

Holy Trinity Orthodox Church

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AUGUST 13, 2017

**10th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST — Tone 1. Leavetaking of the Transfiguration.
St. Tikhon, Bishop of Vorónezh, Wonderworker of Zadónsk and All Russia (1783).**

EPISTLE: 1 CORINTHIANS 4:9-16

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 17:14-23

IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM DEAN OF NEW YORK STATE DEANERY ARCHPRIEST ALEXEY KARLGUT

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

It was recently blessed by His Eminence Archbishop Michael, for Fr. James Worthington to take a leave of absence from his duties as Acting Rector of this parish, effective immediately, while he is working through some personal and family issues.

While he is still the priest assigned to this parish, I was appointed by Archbishop Michael to address all of administrative, liturgical, educational, and pastoral needs that may arise during the next few months.

In a recent meeting with the Parish Council, arrangements for the continued growth and worship of this community have been discussed and planned. It is my intention to nurture the positive direction that this parish has been taking.

Please remember Fr James, and his wife and children in your prayers.

For any personal needs or questions, you may contact me on my cell phone at 607.759.1833

Yours in Christ,
Archpriest Alexey Karlgut
Dean of New York State Deanery

PARISH PICNIC: DETAILS TO BE ANNOUNCED IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN

CHURCH SCHOOL AT HOLY TRINITY: Fr. Alexey has recommended that the Parish develop a Church School program for the 2017 -2018 school year. Kathryn Karney will resume her role as the Church School Coordinator. If you are interested in teaching a class, or being involved in the Program, please speak with Katie Karney (607-481-4923) as soon as possible. There will be a special Blessing for the Opening of the Church school on Sunday, September 17th following the Divine Liturgy. All children are invited to participate.

HOSPITALITY UPDATE: As previously announced with the growth of our parish, the Hospitality Committee, proposes a few beneficial changes to the Fellowship Hour offerings. They have advised adding a monthly potluck and encouraging families to share the co-hosting duties of the fellowship hour. If there are any questions, please see Kathryn Karney or Julie Charlanow.

CEMETERY UPDATE: A special thank you to Denis Kingsley who was able to arrange with the Town of Horseheads to repair the entry driveway to our Cemetery. The Town repaired the drive with no cost to the Parish. We also thank the many volunteers who have given considerable amount of time to mowing and maintaining the Cemetery this summer.

CHURCH SCHOOL CONFERENCE: HOLY TRINITY WILL HOST THE NEW YORK STATE DEANERY CONFERENCE ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 26TH, 10AM TO 3PM. THE CONFERENCE THEME IS RAISING OUR YOUNG PEOPLE AS A GENERATION OF DISCIPLES AND LEADERS. THE SPEAKER IS THE VERY REVEREND DR. JOSEPH PURPURA, CHAIRMAN, DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AND PARISH MINISTRIES ANTIOCHIAN ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN ARCHDIOCESE OF NORTH AMERICA. PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND THIS SPECIAL PROGRAM.

Fellowship Schedule:

August 13: Karney Family

August 20: Cusick Family

August 27: Charlanow Family

Sept. 3: TBD

Readers Schedule

August 12: Sdn Michael

Aug 19: Rd. William

Aug 26: Rd. Thomas

Sept 2: Sdn Michael

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK
CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD BEFORE AND AFTER VESPERS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13: 8:40 Hours, 9 AM Divine Liturgy, Fellowship Hour
MONDAY, AUGUST 14: 6PM Vespers for Dormition Feast, Dormition Church in Binghamton
TUESDAY, AUGUST 15: **Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos**
9AM Hierarchical Divine Liturgy at Dormition Church in Binghamton

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17: 8:40 Hours, 9 AM Divine Liturgy, Fellowship Hour
FRIDAY, AUGUST 18: 8:40 Hours, 9 AM Divine Liturgy, Fellowship Hour
FRIDAY, AUGUST 18: 5 PM GREAT Vespers

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19: 5 PM GREAT Vespers
SUNDAY, AUGUST 20: 8:40 Hours, 9 AM Divine Liturgy, Fellowship Hour

AUGUST 26: Hosting NYS Deanery Church School Conference

If a Priest is Needed in an Emergency please call Fr. Alexey at 607-759-1833
or Subdeacon Shawn Michael at 607-481-8063

Holy Trinity Prayer List:

Living:

Priest James and Worthington Family
Archpriest Jason
Archpriest Herman
Mat. Myra
Elizabeth
Kathleen
Peter
Helen
Rdr. David
Rdr. Thomas
Leon
Katherine
Kate
Kristin
Michael
Yuri
Nadia
John
Anna M

Reposed:

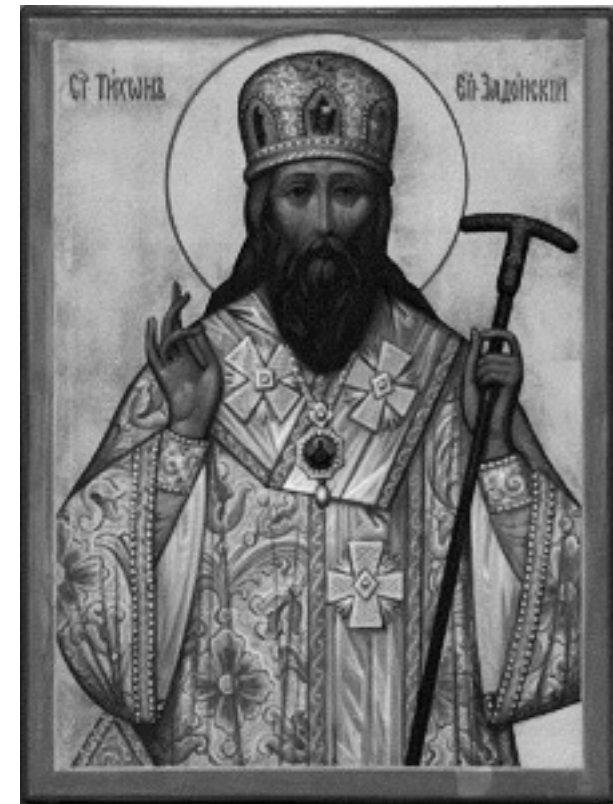
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Priest Matthew
Archpriest Alexander
Dn. Mark
Priest John
Parker
Lindsay



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