

Schedule of Services

Wednesday, September 7

7:00p Vigil	<i>Readings:</i>	Genesis	28:10-17
		Ezekiel	43:27-44:4
		Proverbs	9:1-11
		Luke	1:39-49, 56

Thursday, September 8

Nativity of the Most Holy Theotokos

9:10a Hours

9:30a Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

<i>Epistle:</i>	Philippians	2:5-11
<i>Gospel:</i>	Luke	10:38-42; 11:27, 28

Saturday, September 10

4:30p Vigil *Resurrection Gospel II*

Sunday, September 11

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost — Tone 4

Sunday before the Elevation of the Cross

Ven. Theodora of Alexandria; Martyrs Diodorus, Didymus, and
Diomedes of Laodicea; Martyr Ia of Persia, and the 9,000 with her

9:10a Hours

9:30a Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

<i>Epistle:</i>	Galatians	6:11-18
	1Corinthians	16:13-24

Immediately following Divine Liturgy, a Panikhida will be served in memory of *Josephine Kocheny*, requested by Mr. Lawrence Kocheny, and a 40th Day Panikhida for *John Replyuk*

Parish Council Meeting

The next meeting of Holy Trinity's Parish Council will be on Tuesday evening, September 20, 2011, 6:45p.

There will be the regular "Open Forum" fifteen minutes before the meeting begins.

All Parish Council members are urged to attend.

Thank You!

We thank an *Anonymous* donor for their generous donation for the flowers which beautify the icons for the feast of the Nativity of the Most Holy Theotokos.

Thank you for your kind and generous gift.

May God grant you Many Years!

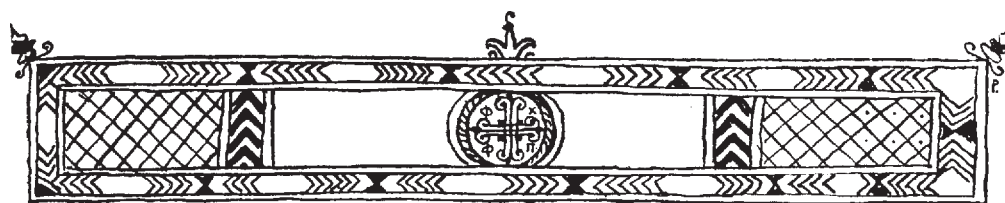
Restoration Fund Raising Dinner

There will be a special fund raising dinner on Sunday, September 18. All the proceeds from this dinner will go to the Building and Restoration Fund.

As a special blessing, a generous patron has agreed to match the funds generated by this dinner.

Tickets will be \$20.00 for adults, with a delicious meal being planned.

More information will be coming soon!



Food For the Hungry

In an ongoing effort to both encourage our youth to become more involved in their community, and to help feed the hungry families right here in Chicago, the Church School has a continuing food pantry collection throughout the year.

Please bring your non-perishable canned and boxed food for distribution through Onward Neighborhood House, just a few blocks south of Holy Trinity.

It doesn't take much, really: just a can of something, a box of spaghetti, a package of ramen. Use your imagination, be creative!

We are so blessed that our children, not to mention ourselves, do not go to bed with hunger pangs and growling stomachs..... but others in this city do.

Won't you help?

Mission Statement

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit...

*The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God the Father,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit
be with all of you.*

***The mission of
Holy Trinity Orthodox Cathedral:***

To preach the fullness of the Gospel of our Lord, God, and Savior Jesus Christ;

To bear faithful witness, in Spirit and in Truth, to the worship and Tradition of the Holy Orthodox Church;

To be the means for all who wish to draw closer to Jesus Christ, and one another, in a community of Faith and love;

To be:
The Beacon of Orthodoxy in Chicago!

Rummage Sale

Saturday, October 8

Sunday, October 9

Saturday, October 15

We are now accepting items for the Rummage Sale being held in October.

Clothing, housewares, books, chatchkies, etc., are needed.

Please bring your items to the Parish Hall when you can.

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Restoration Presentation

The Building and Restoration Committee will present a small, informative program outlining the work that has been accomplished, as well as some future work being considered.

The presentation will during the Fund Raising Dinner on Sunday, September 18.

Building and Restoration Corner

Plans are fully underway to paint, and preserve the bell tower. As you may remember, the wood in the bell tower was compromised and has been fixed. Now, it needs to be painted and preserved.

There are a few areas of concern on the arch by the St. John of Chicago kiot. There are several cracks on the wall above the arch, some broken plaster on the arch, and a bit of flaking. These issues will be addressed in the next coming weeks.

If you are interested in helping with this work, please contact Leo Harkins. ☞

Choir Rehearsal

Yury Orlov, our new Director of Music Ministries, announces choir rehearsals will be held on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month at 7:00p, with the next rehearsal being on September 8. All choir members are asked to attend.

There are several melodies, tones, that are used when singing liturgical music: the *troparia*, those used for Vespers *Lord I Have Cried...*, and those used for the *Canon* at Matins, as well as their local variations (Kievan, Novgorod, etc.), and the composers (Bortniansky, Tchaikovsky, Mornil, etc.). Special attention will be paid to these basics.

If you are interested in joining the Choir, this would be an excellent time to come and join.

Lamplighters

We are in dire need of "Lamplighters." These are the folks who not only light and extinguish the candles and lampadas, but also trim and fill them.

If you would like to volunteer some of your time, please contact either Tony Scott or Theodore Kurtz at your earliest convenience.

Church School News

Dr. Stamatia Richardson, our Church School Coordinator, announces registration for this year's Church School program on the next two Sundays (September 4 and 11), with the Church School program beginning on Sunday, September 11, following the Divine Liturgy.

The parents of our young people are encouraged to register their children in the Church School, thus enabling them to learn about the Holy Orthodox Faith.