March 6, 2022
Sunday of Forgiveness (Cheese Fare)
As we enter the Church let us pray.....
I will come into Thy House In the multitude of Thy mercy;
And in Thy fear I will worship toward Thy Holy Temple.

Resurrectinal Apolytikion – Tone 4
Having learned the joyful message of the Resurrection from the angel the women disciples of the Lord cast from them their parental condemnation. And proudly broke the news to the Disciples, saying: Death hath been spoiled; Christ God is risen, granting the world Great Mercy.

Apolytikion of St. John Chrysostom - Tone 8
Grace shining forth from your lips like a beacon has enlightened the universe. It has shown to the world the riches of poverty. It has revealed to us the heights of humility. Teaching us by your words, O Father John Chrysostom, intercede before the Word, Christ our God, to save our souls!

Kontakion for Forgiveness Sunday - Tone 6
O Thou Who guidest to wisdom, and givest understanding and intelligence, the Instructor of the ignorant, and Helper of the poor, strengthen my heart and grant it understanding, O Master. Give me word, O Word of the Father; for behold, I shall not refrain my lips from crying to Thee, O merciful One, have mercy upon me who am fallen.

SYNAXARIO
On March 6 in the Holy Orthodox Church, we commemorate the 42 martyrs of Amoria in Phrygia; the discovery of the precious cross and nails by St. Helena; and Venerable Fridolin, enlightener of the Upper Rhine.
On this day, we make remembrance of the exile of the first-fashioned, Adam, from the Paradise of delight. It is the Sunday of Forgiveness, known also as Cheese Fare Sunday. Today’s lesson from the Holy Gospel teaches us about forgiveness and fasting, and how both are crucial to our own return to Paradise. The divine Fathers also set the anniversary of the exile of Adam from the Paradise of bliss on this day, at the entrance of Great Lent, to show us by deed as well as word how great is the benefit that accrues to man from fasting and repenting; and, on the contrary, how great the harm that comes from destructive gluttony and from disobedience to the divine commandments. The sin of gluttony resulted in Adam and Eve's banishment from Paradise, because they disobeyed God by eating from the tree which He had forbidden them. The Church reminds us of this event to encourage us to return to that ancient glory and primeval happiness by means of fasting and obedience to God and His commandments. By Thine ineffable compassion, O Christ our God, make us worthy of the delight of Paradise and have mercy on us, as Thou art alone the Lover of mankind. Amen.

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His Eminence Metropolitan JOSEPH, Archbishop of New York and Metropolitan of North America, Primate
His Grace Bishop Thomas, Auxiliary Bishop of the Diocese of Charleston, Oakland and the Mid-Atlantic
The V. Rev. Peter Pier, Pastor
The Rev. David Hyatt, Assistant Pastor

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The Inquirer's Class – will meet today, March 6th following the Divine Liturgy. These classes are for those studying the Orthodox Christian Faith, and those wishing to deepen their understanding of the Faith. All are welcome.
Weis and Giant Grocery Gift Cards – are available for purchase. You pay the face amount of the card and the church receives 5% of the value of the card. Please see Marjorie Barrett after any Divine Liturgy to purchase a card. Purchases benefit the general fund of St. John Chrysostom Church.

Attendance Last Week: 162
Operating Fund Offering Received: $6,780.00
Amount Needed Each Week To Meet Operating Fund Budget: $7,280.00

Church Calendar

March 6  8:50 am Orthros.  10:00 am Divine Liturgy.  SCS. Inquirer’s Class.  Forgiveness Vespers.
March 7  6:00 pm Great Compline and Canon of St. Andrew
March 8  8:30 am 3rd Hour and Tuesday Morning Ministry.  6:00 Great Compline and Canon.
March 9  6:00 pm Presanctified Divine Liturgy.
March 10 6:00 pm Great Compline and Canon of St. Andrew of Crete.
March 11  6:00 pm Akathist Hymn.
March 12  8:00 am Orthros.  9:00 am Divine Liturgy, Miracle of the Koliva.  6:00 pm Triumph of Orthodoxy Vespers @ Holy Trinity Cathedral, Camp Hill.
March 13  8:50 am Orthros.  10:00 am Divine Liturgy.  Teen Soup Sale.  SCS. Parish Council.

Remember In Your Prayers

Before they call I will answer, while they are yet speaking I will hear” (Is. 65:24)

The Living – for their health & wellbeing
Metropolitan Joseph
Bishop Thomas
Sarah Chattopadhyay
Olena Bassarab
Jamey Miller
Matthew Miller
Officer Jamie Miller
Joyce “Kassiane” Williams
Michael Acierno
Ian Snyder
Francis “Patrick” Barrett
Marjorie “Marion” Barrett
Jerry “David” Desautels
Nancy Usner

The Departed – Memory Eternal!
Metropolitan PHILIP
Bishop Antoun
Priest Boniface Black
Wayne “Stephen” Coleson
Leavitt “George” Keener
Mary Jane Glagola
Norm “Nourhan” and Eva “Marie” Kailian
Nicholas Raptapolus
Walter and Mary Damm
Donnell Gregory and Mary “Rebecca” Beck

Michael Bogosh
Christos Tsakiris
Harry and Grace Dorion
Marianne Rupp
Mary Bincarowsky
Gene “Paul” Strayer
Katherine Monsour
George and Darla Feeser
Cindi “Monica” Bennett
Mary Kopey
Martha Allen
Mary Lou Grove
Melinda “Magdalena” Stika
James Fetter
Andrew Himes
Patty May
Julie Acierno

Vincent Michael Terzano-Borovic
Steven Smith
Edward Boner
Cheryl “Alexandra” Bury
Thomas Lehman
Barry “John” Hart
Angela Pandelidis
Kathryn Velen
Renee McCutchen