

HOLY TRINITY ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Tone 5 || Hieromartyr Phocas, Bishop of Sinopè (117)

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 1:21-2:4 **GOSPEL:** LUKE 5:1-11

Parish Contacts

Clergy:

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Mr. Steve Cheplick
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THIS WEEK AT HOLY TRINITY

Sunday, Sept. 22nd: 8:40am -
Hours, 9:00am- Divine Liturgy,
Fellowship Hour

Saturday, Sept. 28th: 5:00pm-
Vespers

Sunday, Sept. 29th: 8:40am -
Hours, 9:00am- Divine Liturgy,
Fellowship Hour, Choir Rehearsal

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.



Today the Orthodox Church

commemorates the Hieromartyr Phocas, Bishop of Sinope.

Hieromartyr Phocas was born in the city of Sinope. From youth he led a virtuous Christian life, and in his adult years he became Bishop of Sinope. Saint Phocas converted many pagans to faith in Christ. At the time of a persecution against Christians under the emperor Trajan (98-117), the governor demanded that the saint renounce Christ. After fierce torture they enclosed Saint Phocas in a hot bath, where he died a martyr's death in the year 117. In the year 404, the relics of the saint were transferred to Constantinople (July 22).

The Hieromartyr Phocas is especially venerated as a defender against fires, and also as a helper of the drowning.

Parish Council Meeting: The Parish Council will meet on **Monday, September 30th at 6:00pm.**

Prayer List

+Memory Eternal:

- + **Helen Michalko**
- *Sept. 6th in Canandaigua, NY*
- + **Pasquale J. Cardinale**

For the Health of:

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| Archpriest Jason | Harriett |
| Archpriest Herman | Elizabeth |
| Archpriest John | Katherine |
| Rdr. David | Elizabeth |
| Rdr. Thomas | Anastasia |
| Ruth | Margarete |
| Helen | Mary Ann |
| Nadezhda | Sierra |
| Kathleen | Maria |
| Child Hannah | Michael |
| Kate | Gregory |
| Antonina | Kristen |
| Sarah | |

Feast Day:

Today - Jonah Charlanow (*Prophet Jonah*)

Birthday:

Sept. 23rd - Andrew Shazer

Traveling:

Haluszczak Family - *France*

Special Intentions:

Bridget

College Students:

Anna McKane - *Studying in China*
Katherine McKane - *Sarah Lawrence Coll.*

Parish Children:

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

BEFORE



Parish Clean Up Continues: We hope all took notice today that the Hospitality of Abraham Icon that adorns the front porch of the Temple is looking nice and clean thanks to the efforts of Michael Speen. **Thanks Michael for a job well done!**

AFTER



Other work completed this week includes the installation of a donated refrigerator in the basement kitchen and more painting. We thank all of our crew that has been so generous with their time and efforts to clean up our buildings and grounds! Work continues again this week.

Choir Rehearsal Schedule

Sunday, Sept. 29th -following Liturgy

Fellowship Schedule:

Sept. 29th:

Karney Family

Oct. 6th:

Cheplick Family

Oct. 13th:

Urda, Cusick and Speen

Oct. 20th:

Karney Family

Oct. 27th:

Haluszczak Family

Readers Schedule:

Sept. 28th & 29th:

Sdcn. Shawn Michael

Oct. 5th & 6th:

Rdr. William

Oct. 12th & 13th:

Steve Cheplick

Oct. 19th & 20th:

Carol Haluszczak

Oct. 26th & 27th:

Sdcn. Shawn Michael