

# The Martyr

St. George Orthodox Church  
5490 Main Street, Trumbull, CT 06611

Pastor: Archpriest Dennis Rhodes  
Phone: 203-345-3504, cell: 203-598-4678

October 31, 2010  
Church: 203- 268-1968

## Up-coming Services/Events

- Today:** 9:30 a.m. Church School  
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy
- November 7:** 9:30 a.m. Church School  
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
Teuta Ladies' Society meeting
- 14:** 9:30 a.m. Church School  
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy
- 15:** Nativity Fast begins
- 18:** 7:30 p.m. FORCC meeting at  
SS. Peter & Paul,  
Meriden
- 20:** 5:00 p.m. Advent Vespers  
followed by personal  
confession
- 21: Entrance of the Theotokos  
into the Temple**  
9:30 a.m. Church School  
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

**November 7: Sabol/Trifoni Baptism**

## Prayers in Memoriam

### October

- 31 Fannie Bejou (1979)  
Nicholas Adam (1992)  
Kostica Boria (1992)

### November

- 2 Thulla Nago (1950)  
6 Peter Simon (1945)  
Charles James (1948)  
Efterpi George (1999)

## Priest Visitations

Father Dennis would like the names and phone numbers of parishioners who would appreciate a pastoral visit. Please contact him at 203-345-3504(home) or 203-598-4678(cell), or email him at [dennisr648@hotmail.com](mailto:dennisr648@hotmail.com).

## Prayers for Blessings/Health

His Grace **Bishop NIKON**; **Christy** Adams; **Kirsten** Battachio (USMC); **Paul** Betts; **Georgika** Boria; **Diana** Breaz; **Ralph** Deer; **Charles** Dougiello, Sr.; **Elsie** Gartsu; **Jason** Gartsu; **Cindy** Held; **Richard** Hirst; **Nicholas** Hotova; **Diane** Hoffmeyer; **Eva** Karajani; **Meni** Kyriacou; **Katherine** LaBache; **Christy** Lambert; **Elizabeth** Lambro; **Dhimitra** Leka; **Infant Adelynn**, **Erin**, **John** Louis Jr; **Barbara** Evans Maynard; **Kelly** Montagna; **Louise** Moran; **Theodore** Morrison; **Peter** Naum; **James** Pando; **Minnie** Phostole; **Pandora** Plasa; **Eleanor** Polena; **Violet** Polena, **Mark** Sabatino; **David** Schutte; **Noella** Sidarweck; **Gloria** Simo; **David** Snedegar; **Thomas** Soter, **Tessie** Sotir; **Jo Anne** Tallcouch; **Peter** Thanas; **Mary & Peter** Themel; **Christy**, **Michael**, **Thalia & Leonora** Thomas; **Vincent** J. Torre; **Aphrodita** (Rita) Vangel; **Galina** Voronin; **Kaitlyn** Woolard.

*As a community of Faith our prime responsibility is to support one another – in both faith and action. Prayer combines both. Please submit the name of the person for whom you wish to pray – and remember that when the prayers have been answered, to take that name off the list as well.*

## Coffee Hour

- Today:** Church School children and their families
- November 7:** Teuta Ladies' Society
- 14:** ????????????????
- 21:** ????????????????

If you would like to sponsor coffee hour, please notify Kim O'Brien. Phone: 203-877-2286 or email: [IBALL007@aol.com](mailto:IBALL007@aol.com)

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## Orthodox Book Club

Father Dennis is leading an *Orthodox Book Club* at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, Park Avenue, Bridgeport, at 7:00 on Tuesday evenings.

We are now reading and discussing Fr. Meletios Webber's book, *Bread & Water, Wine & Oil: An Orthodox Christian Experience of God*.

When we have finished that book, we will read and discuss a variety of other books about the Orthodox Faith and spirituality.

All are invited.

## Thank You!

*Thank you!* to the members of our **Choir** who did such a beautiful job singing the responses at the two weddings that were celebrated in October: **Lara Lazar & Peter Kokenos** on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, and **Maribeth Di Iulio & Louis Martino** on the 23<sup>rd</sup>.

## Congratulations!

**Craig & Sharon Stockel** announce the birth of their granddaughter **Hannah Kathryn**.

Hannah was born on Oct 4<sup>th</sup>, and weighed in at 8 lbs 9 oz. She is the daughter of **Ben & Michelle Lewin**, who reside in Attleboro, MA.

## St. Nectarios Celebration

On Monday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, Great Vespers for the feast of **St. Nectarios of Aegina** will be celebrated at *Christ the Savior Orthodox Church* in Southbury, Conn.

The service will begin at 7:00 p.m., and will include procession and veneration of the Saint's relics, prayers for healing and anointing with oil from St. Nectarios' grave. A dessert buffet will follow the service.

If anyone would like to attend, see Father Dennis.

## St. Dimitrie Community Dinners

On the first and third Thursday of November, St. Dimitrie Romanian Orthodox Church in Easton is offering eat-in or take-out *Community Dinners* from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

The complete dinner will cost \$15 per person for adults and \$10 per person for children under 12 with a different menu each time.

## FORCC Children's Talent Show

The *Fellowship of Orthodox Churches of Connecticut* is sponsoring a **Children's Talent Show** at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church in Bridgeport, on Sunday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, starting at 3:00 p.m.

All types of children's talent are welcome. Some examples are: art work, poetry recitation, readers' theater, musical selections (voice or instrumental), dance and others.

All ages are welcome.

If anyone is interested in participating, let Father Dennis know.

## Water for Turkana

The *Orthodox Christian Mission Center* is raising funds to help provide clean water for the Orthodox people of the Turkana tribe in the desert of northern Kenya. The money raised will be used not only to drill "bore holes" (very deep wells) in one or two of their villages, but also to make sure that the bore holes can be repaired if and when they fail.

During the month of October, our **Charity Collection** has been designated to support this worthy effort.

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