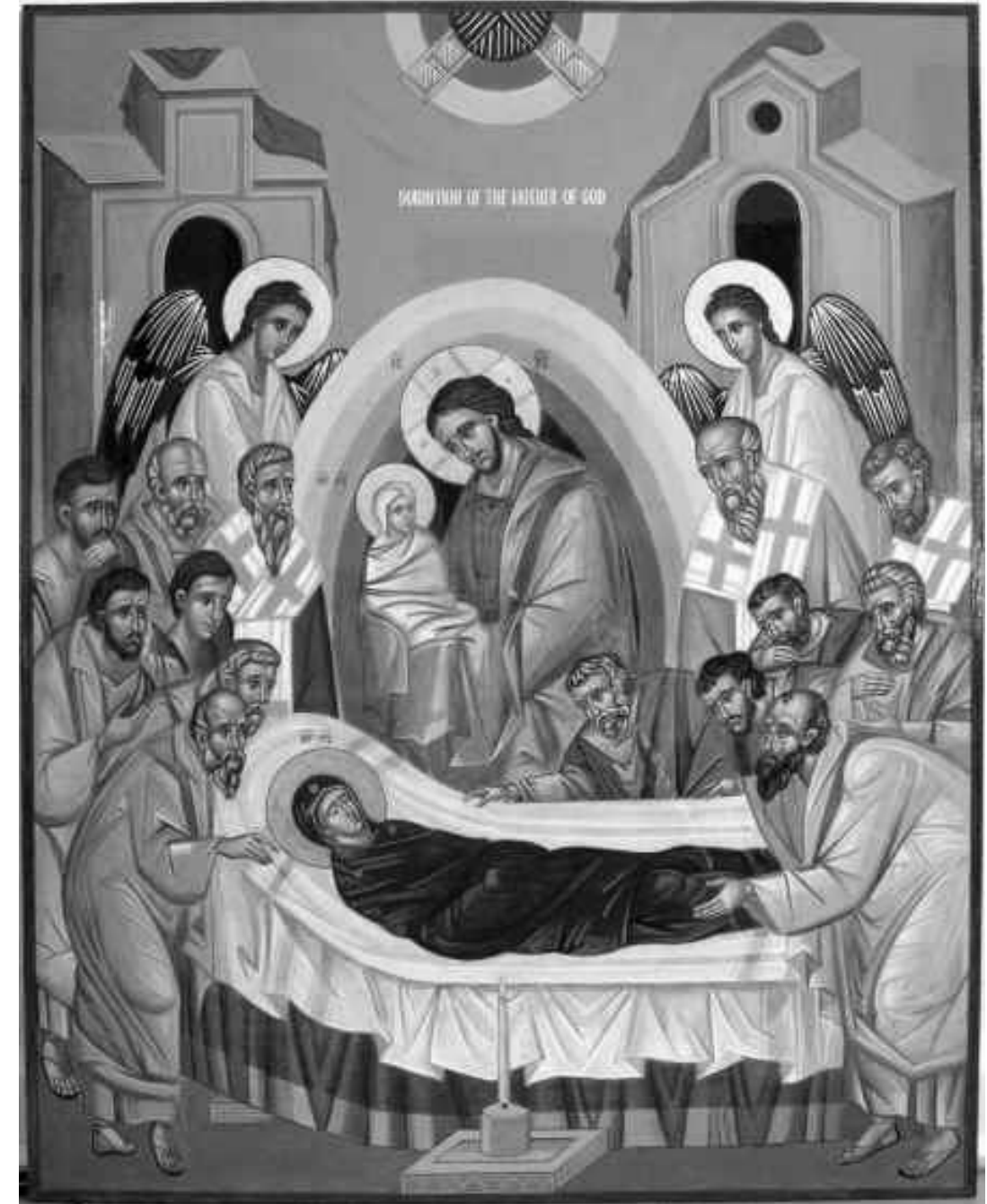
Sunday, November 1

9:30 AM *Divine Liturgy*

PLEASE BRING YOUR 2015 DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT BY SUN., 10/18

The Diocesan Assessment is again set at \$145.00 per person for 2015.

So we may submit our accurate parish census to the Diocesan Office by Nov. 1, please bring your **\$145.00 Diocesan Assessment** here by **Sunday, October 18.**



"FREEZER PLEAZERS"

**Charity Auction
Sunday, November 22
(during Coffee Hour)**



On Sunday, Nov. 22, we will auction off **freezer-ready, home-cooked gourmet favorites and family pleaser meals** that are prepared by the best Parish Chefs of Holy Trinity Parish and local restaurants – all to benefit our beloved St. Andrew's Diocesan Summer Camp. Help our Camp to continue the good and worthy work of providing an Orthodox Christian experience for the youth of our Church in New York, who are in such urgent need of wholesome, unmaterialistic, Godly experiences!

Bidders can buy gourmet meals and desserts for your Thanksgiving Feast, for a family dinner, for your Christmas Feast or New Year's Celebration. Cooking for one? Serve it up, again and again from your freezer. Makes a great gift too – for new moms, those who are ill or homebound, or those who just enjoy good food!

PARISH CHEFS:

What's your best dish or dessert? The one that people request, ask for the recipe, or rave about to others? Are you willing to take that talent and use it for charity? See Matushka Tamara to participate in this fun and worthy cause!



Bidders will be able to review the auction menu before the event, and can place an email bid if unable to be present.

TODAY'S EPISTLE 2 Corinthians 11:31-12:9 Brethren: The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who is blessed forever, knows that I am not lying.³²In Damascus the governor, under Aretas the king, was guarding the city of the Damascenes with a garrison, desiring to arrest me;³³but I was let down in a basket through a window in the wall, and escaped from his hands.¹It is doubtless not profitable for me to boast. I will come to visions and revelations of the Lord:²I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago – whether in the body I do not know, or whether out of the body I do not know, God knows – such a one was caught up to the third heaven.³And I know such a man – whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows –⁴how he was caught up into Paradise and heard inexpressible words, which it is not lawful for a man to utter.⁵Of such a one I will boast; yet of myself I will not boast, except in my infirmities.⁶For though I might desire to boast, I will not be a fool; for I will speak the truth. But I refrain, lest anyone should think of me above what he sees me to be or hears from me.⁷And lest I should be exalted above measure by the abundance of the revelations, a thorn in the flesh was given to me, a messenger of Satan to buffet me, lest I be exalted above measure.⁸Concerning this thing I pleaded with the Lord three times that it might depart from me.⁹And He said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

TODAY'S GOSPEL Luke 7:11-16 At that time, Jesus went into a city called Nain; and many of His disciples went with Him, and a large crowd.¹²And when He came near the gate of the city, behold, a dead man was being carried out, the only son of his mother; and she was a widow. And a large crowd from the city was with her.¹³When the Lord saw her, He had compassion on her and said to her, “Do not weep.”¹⁴Then He came and touched the open coffin, and those who carried him stood still. And He said, “Young man, I say to you, arise.”¹⁵So he who was dead sat up and began to speak. And He presented him to his mother.¹⁶Then fear came upon all, and they glorified God, saying, “A great prophet has risen up among us”; and, “God has visited His people.”



This Diocesan event for girls in Grades 7-12 will take place at St. Basil's Academy in Garrison, NY, one hour north of here. There is no charge to attend. See Father or Matushka for more information!

COFFEE HOUR HOSTS / HOST FAMILIES NEEDED:

October 25 • November 22

December 13 • December 20 • December 27

Please contact Tina Reduto to participate in this essential ministry of fellowship.

Thank you!

Please visit the LADIES' GUILD GIFT SHOP

Featuring Icons ... Decorated Eggs ...

Orthodox Greeting Cards and Gifts for All Occasions!

Open Today During Coffee Hour,

Located in the Education Building,

Second Room on the Right from the Courtyard Entrance

DONATIONS GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED – TOWARD NEW PUMPS FOR OUR HEATING SYSTEM

It is “Indian Summer” now ... but it’ll be winter again before we know it!

We have raised \$4,450 thus far, and we have \$1,550 left to raise.

The cost to install new pumps is \$6,000.00.

The job is in progress so that we have the equipment by winter ...
your continued donations are most appreciated!

To contribute, please see Fr. David, Parish Council President Vicky Statkevicius,
or any other Parish Council member. *Thank you* for your generous assistance!

Thank You

*To everybody who participated in every way, in the Visitation of the
Miracle Working Icon of St. Anna yesterday. The church was packed,
and all your preparations and hospitality were appreciated by our many guests!*

PASTORAL CARE – GENERAL INFORMATION

Emergency Sick Calls can be made at any time. Please call Fr. David at (914) 965-6815,
when a family member is admitted to the hospital.

Anointing In Sickness: The Sacrament of Unction is available in Church, the hospital,
or your home, for anyone who is sick, however severe. It doesn’t mean “Last Rites!”

Marriages and Baptisms require early planning, scheduling, and selection of sponsors
(crown bearers or godparents). See Father before booking dates and reception halls!

Funerals are celebrated for practicing Orthodox Christians. Please see Father for details.

The Church opposes cremation; we cannot celebrate funerals for cremations.

PRAYER LIST

Above all, we are a praying community. Keep this list in your prayer
corner, and in your daily prayers, remember our Brothers & Sisters in Christ:

Dasha Piwinski & Beth Rzyzyk, traveling on the mission trip in S. Dakota; Susan Cook; Presbyteria
Irene Ivanoff; Julianna Sannella; Edward Kiss; Newborn Courtney Lyzak; Anatole Honczarenko;
Tekla Rzyzyk; Timothy; Mat. Anastasia Harris; Jennifer Drake (Beth Rzyzyk’s sister; Elias Kachur;
Mat. Olga Meerson; Elena Herman; Eleanor Wasilko; Adriana Szpynda; baby Alena King;
Ludmila Branzow; Nathan Orsini; Suzanne Gee; Evan; Nicholas; Dorothy Vernak; Nikolette
Katechis; expecting parents Juliana & Mark Federoff and baby; Nicholas Washenko; Maryanne
Nolan; His Eminence, Archbishop Seraphim; Stan & Victoria, and all those preparing for
marriage; Kevin Kuzmenko; Shawn Malone; Metropolitan Paul and Bishop Gregorios, Vera
Bullock; Julia Wislocki; Schuyler Perry; Doris Morin; Kelly Ray; Justin Solak; Carmen Fesh; Anne
Kakos, Kay Baker (Anne’s sister); Vitaliy Khutko; Malcolm Kirkpatrick; Nikolai & Nadezhda
Solidnov; Kathleen Nolan; the priests Frs. Michael Koblosh, Vitaly Bahanovich, John Tkachuk,
Joseph Chupeck, George Hasenecz, Alexey Karlgut, Leonid Kishkovsky, Joseph Kreshik; Joseph
Lickwar, Herman Schick, David Shewczyk, Ken James Stavrevsky, Daniel Degyansky, Stephen
Mack, PDn. Peter Skoog; Ann Belchyk; Klara Borzova; Helen Delandri; Helen Dempsey; Irene
Homa; Olga Juck; Mary Kalakuka; Mary Kantor; Daria Krawchuk; Vincent & Mary Macagnone;
Olga Pavelchak; Stephanie Phillips; Mat. Juliana Schmemann; Martha Slivka; Zena Weshta; all
those confined to hospitals, nursing homes, and their own homes due to illness; for all soldiers,
especially Jorge, Bryan & Mykola; widows, orphans, prisoners, victims of violence, and refugees,
especially in Iraq, Syria, Egypt, and the Ukraine; all those suffering chronic illness, financial
hardship, loneliness, addiction, abuse, abandonment and despair; all Orthodox seminarians &
families, especially John & Brenda Mikitish; all Orthodox monks, nuns and all those considering
the monastic life; all Orthodox missionaries and their families. Birthdays: Chris Saraceno (10/12);
Milana Hutchins (10/18).

For blessed repose for the souls of: The newly departed Deacon Mark Hoeplinger (+10/8);
Julia Petrinko (+10/2); Corey; Thomas Michaels (+9/2); Edward Kepple; and all departed in
hope of the Resurrection.

Please give prayer requests to Fr. David, to Protodeacon John, or to an Altar Server.
Typically, names remain on this list for 40 days, unless requested otherwise. Those
confined to hospitals or homes, or suffering chronic illnesses, remain on the list.

PRAY FOR OUR COLLEGE STUDENTS – our parish sons & daughters, OCF chapter members, AND those at nearby colleges who make HTO their spiritual home away from home!

Michael Bouteneff	Andrew Nolan	Peter Rzyzyk
Joe Ciamarra	Kamille Perry	Matt Skalski
Kaydee Kowalczyk	Schuyler Perry	Alexandra Solak
Dan Kozak	Roman Piwinski	Justyna Skalski
Madeline Miroshnikov	Amanda Rzyzyk	Monika Wislocki

*“Sending our kids to college without a connection to the Church
is like sending children to play in traffic.” -- Archbishop Michael*
Please tell Fr. David if there are any errors or omissions on this list.