

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

140 HORSEHEADS BLVD, ELMIRA HEIGHTS NY 14903

WWW.HOLYTRINITYORTHODOXCHURCH.ORG

Tone 8 || Martyr Plato of Ancyra (ca. 306). Martyr Romanus the Deacon, of Caesarea

Epistle: Ephesians 4:1-6 **GOSPEL:** LUKE 12:16-21

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Administrator:

Archpriest Alexey Karlgut:
607-759-1833

Clergy Contacts:

Interim Priest-in-Charge:

Archpriest Timothy Holowatch:
607- 644-2055

Subdeacon S. Michael Karney
607-481-8063

Parish Council Warden:

Mr. Steve Cheplick
607-733-4164

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, Nov. 18th: 8:40am Hours,
9am - Divine Liturgy and Fellowship
Hour

**TUESDAY, Nov. 20th: 6:00pm -
Great Vespers and Litya - Entry of
the Theotokos into the Temple**

SATURDAY, Nov. 24th: 5pm - Great
Vespers

SUNDAY, Nov. 25th: 8:40am Hours,
9am - Divine Liturgy and Fellowship
Hour, Church School.

Upcoming:

**Thursday, December 6th :Feast of
St. Nicholas of Myra**

Welcome to all our visitors and guests who participate in our celebration of the Divine Liturgy today. We are glad you are here. While Holy Communion may only be received by prepared Orthodox Christians, our non-Orthodox guests are welcome to join us in venerating the cross and receiving blessed bread at the conclusion of the Liturgy. We also hope you will join us for the Fellowship Hour.

Welcome Father Matthew Markewich: We extend our thanks and appreciation to Father Matthew who celebrated the Divine Liturgy today. Fr. Matthew is the Parish Priest of Christ the Savior Orthodox Church in Ballston Lake, NY and is substituting today for Fr. Timm.

Big Box of Charity returns: As has been our custom during the Nativity Season, we will once again collect Non-Perishables and other food items to donate to the Food Bank of the Southern Tier. The collection box is in the vestibule area. We thank you for your generosity.

The Entry of the Most Holy Mother of God into the Temple will be celebrated at Holy Trinity with Great Vespers and Litya this Tuesday, November 20th at 6:00pm.

A Blessed Thanksgiving Holiday: As we take time this week as a civil society to gather for the Thanksgiving Holiday, let us remember that as Orthodox Christians thanksgiving is really a way of life, not a holiday we do one day in November. Every week in Orthodox churches in which the Divine Liturgy is celebrated, we give thanks to God. Eucharist – the word we use to refer to Communion – is the Greek work for thanksgiving. Every Liturgy is thus a thanksgiving service. That is the primary purpose of the Liturgy – it is how we Christians give thanks to God. We assemble together exactly for the purpose of celebrating our thanksgiving, every week, not just once each year. We pray that you have a beautiful holiday with your family and friends.

Prayer List

Newly Departed:

Protodeacon Dennis and Matushka Helen Lucak.

Wesley Stead (11/5): *Brother-in-law of Michael and Nancy Karney*

Jean (Emelski) Horton (10/26)

+Memory Eternal:

Archpriest John U.

Archpriest Stephen

Priest John B.

Deacon Mark H.

Parker

Lindsay

Hannah

Katerina

Living:

Archpriest Jason	Elizabeth
Archpriest Herman	Kristen
Mat. Katherine	Katherine
Rdr. Thomas	Nadezhda
Rdr. David	Ruth
Kathleen	Valerie
Infant Hannah	Helen
Leon	Lee
Kate	
Antonina	

All those traveling in this Holiday Season

For the God loving people of Ukraine, that Unity and Peace may prevail.

Parish Children:

Lucia	Natalie	Angelina	Nadia
Hannah	Emilia	John	Nathan
Jeremiah	Patrick	Thomas	Justus
Andrew	Dimitri	Nikolai	
Myra	Jonah	Melania	
Anthony	Gabriel	Alexei	
Anysia	Anna	Larissa	
Lydia	Katherine	Julianna	

Nativity Donations: We are now graciously accepting Memorial donations for the Nativity Season. Donations will be used toward the purchase of flowers, candles and altar supplies for Nativity and Theophany. Please use the special envelopes marked Nativity Appeal 2018 at the Candlestand.

+ Memory Eternal Protodeacon Dennis and Matushka Helen Lucak. Protodeacon Dennis and Helen, each 72-years-old, fell asleep in the Lord on Sunday, November 11, 2018 at their home, the victims of a tragic shooting incident. They were lifelong members of Archangel Michael Orthodox Church in Broadview Heights, OH. In addition to his parish ministry, Protodeacon Dennis was a retired RTA bus driver and supervisor, while his wife was a retired teacher with the Maple Heights, OH School District. May the memory of Protodeacon Dennis and Helen be eternal!



Choir Rehearsal Schedule:

Sunday, December 2, after Liturgy	Saturday, December 8, after Vespers
Sunday, December 16, after Liturgy	Saturday, December 22, after Vespers
Sunday, December 30, after Liturgy	

Fellowship Schedule:

Nov. 25th: Nativity Fast Dudek and Payzant

Dec. 2nd: Nativity Fast Lenten Potluck

Dec. 9th: Nativity Fast Cheplick Family

Dec. 16th: Nativity Fast Karney Family

Dec. 23rd: Nativity Fast Charlanow Family

Dec. 30th: Parish Holiday Potluck/ Meal

Readers Schedule:

Nov. 24th & 25th: Alexander Charlanow

Dec. 1st & 2nd: Rdr. William

Dec. 8th & 9th: Antonina Melnik

Dec. 15th & 16th: Steve Cheplick

Dec. 22nd & 23rd: Sdcn. S. Michael

Dec. 29th & 30th: Rdr. William