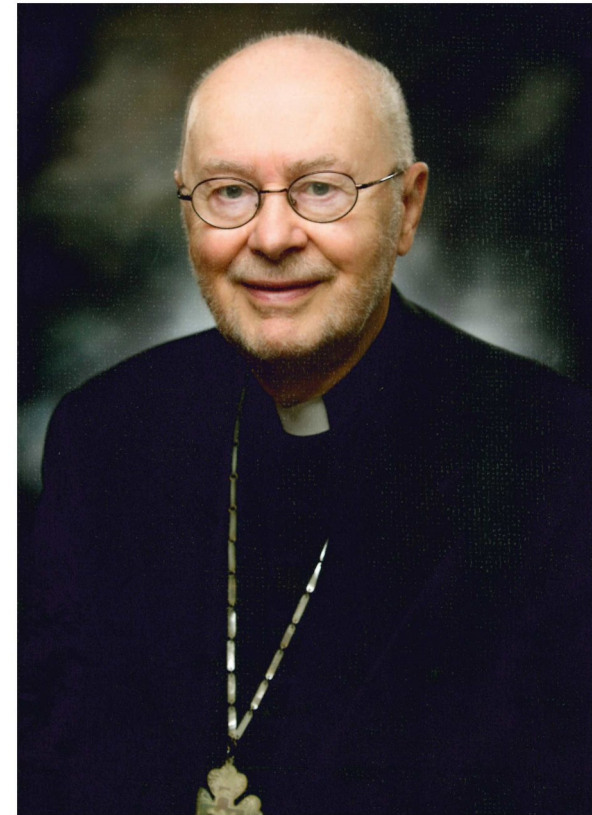
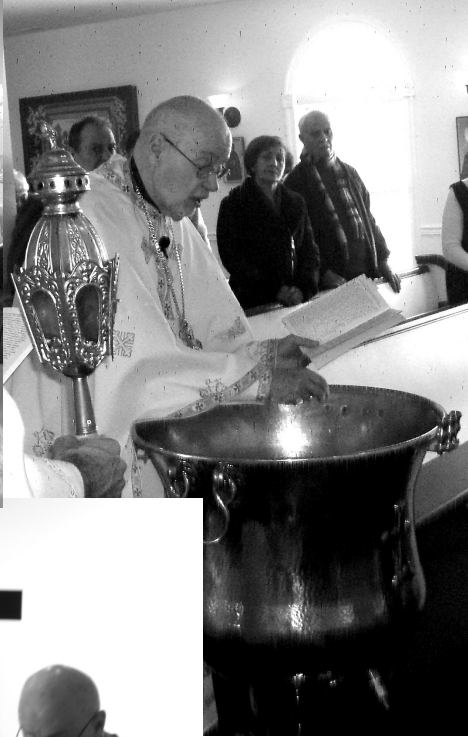
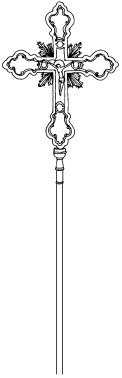


In Loving Memory



Archpriest Boniface Black

November 21, 1931 – August 7, 2016



The Archpriest Boniface H. Black, 84, of Souderton, PA died Sunday, August 7, 2016. He was the husband of Khouriye Joyce Black, his wife of 56 years.

Born November 21, 1931 in Quincy, IL, he was a son of the late Orin Russell and Mary Louise (Staley) Black.

Father Boniface served Lutheran Churches in Iowa and Pennsylvania before entering Eastern Orthodoxy. He was Pastor of Saint Philip Antiochian Orthodox Church in Souderton, PA from 1978 until 2009 when he became Pastor of Saint Andrew Antiochian Orthodox Church in Lewes, DE.

He was active in mission work for the Mid-Atlantic Antiochian Orthodox Christian Diocese, having helped start seven congregations in Pennsylvania, Virginia, Delaware, and Maryland. Under his guidance over the years, seven men were ordained into the Orthodox priesthood. In addition, Father Boniface was a treasured mentor to many.



Father Boniface is survived by two children, Jonathan Black (Mary Lynne), of Perkiomenville, PA, and Anna Mary Vogt (Jon) of Yorktown, VA; his brother, Paul William Black, M.D. (Rebecca), of Sarasota, FL; and six grandchildren, Christopher (Sarah), Sarah, and Emily Vogt, Marissa and Hannah Kemperman, and Elena Black.

In Delaware, a viewing will begin at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 9, 2016 at St. Andrew Orthodox Church, 33385 MacKenzie Way, Lewes, DE 19958 with Trisagion Prayers beginning at 3:30 p.m.

In Pennsylvania, a viewing will begin at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 10, 2016 at St. Philip Orthodox Church, 1970 Clearview Road, Souderton, PA 18964 with a Priestly Funeral beginning at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome.

The Divine Liturgy will begin at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, August 11, 2016 at St. Philip Orthodox Church. The Funeral Service will follow. Burial will be in St. Philip Orthodox Church Cemetery, Souderton.

Arrangements are by the Huff & Lakjer Funeral Home, Lansdale.

For those desiring, it is suggested that contributions may be made in Father Boniface's memory to the Camp Scholarship Fund at St. Philip Orthodox Church, 1970 Clearview Road, Souderton, PA 18964; or to the Camp Scholarship Fund at St. Andrew Orthodox Church, 277 Lakeside Drive, Lewes, DE 19958.

St Andrew Orthodox Church

33384 Mackenzie Way, Lewes, DE 19958

Tuesday, August 9, 2016

2:00 pm Viewing; 3:30 pm Trisagion

Followed by Mercy Meal at

Baywood Greens Restaurant, 32267 Clubhouse Way, Millsboro, DE

Celebrants:

Bp. THOMAS (Joseph)

Fr. Gregory Mathewes-Green

Fr. Chad Hatfield

Fr. Noah Bushelli

Fr. Joseph Butts

Fr. John Monto

Fr. Vasilios Penterdis

Fr. John Parsells

Fr. Daniel Hubiak

Dn. Herman Acker

Pallbearers:

Donald Ernakovich Hector Garcia

Vasilios Kolyvas Tim Moore Michael Podrasky

Marty Smith Victor Zakrewsky

St. Philip's Orthodox Church

1970 Clearview Rd., Souderton, PA 18964

Wednesday, August 10, 2016

5:00 pm Viewing, 7:00 pm Funeral of a Priest

Thursday, August 11, 2016

9:00 am Divine Liturgy, followed by Funeral

Burial at St. Philip's Cemetery

Mercy Meal in the Great Room at St Philip's