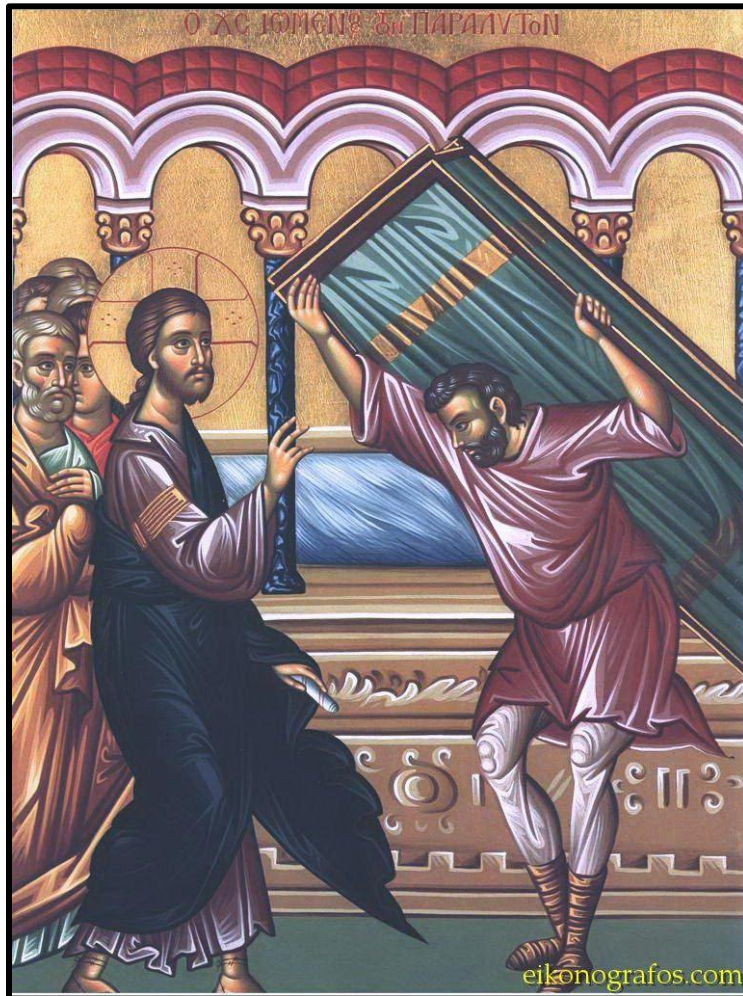


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Sunday, May 26, 2024 – Tone 3
Fourth Sunday of Pascha – The Paralytic
CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!

UPCOMING EVENTS ... MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

- **Blessing of Graves at Our Parish Cemetery**, Sunday, June 2, 1:00 PM
- **Luncheon in honor of Newly Married Justin and Madelon O'Brien**, Sunday, June 9, After the Liturgy – Hosted by Jessica Fanaro, Anna Neidig & Jam Cheplick
- **Altar Server Retreat**, Saturday, June 15, Saints Peter and Paul Church, 210 Hill Avenue, Endicott
- **Graduate Sunday**, June 30 – Families of Graduates from High School and Beyond, Contact Fr. David

SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

Most Services May Be Joined by Live Stream at our YouTube Channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/@holytrinitychurchelmira>

or go to www.YouTube.com and search for “Holy Trinity Church Elmira Heights NY”

Today – Sunday, May 26 – The Paralytic

8:40 AM *3rd and 6th Hours*

9:00 AM *Divine Liturgy*, Fellowship Hour, Teen Group

Saturday, June 1

5:00 PM *Vespers*

Sunday, June 2 – The Paralytic

8:40 AM *3rd and 6th Hours*

9:00 AM *Divine Liturgy*, Fellowship Hour

1:00 PM *Blessing of Graves* at Our Parish Cemetery, 123 Legion Road, Elmira

SCRIPTURE READINGS

EPISTLE Acts 9:32-42 In those days: As Peter went here and there among them all, he came down also to the saints that lived at Lydda. There he found a man named Aeneas, who had been bedridden for eight years and was paralyzed. And Peter said to him, “Aeneas, Jesus Christ heals you; rise and make your bed.” And immediately he rose. And all the residents of Lydda and Sharon saw him, and they turned to the Lord. Now there was at Joppa a disciple named Tabitha, which means Dorcas. She was full of good works and acts of charity. In those days she fell sick and died; and when they had washed her, they laid her in an upper room. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, hearing that Peter was there, sent two men to him entreating him, “Please come to us without delay.” So Peter rose and went with them. And when he had come, they took him to the upper room. All the widows stood beside him weeping and showing tunics and other garments which Dorcas made while she was with them. But Peter put them all outside and knelt down and prayed; then turning to the body he said, “Tabitha, rise.” And she opened her eyes, and when she saw Peter she sat up. And he gave her his hand and lifted her up. Then calling the saints and widows he presented her alive. And it became known throughout all Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. **GOSPEL**

John 5:1-15 At that time: Jesus went up to Jerusalem. Now there is in Jerusalem by the Sheep Gate a pool, in Hebrew called Bethesda which has five porticoes. In these lay a multitude of invalids, blind, lame, paralyzed. One man was there, who had been ill for thirty-eight years. When Jesus saw him and knew that he had been lying there a long time, He said to him, “Do you want to be healed?” The sick man answered Him, “Sir, I have no man to put me into the pool when the water is troubled, and while I am going another steps down before me.” Jesus said to him, “Rise, take up your pallet, and walk.” And at once the man was healed, and he took up his pallet and walked. Now that day was the sabbath. So the Jews said to the man who was cured, “It is the sabbath, it is not lawful for you to carry your pallet.” But he answered them, “The man who healed me said to me, ‘Take up your pallet, and walk.’” They asked him, “Who is the man who said to you, ‘Take up your pallet, and walk’?” Now the man who had been healed did not know who it was, for Jesus had withdrawn, as there was a crowd in the place. Afterward, Jesus found him in the temple, and said to him, “See, you are well! Sin no more, that nothing worse befall you.” The man went away and told the Jews that it was Jesus who had healed him.

Prayer List

Memory Eternal: Marianne, child Nathan; Bishop MATTHIAS; Sub-deacon Peter Eagler; Jeremy; Nicholas; Radojka; Nadim; Peter; Maryanne; Jon; Bonnie; Daniel; infant Daniel; Timothy; George; Protodeacon Joseph; Eugenia; Barbara; Edward. All the departed named for the Myrrhbearers: Mary, Martha, Joanna and Salome, Joseph, Nicodemus; Tamara. All those taken from us by sickness, violence, injury and disaster.

For Health: Newly Married Justin & Madelon O'Brien; Newly-Baptized and Chrismated Stephen Constantine Rustyak; Paul & Mildred Urda; Michael Karney; Matushka Kathryn; Fr. Jason Kappanadze; Fr. Daniel & Mat. Myra Kovalak; Fr. Joseph & Matushka Ellen Chupeck; Pani Joan Mahler; Mat. Cynthia Schick; Mat. Gretchen Maciolek; Kathleen; Thomas; John; child Abby, Helen; Matrona; Eileen; Don; Michael; Richelle; Dennis; Veronica; Sebastian & Victoria; Margaret; David, Shelley; Roberto; Jim; Shawn; Gregory; Patricia; Carl; Olga; Nancy; David; James; Julie; Antonina; Brooke; Elena; Tyler; Dmitri; expecting mothers Matushka Krista, Matushka Mihaela, Anastasia, Elena, Kathryn, Lauren, and the children to be born of them; Rachel and her newborn daughter Gemma; Deborah; Juliana; John; Christa; Scott & Casey, Child Hannah, Joshua, Ilsa, Erica, Caitlin, Helen, Ruth, Katherine, Sierra; Nicholas, Sergei; Nancy; Anna; Catechumens Raychel, Jason & Oliver.

Diocesan Prayer Requests: Archbp. NATHANIEL; Archbp. BENJAMIN; Abbot Tryphon; Fr. James Bernstein; Fr. David Kossey; Fr. Terence Baz; Fr. Paul Kucynda; Fr. John Holoduek; Fr. Peter and Mat. Sophia Ries; Fr. Dennis Swencki; Fr. David; Protodeacon John Morvay; Matushka Shirley Lickwar; Mat. Jeanne Zablotsky; Mat. Nancy Gilbert; Mat. Anica Damjanovski; Subdeacon Stephen Turner; Reader Andrew Bohush; Constantine; Marissa, Osiris, Leslie, Michael, Christine; newborn Christina & mother Ksenia; newborn Alexander & mother Ksenia; Galina, Tom; Connor & Jessica; Paul, Larry; Patricia Ann; Jack, Elena, John, Serge, Vasylya, Andre, Alex, child Michael; Vincent. All the clergy, faithful and their families of the Diocese of New York and New Jersey. **Name Day:** Justin O'Brien (St. Justin Martyr, 6/1).

Birthdays: Gabriel Rinchack (5/24), Sherri Gomez (5/25), Brigid Fanaro (1 year old on 5/26), Loueva Kohena (6/1).

Anniversary: Rdr. Willie & Mary-Carol Haluszczak (5/29). **Travel Blessing:** Kevin & Sherri.

Parish Children:

Lucia	Hannah	Jeremiah	Andrew	Myra	Ezekiel	Aalyiah	Sophia
Lydia	Natalie	Emilia	Patrick	Sophia	Rdr. Dmitri	Jonah	Gabriel
Angelina	John	Thomas	Nikolai	Melania	Alexei	Nadia	Rdr. Gabriel
Justus	Elea	Samuel	Gabriel	Michael	Hannah	Raphael	Verity
Julie	Michelle	Aiden	Shea	Jack	Oliver	Elizabeth	Anthony
Evangeline	Alfred	Rosemary	James	Brigid	Dorothea		

College Students: Nathan Devens – SUNY Cobleskill

Larissa Cheplick – Daemen College • Julianna Cheplick – SUNY Delhi

Mihaela Toader, Anastasia Shikula & 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

May 25th – June 1st: Mary Carol Haluszczak ♦ June 1st – June 8th: Emilia Karney, Natalie Karney & Lydia Dudek ♦ June 8th – June 15th: Matushka Tamara, Rdr. Gabriel (**Leavetaking Pascha 6/12; Ascension 6/13**) ♦ June 15th -June 22nd: Reader Alexander ♦ June 22nd – June 29th: Reader William (**Pentecost 6/23**) ♦ June 29th – July 6th: Reader Dmitri ♦ July 6th – July 13th: Mary Carol Haluszczak ♦ July 13th- July 20th: Emilia Karney, Natalie Karney & Lydia Dudek ♦ July 20th – July 27th: Reader Alexander ♦ July 27th – August 3rd: Reader William ♦ August 3rd – August 10th: Reader Dmitri (**Transfiguration 8/6**) ♦ August 10th – August 17th: Mary Carol Haluszczak (**Dormition 8/15**) ♦ August 17th – August 24th: Emilia Karney, Natalie Karney & Lydia Dudek ♦ August 24th – August 31st: Reader Alexander ♦ August 31st – Sept. 7th: Reader William ♦ Sept. 7th – Sept. 14th: Mary Carol Haluszczak (**Nativity of Theotokos 9/8; Exaltation of Cross 9/14**)

FELLOWSHIP HOUR HOSTING SCHEDULE

May 26 Cheplick Families ♦ June 2 Karney Families

June 9 Luncheon for Newlyweds Justin & Madelon O'Brien ♦ June 16 Cusick & Hulst Families

June 23 Pentecost Parish Potluck ♦ June 30 King Families ♦ July 7 Speen Family ♦ July 14 Angelo, Gomez & O'Brien Families

CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE

May 26 Toni Weeks ♦ June 2 Amy Rinchack

June 9 Matushka Katie ♦ June 16 Nina Dudek ♦ June 23 Toni Weeks ♦ June 30 Amy Rinchack

July 7 Matushka Katie ♦ July 14 Nina Dudek ♦ July 21 Toni Weeks ♦ July 28 Amy Rinchack



RUMMAGE SALE!

(Baba's Attic)

May 31 - June 1

(Fri-Sat), 9-4

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