

## COMING EVENTS

### NOVEMBER:

17, TODAY Noon - HTOC Greeters' meeting  
24, Sunday Parish Council meeting  
30, Saturday 9:30 a.m. St. Andrew Church Feast Day Divine Liturgy

### DECEMBER:

5, Thursday 5:30 p.m. St. Nicholas Eve Vespers and Kids' Celebration  
8, Sunday 4:00 p.m. Nativity Concert at St. Demetrios Church

#### MEATLOAF LUNCHEON:

The St. Herman's Meatloaf Luncheon Fund-raiser was a huge success. The total profit from ticket sales, donations, and Basket Raffle is \$3365! Many thanks to all who purchased tickets, donated cash and baskets, and volunteered to set up, cook, serve and clean up. A special thank you to Mka. Dianna Kall for coordinating the Basket Raffle and obtaining the donation of dinner rolls from Orlando Bakery. Truly, it takes an entire church community to put on such a successful fundraiser! Thank you!

#### SPRUCE ISLAND HONEY:

Locally-produced honey from the beekeepers at St. Herman's House is available in the La Coupole bookstore. All proceeds benefit St. Herman's FOCUS Cleveland.

#### CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE:

The Giving Tree will again be in the Fellowship Hall. We have accepted 2 Parma families this year, with 3 children each. Ornaments on the tree list each child's interests. If you wish to help, take an ornament, purchase a gift, wrap it, and return it to HTOC by Sunday, Dec. 8. Attach the ornament to the gift so the Parma School liaison can give it to the correct child.

#### NATIVITY CONCERT:

The Greater Cleveland churches will once again perform a Nativity concert. It will be hosted by St. Demetrios Church on Sunday, Dec. 8, at 4:00 p.m. The church is located at 22909 Center Ridge Rd. in Rocky River.

#### COFFEE HOUR:

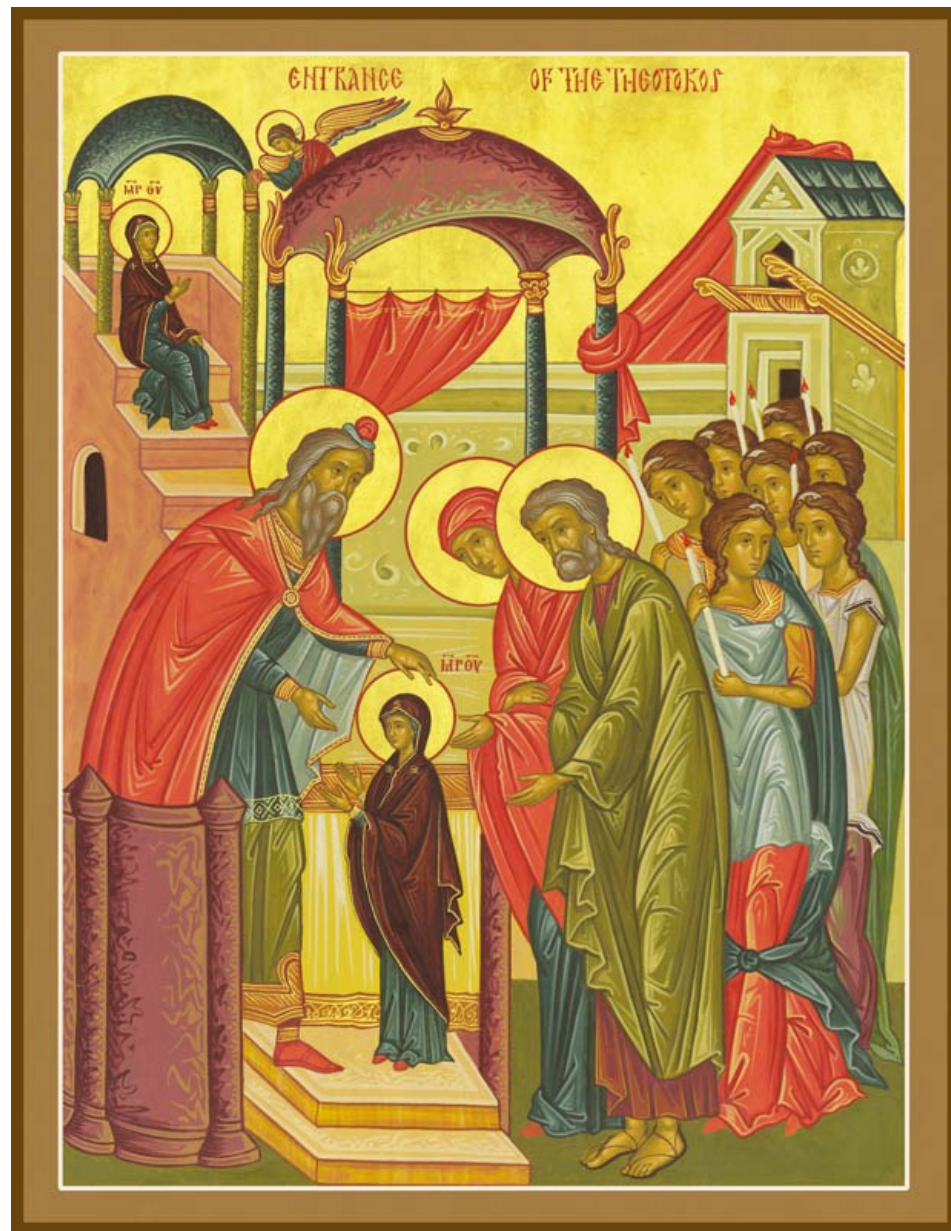
Our refreshments today are hosted by the Abraham, Edelbrock, Kolberg, Moore, and Uziel Families.

#### TRINITARIAN COVERS:

The covers today are offered by Steve and Janene Hatch.

### THE GIFTS WE OFFER TO THE LORD WE LOVE

REGULAR COLLECTION, 11/10/24	\$ 3098.00
CAPITAL CAMPAIGNS	1922.00
CANDLES	141.00
VETERAN'S MEMORIAL	200.00
LIBRARY	100.00
CHURCH SCHOOL	300.00
CHURCH DIRECTORY	25.00
IN MEMORY OF SERGEI AND HELEN LOIKA	10.00



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Divine Liturgy on Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

Vespers on Saturdays at 5:00 p.m.

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TONE 4

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## ***TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST***

*St. Gregory the Wonderworker of Neo-Cæsarea;  
Ven. Nikon, Abbot of Rádonezh, disciple of Ven. Sergius;  
Ven. Lazarus the Iconographer, of Constantinople;  
Martyr Gobron and 133 soldiers, of Georgia; Ven. Genadius of Vatopedi*

You became worthy of your name through your way of life, through your vigilance in prayer and your constant works of mercy. Therefore, O Father Gregory, beseech Christ God to enlighten our minds, that we may not sleep in sin, which leads to death.

Troparion, Tone VIII

## ***ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS INTO THE TEMPLE***

*Thursday, November 21*

The most pure Temple of the Savior; the precious Chamber and Virgin; the sacred Treasure of the glory of God, is presented today to the house of the Lord. She brings with her the grace of the Spirit, therefore, the angels of God praise her: "Truly this woman is the abode of heaven."

Kontakion, Tone IV

TODAY'S EPISTLE: GALATIANS 2:16-20

TODAY'S GOSPEL: LUKE 12:16-21

### **HOLY WORSHIP THIS WEEK:**

Today, November 17	Baptism of Michael Myers
Wednesday, November 20	6:00 p.m. Vigil; Blessing of items for St. Herman's House
Thursday, November 21	9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy - <b>Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple</b>
Saturday, November 23	11:00 a.m. Baptism of Tessa Griebel
	5:00 p.m. Great Vespers

### **WELCOME GUESTS!**

We are very glad you have come to worship the Holy Trinity with us this morning! Please participate in the services at your comfort level. Our greeters will kindly assist you with whatever questions or needs you may have. During each Sunday service we offer Holy Communion. If you are a practicing Orthodox Christian and have come prepared to receive Christ's Body and Blood through fasting and prayer, please come forward to partake. All guests are invited to come forward at the end of the service to greet Fr. Christopher and receive the blessed bread. Please stay after the Divine Liturgy for coffee hour in the Fellowship Hall so we can get to know you better!

Families with children: we encourage children of all ages to be present and participate as they are able during worship. We know sometimes kids need a break, so please take good advantage of our Rest and Refocus Room located on the south side of the lobby/narthex when coming in the main entrance. If you have pre-school and school age children, we invite you to send them to Church School directly after the Divine Liturgy throughout the academic year. May God bless you!

**Daily Scripture Readings** can be found in the St. Tikhon's Wall Calendar or at [www.oca.org/readings](http://www.oca.org/readings).