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Holy Assumption Church

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Members of Holy Assumption Orthodox Church will discover their talent(s) and gift(s) and put them into action to benefit the Church as well as the world around us, spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ, "Going, make disciples of all nations, baptizing them into the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching all that I (Jesus, the Lord) have taught you."

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Tone 5 Troparion (Resurrection)

Let us, the faithful, praise and worship the Word, co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit, born for our salvation from the Virgin; for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh, to endure death, and to raise the dead by His glorious Resurrection.

Tone 1 Troparion of the Feast

When You, O Lord, were baptized in the Jordan, the worship of the Trinity was made manifest. For the voice of the Father bore witness to You, calling You His Beloved Son; and the Spirit in the form of a dove confirmed the truthfulness of His word. O Christ our God, You have revealed Yourself, and have enlightened the world, glory to You!

Tone 8 Troparion (Venerable Theodosius)

By a flood of tears you made the desert fertile, and your longing for God brought forth fruits in abundance.
By the radiance of miracles you illuminated the whole universe.
Our Father Theodosius, pray to Christ God to save our

Kontakions

Tone 5 Kontakion (Resurrection)

You descended into hell, O my Savior, shattering its gates as Almighty, resurrecting the dead as Creator, and destroying the sting of death. You have delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of Man, and we cry to You: "O Lord, save us!"

Tone 8 Kontakion (Ven Theodosius)

Planted in the courts of your Lord, you blossomed beautifully with virtue, and increased your children in the desert, showering them with streams of your tears, chief shepherd of the divine flock of God.

Kontakion of the Feast

Today You have shone forth to the world, O Lord, and the light of Your countenance has been marked on us. Knowing You, we sing Your praises:
"You have come and revealed Yourself,
O unapproachable Light."

Tone 1 Prokeimenon (Sunday after the Theophany)

Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us as we have set our hope on You! (Ps 32/33:22)
v: Rejoice in the Lord, O your righteous! Praise befits the just! (Ps 32/33:1)

Tone 7 Prokeimenon (Ven Theodosius)

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints. (Ps 115/116:15)

Sunday,

Jan. 11

30th Sunday after

Pentecost

Tone 5

Sunday after the

Theophany

Afterfeast of the

Theophany

Venerable

Theodosius the

Great

EPISTLES

Psalm 111

Ephesians 4:7-18 (Epistle, Sunday After)

7 But to each one of us grace was given according to the measure of Christ's gift. 8 Therefore He says: "When He ascended on high, He led captivity captive, And gave gifts to men." 9 (Now this, "He ascended"-what does it mean but that He also first descended into the lower parts of the earth? 10 He who descended is also the One who ascended far above all the heavens, that He might fill all things.) 11 And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, 12 for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ, 13 till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ; 14 that we should no longer be children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, in the cunning craftiness of deceitful plotting, 15 but, speaking the truth in love, may grow up in all things into Him who is the head-Christ- 16 from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by what every joint supplies, according to the effective working by which every part does its share, causes growth of the body for the edifying of itself in love. 17 This I say, therefore, and testify in the Lord, that you should no longer walk as the rest of the Gentiles walk, in the futility of their mind, 18 having their understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God, because of the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart;

2 Corinthians 4:6-15 (Epistle, Saint)

6 For it is the God who commanded light to shine out of darkness, who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. 7 But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellence of the power may be of God and not of us. 8 We are hard-pressed on every side, yet not crushed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; 9 persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed- 10 always carrying about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our body. 11 For we who live are always delivered to death for Jesus' sake, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our mortal flesh. 12 So then death is working in us, but life in you. 13 And since we have the same spirit of faith, according to what is written, "I believed and therefore I spoke," we also believe and therefore speak, 14 knowing that He who raised up the Lord Jesus will also raise us up with Jesus, and will present us with you. 15 For all things are for your sakes, that grace, having spread through the many, may cause thanksgiving to abound to the glory of God.

Tone 5

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

v: I will sing of Your mercies, O Lord, forever; with my mouth I will proclaim Your truth from generation to generation. (Ps 88/89:1)

v: For You have said: "Mercy will be established forever; My truth will be prepared in the heavens." (Ps 88/89:2)

Tone 6

v. Blessed is the man who fears the Lord, who greatly delights in His commandments. (Ps 111/112:1)

GOSPELS

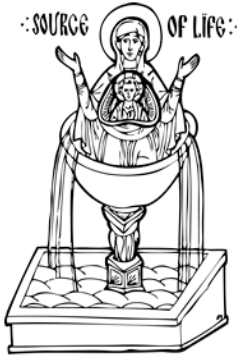
Matthew 4:12-17 (Gospel, Sunday After)

12 Now when Jesus heard that John had been put in prison, He departed to Galilee. 13 And leaving Nazareth, He came and dwelt in Capernaum, which is by the sea, in the regions of Zebulun and Naphtali, 14 that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying: 15 The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, By the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles: 16 The people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, And upon those who sat in the region and shadow of death Light has dawned." 17 From that time Jesus began to preach and to say, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

Matthew 11:27-30 (Gospel, Saint)

27 All things have been delivered to Me by My Father, and no one knows the Son except the Father. Nor does anyone know the Father except the Son, and the one to whom the Son wills to reveal Him. 28 Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. 29 Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. 30 For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.

Hymn to the Theotokos



Magnify, O my soul, the most-pure Virgin Theotokos,
more honorable than the heavenly hosts!

No tongue knows how to praise you worthily, O Theotokos;
even Angels are overcome with awe praising you.

But since you are good, accept our faith;
for you know our love inspired by God!
You are the defender of Christians, and we magnify you.

Communion Hymns

The grace of God has appeared for the salvation of all men. *(Titus 2:11)*
The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance. He shall not fear evil
tidings. *(Ps 111/112:6b-7a)*
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!



2009 Calendars were put in stewards/members mailboxes last week, one calendar per family. Extra Calendars are available at the candle desk for anyone else who wishes to have one or any family who wishes to have an additional calendar for \$5 while supplies last.

Mark Your Calendar

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Sunday, Jan. 11
Liturgy 9:00
coffee hour
Sunday School

Saturday, Jan. 17
Vespers 5:00 pm
Choir Practice

Sunday, Jan. 18
Liturgy 9:00
Coffee hour
Youth Choir



**LITURGY WILL CONTINUE TO BEGIN AT 9:00 WITH SUNDAY
SCHOOL FOLLOWING COFFEE HOUR FROM 10:45 - 11:15.**

If you have anything you would like put in the bulletin,
please e-mail (kkishawise@aol.com) or phone
(330 327-8618) Kathy by Thursday evening.

January 2009

HAYOUTH -

SUNDAY

SCHOOL

SCHEDULE

Today,

Jan 4

Game Time

at the

Huba's.

Bring a

Snack a

favorite

board game

to play.

Following

Coffee Hour!

Stewardship reminder...

A few months ago many of us made a stewardship commitment to Holy Assumption Church. As the new year approaches us, keep your stewardship commitment in mind. The Church's budget was based on our collective stewardship. Our monthly collection goal is \$7,500 per month. We will keep you up to date on how we are doing. Thank you for your prayers and your commitment to Holy Assumption Church.

This Week Jan 11

Coffee
Hour

Kisha
Wise, Monahan

Altar
Servers

Shawn Monahan
Brendan Gates

Reader

Reader
Eusebius

Next Week Jan. 18

Tapyrik
Condo, Mudrak

Jacob Huba
Gregory Huba

Timothy
Gates

Birthdays:

Jan. 11 – Mary-Ann Frishkorn
Katia Gresh

Jan. 16 Pete Mudrak

God Grant You Many Years!!