DIVINE LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

17 FEBRUARY 2019 + TONE 06 + EOTHINON 06 - THE SUNDAY OF THE PRODIGAL SON / HOLY MARTYR THEODORE

GREAT DOXOLOGY: ANTIPHONS: FIRST: SECOND: THIRD: (Tone 6) ENTRANCE HYMN: APOLYTIKIA:

Resurrection (Tone 6)

Holy Great-martyr Theodore the Recruit

Faith can accomplish great things: because of its power, the holy great-martyr Theodore rejoiced in the midst of flames as if he had been in refreshing water. Burned by the flames, we was offered to the Holy Trinity as a delightful bread. Through his intercession, O Christ God, save our souls

Saint Joseph KONDAKION: Prodigal Son TRISAGION:

PROKIMENON: Psalm 32:22, 1

EPISTLE:

Liturgy Book p. 20 Handout Liturgy Book p. 23 (Tone 1)

Let your mercy, O Lord, be upon you. Stichon: Rejoice in the Lord O you righteous.

1 Corinthian 6:12-20 Brethren all things are lawful for me, but not all things are fitting. All things are lawful for me, but I will not be brought

under the power of anyone. Food is for the belly, and the belly for food, but God will destroy both the one and the other. Now, the body is not for immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. For God has raised up the Lord and will also raise us up by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Shall I then take the members of Christ and make them the members of a prostitute? By no means! Or do you not know that one who cleaves tot a prostitute becomes one body with her? For the two, it is said, shall be one flesh. But he who cleaves to the Lord is one spirit with him. Flee immortality. Every sin a man commits is outside the body, but the immoral man sins against his own body. Or do you not know that your members are the temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God and that you are not your own? For you have been bought at a great price. Glorify God therefore in your body and in your soul which both are God's. (Tone 1)

ALLELUIA: Psalm 17:48, 50

It is God who avenges me. A Great is the salvation he grants to his king, and the mercy he shows to his anointed. St. Luke 15:11-32 GOSPEL:

The Lord told this parable: The Lord told this parable: "A man had two sons. And the younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that falls to me.' And he divided his possessions between them. And not many days later, the younger son gathered up all his wealth and traveled to a far country; and there he squandered his fortune in loose living. And after he had spent all, there came a severe famine over that country, and he began to suffer from it. And he went and joined one of the local landowners, who sent him to his fields to feed the pigs. And he longed to fill himself with the pods the pigs were eating, but no one offered to give them to him. But when he had come to his senses, he said, 'How many hired men in my father's house have bread in abundance, while I am perishing with hunger! I will get up and go to my father, and will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you, I am no longer worthy to be called your son; make me as one of your hired men." And he got up and went to his father. But while he was yet a long way off, his father saw him and was moved with compassion and ran and fell upon his neck and kissed him. And the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you, I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the Father said to his servants, 'Fetch quickly the best robe and put it on him, and give him a ring for his finger and sandals for his feet; and bring out the fattened calf and kill it, and let us eat and make merry; because this my son was dead, and has come to life again; he was lost, and is found.' And they began to make merry. Now his elder son was in the field; and as he came close to the house, he heard music and dancing. And calling one of the servants he asked what this meant. And he said to him, 'Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fattened calf, because he has got him back safe.' But he was angered and would not go in. His father, therefore, came out and began to beg him. But he answered and said to his father, 'Look, these many years I have been serving you, and have never disobeyed any of your orders; and yet, you have never given me a kid that I might make merry with my friends. But when this son of yours comes, who has devoured your wealth with prostitutes; you have killed for him the fattened calf!' But he said to him, 'Son you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours; but we were bound to make merry and rejoice, for this your brother was dead, and has come to life; he was lost and is found.""

Liturgy Book p. 1

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(*Tone 2*)

SAINT JOSEPH CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS

16 February P.H.S. DAVID DE BRUIN[™] from Garrett & Claire Van Beek
17 February P.H.S. WILLIAM SCHNEIDER[™] from Garrett & Claire Van Beek
23 February P.H.S. LOIS GENENBACH[™] from Garrett & Claire Van Beek
24 February P.H.S. DOCTORS, NURSES, STAFF, PATIENTS OF Geisinger CMC

2019 WEEKLY COLLECTION 10 FEBRUARY

| Weekly | \$ 1,035.00 |
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| Monthly | \$ 45.00 |
| Holyday | \$ 90.00 |
| <u>Candles</u> | \$ 20.00 |
| Total: | \$ 1,190.00 |

Thank you for your support!

Support our Neighbor

Lighthouse Ministries 131 North Cabrini Ave, Scranton PA

Homemade Soup & Perogi Sale

February 27th to March 5th 2019 Pick hours: 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm any day, each day

Perogies: 12/\$6.00

Soup: 1 Quart/\$6.00; 1 Pint/\$3.00 Selections: Vegetable Beef; Chicken Patina; Vegetarian Lentil; & Pasta Fagioli

Orders placed by February 23, 2019 570.341.5858 or Facebook

EVENTS IN FEBRUARY

<u>Sunday, February 17th</u> Sunday of the Prodigal Son Resume normal Fasting

Sunday, February 17th - February 24th

MEAT-FARE WEEK Last week to eat meat before Lent <u>Saturday, February 23rd</u> Saturday of the Dead Divine liturgy 9:00 a.m. <u>Sunday, February 24th</u> Coffee & Fellowship Parish Meeting Parish Advisory Council **Topic: Annual Food Festival**

EVENTS IN MARCH

Sunday, February 24th - March 3rd CHEESE-FARE WEEK Last week to eat dairy before Lent <u>Sunday, March 3rd</u> Cheese-fare Sunday Potluck Brunch and Ice Cream Social After D. Liturgy and then Forgiveness Vespers 12:30 p.m. <u>Sunday, March 10th</u> Sunday of Orthodoxy Bring your Icons for Procession <u>Sunday, March 17th</u> St. Joseph Breakfast <u>Sunday, March 24th</u> Sunday of the Holy Cross

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Prayer Intentions

P. H. S.: Rev. Dn. Joseph Daratony. Charlotte Abda. Connor Edward Abda. Michael Abda. Marie Barron. Nikki Boudreaux. George Bales Sr. Lucille Bales. A.J. Bolus. Jayne Buckley. Chris Carey. John Coury. Maryann Nappi Donahue. Carol Downer. Sara Gomez. Joseph King. Niko Mayashairo. Mary McNeilly. Andrew Milewski. Pauline Sherman. Sue Solsman. Kennedy Stevenson. Susan Vieselmeyer. Dean Yockey. Sherry Yockey. MEMORY ETERNAL: *Rev. Charles Aboody. *Rev. Michael Jolly. *Rev. Dn. John Karam. *Marie Abda. *James Abda. *Marie Abda. *Nancy Abda *Nicholas Cianci. *Patricia Cimakosky.*Ann Coury. *Mary Sue Betress. *Margaret Dillenburg *Eric Jolly. *Blakely Landell. * Frank Milweski. *Mary Lou Mooty. *Karen Murray. *Marie Patchoski. *Victoria Sackal. *Anthony Simon. *Bill Simon. *Ruth Sirgany. *Mary Ann Walsh. *Genevieve Zaydon

CLERGY:

Divine Liturgy: 10:00 A.M. Wednesday: Compline: 8:00 P.M. Holy Days:

Great Vespers: 7:00 P.M. Eve Divine Liturgy 5:30 P.M. Day

HOLY HYSTERY OF CONFESSION: Before Vespers at 3:00 P.M.; following any service; or by appointment.

HOLY ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Following any service/call the Rectory.

HOLY HYSTERY OF CROWNING: Call rectory at earliest convenience.

PARISH ADDISORY COUNCIL: Meetings as scheduled.