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ST. GEORGE GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL
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Today is: Sunday, March 5, 2023

SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY

**Konon the Venerable / Mark the Ascetic
Κόνων Ὁσιομάρτυς / Μάρκος ὁ Ἀσκητῆς**

***Thank you for worshiping at St. George Greek
Orthodox Cathedral in Philadelphia.***

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Thank you in advance for your generosity. Please know that your presence with us today has been a blessing.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

TODAY	SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY (Icon Procession) 8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy
Mon., Mar. 6	The Great Compline Service Service starts at 6:00pm
Wed., Mar. 8	Pre-Sanctified Liturgy Service starts at 8:30am
Fri., Mar. 10	2nd Salutations to the Theotokos (The mother of God) Service starts at 6:30pm
Sun., Mar. 12	SUNDAY OF ST. GREGORY PALAMAS 8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy - <i>Doxologia from the Hpiros Society "Omonoia" for the liberation of the City of Ioannina.</i> - <i>1-Year Memorial Service Pelagia Pappas. May her memory be eternal!</i>
Mon., Mar. 13	The Great Compline Service Service starts at 6:00pm
Wed., Mar. 15	Pre-Sanctified Liturgy Service starts at 8:30am
Fri., Mar. 17	3rd Salutations to the Theotokos (The mother of God) Service starts at 6:30pm
Sun., Mar. 19	SUNDAY OF THE HOLY CROSS 8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy - <i>Memorial Service Demati Brotherhood. May the memory of the deceased members to be eternal!</i>
Fri., Mar. 24	Eve of the Annunciation Vespers Service with the Service of the 4th Salutations Service starts at 6:30pm
Sat., Mar. 25	THE ANNUNCIATION TO THE THEOTOKOS 8:30am Orthros, 9:30am Divine Liturgy
Sun., Mar. 26	SUNDAY OF ST. JOHN OF CLIMACUS 8:45am Orthros, 10:00am Divine Liturgy

ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΚΟ ΠΡΟΓΡΑΜΜΑ

ΣΗΜΕΡΟΝ	ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΗΣ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΙΑΣ (Περιφορά τῶν εἰκόνων) 8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία
Δευτ., 6 Μαρτ.	Τὸ Μέγα Ἀπόδειπνον Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στὶς 6:00μ.μ.
Τετ., 8 Μαρτ.	Προηγιασμένη Θεία Λειτουργία Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στὶς 8:30π.μ.
Παρ., 10 Μαρτ.	Β΄ Χαιρετισμοὶ πρὸς τὴν Ὑπεραγία Θεοτόκον Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στὶς 6:30μ.μ.
Κυρ., 12 Μαρτ.	ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΓΡΗΓΟΡΙΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΛΑΜΑ 8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία - Δοξολογία ἐκ μέρους τοῦ Ἑπειρωτικοῦ Συλλόγου Ἑομοιῶν γιὰ τὴν ἀπελευθέρωση τῆς πόλεως τῶν Ἰωαννίνων. - Ἑτήσιο Ἱερό Μνημόσυνον Πελαγίας Παππά. Εἶθε ἡ μνήμη αὐτῆς νὰ εἶναι αἰωνία!
Δευτ., 13 Μαρτ.	Τὸ Μέγα Ἀπόδειπνον Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στὶς 6:00μ.μ.
Τετ., 15 Μαρτ.	Προηγιασμένη Θεία Λειτουργία Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στὶς 8:30π.μ.
Παρ., 17 Μαρτ.	Γ΄ Χαιρετισμοὶ πρὸς τὴν Ὑπεραγία Θεοτόκον Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στὶς 6:30μ.μ.
Κυρ., 19 Μαρτ.	ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΗΣ ΥΨΩΣΕΩΣ ΤΟΥ ΤΙΜΙΟΥ ΣΤΑΥΡΟΥ 8:45π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 10:00π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία - Ἱερό Μνημόσυνον τοῦ ἀδελφάτου τοῦ συλλόγου Δεματίου, Ἑπείρου. Εἶθε ἡ μνήμη τῶν μεταστάντων μελῶν νὰ εἶναι αἰωνία!
Παρ., 24 Μαρτ.	Ἑσπερινός τῆς ἑορτῆς τοῦ Εὐαγγελισμοῦ τῆς Θεοτόκου καὶ ἡ ἀκολουθία τῶν Δ΄ Χαιρετισμῶν Ἡ ἀκολουθία ἀρχίζει στὶς 6:30μ.μ.
Σαβ., 25 Μαρτ.	Ο ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΣΜΟΣ ΤΗΣ ΘΕΟΤΟΚΟΥ 8:30π.μ. ὁ Ὅρθρος, 9:30π.μ. ἡ Θεία Λειτουργία

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

- Sun., Mar. 12** **PARISH GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING**
@ the Cathedral Social Hall @ the end of the Divine Liturgy
- Tues., Mar. 14** **Parish Council Meeting**
@ the Cathedral Office @ 6:30pm.
- Sat. Mar. 18** **Metropolis of NJ Delaware Valley Region Sights & Sounds Event**
@ St. Thomas GO Church, Cherry Hill, NJ
- Sun., Mar. 19** **Philoptochos General Assembly**
@ the Philoptochos Hall @ the end of the Divine Liturgy
- Tues., Mar. 21** **Greater Philadelphia and Delaware Valley Hellenic Federation Meeting**
@ St. George GO Cathedral, Philadelphia, PA @ 7pm.
- Fri., Mar. 31** **Greek Flag Raising for Greek Independence Day @ City Hall, Philadelphia @ 1:30pm**
Mayor's Proclamation for Greek Independence Day, following with special Ceremony with the presence of the Presidential Guard of Greece, EVZONES, and Reception.
- Sun., Mar. 26** **Greek Independence Day Cathedral Greek School Presentation**
@ the Cathedral @ the end of the Divine Liturgy
- Sat., Apr. 1** **Eleftheria Banquet Greek Independence Day**
@ Adelphia Restaurant, Woodbury, NJ @ 5:00pm
- Sun., Apr.2** **Hierarchal Divine Liturgy, Great Doxology and Luncheon for Greek Independence Day, 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
- Tues., Apr. 4** **Parish Council Meeting**
@ the Cathedral Office @ 6:30pm.
- 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.

UPCOMING SACRAMENTS

Mar. 11 BAPTISM 3 Children of Hatzidais Family @ 11:30am

Apr. 22 BAPTISM Georgia Papalouka @ 11am

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

May 13 WEDDING Christos Voutsakis & Deitre Kurtz @ 3pm

May 20 WEDDING Demetrios Maidanos & Thomai Gastopoulou @ 1pm

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

June 17 WEDDING Iakovos Sotirios & Madison Marks @ 3pm

June 18 WEDDING Christopher Cullman & 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 @ 4pm

Sept. 16 WEDDING Nikola Kovovic & Marhgarita 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 Hebrews

11:24-26, 32-40

Brethren, by faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, choosing rather to share ill-treatment with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. He considered abuse suffered for the Christ greater wealth than the treasures of Egypt, for he looked to the reward. And what more shall I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets -- who through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, received promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign enemies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Some were tortured, refusing to accept release, that they might rise again to a better life. Others suffered mocking and scourging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were killed with the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, ill-treated -- of whom the world was not worthy -- wandering over deserts and mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, though well attested by their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had foreseen something better for us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect.

Ο ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΟΣ

Πρὸς Ἑβραίους Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

11.24-26, 32-40

Ἀδελφοί, πίστει Μωϋσῆς μέγας γενόμενος ἠρνήσατο λέγεσθαι υἱὸς θυγατρὸς Φαραώ, μᾶλλον ἐλόμενος συγκακουχεῖσθαι τῷ λαῷ τοῦ θεοῦ ἢ πρόσκαιρον ἔχειν ἁμαρτίας ἀπόλαυσιν· μείζονα πλοῦτον ἠγησάμενος τῶν Αἰγύπτου θησαυρῶν τὸν ὄνειδισμόν τοῦ Χριστοῦ· ἀπέβλεπεν γὰρ εἰς τὴν μισθαποδοσίαν. Καὶ τί ἔτι λέγω; Ἐπιλείψει γὰρ με διηγούμενον ὁ χρόνος περὶ Γεδεών, Βαράκ τε καὶ Σαμψών καὶ Ἰεφθάε, Δαυὶδ τε καὶ Σαμουὴλ καὶ τῶν προφητῶν· οἱ διὰ πίστεως κατηγωνίσαντο βασιλείας, εἰργάσαντο δικαιοσύνην, ἐπέτυχον ἐπαγγελιῶν, ἔφραξαν στόματα λεόντων, ἔσβεσαν δύναμιν πυρός, ἔφυγον στόματα μαχαίρας, ἐνεδυναμώθησαν ἀπὸ ἀσθενείας, ἐγενήθησαν ἰσχυροὶ ἐν πολέμῳ, παρεμβολὰς ἔκλιναν ἀλλοτρίων. Ἔλαβον γυναῖκες ἐξ ἀναστάσεως τοὺς νεκροὺς αὐτῶν· ἄλλοι δὲ ἐτυμπανίσθησαν, οὐ προσδεξάμενοι τὴν ἀπολύτρωσιν, ἵνα κρείττονος ἀναστάσεως τύχωσιν· ἕτεροι δὲ ἐμπαιγμῶν καὶ μαστίγων πείραν ἔλαβον, ἔτι δὲ δεσμῶν καὶ φυλακῆς· ἐλιθάσθησαν, ἐπρίσθησαν, ἐπειράσθησαν, ἐν φόνῳ μαχαίρας ἀπέθανον· περιῆλθον ἐν μηλωταῖς, ἐν αἰγείοις δέρμασιν, ὑστερούμενοι, θλιβόμενοι, κακουχούμενοι - ὧν οὐκ ἦν ἄξιος ὁ κόσμος - ἐν ἐρημίαις πλανώμενοι καὶ ὄρεσιν καὶ σπηλαίοις καὶ ταῖς ὄπαῖς τῆς γῆς. Καὶ οὗτοι πάντες, μαρτυρηθέντες διὰ τῆς πίστεως, οὐκ ἔκομίσαντο τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν, τοῦ θεοῦ περὶ ἡμῶν κρεῖττόν τι προβλεψαμένου, ἵνα μὴ χωρὶς ἡμῶν τελειωθῶσιν.

THE GOSPEL READING

The Gospel reading is according to John

1:43-51

At that time, Jesus decided to go to Galilee. And he found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael, and he said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." Jesus saw Nathanael coming to him, and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile!" Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, I saw you under the fig tree, do you believe? You shall see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of man."

ΤΟ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΝ

Εκ τοῦ κατὰ Ματθαῖον ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

6.14-21

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἠθέλησεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἐξελθεῖν εἰς τὴν Γαλιλαίαν· καὶ εὕρισκει Φίλιππον καὶ λέγει αὐτῷ· ἀκολούθει μοι. ἦν δὲ ὁ Φίλιππος ἀπὸ Βηθσαϊδά, ἐκ τῆς πόλεως Ἀνδρέου καὶ Πέτρου. εὕρισκει Φίλιππος τὸν Ναθαναήλ καὶ λέγει αὐτῷ· ὃν ἔγραψε Μωϋσῆς ἐν τῷ νόμῳ καὶ οἱ προφῆται, εὕρηκαμεν, Ἰησοῦν τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ Ἰωσήφ τὸν ἀπὸ Ναζαρέτ. καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ Ναθαναήλ· ἐκ Ναζαρέτ δύναταί τι ἀγαθὸν εἶναι; λέγει αὐτῷ Φίλιππος· ἔρχου καὶ ἴδε. εἶδεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς τὸν Ναθαναήλ ἐρχόμενον πρὸς αὐτὸν καὶ λέγει περὶ αὐτοῦ· ἴδε ἀληθῶς Ἰσραηλίτης, ἐν ᾧ δόλος οὐκ ἔστι. λέγει αὐτῷ Ναθαναήλ· πόθεν με γινώσκεις; ἀπεκρίθη Ἰησοῦς καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ· πρὸ τοῦ σε Φίλιππον φωνῆσαι, ὄντα ὑπὸ τὴν συκῆν εἰδόν σε. ἀπεκρίθη Ναθαναήλ καὶ λέγει αὐτῷ· ῥαββί, σὺ εἶ ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, σὺ εἶ ὁ βασιλεὺς τοῦ Ἰσραήλ. ἀπεκρίθη Ἰησοῦς καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ· ὅτι εἶπόν σοι, εἰδόν σε ὑποκάτω τῆς συκῆς, πιστεύεις; μείζω τούτων ὄψει. καὶ λέγει αὐτῷ· ἀμὴν ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν, ἀπ' ἄρτι ὄψεσθε τὸν οὐρανὸν ἀνεωγῶτα, καὶ τοὺς ἀγγέλους τοῦ Θεοῦ ἀναβαίνοντας καὶ καταβαίνοντας ἐπὶ τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ ἀνθρώπου.

Giving Thanks Eucharistic Stewardship



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Seeing the world as God's gift...



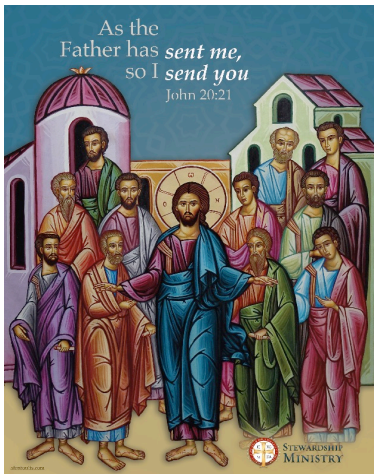
Through Holy Communion, we are drawn out of ourselves and embrace the mission of our parish. We carry the fire of God's love within us with the power to renew all things. When we understand the true meaning of the Holy Eucharist, we bridge the gap between liturgy and life, between the love of Jesus on 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."

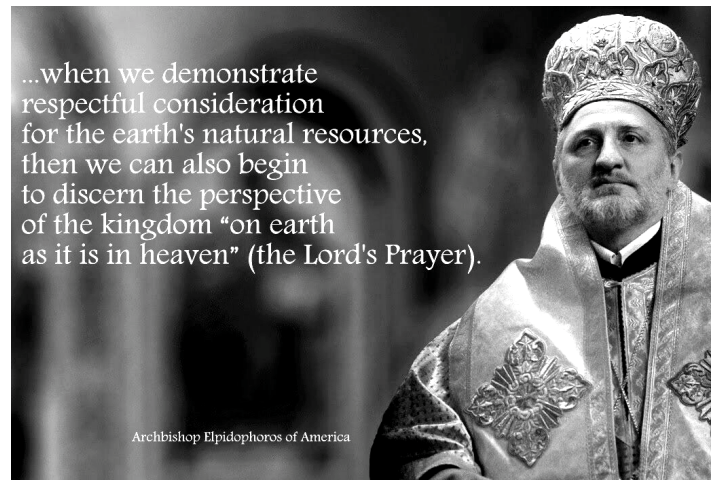


How many times have you heard people say, "I don't get anything out of liturgy"? The truth is that we don't come to church to *get* something, but to *give* ourselves – our whole being --- to God. We have to give ourselves as an offering to God and what we get in return is the presence of Jesus Christ 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 it can be.



Stewardship of Creation



The Federation of Hellenic-American Societies of Philadelphia and the Greater Delaware Valley

2023 GREEK
INDEPENDENCE
CELEBRATION

FLAG RAISING CEREMONY

Friday, March 31, 2023

1:30 p.m. - Meet outside at North Apron of City Hall

2:00 p.m. - Flag Raising Ceremony

*The Evzones will be there for this important ceremony
celebrating our Greek Independence Celebration*



The Federation of Hellenic-American Societies of
Philadelphia and the Greater Delaware Valley

Invite you to attend

**ELEFThERIA
MEDAL &
DIGNITARIES
DINNER**

SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2023 | 5:00 PM

HONORED GUEST

His Eminence Archbishop Elpidophoros of America

ELEFThERIA MEDAL RECIPIENT

Ambassador of the Hellenic Republic to the United States of America

Her Excellency Alexandra Papadopoulou

GRAND MARSHAL

Ambassador of the United States of America to the Hellenic Republic

His Excellency George J. Tsunis

DINNER: \$100 | STUDENTS: \$50

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PHILADELPHIA
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PARADE
SUNDAY, APRIL 2, 2023



GRAND MARSHAL
*Ambassador of the United States
of America to the Hellenic Republic*
His Excellency George J. Tsunis

ELEFThERIA MEDAL RECIPIENT
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Her Excellency Alexandra Papadopoulou

Ben Franklin Parkway and 22nd Street

Formation at 1:00 pm & Step-off at 2:00 pm

Parade will begin at 22nd and the Parkway marching towards City Hall

Immediately Following Parade Reception

Sheraton, "Liberty Ballroom", 201 N. 17th St, Philadelphia PA

ADMISSION FREE

Dance Performances | Refreshments | Light Food | DJ Makis

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!

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PHILADELPHIA, PA 19107**

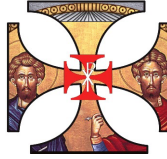
Call to reserve your tickets and tables
Angela Malicki 267.253.0573
Maria Ziogas 215.470.3754
Email: Philoptochos@saintgeorgecathedral.org



PHILOTOCHOS 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 προσφιλούς 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.)**



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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St. George GO Cathedral Philoptochos Secretary



*St. George Cathedral Philoptochos
"Ai Myrophoroi"*

Easter Bake Sale



<i>Tsourekia</i>	<i>\$20.00</i>
<i>Koulourakia</i>	<i>\$12.00 lb</i>
<i>Dyed Eggs (Organic)</i>	<i>\$15.00 (dozen)</i>

Please Place your orders by March 31, 2023

Call: Jenny Kravaris - 610-716-4502

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GREEK ORTHODOX METROPOLIS OF NEW JERSEY PHILOPTOCHOS SISTERHOOD

ANNOUNCEMENT

With the blessing of His Grace Bishop Apostolos of Medeia, the Philoptochos Sisterhood of the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of New Jersey is once again offering an opportunity to qualifying High School seniors, who are enrolled in an accredited University, College, or Trade School, to apply for a Philoptochos Sisterhood of the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of New Jersey merit based scholarship.

Deadline for submitting the application is **June 15, 2023**. The scholarship application is also posted under Resources on our Philoptochos website at njphiloptochos.org.

Funding for this scholarship was made possible with donations made in memory of the beloved past Metropolis President, and sister in Christ, Mrs. Anastasia Michaels. Anne Michaels was an educator by profession, a dedicated steward of the Philoptochos Sisterhood and a faithful Orthodox Christian. The members of the Philoptochos Sisterhood of the Holy Metropolis of New Jersey are certain that an investment in our children's education is a most fitting way to honor her memory.

THE DVYC PRESENTS:



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APRIL 28-30, 2023

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GOYA OLYMPICS



METROPOLIS OF
NEW JERSEY

DATE:

**MEMORIAL DAY
WEEKEND
MAY 27-28
2023**

LOCATION:

**MONMOUTH
UNIVERSITY,
WEST LONG
BRANCH,
NEW JERSEY**



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HELLENIC UNIVERSITY CLUB OF GREATER PHILADELPHIA

Hellenic University Club of Greater Philadelphia is offering 16 scholarships to eligible high school seniors, college undergraduate and graduate students.

Visit:

<http://www.hucphiladelphia.org/2023-2024-scholarships>

for scholarship descriptions, eligibility requirements and to apply.

Deadline is April 3, 2023.

Any questions regarding eligibility can be sent to hucscholarships@gmail.com



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