

Holy Transfiguration Orthodox Church

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Sun. Oct. 3, 2021 9:00am 15th Sunday after Pentecost: Hieromartyr Dionysius Areopagite
Obednitsa at church with Fr. John Mikitish

TODAY'S READINGS: II Cor. 4:6-15 Luke 6:31-36

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

Today: Coffee Hour, OCF College Student Sunday
FORCC Dinner
1:00pm
Tue. Oct. 5 5:30pm Daily Vespers (v)
Thu Oct. 7 5:00pm OCF Vespers and evening barbeque
Sat. Oct. 9 5:00pm Great Vespers, General Confession
Sun. Oct. 10 9:00am 16th Sunday after Pentecost: Holy Fathers of the 7th Ecumenical
Council
II Cor. 6:1-10 Luke 7:11-16
Heb. 13:7-16 (Fathers) John 17:1-13
4:00pm Wedding of Barbara Piccolo and David Ryan, Sr.
Welcome to all our visitors who join us for services!

Fr. Steven and Mat. Cindy will be away: God-willing will be returning home late today. If you have pastoral concerns, please reach out to either Tom Eisenmann, or Susan Papademetris. They will in turn be in contact with Fr. Patrick Burns who will be covering pastoral needs in my absence.

Please pray for: Fr. John Mikitish as he continues to seek possible treatment for some relief from a hereditary tremor.

Wedding Banns: Barbara Piccolo and David Ryan, Sr. will be united in the Sacrament of Marriage on Sunday, October 10th, at 4:00pm.

Memory Eternal: Mitred Archpriests Sergei Glagolev (Sep. 1) Memory eternal.

Men's Reading Group:

A weekly **Men's Reading Group** is continuing on Wednesday mornings at 7am. We are currently studying the Book of Acts. Just click on the link [here](#) to join us.

Coffee Hour: Please contact Susan Papademetris to assist with set-up, bringing foods, and clean-up.

CDC Guidance related to masks:

The CDC recommends for New Haven that everyone—regardless of vaccination status—should wear a mask while indoors. Indoor masking helps stop the spread of COVID-19.

Stewardship Tray: In October we will be supporting **St. Vladimir's Seminary**, specifically as they sustained damage from Storm Ida. Please be generous. To donate by check, simply put "stewardship tray" in the memo line.

FORCC Dinner: The annual FORCC Benefit Banquet will be held today, Sunday, October 3, 2021, at St. Dimitrie Orthodox Church, 504 Sport Hill Road, Easton, CT. Archpriest John Parker, Dean of St. Tikhon's Seminary, will be the speaker. To see the flyer and letter on our website, click [here](#).

OCF College Student Sunday:

The Assembly of Canonical Orthodox Bishops has designated October 3rd as OCF College Student Sunday, and are looking us to support our OCF. Holy Transfiguration does have a small budgeted line item for our OCF. If you would like to offer support to our Yale OCF, please see either Tom Eisenmann or Susan Papademetris.

Hieromartyr Dionysius Areopagite: (from OCA website)

The book On the Celestial Hierarchies was written actually in one of the countries of Western Europe, where Saint Dionysius was preaching. In it he speaks of the Christian teaching about the angelic world. The angelic (or Celestial-Heavenly) hierarchy comprises the nine angelic Ranks: Seraphim and Cherubim (who continue to proclaim Holy, Holy, Holy, in God's presence), Thrones, Dominions, Powers, Authorities, Principalities, Archangels (the visiting angels such as Gabriel), and Angels, as in our guardian angels. St. Dionysius marks the Synaxis of Bodiless Hosts occurring Nov. 8th. Holy Hieromartyr Dionysius, pray unto God for us.

Храмовые службы теперь благословляются дважды в неделю. Щелкните [здесь](#), чтобы запросить посещение церковной службы.

(Видеозаписи домашних вечерних служб доступны [здесь](#) на нашем сайте.)

Сегодня- 9:00 Литургия - 15-я Неделя по Пятидесятница – Священномученик Дионисий
Ареопагит [Второе Послание к Коринфянам 4:6-15 и от Луки 6:31-36]

1:00 ФОРСС Ужин

Воск 9:00 Литургия – 16-я Неделя по Пятидесятница – Святые отцы VII Вселенского
Собора

[Второе Послание к Коринфянам 6:1-10 и от Луки 7:11-16]

[Послание к Евреям 13:7-16 и от Иоанна 17:1-13]