

The Martyr

St. George Orthodox Church

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January 2, 2011

Up-coming Services/Events

Today: 9:30 a.m. General Confession
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy and
Parish Council
installation

6: The Theophany of our Lord
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy and
Blessing of Water
9: 9:30 a.m. Church School
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy and
40-Day Memorial
for Mini Phostole
16: 9:30 a.m. Church School
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy
23: 9:30 a.m. Church School
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

January 23: Parish Body Meeting

Prayers in Memoriam

40 Days

Albert Chapar, Sr.; Mini Phostole

January

02 Theodore Dionis (1976)
Angelina Naum (1982)
Mary Plasa (1982)
Margarita Jordhamo (1994)
03 Nisi Schutte (1961)
07 Vasil Cici (1955)
Dora George Theodos (1983)
08 Helen M. Nasse Liolin (2002)

Prayers for Blessings/Health

His Grace Bishop NIKON; Christy Adams;
Kirsten Battachio (USMC); Paul Betts;
Georgika Boria; Diana Breaz; Sharon Buzi;
Ralph Deer; Infants Sophie Marie & Brooke
Petra Dionis; Charles Dougiello, Sr.; Jason
Gartsu (USAR); Albert Glucksnis; Cindy
Held; Richard Hirst; Nicholas Hotova;
Diane Hoffmeyer; Eva Karajani; Meni
Kyriacou; Katherine LaBache; Christy
Lambert; Elizabeth Lambro; Dhimitra Leka;
Infant Adelynn, Erin, & Christopher Louis;
John Louis; Thomas Matthews; Barbara
Evans Maynard; Thomas Michael; Kelly
Montagna; Louise Moran; Theodore
Morrison; Peter Naum; James Pando;
Pandora Plasa; Eleanor Polena; Violet
Polena, Mark Sabatino; David Schutte;
Noella Sidarweck; Gloria Simo; David
Snedegar; Thomas Soter, Tessie Sotir; Jo
Anne Tallcouch; 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: ??????????????
January 2: Vasil Family in honor of Bill's
90th Birthday
9: Phostole Family in honor of
Mini's 40th Day Memorial
16: ??????????????

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

Parish Council 2011



For the month of January our Charity Collections will be used
to help the Thomas Merton Center in Bridgeport.

We congratulate and ask God's blessings on the members of our Parish Council as they are installed in office today: **Laura Chadwick** - President, **Nardi Tollkuçi** - Vice President, **Kim O'Brien** - Treasurer, **Bob Lazar** - Building and Grounds, **Luba Csernica** - Financial Secretary, **Mary Nikola** - Corresponding Secretary, **Jean Brideau** - Recording Secretary, **Joann Soter** - Trustee.

Apologies

We apologize to **Tom, Elsie and Jason Gartsu**, whose names were inadvertently omitted from our Community Christmas Card.

Teuta News

The **Teuta Ladies' Society Post Holiday Luncheon** will be on Sunday, January 16, 2011, at **Tashua Knolls** in Trumbull. The cost is \$30 per person. Checks, payable to "Teuta" are due on or before January 9th.

See **Elsie Gartsu** or **Gloria Athanas** regarding reservations and meal selection.

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.

2011 Wall Calendars

The Wall Calendars for 2011 have arrived. Pick yours up at the Candle Desk.

Thank you to **Ron Dougiello** and **Commerce Hill Funeral Home** for sponsoring them.

January Charity Collection

In January, our Charity Collections will be used to support **Thomas Merton Center**, an agency in Bridgeport that helps people of every age group and nationality who are in need.



Prepare, O Zebulon!
Adorn yourself, O
Nephtali!
Stop your flow, river
Jordan;
receive the Master with
joy!
Rejoice with Eve, O
Adam,
do not hide as of old in
Paradise,
for the One who beheld
you naked
has now appeared to
enrobe you anew.



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Christ has come, willing
to renew all of
creation!

Troparion of the
Prefeast of the Theophany



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