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Today is: Sunday, March 20, 2022

SUNDAY OF ST. GREGORY OF PALAMAS

Myron the new martyr and wonderworker from Crete

Μύρωνος τοῦ νεομάρτυρος καὶ θαυματουργοῦ τοῦ ἀπὸ τὴν Κρήτη

***Thank you for worshiping at St. George Greek Orthodox
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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

TODAY

SUNDAY OF GREGORY THE PALAMAS

8:30am Orthros, 9:30am Divine Liturgy and Great Doxology with the presence of HIS EMINENCE ARCHBISHOP ELPIDOPHOROS OF AMERICA, for the occasion of the Greek Independence Day

Mond., Mar. 21

The Great Compline Service

Service starts at 6:00pm

Wed., Mar. 23

Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

Service starts at 8:30am

Frid. Mar. 25

THE ANNUNCIATION TO THE THEOTOKOS

8:30am Orthros, 9:30am Divine Liturgy

3rd Salutations to the (Theotokos) the Mother of God

Service starts at 6:30pm

Sun., Mar. 27

SUNDAY OF THE VENERATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

8:30am Orthros, 9:30am Divine Liturgy

- *Memorial Service for the members of the Demati Brotherhood. May their memory be eternal!*

Mond., Mar. 28

The Great Compline Service

Service starts at 6:00pm

Wed., Mar. 30

Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

Service starts at 8:30am

Frid. April. 1

4th Salutations to the (Theotokos) the Mother of God

Service starts at 6:30pm

Sun., April 3

SUNDAY OF ST. JOHN OF CLIMACUS

8:30am Orthros, 9:30am Divine Liturgy

Mond., April 4

The Great Compline Service

Service starts at 6:00pm

Wed., April 6

Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

Service starts at 8:30am

Frid. April. 8

THE ACATHYST HYMN TO THE THEOTOKOS

Service starts at 6:30pm

ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΚΟ ΠΡΟΓΡΑΜΜΑ

ΣΗΜΕΡΟΝ

ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΓΡΗΓΟΡΙΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΛΑΜΑ

8:30π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 9:30π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία, καὶ ἐπίσημος Δοξολογία, μέ τὴν παρουσία τοῦ Σεβασμιωτάτου Ἀρχιεπισκόπου Ἀμερικῆς κ. Ἐλπιδοφόρου, ἐπ'εὐκαιρία τῆς ἐπετείου τῆς ἀπελευθερώσεως τοῦ Ἑλληνικοῦ κράτους ἀπὸ τοῦς Ὄθωμανούς

Δευτ., 21 Μαρτ.

Τὸ Μέγα Ἀπόδειπνον

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 6:00μ.μ.

Τετ., 23 Μαρτ.

Ἡ Προηγιασμένη Θεία Λειτουργία

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 8:30π.μ.

Παρ., 25 Μαρτ.

Ο ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΣΜΟΣ ΤΗΣ ΘΕΟΤΟΚΟΥ

8:30π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 9:30π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

Γ' Χαιρετισμοὶ πρὸς τὴν Ὑπεραγίαν Θεοτόκον

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 6:30μ.μ.

Κυρ., 27 Μαρτ.

ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΗΣ ΣΤΑΥΡΟΠΡΟΣΚΥΝΗΣΕΩΣ

8:30π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 9:30π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

- *Ἐτήσιο ἱερό Μνημόσυνον γιὰ τα ἀποβιώσαντα μέλη τοῦ συλλόγου "Δεματίου" Ἡπείρου. Εἶθε ἡ μνήμη αὐτῶν νὰ εἶναι αἰώνια!*

Δευτ., 28 Μαρτ.

Τὸ Μέγα Ἀπόδειπνον

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 6:00μ.μ.

Τετ., 30 Μαρτ.

Ἡ Προηγιασμένη Θεία Λειτουργία

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 8:30π.μ.

Παρ., 1 Απρ.

Δ' Χαιρετισμοὶ πρὸς τὴν Ὑπεραγίαν Θεοτόκον

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 6:30μ.μ.

Κυρ., 3 Απρ.

ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΙΩΑΝΝΟΥ ΤΗΣ ΚΛΙΜΑΚΟΣ

8:30π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 9:30π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

Δευτ., 4 Απρ.

Τὸ Μέγα Ἀπόδειπνον

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 6:00μ.μ.

Τετ., 6 Απρ.

Ἡ Προηγιασμένη Θεία Λειτουργία

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 8:30π.μ.

Παρ., 8 Απρ.

Ο ΑΚΑΘΙΣΤΟΣ ΥΜΝΟΣ ΠΡΟΣ ΤΗΝ ΥΠΕΡΑΓΙΑ ΘΕΟΤΟΚΟΝ

Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στις 6:30μ.μ.

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

- Sunday, March 20** **Hierarchal Divine Liturgy and Great Doxology with the presence of HIS EMINENCE ARCHBISHOP ELPIDOPHOROS OF AMERICA, and with the presence of the Presidential Guard of Greece, EVZONES, and special dignitaries from Greece and US.**
@ St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Philadelphia
- Greek Independence Day Parade**
Ben Franklin Blvd., Philadelphia, @ 1:00pm
- Saturday, April 2** **District St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival**
@ Annunciation Church, Elkins Park, PA @ 9:00am
- Sunday, April 3** **SPRING PARISH ASSEMBLY**
@ the Social Hall, @ the end of the Divine Liturgy
- Tuesday, April 12** **Parish Council Meeting**
@ the Cathedral Office @ 6:30pm.
- Friday, April 29** **Philoptochos Sisterhood Bid & Buy event**
@ the Cathedral Social Hall @ 6:00pm
- Tues., May 3** **100th Anniversary Meeting**
@ the Cathedral Office @ 6:00pm.
- Sunday, May 8** **Philoptochos Sisterhood Centennial Celebration Historic Event**
@ the Cathedral Social Hall, immediately at the end of the Divine Liturgy
- Tuesday, May 10** **Parish Council Meeting**
@ the Cathedral Office @ 6:30pm.
- Monday, May 16** **Metropolis of New Jersey Clergy-Laity**
*@ the Waterfalls Catering Center
34165 Philadelphia Pike, Claymont, DE*

UPCOMING SACRAMENTS

May 15 BAPTISM, Stephanie & Steve Maslanik @ 1:00pm

May 21 BAPTISM, Jamie Beldekos Cloak family @ 12:30pm

May 22 BAPTISM, George Konstantinidis Family @ 1:30pm

May 28 WEDDING, Kevin Healy & Sophia Nannas @ 4:00pm

June 11 WEDDING, Zachary P. Lountzis & Kathryn E. Guerra @ 4:00pm

July 2 WEDDING, Demetrios Nasioudis & Ariel Haan @ 3:00pm

July 3 WEDDING, Andrew Tiffany & Lisa Belisonzi @ 3:00pm

July 23. WEDDING, Demetrios Albertini & Christina Karapalides @ 4:00pm

THE EPISTLE READING

The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews

1:10-14; 2:1-3

In the beginning, thou, Lord, didst found the earth in the beginning, and the heavens are the work of thy hands; they will perish, but thou remainest; they will all grow old like a garment, like a mantle thou wilt roll them up, and they will be changed. But thou art the same, and thy years will never end." But to what angel has he ever said, "Sit at my right hand, till I make thy enemies a stool for thy feet?" Are they not all ministering spirits sent forth to serve, for the sake of those who are to obtain salvation? Therefore, we must pay closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. For if the message declared by angels was valid and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard him.

Ο ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΟΣ

Πρὸς Ἑβραίους Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

1.10-14, 2.1-3

Κατ' ἀρχάς, Κύριε, τὴν γῆν ἐθεμελίωσας, καὶ ἔργα τῶν χειρῶν σου εἰσιν οἱ οὐρανοί· αὐτοὶ ἀπολοῦνται, σὺ δὲ διαμένεις· καὶ πάντες ὡς ἱμάτιον παλαιωθήσονται, καὶ ὡσεὶ περιβόλαιον ἐλίξεις αὐτούς, καὶ ἀλλαγῆσονται· σὺ δὲ ὁ αὐτὸς εἶ, καὶ τὰ ἔτη σου οὐκ ἐκλείψουσιν. Πρὸς τίνα δὲ τῶν ἀγγέλων εἴρηκέν ποτε, Κάθου ἐκ δεξιῶν μου, ἕως ἂν θῶ τοὺς ἐχθρούς σου ὑποπόδιον τῶν ποδῶν σου; Οὐχὶ πάντες εἰσὶν λειτουργικὰ πνεύματα, εἰς διακονίαν ἀποστελλόμενα διὰ τοὺς μέλλοντας κληρονομεῖν σωτηρίαν; Διὰ τοῦτο δεῖ περισσοτέρως ἡμᾶς προσέχειν τοῖς ἀκουσθεῖσιν, μήποτε παραρρυῶμεν. Εἰ γὰρ ὁ δι' ἀγγέλων λαληθεὶς λόγος ἐγένετο βέβαιος, καὶ πᾶσα παράβασις καὶ παρακοὴ ἔλαβεν ἔνδικον μισθαποδοσίαν, πῶς ἡμεῖς ἐκφευξόμεθα τηλικαύτης ἀμελήσαντες σωτηρίας; Ἦτις, ἀρχὴν λαβοῦσα λαλεῖσθαι διὰ τοῦ κυρίου, ὑπὸ τῶν ἀκουσάντων εἰς ἡμᾶς ἐβεβαιώθη.

THE GOSPEL READING

The Gospel reading is according to Mark

2:1-12

At that time, Jesus entered Capernaum and it was reported that he was at home. And many were gathered together, so that there was no longer room for them, not even about the door; and he was preaching the word to them. And they came, bringing to him a paralytic carried by four men. And when they could not get near him because of the crowd, they removed the roof above him; and when they had made an opening, they let down the pallet on which the paralytic lay. And when Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, "My son, your sins are forgiven." Now some of the scribes were sitting there, questioning in their hearts, "Why does this man speak thus? It is a blasphemy! Who can forgive sins but God alone?" And immediately Jesus, perceiving in his spirit that they thus questioned within themselves, said to them, "Why do you question thus in your hearts? Which is easier, to say to the paralytic, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Rise, take up your pallet and walk? But that you may know that the Son of man has authority on earth to forgive sins'-he said to the paralytic-"I say to you, rise, take up your pallet and go home." And he rose, and immediately took up the pallet and went out before them all; so that they were all amazed and glorified God, saying, "We never saw anything like this!"

ΤΟ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΝ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Μάρκον ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

2.1-12

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, εἰσῆλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἰς εἰς Καπερναοῦμ δι' ἡμερῶν καὶ ἠκούσθη ὅτι εἰς οἶκόν ἐστι. καὶ εὐθέως συνήχθησαν πολλοί, ὥστε μηκέτι χωρεῖν μηδὲ τὰ πρὸς τὴν θύραν· καὶ ἐλάλει αὐτοῖς τὸν λόγον. καὶ ἔρχονται πρὸς αὐτὸν παραλυτικὸν φέροντες, αἰρόμενον ὑπὸ τεσσάρων· καὶ μὴ δυνάμενοι προσεγγίσει αὐτῷ διὰ τὸν ὄχλον, ἀπεστέγασαν τὴν στέγην ὅπου ἦν, καὶ ἐξορύξαντες χαλῶσι τὸν κράβαττον, ἐφ' ᾧ ὁ παραλυτικὸς κατέκειτο. ἰδὼν δὲ ὁ Ἰησοῦς τὴν πίστιν αὐτῶν λέγει τῷ παραλυτικῷ· τέκνον, ἀφέωνταί σοι αἱ ἁμαρτίαι σου. ἦσαν δὲ τινες τῶν γραμματέων ἐκεῖ καθήμενοι καὶ διαλογιζόμενοι ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις αὐτῶν· τί οὗτος οὕτω λαλεῖ βλασφημίας; τίς δύναται ἀφιέναι ἁμαρτίας εἰ μὴ εἷς ὁ Θεός; καὶ εὐθέως ἐπιγνοὺς ὁ Ἰησοῦς τῷ πνεύματι αὐτοῦ ὅτι οὕτως αὐτοὶ διαλογίζονται ἐν ἑαυτοῖς, εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· τί ταῦτα διαλογίζεσθε ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ὑμῶν; τί ἐστὶν εὐκοπώτερον, εἰπεῖν τῷ παραλυτικῷ, ἀφέωνταί σοι αἱ ἁμαρτίαι, ἢ εἰπεῖν, ἔγειρε καὶ ἄρον τὸν κράβαττόν σου καὶ περιπάτει; ἵνα δὲ εἰδῆτε ὅτι ἐξουσίαν ἔχει ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ἀφιέναι ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς ἁμαρτίας - λέγει τῷ παραλυτικῷ· σοὶ λέγω, ἔγειρε καὶ ἄρον τὸν κράβαττόν σου καὶ ὑπάγε εἰς τὸν οἶκόν σου. καὶ ἠγέρθη εὐθέως, καὶ ἄρας τὸν κράβαττον ἐξῆλθεν ἐναντίον πάντων, ὥστε ἐξίστασθαι πάντας καὶ δοξάζειν τὸν Θεὸν λέγοντας ὅτι οὐδέποτε οὕτως εἶδομεν.





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January 2, 2022

Dear friends and Parishioners of St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral,

It is with much enthusiasm and joy that we write this letter to you as we are entering 2022, the year which marks the historic occasion and the beginning of the 100th Anniversary celebration of our Cathedral. This year is very significant for us Orthodox Christians; this Greek Orthodox Community is a witness to Orthodoxy for 100 years in the City of Philadelphia and the Greater Delaware Valley region. We also celebrate you, the faithful and dedicated members of our Cathedral, for your unwavering stewardship and generous support of our beloved Orthodox Christian faith and community for 100 years. You are the chosen people of God whom he entrusted the care of this most fertile Orthodox Christian seed, our Cathedral. You are *“born anew [in this Divine Institution] not of perishable seed, but imperishable, through the living and abiding word of God.”* (1 Peter 1:23). You have planted the seeds of our ministries and watered and nurtured these ministries for 100 years. But to God belongs all glory for it is He *“Who gives the growth.”*

There are many events and opportunities planned throughout the year and we hope you will join us as we honor our Orthodox Cathedral and the historic accomplishments of our community. Please see the attached Calendar of Events.

In addition, as we commemorate the history, faith, and events of our Cathedral over the past 100 years, we invite you also to become advocates of our efforts. Please see the attached form. There will be a section dedicated to the stewards of our Parish known as the *Advocates of Saint George Cathedral*. There are several levels of sponsorship available and we would like each of you with your families to tell us your story. Through your acknowledgment and commitment, we will use these funds entirely to support the **Cathedral Restoration Fund**.

We ask you to make a commitment and pledge of support for the restoration efforts of our Cathedral so that she may continue to provide us with a Spiritual Temple of worship and an opportunity to serve and witness our Orthodox Christian faith and Hellenic Tradition. Please forward your contributions to the Cathedral Office: Saint George Greek Orthodox Cathedral Anniversary, 256 South 8th St., Philadelphia, PA 19107, or call the Cathedral office @: 215-627-4389 for more information.

May our loving God *“...who gives us richly all things to enjoy,”* (1 Timothy 6:17) bless and multiply your generosity with all the good things from above.

In His Grace,

Very Reverend Archimandrite
Ambrose Bitziadis-Bowers
Presiding Priest of the Cathedral

Archon John Sarkioglu
100th Anniversary Committee
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2 Ιανουαρίου, 2022

Αγαπητοί φίλοι και Ενορίτες του Ελληνικού Ορθοδόξου Καθεδρικού Ναού Αγίου Γεωργίου,

Με ενθουσιώδη χαρά απευθυνόμαστε σε όλους σας μ' αυτή την επιστολή καθώς εισερχόμαστε στο έτος 2022, ένα έτος που σηματοδοτεί την έναρξη της ιστορικής επετείου των εορτασμών της εκατονταετηρίδος της ελληνορθοδόξου κοινότητας του Ιερού Καθεδρικού Ναού του Αγίου Γεωργίου της πόλεως Φιλαδελφείας. Αυτό το έτος εορτάζουμε επίσης και τα πιστά και αφοσιωμένα μέλη του Καθεδρικού μας Ναού, που για τα τελευταία εκατό χρόνια προσφέρατε, και συνεχίζεται να προσφέρεται την ακλόνητη πίστη και γενναιόδωρη προσφορά σας στην αγαπημένη σας Εκκλησία Ιερού Καθεδρικού Ναού. Είστε οι εκλεκτοί πιστοί του Θεού στους οποίους ο Χριστός μέσω της Εκκλησίας του ανέθεσε την φροντίδα και διατήρηση αυτού του εύφορου Ορθοδόξου Χριστιανικού σπέρματος, τον Καθεδρικό Ναό του Αγίου Γεωργίου, και όπως αναφέρει ο απόστολος Πέτρος: «*ἀναγεγεννημένοι οὐκ ἐκ σπορᾶς φθαρτῆς, ἀλλὰ ἀφθάρτου, διὰ λόγου ζῶντος Θεοῦ καὶ μένοντος εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα*» (Α' Πέτρου 1.23). Εσείς φυτέψατε τους σπόρους των διαφόρων προγραμμάτων του Καθεδρικού Ναού· εσείς τους ποτίσατε και τους φροντίσατε τα τελευταία εκατό χρόνια με πίστη και αφοσίωση, για εσάς και τα παιδιά σας. Αλλά μη ξεχνάτε, ότι στον Θεό ανήκει όλη η δόξα, διότι «*οὔτε ὁ φυτεύων ἐστὶ τι οὔτε ὁ ποτίζων, ἀλλ' ὁ αὐξάνων Θεός*» (Α' Κορ. 3.7)

Κατά τη διάρκεια αυτού του έτους έχουν προγραμματιστεί πολλές εορταστικές εκδηλώσεις για να τιμήσουμε τα εκατό χρόνια Ορθοδόξου προσφοράς και παρουσίας του Καθεδρικού Ναού στην πόλη της Φιλαδελφείας, και της ευρύτερας Κοιλάδος του Delaware. Δείτε προς γνώσιν σας παρακαλώ το συνημμένο πρόγραμμα των εορταστικών εκδηλώσεων του εορτασμού.

Επιπλέον, καθώς εορτάζουμε την ιστορική παρουσία του Καθεδρικού Ναού τα τελευταία 200 χρόνια, σας προσκαλούμε θερμώς όπως γίνεται χορηγοί των προσπαθειών μας για την επιτυχή αποπεράτωση των εργασιών της ανακατασκευής του Καθεδρικού Ναού, μια προσπάθεια η οποία έχει είδη αρχίσει και θα ολοκληρωθεί εντός των επομένων δύο ετών. **Το κόστος της συντηρήσεως ανέρχεται στο ποσό των δύο εκατομμυρίων δολαρίων (\$2,000,000).** Δείτε παρακαλώ την συνημμένη φόρμα συμμετοχής της χορηγίας σας. Υπάρχουν διάφορα επίπεδα συμμετοχής. **Σας παρακαλούμε όπως γενναιόδωρα υποστηρίξετε τις προσπάθειες συντηρήσεως του Καθεδρικού μας Ναού, ώστε μέσω αυτού να συνεχιστεί η παρουσία της Ελληνορθοδόξου πίστεως και παραδόσεως στην πόλη της Φιλαδελφείας.**

Για περισσότερες πληροφορίες, καλέστε το γραφείο του Καθεδρικού Ναού στο: 215-627-4389, ή αποστείλετε την προσφορά σας στην διεύθυνση του Καθεδρικού μας Ναού: **256 South 8th St., Philadelphia, PA 19107**, με την υποσημείωση στην επιταγή σας: **St. George Cathedral 100th Anniversary Celebration.**

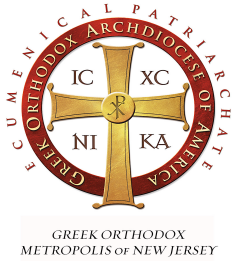
Είθε ο Θεός της αγάπης που «*τῶ παρέχοντι ἡμῖν πάντα πλουσίως εἰς ἀπόλαυσιν*» (1 Τιμ. 6.17) να ευλογεί και να πολλαπλασιάζει τη γενναιόδωρη προσφορά σας με κάθε τι καλό και ευλογημένο. Χρόνια πολλά, υγιεινά και ευλογημένα.

Μετά πολλής εν Χριστώ αγάπης,

Αρχιμ. Αμβρόσιος Μπιτζιάδης
Ιερατικός Προϊστάμενος

Άρχων Ιωάννης Σαρκιόγλου
Μέλος Επιτροπής εκατονταετηρίδος

Δρ. Κώστας Κουρέλης
Μέλος Επιτροπής εκατονταετηρίδος



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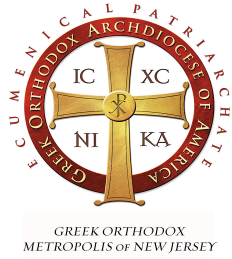
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Χρυσός (GOLD) χορηγός με τη συμμετοχή 5,000 δολαρίων

Καταχώρηση του ονόματος στο αναμνηστικό λεύκωμα
Διαφήμιση σε ολόκληρη σελίδα στο πρόγραμμα της συναυλίας.
Συμμετοχή δέκα (10) ατόμων στο τραπέζι στο επίσημο δείπνο το οποίο θα γίνει στις 15 Οκτωβρίου, 2022 στο Ballroom at the Ben.
Ένα δωρεάν αντίγραφο του αναμνηστικού λευκώματος.
Ένα αναμνηστικό δώρο με την επιγραφή του εορτασμού των 100 ετών του Καθεδρικού Ναού.

Αργυρός (SILVER) χορηγός με τη συμμετοχή 2,500 δολαρίων

Καταχώρηση του ονόματος στο αναμνηστικό λεύκωμα
Διαφήμιση σε μισή σελίδα στο πρόγραμμα της συναυλίας.
Τέσσερα (4) εισιτήρια για επίσημο δείπνο το οποίο θα γίνει στις 15 Οκτωβρίου, 2022 στο Ballroom at the Ben.
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Μπρούτζινος (BRONZE) χορηγός με τη συμμετοχή 1,000 δολαρίων

Καταχώρηση του ονόματος στο αναμνηστικό λεύκωμα
Δύο (2) εισιτήρια για το επίσημο δείπνο το οποίο θα γίνει στις 15 Οκτωβρίου, 2022 στο Ballroom at the Ben.
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Πατρόνος (PATRON) χορηγός με τη συμμετοχή 500 δολαρίων

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Μέλη του Αγίου Γεωργίου (STEWARDS) με τη συμμετοχή 250 Δολαρίων

Καταχώρηση του ονόματος στο αναμνηστικό λεύκωμα

Φίλος (FRIEND) του Αγίου Γεωργίου με τη συμμετοχή 100 δολαρίων

Καταχώρηση του ονόματος στο αναμνηστικό λεύκωμα

Σας παρακαλούμε να συμπληρώσετε την κατωτέρω φόρμα και να την στείλετε στο γραφείο της Κοινότητας στη διεύθυνση: 256 South 8th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107. Η προσφορά σας υποπίπτει της ΦΟΡΟΛΟΓΙΚΗΣ ΣΑΣ ΔΗΛΩΣΕΩΣ και υποστηρίζει εξ'ολοκλήρου το RESTORATION FUND (ΛΟΓΑΡΙΑΣΜΟΣ ΣΥΝΤΗΡΙΣΗΣ) του Καθεδρικού Ναού!

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SAINT GEORGE GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL
PHILADELPHIA, PA
CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION
1922-2022



The Greek Orthodox Cathedral of Saint George in Philadelphia, PA, cordially invites all the faithful and friends of the Cathedral with their families to participate in the Divine Liturgy and the Great Doxology on **Sunday, March 20, 2022**, for the celebration and commemoration of the Greek Independence Day, with the presence of His Eminence Archbishop of America Elpidophoros, Exarch of the Ecumenical Patriarchate of Constantinople in the USA and Patriarchal Vicar of the Metropolis of New Jersey and the presidential guard of Greece the EVZONES.

A reception sponsored by the Parish Council and the Cathedral Philoptochos Sisterhood "Ai Myrophorai" will follow immediately the end of the Divine Liturgy.

Please join us in this beautiful gathering so as one family we may share the blessings of God and honor our Greek Independence Day with the presence of our spiritual leader, His Eminence Archbishop Elpidophoros of America.

ORTHROS starts at 8:45am

DIVINE LITURGY starts at 10:00am



GREEK ORTHODOX
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SAVE THE DATE



2022 Metropolis of New Jersey Clergy Laity Assembly and Philoptochos Convention

Monday, May 16, 2022

***New Location:
The Waterfalls
3416 Philadelphia Pike
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More information will be forthcoming.

THANK YOU



A heartfelt THANK YOU to everyone who generously contributed to updating our classrooms. Our students are thrilled and are making lifelong memories here at St. George Cathedral.



St. George Greek Orthodox Ladies Philoptochos “Ai Myrophroi”

Dear Members and Friends of Philoptochos,

Our mission is to aid the poor, destitute, the hungry, the aged, the sick, the unemployed, the widowed, the handicapped, the victims of disasters and offer assistance to anyone who may need help of the church through fund raising efforts.

In the past our chapter has donated to many charities through our national ministry commitments, aided in our local poor, donated to Breast Cancer Research, Children’s Hospital and is always ready to assist where the need may arise.

We count on your help and participation to continue our mission. We are asking that all our ladies of our Cathedral become members of our Philoptochos Chapter and participate in our events.

As you know our **Bid & Buy will be on Friday, April 29, 2022**, the largest fundraising effort for our Philoptochos. We are asking everyone to participate by donating new gifts, monies or volunteering for the event.

If you would like to participate in our effort, please contact Jenny Kravaris at 610-716-4502.

PHILOPTOCHOS NEWS

On **March 20, 2022**, there will be at the Cathedral the Grand Doxology with the presence of His Eminence Archbishop of America Elpidophoros, and the parade luncheon at the Cathedral Social Hall, immediately the end of the Divine Liturgy, commemorating and celebrating the Greek Independence Day. Members of the Philoptochos kindly are asked to come early to prepare the luncheon meal.

Our annual Bid & Buy event will take place on **Friday, April 29, 2022**. We are accepting donations of prizes, or monetary contributions. Please mark your calendars.

On Sunday, **May 8, 2022**, Mother's Day, the Philoptochos Sisterhood of the Cathedral will be celebrating her Centennial Anniversary by hosting a luncheon dedicated to this occasion. During the event all the past presidents of the Philoptochos will be honored. We would like all the Cathedral members and friends, with their children and grandchildren, to be part of this joyful celebration.

**ST. GEORGE GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL LADIES OF PHILOPTOCHOS
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Anastasia K. Michaels

Memorial Philoptochos Scholarship

Mrs. Anastasia K. Michals, past Metropolis of New Jersey Philoptochos President, was a devoted Philoptochos sister in her local chapter, the Metropolis Board, and the National Philoptochos Board. Anne served with dignity and grace. She was a fervent believer in the power of philanthropy.

This is a merit-based application being offered to provide financial assistance to qualifying high school seniors entering an approved and accredited college, university, or trade school. All information herein is strictly confidential. Your identity will not be disclosed to the selection committee.

The 2022 scholarships will be awarded on the number of qualifying applications received. There will be five (5) scholarships in the amount of \$1,000/each, available to be awarded.

2022 Application Timeline:

- Applications available March 1, 2022
- Applications due June 15, 2022
- Scholarship Announcement & Distribution by August 1, 2022

For more information call the Metropolis of New Jersey Philoptochos Scholarship Committee:

Met.NJ.Philo.Scholarship@gmail.com

For Questions, Contact Scholarship Committee Chair, Elaine Sackleh at:

Met.NJ.Philo.Scholarship@gmail.com, or by phone at 410-458-5503



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Welcome to Saint George Greek Orthodox Cathedral. Saint George is an historic Cathedral located in downtown Philadelphia, under the spiritual auspices of the Ecumenical Patriarchate in Constantinople, in the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of New Jersey, of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America. We extend to you a warm and heartfelt Orthodox Christian welcome. Our Greek Orthodox Cathedral is dedicated to imitating the love and faithfulness of Jesus Christ by sharing the gospel with our words and living it with our lives. It exists to lead the faithful to the worship of the Holy Trinity according to the Faith and Tradition of the One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church. Our witnessing to our Faith is accomplished through the Sacramental life of the Church, its values and traditions, stewardship, fellowship, service, and Christian education.



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