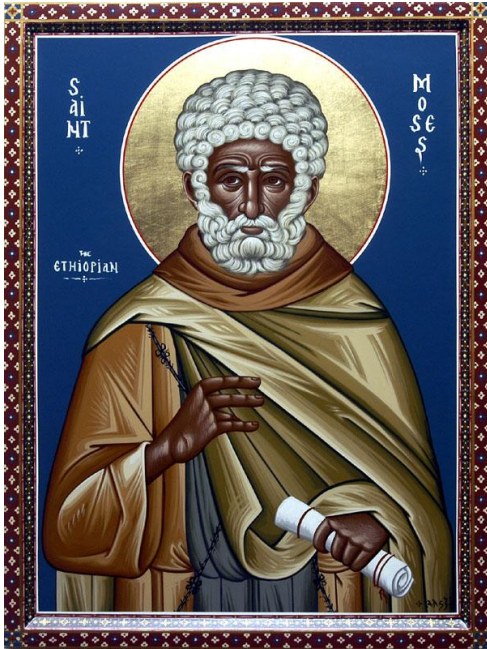


+St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church+

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~August 28st, 2011

Feast of St. Moses the Black Schedule of Services:

Monday, August 29th – Patronal
Feast - Divine Liturgy 9am
Saturday, September 3rd – Great
Vespers 4pm
Sunday, September 4th – Divine
Liturgy 9:30 am

***** Parish Council Meeting For September will Be moved from Thursday the 8th to Wednesday the 14th *****

*****New Century Meeting on Tuesday 8/30 at 6pm *****

***** Elevation of the Cross is Sept 14 – See Father if you would like to donate for flowers*****

****All Wednesday Vespers services postponed until painters have finished their work**

*****DON'T FORGET!!! Parish Pot Luck for August 29th Feast! TOMORROW!–** The feast of the Beheading of the Forerunner is celebrated on August 29th. We will celebrate the Divine Liturgy together at 9 am with area priests and members of their congregations here at St. John's. A pot luck fellowship meal will follow in the parish parlors. Please plan to be here for this important celebration in the life of our parish and volunteer to bring a dish that we may welcome our guests who will join us and show proper Orthodox hospitality. Please sign up on the GREEN sheet in the back of Church.

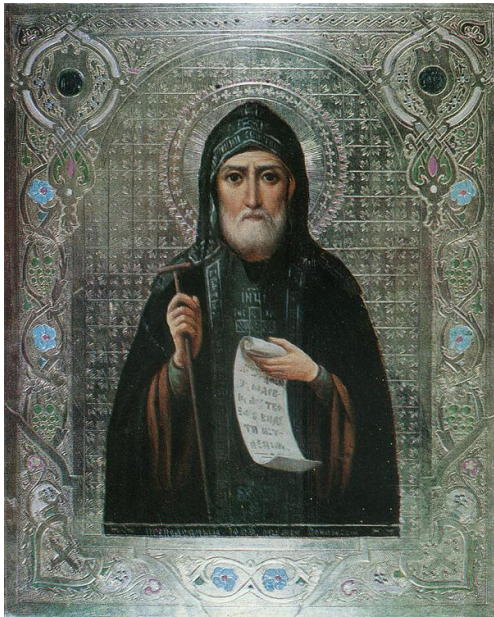
Church Interior Beautification is Underway! – Get a load of that paint! Expect to be tripping over and climbing around scaffold for about 3 more weeks! Don't sit in wet paint! No climbing

during Father's long homilies! Also the repair of the small rear cupola on our temple roof is being pursued vigorously. A contractor has been chosen and work will begin very soon.

Deadline Approaches for Ads for the Commemorative Book – Keep those ads coming!

Time's a wastin'! Also please remember to give Matushka or Barbara your forms filled in with your recollections of and hopes for St. John's over the years. It will be a great feature of our New Century Commemorative book.

A Trial By Fire...A Triumph Of Faith – “You are joyfully invited to join us Saturday, September 17, 2011 for the Reconsecration Celebration of All Saints Orthodox Church 211 Willow Avenue, at Willow Avenue & Grant Street Olyphant, PA 18447 Rite of Consecration and Hierarchical Divine Liturgy presided by His Grace, Bishop TIKHON Bishop of Philadelphia and Eastern Pennsylvania 8:30am _ Entrance of the Bishop Celebration Banquet Fiorelli's Banquet Hall 1501 Main Street, Peckville, PA 18452 1:00pm Cocktail Hour - 2:00pm Dinner RSVP by August 10, 2011” (*Those who are interested in attending, please see Fr. Adam for the RSVP form etc.*)



Uncovering of the Relics of St. Job of Pochaev

August 28th

Saint Job of Pochaev died on October 28, 1651, and his relics were transferred to the church of the Holy Trinity on August 28, 1659. A second uncovering of the relics took place on August 28, 1833. In the year 1902, the Holy Synod decreed that on this day the holy relics of St Job be carried around the Dormition cathedral of the Pochaev Lavra after the Divine Liturgy.

Troparion - Tone 4 - Having acquired the patience of your Forefather, and having resembled the Baptist in abstinence, you shared the divine zeal of both and were counted worthy to receive their names. You were a fearless preacher of the True Faith; in this way you brought a multitude of monastics to Christ. You strengthened all people in Orthodoxy, Job, our venerable father; pray that our souls may be saved

Kontakion - Tone 4 - You were a pillar of the True Faith; a zealot of the commandments of the Gospel; a denouncer of pride, and a defender and teacher of the humble. Therefore, those who honor you pray for the remission of their sins, and that this, your holy habitation, be kept safe from all harm, Job, our father, who resembled the long-suffering Patriarch of old.