



SS PETER AND PAUL ORTHODOX CHURCH

A PARISH OF THE ORTHODOX CHURCH IN AMERICA, DIOCESE OF NEW YORK AND NEW JERSEY

98 West 28th Street, Bayonne, NJ 07002

WWW.SSPETERANDPAULBAYONNE.ORG

Rev. Fr. Igor Kseniuk, Rector 201-436-3244 office; 646-387-5494 cell; fr.igorksn@gmail.com
Stephen Wasilewski, President 201-436-3754 home; 201-960-4352cell; stephen12375@aol.com
Vladimir J. Nehrebecki, Choir Director 201-618-6721

July 10, 2011

4th Sunday after Pentecost.

*Ven. Anthony of the Kiev Caves,
founder of Monasticism in Rus.*

- 8:40am – Hours
- 9:00am – Divine Liturgy
Epistle: Rom. 6:18-23
Gospel: Matt. 8:5-13
- Panikhida – in memory of:
 - newly departed Matilda Skripak, on 9th day of her departure;
 - Julia Wasilewski and Andrew Bacsik, offered by Wasilewski Family;
 - Antonina Rotko, offered by the Sisterhood of the Assumption
- Fellowship – Please come downstairs following Liturgy for Coffee Hour, provided by Wasilewski Family in memory of Deceased members of the Wasilewski Family .

Schedule of Services

SATURDAY, JULY 16

6:00pm - Great Vespers & Confessions

SUNDAY, JULY 17

8:40am - Hours

9:00am - Divine Liturgy

Church Etiquette*

Special Considerations During Liturgy

• **Leaving Church** - The respectful protocol is to leave the church only after the final blessing, and after kissing or venerating the cross held by the priest at the end of the Divine Liturgy. It is not acceptable to be in the church hall, kitchen, or an administrative office during Liturgy. Some parishes have church school at the end of the Liturgy. This is the only exception allowed. Those who leave early deprive themselves of a blessing. After walking to the back of the nave of the church, it is customary to face the altar, bow, and make the sign of the cross.

• **Greeting the Priest and Bishop** – In our modern culture, we greet one another with a handshake. The exception to this is when we greet a member of the clergy. We do not shake a bishop's or priest's hand; we ask for a blessing and kiss it with reverence. The proper way to do this is to approach the hierarch or priest with right hand over left, palms facing up, and then bow while saying, "Master, bless" to the hierarch, or "Father, bless" to the priest. If either places his hand in yours while blessing you, this is an appropriate time to kiss his hand. We kiss his hand because we are honoring Christ, whom he represents.

*Adopted from "A Guide to Church Etiquette: How to Show Proper Respect and Reverence in Church" – a booklet by The Department of Marriage and Parish Family Ministry of the Antiochian Archdiocese.

Our Deepest Sympathy

to family and friends of our parishioner Matilda Skripak, who fell asleep in the Lord on Saturday, July 2, 2011. May God rest her soul in His Heavenly Kingdom! Memory Eternal!

Intercessory Prayer

THE LIVING:

Benedict and Eva Benda, Valentina Benda, Cathryn Christensen, Olga DeMay, Marianne Guagenti, George Hook, Andrew Koch, Peter Mazula, Walter Milk, Helen Pirniak, Stephen and Lillian Sokol, Elizabeth Zuber.

May God grant you Many Years!

THE DEPARTED:

n/d Matilda Skripak, n/d Andrew Bacsik, Helen Pawlush, Mary Milk, Antonina Rotko, Helen Cotrone, June Bianchini, Maryanne Benda, Anne Verona, Ann Fondak, Theodor Bacha, George Makara, Steven Petronko, Agnes Silberman.

Memory Eternal! Вечная Память!

Welcome Visitors

We welcome all visitors to our Divine Liturgy. It is our joy to have you with us today. If this is your first visit to our parish, we welcome you and invite you to return as often as you are able.

While Holy Communion may only be received by prepared Orthodox Christians, our non-Orthodox guests are welcome to join us in venerating the Cross, receiving blessed bread at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy and for fellowship in our Church Hall after the service.

For the Church She Loved...

Our Church remembers all Her sons and daughters who passed away from the time of Her foundation, but in a distinct way during the Great Entrance at the Divine Liturgy among others are commemorated "founders, benefactors and beautifiers of this holy temple". Our departed parishioner Antonina Rotko is among those who in particular way showed their love and support to the Church. Recently, our parish received a charitable remainder trust in a sum of \$27,602.00 which Antonina left to our Parish. May our Lord grant rest eternal in blessed repose to His servant Antonina! Memory Eternal! Vechnaya Pamyat!

Today's Memorial Offering



- *St. Nicholas' Cross* – in memory of Antonina Rotko, on her Birthday on July 13 – offered by Lopen Family.



Announcements

❖ Parish Council meeting is tomorrow, **Monday, July 11th**, at 7:00pm. All members are urged to attend.

❖ Today, **Sunday, July 10th**, starting at 12 noon Rahway's Holy Trinity Orthodox Church's Youth Church School Program is hosting a **Rummage Sale**. Church is located at 830 Jefferson Avenue, Rahway, NJ. Plenty of free parking is available across the street in the back of the CVS lot. We hope to see you there!

❖ On **Thursday, August 18th, 2011** there will be a **Diocesan Youth Day** for the children of our Diocese at Six Flags Great Adventure located in Jackson, NJ. The main focus of this Youth Event is to bring the children of our Diocese together in prayer, Christian fellowship, and lots of fun. For more information please see a flyer posted on the bulletin board or visit our Diocesan website: www.nynjoca.org.

Happy Birthday

and Happy Name's Day to our choir director Vladimir Nehrebecki and to all who celebrate their birthdays in the month of July. May God grant you good health and happiness for Many, Many, Many Years! Mnogaya Leta!