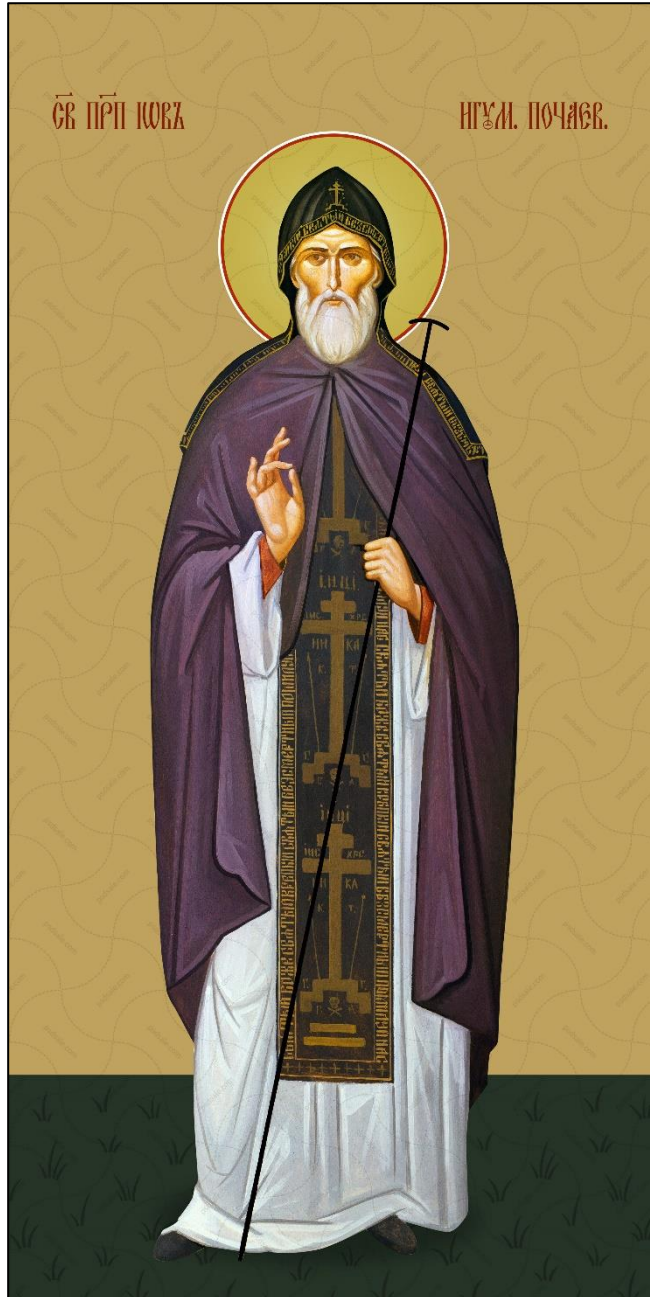


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Sunday, August 28, 2022 – Tone 2

11th Sunday After Pentecost

Uncovering of the Relics of St. Job the Wonder-Worker of Pochaev

SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

Most Services May Be Joined by Live Stream at Web Address www.facebook.com/htocelmiraheights or go to www.YouTube.com and search for "Holy Trinity Church Elmira Heights NY"

Today – Sunday, August 28 – Please Welcome Fr. Dennis Hendershot, Celebrant

8:40 AM Third and Sixth Hours

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy, Followed by Fellowship Hour Downstairs

Saturday, September 3

5:00 PM Great Vespers; Private Confession Available Afterward

Sunday, September 4

8:40 AM Third and Sixth Hours

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy, Followed by Fellowship Hour Downstairs

NEW DIOCESAN PRO-LIFE MINISTRY From the Diocesan Website:

NEW DIOCESAN MINISTRY

The *Blessed Matushka Olga of Alaska Ministry* is a ministry of the Diocese of New York and New Jersey established by His Eminence Archbishop Michael. This ministry strives to provide resources for women struggling with an **unplanned pregnancy, pregnancy loss, infertility, post abortion recovery, and sexual trauma or abuse**, as well as **pregnancy, adoption, and parenting**. The ministry will also provide resources to **clergy** and family, and friends to help them support women in need.



The ministry hopes to highlight the current resources available within the Diocese and strives to encourage new growth in community outreach. Each month a prayer service will be held. This month *A Service of Intercession* will be held at Holy Trinity Orthodox Church in East Meadow at **5 pm on Saturday, August 27**. The service will be live-streamed at www.facebook.com/htocem.

Please contact Fr Vlad Zablotzky (✉ frvlad@nynjoca.org) or Matushka Dennise Kraus (✉ dennise.kraus@gmail.com) with any questions or to submit any resources you have to share. May God richly bless this new ministry through the prayers of the Theotokos and Blessed Matushka Olga.

Learn Much More About the
New Blessed Matushka Olga of Alaska Ministry at
www.nynjoca.org/blessedmatushkaolgaofalaskaministry

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

EPISTLES 1 Corinthians 9:2-12 Brethren: If I am not an apostle to others, yet doubtless I am to you. For you are the seal of my apostleship in the Lord. My defense to those who examine me is this: Do we have no right to eat and drink? Do we have no right to take along a believing wife, as do also the other apostles, the brothers of the Lord, and Cephas? Or is it only Barnabas and I who have no right to refrain from working? Who ever goes to war at his own expense? Who plants a vineyard and does not eat of its fruit? Or who tends a flock and does not drink of the milk of the flock? Do I say these things as a mere man? Or does not the law say the same also? For it is written in the law of Moses, "You shall not muzzle an ox while it treads out the grain." Is it oxen God is concerned about? Or does He say it altogether for our sakes? For our sakes, no doubt, this is written, that he who plows should plow in hope, and he who threshes in hope should be partaker of his hope. If we have sown spiritual things for you, is it a great thing if we reap your material things? If others are partakers of this right over you, are we not even more? Nevertheless we have not used this right, but endure all things lest we hinder the gospel of Christ.

Galatians 5:22-6:2 Brethren: The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such there is no law. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit. Let us have no self-conceit, no provoking of one another, no envy of one another. Brethren, if a man is overtaken in any trespass, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Look to yourself, lest you too be tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ.

GOSPELS Matthew 18:23-35 The Lord said: "Therefore the kingdom of heaven is like a certain king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants. And when he had begun to settle accounts, one was brought to him who owed him ten thousand talents. But as he was not able to pay, his master commanded that he be sold, with his wife and children and all that he had, and that payment be made. The servant therefore fell down before him, saying, 'Master, have patience with me, and I will pay you all.' Then the master of that servant was moved with compassion, released him, and forgave him the debt. But that servant went out and found one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred denarii; and he laid hands on him and took him by the throat, saying, 'Pay me what you owe!' So his fellow servant fell down at his feet and begged him, saying, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you all.' And he would not, but went and threw him into prison till he should pay the debt. So when his fellow servants saw what had been done, they were very grieved, and came and told their master all that had been done. Then his master, after he had called him, said to him, 'You wicked servant! I forgave you all that debt because you begged me. Should you not also have had compassion on your fellow servant, just as I had pity on you?' And his master was angry, and delivered him to the torturers until he should pay all that was due to him. So My heavenly Father also will do to you if each of you, from his heart, does not forgive his brother his trespasses."

Luke 6:17-23 At that time, Jesus came down with them and stood on a level place with a crowd of His disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea and Jerusalem, and from the seacoast of Tyre and Sidon, who came to hear Him and be healed of their diseases, as well as those who were tormented with unclean spirits. And they were healed. And the whole multitude sought to touch Him, for power went out from Him and healed them all. Then He lifted up His eyes toward His disciples, and said: "Blessed are you poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who hunger now, for you shall be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you shall laugh. Blessed are you when men hate you, and when they exclude you, and revile you, and cast out your name as evil, for the Son of Man's sake. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy! For indeed your reward is great in heaven, for in like manner their fathers did to the prophets."

Prayer List

Memory Eternal: His Eminence, Metropolitan KALLISTOS; Reader Michael Mellin; David and his daughter Mackenzie; soldier Andrej; Reader John Economou; Matushka Patricia Bohush; Matushka Anne Hopko, Helen; Mary Ellen; Simona; Monk Arseny; Isabel, Patricia, Rahmin; Kathleen Behuniak; Elinor; Elfriede; Elaine; Paul, Susan; Valeriy. All those taken from us by the Coronavirus, by sickness, violence, injury and disaster.

For Health: Fr. Jason Kappanadze, Fr. Nicholas Harris, Fr. Daniel & Mat. Myra Kovalak, Fr. Herman & Mat. Cynthia Schick, Fr. Moses Berry; Fr. Joseph Chupeck; Matushka Kathleen White; Matushka Rebekah; Rdr. Thomas & Mildred, Rdr. Samuel & Kathryn; Catechumen Sarah; Veronica; Luka & Elena; Natalie; Bo & Caitlyn; Arnold; Brian; James; Dmitri; Deborah; Kathleen; Despina, George, Konstantinos, Mikaela & Danaie; expecting mothers Larissa, Laura, and the children to be born to them; Rachel and newborn daughter Avery; Julie; Julie; Michael & Manya; John; Nancy; Christa; Ilsa; Scott & Casey, Steven; Antonina; Ryan; Child Hannah, Joshua, Helen, Kevin, Erica, Sherri, Ruth, Harriet, Katherine, Kristin, Sierra, Kate, David, Kyriakos; and catechumens Charles, Sue, Amy, Stephen, and Verity.

Diocesan Prayer Requests: Metropolitan HERMAN; Archbishop MELCHISEDEK; Archbishop BENJAMIN; Fr. Joseph & Matushka Shirley Lickwar; Fr. Joseph & Matushka Kathy Toroney; Fr. John Bartholomew; Pani Joan Mahler; Matushka Sandee; Rdr. Fredric; Rdr. Martin; Rdr. Joshua, Sophia & Michael; Monk James Silver; Anna; Peter; Georgiana, Alice; Eva; Bill, Carrie; Arlene; child Kalliopi; Valeriya and the son to be born of her; Michael, Melissa, Bryan, Mary, Mackenzie, Meredith; Alexander; child Gideon. All the clergy, faithful and their families of the Diocese of New York and New Jersey. All those afflicted with the Coronavirus and those caring for them, those afflicted by sickness, violence, injury, and disaster. **Name Day:** Alexander & Rdr. Alexander Charlanow (Translation of the Relics of St. Alexander Nevsky, 8/30). **Birthdays:** Archbishop Michael (8/29); catechumen Verity (8/30); Angelina McKane (8/31); Matushka Kathryn Karney (9/1). **Anniversaries:** Robert and Marilyn Cusick (8/31); Fr. Nicholas & Matushka Anastasia Molodyko-Harris (9/3).

Parish Children:

Lucia	Hannah	Jeremiah	Andrew	Myra	Ezekiel	Anysia
Lydia	Natalie	Emilia	Patrick	Sophia	Dmitri	Jonah
Gabriel	Angelina	John	Thomas	Nikolai	Melania	Alexei
Larissa	Julianna	Nadia	Gabriel	Justus	Samuel	Gabriel
Michael	Hannah	Raphael	Verity	Anna	Julie	Michelle

College Students: Anna McKane – Duke University •

Katherine McKane – Sarah Lawrence College Year Abroad at Oxford University, England •

Nathan Devens – SUNY Cobleskill • Larissa Cheplick – Daemen College • Magdalena Botrous – LECOM Elmira

Please give prayer requests to Fr. David, Dn. Michael, Subdcn. Walter, or a Reader.

Typically, parish prayer requests remain on this list for 40 days.

READERS' SCHEDULE

August 27 – September 3: Mary Carol Haluszczak

FALL 2022 FELLOWSHIP HOUR SCHEDULE

Contact Matushka Tamara or Matushka Katie if you need a different date.

AUGUST: 8/28 Karney Family

SEPTEMBER: 9/4 Payzant & Dudek Families; 9/11 Parish Picnic;

9/18 Urda, Cusick & Speen Families; 9/25 Cowan Family

OCTOBER: 10/1 Cheplick & Cheplick Families; 10/8 Haluszczak & Holobinko Families;
10/15 King, King-Styles & Lyon Families; 10/22 Charlanow Family; 10/29 Gomez & O'Brien Families

NOVEMBER: 11/5 Weeks & Turic Families; 11/12 Angelo & McKane Families;

11/19 Karney Family; 11/26 Cowan Family

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A PRAYER SERVICE & VEHICLE BLESSING

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Sunday, Sep. 11, 2022; 12:00 Noon