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ST. GEORGE GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL  
PHILADELPHIA, PA**

**WEEKLY BULLETIN**

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**Today is: Sunday, April 9, 2023**

**PALM SUNDAY**

**Eupsychios the Martyr / Raphael, Nicholas and Irene the Martyrs**

**Εύψυχίου Μαρτύρου / Ραφαήλ, Νικολάου και Ειρήνης**

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

**Sun., Apr. 9**                    **PALM SUNDAY**  
8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**For the Holy Week Schedule see the enclose leaflet**

**Fri., Apr. 21**                **Theotokos the Life-giving Spring**  
8:30am Orthros, 9:30am Divine Liturgy

**Sat. Apr. 22**                **Feast Day Eve of St. George the Trophybearer**  
Vespers Service with Artoclasia, starts at 6:00pm

**Sun., Apr. 23**                **ST. THOMAS SUNDAY**  
**Feast Day St. George the Trophy-Bearer**  
8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy and  
Artoclasia

**Sun., Apr. 30**                **SUNDAY OF THE MYRRH-BEARING WOMEN**  
8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy and Artoclasia

**Sun., May 7**                 **SUNDAY OF THE PARALYTIC**  
8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy and Artoclasia

**Sun., May 14**                **SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN**  
**MOTHER'S DAY**  
8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy and Artoclasia  
- *30-Year Memorial Service of Marina Mazas and George  
Mazas, and 42-Year Memorial Service of Vasiliki Mazas.  
May their memory be eternal!*

**Sun., May 21**                **SUNDAY OF THE BLIND MAN**  
**Sts. Constantine and Helen the Equal to the Apostles**  
8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy and Artoclasia

# ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΚΟΝ ΠΡΟΓΡΑΜΜΑ

**ΣΗΜΕΡΟΝ**

**ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΩΝ ΒΑΪΩΝ**

8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

**Διὰ τὸ πρόγραμμα τῆς Μ. Ἑβδομάδος δεῖτε τὸ ἔνθετο φυλλάδιον**

**Παρ. 21 Ἀπρ.**

**Ἡ Ζωοδόχος Πηγὴ**

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

**Σαβ., 22 Ἀπρ.**

**Παραμονὴ τῆς ἑορτῆς τοῦ Ἁγίου Γεωργίου  
τοῦ Τροπαιοφόρου**

Ὁ Ἑσπερινός μετὰ τῆς Ἀρτοκλασίας ἀρχίζει στὶς 6:30μμ.

**Κυρ., 23 Ἀπρ.**

**ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΘΩΜΑ**

**Τοῦ Ἁγίου Γεωργίου τοῦ Τροπαιοφόρου**

8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία καὶ  
Ἀρτοκλασία

**Κυρ., 30 Ἀπρ.**

**ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΩΝ ΜΥΡΟΦΟΡΩΝ**

8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

**Κυρ., 7 Μαΐου**

**ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΡΑΛΥΤΙΚΟΥ**

8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

**Κυρ., 14 Μαΐου.**

**ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΗΣ ΣΑΜΑΡΕΙΤΙΔΟΣ**

**Ἡ ἡμέρα τῆς μητέρας**

8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

- Ἱερό Μνημόσυνον τριάκοντα ἐτῶν Μαρίας Μάζα,  
Γεωργίου Μάζα. Εἶθε ἡ μνήμη αὐτῶν νὰ εἶναι αἰωνία!

- Ἱερό Μνημόσυνο τεσσεράκοντα δύο ἐτῶν Βασιλικῆς  
Μάζα. Εἶθε ἡ μνήμη αὐτῆς νὰ εἶναι αἰωνία!

**Κυρ., 21 Μαΐου.**

**ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΤΥΦΛΟΥ**

**Ἁγίων Κωνσταντίνου καὶ Ἑλένης τῶν Ἰσαποστόλων**

8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

## UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

- Fri., Apr. 21**                      **Philoptochos Sisterhood Bid & Buy event**  
*@ the Cathedral Social Hall @ 6:00pm*
- Sat., Apr. 22**                      **St. George Feast Day Vespers Service**  
*@ the Cathedral @ 6:30pm*
- Sun., Apr. 23**                      **ST. GEORGE THE TROPHY-BEARER FEAST DAY**  
*@ the Cathedral. Orthros starts @ 8:45am. Divine Liturgy starts @ 10:00am.*
- Sun., May 7**                        **Philoptochos General Meeting and Elections**  
*@ the Philoptochos Social Hall @ the end of the Divine Liturgy*
- Sun., May 21**                      **GREEK,            AND            SUNDAY            SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT**  
*@ the Cathedral @ the end of the Divine Liturgy*
- June 1-4**                            **ST. GEORGE CATHEDRAL SPRING FESTIVAL**  
**ΕΤΗΣΙΟ ΦΕΣΤΙΒΑΛ ΤΟΥ ΚΑΘΕΔΡΙΚΟΥ ΝΑΟΥ**

## UPCOMING SACRAMENTS

**Apr. 22 BAPTISM** Georgia Papalouka @ 11am

**April 29 BAPTISM** Alexander Markou & Lauren Boyce Child @ 2pm

**Apr. 30 WEDDING** Peter Doulis & Ashley Desiere @ 2:30pm

**May 13 WEDDING** Christos Voutsakis & Deirdre Kurtz @ 3pm

**May 20 WEDDING** Demetrios Maidanos & Thomai Gastopoulou @ 1pm

**June 11 WEDDING** Robert Nepa & Mariel Salked @ 2:30pm

**June 17 WEDDING** Iakovos Sotiros & Madison Marks @ 3pm

**June 18 WEDDING** Christopher Cullmann & Salome Zangaladze @ 2pm

**June 23 WEDDING** Patrick Greider & Alexa Koumaras @ 4pm

**July 8 WEDDING** James Schooley & Kyriaki Vassil @ 3pm

**July 21 WEDDING** Demetrius Fives & Jillian Galagher @ 3pm

**Sept. 2 WEDDING** Chris Capellini & Maria Fisher @ 3pm

**Sept. 3 WEDDING** Robert McGraw & Sophia Chumburidze @ 2pm

**Sept. 9 WEDDING** Patrick Rourke & Elena Carrigan @ 3:30pm

**Sept. 16 WEDDING** Nikola Kovovic & Margarita Gianniosis @ 3pm

**Sept. 17 WEDDING** Nicholas Palmer & Eleni Papadaniil @ 2pm

**Oct. 1 WEDDING** Stephen Whalen & Katherine Hatsidais @ 2pm

**Oct. 7 WEDDING** Daniel Casey & Alexa Tzaferos @ 3:30pm

**Oct. 21 WEDDING** Christopher Shields & Lea Tsoubanos @ 3pm

## **THE EPISTLE READING**

The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to Philippians

4:4-9

Brothers, rejoice in the Lord always. Again, I say: Rejoice! Let your kindness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything but present your needs to God in prayer and petition, with thanksgiving. Then the peace of God, which is beyond all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, let your minds be filled with whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, whatever is excellent, whatever is worthy of praise. Do the things that you have learned, received, and heard from me and that you saw me doing. Then the God of peace will be with you.

## Ο ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΟΣ

Πρὸς Φιλιππησίους Επιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

4.4-9

Ἀδελφοί, χαίρετε ἐν κυρίῳ πάντοτε· πάλιν ἐρῶ, χαίρετε. Τὸ ἐπιεικὲς ὑμῶν γνωσθήτω πᾶσιν ἀνθρώποις. Ὁ κύριος ἐγγύς. Μηδὲν μεριμνᾶτε, ἀλλ' ἐν παντὶ τῇ προσευχῇ καὶ τῇ δεήσει μετὰ εὐχαριστίας τὰ αἰτήματα ὑμῶν γνωρίζεσθω πρὸς τὸν θεόν. Καὶ ἡ εἰρήνη τοῦ θεοῦ ἡ ὑπερέχουσα πάντα νοῦν, φρουρήσει τὰς καρδίας ὑμῶν καὶ τὰ νοήματα ὑμῶν ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ. Τὸ λοιπόν, ἀδελφοί, ὅσα ἐστὶν ἀληθῆ, ὅσα σεμνά, ὅσα δίκαια, ὅσα ἀγνά, ὅσα προσφιλῆ, ὅσα εὐφημα, εἴ τις ἀρετὴ καὶ εἴ τις ἔπαινος, ταῦτα λογίζεσθε. Ἄ καὶ ἐμάθετε καὶ παρελάβετε καὶ ἠκούσατε καὶ εἶδετε ἐν ἐμοί, ταῦτα πράσσετε· καὶ ὁ θεὸς τῆς εἰρήνης ἔσται μεθ' ὑμῶν.

# THE GOSPEL READING

The Gospel reading is according to John

12:1-18

Six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, the hometown of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. They gave a dinner there for him. Martha served the meal, and Lazarus was among those at table with him. Mary brought in a pint of very costly ointment, made from pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and dried them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the ointment. Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples, the one who was about to betray him, said, "Why was this ointment not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?" He said this not because he had any concern for the poor but because he was a thief. He was in charge of the money bag, and he used to steal from it. Jesus said in response, "Leave her alone! Let her keep it for the day of my burial. The poor you will always have with you, but you will not always have me." Meanwhile, a large number of Jews learned that he was there, and they came not only because of Jesus but also because they wanted to see Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. The chief priests then decided to put Lazarus to death as well, since it was because of him that many of the Jews were leaving and putting their faith in Jesus. The next day the great crowd of people who had come for the feast heard that Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem. Thus, they went out to meet him, carrying branches of palm and shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, the King of Israel." Jesus found a young donkey and rode it, as it is written, "Do not be afraid, daughter of Zion. Behold, your King is coming, riding on a donkey's colt." At first, his disciples did not understand this, but later, when Jesus had been glorified, they recalled that these things had been written about him and had happened to him. Now the people who had been present when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to testify about this. Because the crowd had heard that he had performed this sign, they went out to meet him.

# ΤΟ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΝ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

12.1-18

Πρὸ ἕξ ἡμερῶν τοῦ πάσχα ἦλθεν Ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἰς Βηθανίαν, ὅπου ἦν Λάζαρος ὁ τεθνηκώς, ὃν ἤγειρεν ἐκ νεκρῶν. ἐποίησαν οὖν αὐτῷ δεῖπνον ἐκεῖ, καὶ ἡ Μάρθα διηκόνει· ὁ δὲ Λάζαρος εἷς ἦν τῶν ἀνακειμένων σὺν αὐτῷ. ἡ οὖν Μαρία, λαβοῦσα λίτραν μύρου νάρδου πιστικῆς πολυτίμου, ἤλειψε τοὺς πόδας τοῦ Ἰησοῦ καὶ ἐξέμαξε ταῖς θριξίν αὐτῆς τοὺς πόδας αὐτοῦ· ἡ δὲ οἰκία ἐπληρώθη ἐκ τῆς ὀσμῆς τοῦ μύρου. λέγει οὖν εἷς ἐκ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ, Ἰούδας Σίμωνος Ἰσκαριώτης, ὁ μέλλων αὐτὸν παραδιδόναι· διατί τοῦτο τὸ μύρον οὐκ ἐπράθη τριακοσίων δηναρίων καὶ ἐδόθη πτωχοῖς; εἶπε δὲ τοῦτο οὐχ ὅτι περὶ τῶν πτωχῶν ἔμελεν αὐτῷ, ἀλλ' ὅτι κλέπτης ἦν, καὶ τὸ γλωσσόκομον εἶχε καὶ τὰ βαλλόμενα ἐβάσταζεν. εἶπεν οὖν ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ἄφες αὐτήν, εἰς τὴν ἡμέραν τοῦ ἐνταφιασμοῦ μου τετήρηκεν αὐτό. τοὺς πτωχοὺς γὰρ πάντοτε ἔχετε μεθ' ἑαυτῶν, ἐμὲ δὲ οὐ πάντοτε ἔχετε. Ἔγνω οὖν ὄχλος πολὺς ἐκ τῶν Ἰουδαίων ὅτι ἐκεῖ ἐστι, καὶ ἦλθον οὐ διὰ τὸν Ἰησοῦν μόνον, ἀλλ' ἵνα καὶ τὸν Λάζαρον ἴδωσιν ὃν ἤγειρεν ἐκ νεκρῶν. ἐβουλεύσαντο δὲ οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς ἵνα καὶ τὸν Λάζαρον ἀποκτείνωσιν, ὅτι πολλοὶ δι' αὐτὸν ὑπήγον τῶν Ἰουδαίων καὶ ἐπίστευον εἰς τὸν Ἰησοῦν. Τῇ ἐπαύριον ὄχλος πολὺς ὁ ἐλθὼν εἰς τὴν ἑορτήν, ἀκούσαντες ὅτι ἔρχεται Ἰησοῦς εἰς Ἱεροσόλυμα, ἔλαβον τὰ βαῖα τῶν φοινίκων καὶ ἐξῆλθον εἰς ὑπάντησιν αὐτῷ, καὶ ἔκραζον· ὡσαννά, εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου, ὁ βασιλεὺς τοῦ Ἰσραήλ. εὐρῶν δὲ ὁ Ἰησοῦς ὄναριον ἐκάθισεν ἐπ' αὐτό, καθὼς ἐστι γεγραμμένον· μὴ φοβοῦ, θύγατερ Σιών· ἰδοὺ ὁ βασιλεὺς σου ἔρχεται καθήμενος ἐπὶ πῶλον ὄνου. Ταῦτα δὲ οὐκ ἔγνωσαν οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ τὸ πρῶτον, ἀλλ' ὅτε ἐδοξάσθη ὁ Ἰησοῦς, τότε ἐμνήσθησαν ὅτι ταῦτα ἦν ἐπ' αὐτῷ γεγραμμένα, καὶ ταῦτα ἐποίησαν αὐτῷ. Ἐμαρτύρει οὖν ὁ ὄχλος ὁ ὢν μετ' αὐτοῦ ὅτε τὸν Λάζαρον ἐφώνησεν ἐκ τοῦ μνημείου καὶ ἤγειρεν αὐτὸν ἐκ νεκρῶν. διὰ τοῦτο καὶ ὑπήντησεν αὐτῷ ὁ ὄχλος, ὅτι ἤκουσαν τοῦτο αὐτὸν πεποιηκέναι τὸ σημεῖον.

# *Giving Thanks* Eucharistic Stewardship



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## Seeing the world as God's gift...



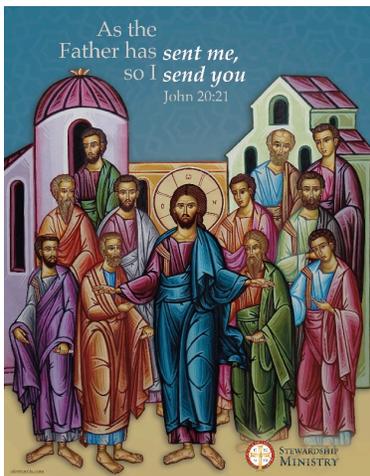
Through Holy Communion, we are drawn out of ourselves and embrace the mission of our parish. We carry the fire of God's love within us with the power to renew all things. When we understand the true meaning of the Holy Eucharist, we bridge the gap between liturgy and life, between the love of Jesus on cross and our daily lives, between our beautiful theology and practical stewardship. As Eucharistic Orthodox Christians, we see the world as God's gift. We offer the world back to God in thanksgiving with the words, "Thine own of Thine own we offer to Thee...."

"I don't get anything out of Church."

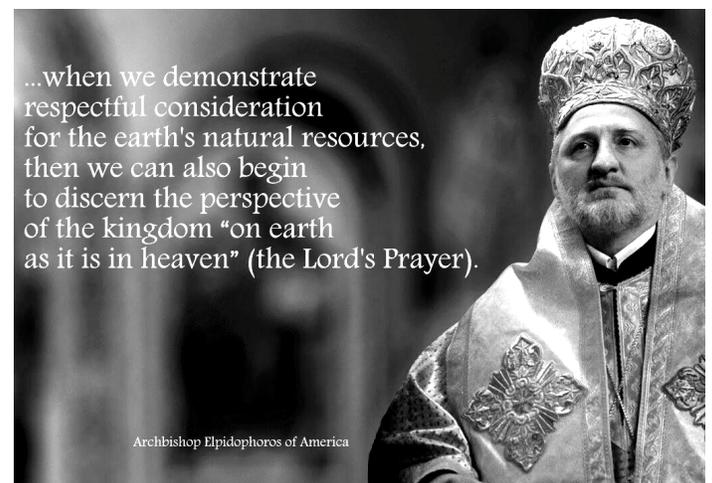


How many times have you heard people say, "I don't get anything out of liturgy"? The truth is that we don't come to church to *get* something, but to *give* ourselves – our whole being --- to God. We have to give ourselves as an offering to God and what we get in return is the presence of Jesus Christ within us. As we come to know Jesus this way, we are drawn into the communion of the Church.

## You are the Voice of Christ in a Changing World



The base from which we serve as the *Voice of Christ in a Changing World* is the parish. A strong parish provides opportunities for sharing the Good News of Christ, for welcoming those that are searching for a spiritual home, and a base from which we are sent out into the world. The parish also provides a place for worship, community and education in the faith. To be stewards of the Gospel, we need to be stewards of our parish. This requires the vision and inspiration to see the parish, not as it is, but as it could be. We are called to offer ourselves and our treasure to make our local church all that is can be.



## Stewardship of Creation

**Saint George Greek Orthodox Cathedral**  
**Ladies Philoptochos Society**  
**“Ai Myrophoroi”**

Dear Members and Friends of Philoptochos Society,

Our Philoptochos' mission is to aid the poor, to help the destitute, to feed the hungry, to assist the aged, the sick, the unemployed, the widowed, the handicapped, the victims of disasters, and to offer assistance to anyone who may need the help of the church, by raising funds to fulfill our mission.

In the past, our chapter has donated to many charities through our National Ministry commitments, Metropolis 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 of Philoptochos.

We are asking all the ladies of our Cathedral to become members of our chapter. We also would appreciate your donations if you cannot become a participating member.

As you know our Bid & Buy will be on **Saturday, April 21, 2023**, and it is our largest fundraising effort of our Philoptochos. **We are asking everyone to participate by donating new gifts, monies, or volunteering for the event.** Kindly, we ask you to share this information with family and friends. If you would like to participate in our efforts, please see Angela Malicki @ 267-253-0573, Jenny Kravaris @ 610-716-4502, Maria Ziogas @ 610-668-0870, or Jean Volikas @ 215-806-8509. We thank you all in advance for your help and support to make this event a successful one!

**ST. GEORGE CATHEDRAL  
LADIES PHILOPTOCHOS  
“AI MYROPHORAI “  
PRESENTS THE ANNUAL BID-N-BUY**

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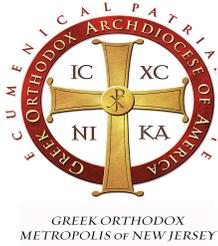
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## **PHILOPTOCHOS ANNOUNCEMENT**

If you would like to sponsor some edibles for the weekly “KERASMA” (refreshments) of the Cathedral’s Coffee Hour at the Community Center, please contact Maria Tsiouris @ tsiouris@comcast.net, or 267-738-4253. The “kerasma” can be donated in celebration of an event, of someone’s birthday celebration, in memory of a loved one, or as simply as a cherished donation to our Community. Your name and the dedication of the sponsorship will be published in the Cathedral Weekly Bulletin. **(Donation \$100.)**

Εάν θέλετε να γίνεται χορηγός φαγώσιμων προϊόντων για χρήση κατά τη διάρκεια της κοινοτικής συγκεντρώσεως στο πνευματικό κέντρο του Καθεδρικού μας Ναού, παρακαλώ επικοινωνήστε με την Μαρία Τσιούρη, στο: tsiouris@comcast.net ή στο 267-738-4253. Η δωρεά των φαγώσιμων προϊόντων μπορεί να επιχορηγηθεί είτε για τον εορτασμό μιας συγκεκριμένης εκδηλώσεως, όπως για τον εορτασμό των γενεθλίων κάποιου αγαπημένου προσώπου μας, για την αιωνία μνήμη και ανάπαυση κάποιου προσφιούς προσώπου μας, ή απλώς σαν μια απλή δωρεά για την κοινότητά μας. Το όνομά σας και η χορηγία θα δημοσιεύονται κάθε εβδομάδα στο εβδομαδιαίο δελτίο του Καθεδρικού μας Ναού. **(Δωρεά \$100.)**



**SAINT GEORGE GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL  
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# **REFRESHMENT (KERASMA) DONORS DURING CATHEDRAL COFFEE HOUR**

- 1. Mrs. Effi Tsihlas in memory of her husband George Tsihlas**
- 2. Mr. Andreas Petrides**
- 3. Philoptochos Sisterhood**



## St. George GO Cathedral Philoptochos Sisterhood “Ai Myrophorai”

### ELECTION NOTICE TO ALL ELIGIBLE MEMBERS

**DATE:** Sunday, May 7

**TIME:** 12:15pm

**PLACE:** St. George GO Cathedral Philoptochos Hall

This is to notify you that Elections for the New Chapter Board of Directors will be held at the date, time and place mentioned above.

To vote in this election, you must be a member in good standing in accordance with the Bylaws of Philoptochos (Article V, Section 4, Paragraph 3) as follows:

**Eligibility to Vote:** Full members who have fulfilled financial commitment to the chapter for the current year are eligible to vote. New members may vote if enrolled at least three (3) months prior to the election meeting.

All candidates seeking election to the Chapter Board must qualify in accordance with the Philoptochos Bylaws (Article V, Section 3, Paragraph 2) as follows:

In order to be a candidate for election to the Chapter Board, a full member must have been a member in good standing with the parish **and** chapter for a period of at least one full year prior to the date of election to the Chapter Board and must have attended a minimum of four (4) meetings/ activities held in the previous year.

- All candidates must be present at the election meeting unless reasonable cause for such absence is provided.
- A member is qualified to serve on the Board of Directors of one chapter only.

Please make every effort to attend this meeting.

*Jean Volikas*

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Jean Volikas  
St. George GO Cathedral Philoptochos Secretary



# SAINT GEORGE GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL PHILADELPHIA, PA



## HOLY WEEK 2023

Every year, and especially during the time of Holy Week, various parishioners at the Cathedral contributing different amounts for special projects or items. This current year we inquire again your help and support to buy the below items in order to celebrate the most religious and pious time of the year, the commemoration of the Passion, the Crucifixion and the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Please check the items which you would like to support and donate in the list below and return it with your monetary contribution to the Cathedral Office. There might be more than one person, or group of people, who can donate for the same item in the list.

The items are:

1. Laurel leaves for Palm Sunday	\$150.00
2. Palms for Palm Sunday	\$275.00
3. Flowers for Palm Sunday Icon of the Lord Entering Jerusalem	\$50.00
4. Flowers for the Nymphios Icon - Palm Sunday Evening	\$50.00
5. Flowers for the Nymphios Icon - Holy Monday Evening	\$50.00
6. Flowers for the Nymphios Icon - Holy Tuesday Evening	\$50.00
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10. Beeswax Candles for the Nymphios Icon - Holy Monday Evening	Each \$15.00
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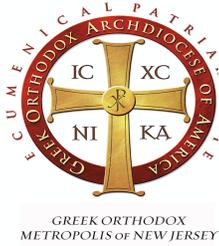
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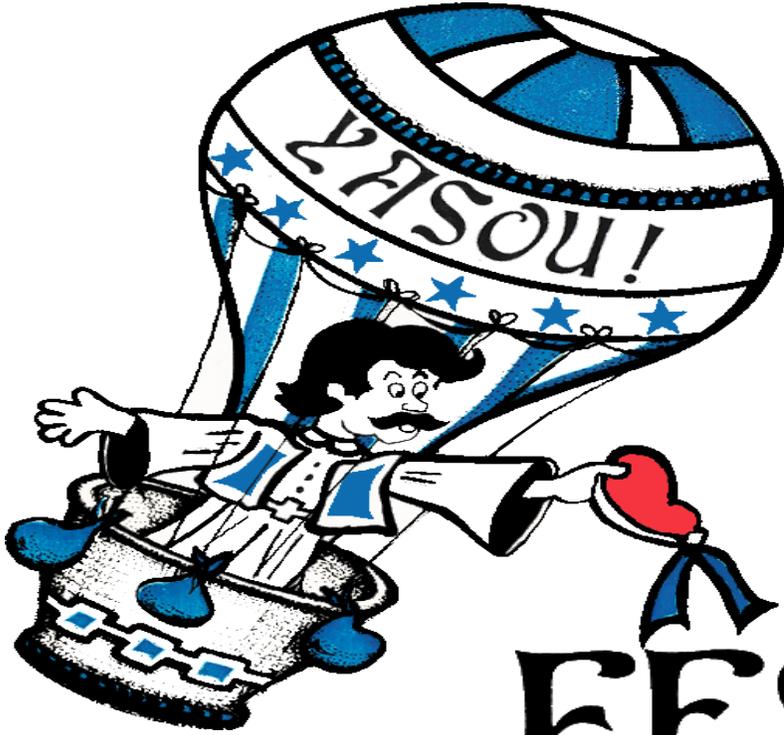
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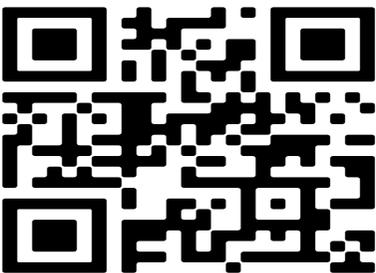
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