

# Holy Trinity Orthodox Church

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## Glory to Jesus Christ!

Sunday, December 15, 2024

### 25<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST / HOLY FOREFATHERS

Today's Scripture: [Colossians 3:4-11](#) ♦ [Luke 14:16-24](#)

Sunday, Dec 15	9:30am	<b>Divine Liturgy</b> Program Rehearsal Coffee Hour
Wednesday, Dec 18	8:00am	<b>First Hour</b>
	6:40pm	<b>Youth Group</b> Snacks: Judah B
Thursday, Dec 19	8:00am	<b>First Hour</b>
Friday, Dec 20	8:00am	<b>Akathist for the Nativity</b>
Saturday, Dec 21	9:30am	Program Rehearsal
Sunday, Dec 22	9:30am	<b>Divine Liturgy</b> <b>Chrismations</b> – Jonathan C & Hal F <b>Christmas Program</b> ★ <b>Lenten Pot-luck</b>

Next Sunday's Scripture: [Acts 19:1-8](#) ♦ [Matthew 1:1-25](#)

[Morning Services Livestreamed](#)

### Please Remember in Your Prayers:

- ♦ All those suffering in the wars in Ukraine, Gaza, and the Middle East
- ♦ Jonathan Chapel & Hal Flettre, who will receive Chrismation next Sunday.

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✠ Many Years to those celebrating birthdays: **MarySue Moskal** (12/16), **Susan Fall** (12/18), **Brenda Fall** (12/20).

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**FOCUS Collection** is underway. Warm winter items & bedding can be placed in the box in the dining room through mid-January.

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### Advent News:

- **Christmas Card Address Sheets** are on the bulletin board.
- **Poinsettias** may be brought to church at any time. If you would like to have a dedication made, please fill out a form.
- **Lenten Pot-Luck** next Sunday following the Christmas Program. Please bring a vegan dish to share.
- **Nativity Vigil** begins at 3:00pm on Dec 24, with carols before & after. Adults who plan to take Communion may begin fasting around 9:00am.

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**Year End Reports** are due to Sec. Dan Thomas ([dannikkit@gmail.com](mailto:dannikkit@gmail.com)) by Sunday, **January 12**, from: **Sisters of HT, Sunday School, VBS, Youth Group, Choir, Cemetery, Harvest Festival, Council President.**

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**Epiphany Eve** falls on a Sunday this year; the Great Blessing of Water will take place on Sunday, Jan 5, right after Liturgy.

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**2025 Liturgical Calendars** are available! Please take one per household.

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**Sisters of Holy Trinity** election results **are available in the minutes at this link**. Special thanks to outgoing officers for all their work this year!