

Holy Trinity Hellenic Orthodox Church

Lowell, Massachusetts

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October 22, 2017

6th Sunday of Luke

SUNDAY READINGS

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Note: All are welcome to receive the Blessed Bread (Antidoron), but only practicing Orthodox Christians can receive Holy Communion.

Today's Calendar

- Cathy Chareas, Mary Mourtzinis and Connie Panas are hosting today's Coffee Hour in memory of their loved ones and for the health of all.
- Parish Council Members on duty: John Grillakis, Athena Hayes, Charles Hondros, Paris Karahalios

This Week

Thursday, October 26 - St. Demetrios the Myrrh-Streamer – Holy Protection of the Theotokos – OXI Day – 9:00 am Orthros; 10:00 am Divine Liturgy – Students of the Hellenic American Academy will present their OXI Day program immediately following the Divine Liturgy.

For Our Edification

Bingo Fundraiser News

Christine Themeles, chairman of the Bingo Committee, wishes to thank the following individuals for their hard work and generous contributions which made for

a very successful Monday Night Bingo at the Lowell Senior Center: Betty Themeles; Mary Themeles, Tom Themeles, Harry Savard; George Zaharoolis; Donna Zouzas. The event raised \$2,725 which will go into the Hall Restoration Fund.

OXI Day Celebration

This Thursday, October 26, the students of the Hellenic American Academy will be attending Divine Liturgy for the Feast of St. Demetrios the Myrrh-Streamer, the Feast of the Holy Protection of the Theotokos and OXI Day. They will also take part in a program in remembrance of OXI Day which will follow the service.

Philoptochos Food Fair

The Philoptochos will be sponsoring their annual Food Fair on Saturday, November 4, from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm at the Hellenic Cultural Center. Have lunch with your fellow parishioners and be sure to purchase your goodies from the popular pastry table. A number of items will be raffled off. Don't forget to return your raffle tickets.

Save the Date

The Hellenic American Academy is having a Benefit Auction on Saturday, December 2, 7:00 pm, at the Indian Ridge Country Club. More details will be forthcoming.

Food Drive Continues

Please don't forget to bring your non-perishable food products in by November 12 to help the hungry and the homeless. Your donations may be left in the narthex.

Last Call for Pie Orders

Don't forget to place your order for Thanksgiving pies today by signing up at the Pagari. The HAA PTA is sponsoring this fundraiser in association with Mann Orchards in Methuen.

Parish Council Applications Available

Applications for Parish Council Members and Auditors are available at the Pagari. Deadline to submit is Sunday, November 19.

Special General Assembly

A Special General Assembly will be held on Sunday, November 5, 12:30 pm in the Church hall. The topic to be discussed will be funding status and authorization to proceed with the renovation of the Church hall.