



GREEK
ORTHODOX CHURCH
OF GREATER SALT LAKE



NOVEMBER 13, 2022

THE EIGHTH
SUNDAY OF LUKE

THE DIVINE LITURGY
OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM



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2022 Parish Council

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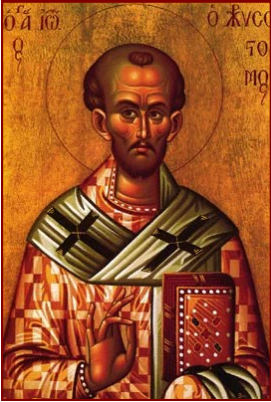
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2022 Parish Council

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JOHN CHRYSOSTOM ARCHBISHOP OF CONSTANTINOPLE



This greatest and most beloved of all Christian orators was born in Antioch the Great in the year 344 or 347; his pious parents were called Secundus and Anthusa. After his mother was widowed at the age of twenty, she devoted herself to bringing up John and his elder sister in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. John received his literary training under Anthragathius the philosopher, and Libanius the sophist, who was the greatest Greek scholar and rhetorician of his day. Libanius was a pagan, and when asked before his death whom he wished to have for his successor, he said, "John, had not the Christians stolen him from us." With such a training, and with such gifts as he had by nature, John had before him a brilliant career as a rhetorician. But through the good example of his godly mother Anthusa and of the holy Bishop Meletius of Antioch (see Feb. 12), by whom he was ordained reader about the year 370, he chose instead to dedicate himself to God. From the years 374 to 381 he lived the monastic life in the hermitages that were near Antioch.

Saint John was surnamed Chrysostom ("Golden-mouth") because of his eloquence. He made exhaustive commentaries on the divine Scriptures and was the author of more works than any other Church Father, leaving us complete commentaries on the Book of Genesis, the Gospels of Saints Matthew and John, the Acts, and all the Epistles of Saint Paul. His extant works are 1,447 sermons and 240 epistles. Twenty-two teachers of the Church have written homilies of praise in his honour. Besides his feasts today and on January 27, he is celebrated as one of the Three Hierarchs on January 30, together with Saint Basil the Great and Saint Gregory the Theologian.

It should be noted that, because September 14 is the Exaltation of the Cross, the Saint's memory has been transferred to this day.



THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13

Orthros	9:00am	@ PE only
Divine Liturgy	10:00am	@ PE only
GOYA Basketball Practice	1:00pm~6:00pm	@ PE Lg Gym
Orchestra Practice	3:30pm~6:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym
Holladay Interfaith Thanksgiving Service	7:00pm	@ St. Vincent De Paul

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14

GOYA Basketball Practice	6:00pm~10:00pm	@ PE Lg Gym
Girl Scouts	6:30pm~8:30pm	@ PE Sm Gym

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Greek School	6:30pm~8:00pm	@ PE
Holy Unction	7:00pm~9:00pm	@ PE
GOYA Basketball Practice	7:00pm~10:00pm	@ PE Lg Gym

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16

Boy Scouts Meeting	6:00pm~8:00pm	@ PE Classroom
Jr. & Sr. GOYA Service Activity	6:00pm~9:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym
GOYA Basketball Practice	7:00pm~10:00pm	@ PE Lg Gym

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17

Philoptochos Koulouria Prep	9:00am~	@ HT Warehouse
GOYA Basketball Practice	6:00pm~10:00pm	@ PE Lg Gym
Greek School	6:30pm~8:00pm	@ PE
YAL Friendsgiving/Elections	7:00pm~9:00pm	@ PE

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18

No Schedule

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19

Philoptochos Galaktoboureko Prep	9:00am~	@ HT Warehouse
Greek School	10:00am~1:00pm	@ HT

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Orthros	9:00am	@ Both Churches
Divine Liturgy	10:00am	@ Both Churches
GOYA Basketball Practice	1:00pm~6:00pm	@ PE Lg Gym
Fall Parish Assembly	2:00pm~6:00pm	@ HT
Orchestra Practice	3:30pm~6:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym



MEMORIALS & SERVICES



TODAY, NOVEMBER 13

AT PROPHET ELIAS

Kleoniki (Popi) Panteli: 10 ~ Year Memorial

Constantine Skedros: 10 ~ Year Memorial

Anna Kumarelas Skedros: 27 ~ Year Memorial

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

AT HOLY TRINITY

Thalia Mantas Matragos: 9 ~ Month Memorial



AT PROPHET ELIAS

Bill Drossos: 40 ~ Day Memorial

Sophia Drossos: 3 ~ Month Memorial

Sam Petrogeorge: 1 ~ Year Memorial

The Drossos Family will be hosting coffee hour





ΥΜΝΟΙ ΤΗΣ ΗΜΕΡΑΣ



Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον

Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον Πατρὶ καὶ Πνεύματι, τὸν ἐκ Παρθένου τεχθέντα εἰς σωτηρίαν ἡμῶν, ἀνυμνήσωμεν πιστοὶ καὶ προσκυνήσωμεν, ὅτι νύδόκησε σαρκί, ἀνελθεῖν ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ, καὶ θάνατον ὑπομεῖναι, καὶ ἐγεῖραι τοὺς τεθνεώτας, ἐν τῇ ἐνδόξῳ Ἀναστάσει αὐτοῦ.

Τοῦ Ἁγίου

Ἡ τοῦ στόματός σου καθάπερ πυρσὸς ἐκλάμψασα χάρις, τὴν οἰκουμένην ἐφώτισεν· ἀφιλαργυρίας τῷ κόσμῳ θησαυροὺς ἐναπέθετο· τὸ ὕψος ἡμῖν τῆς ταπεινοφροσύνης ὑπέδειξεν. Ἄλλὰ σοῖς λόγοις παιδεύων, Πάτερ Ἰωάννη Χρυσόστομε, πρέσβευε τῷ Λόγῳ Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Ἀπολυτίκιον Πεντηκοστής (για τὴν Ἁγία Τριάδα)

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν ὁ πανσόφους τοὺς ἀλιεῖς ἀναδείξας καταπέμψας αὐτοῖς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον καὶ δι' αὐτῶν τὴν οἰκουμένην σαγνεύσας φιλάνθρωπε δόξα Σοι.

Ἀπολυτίκιον Προφήτου Ἡλίου

Ὁ ἐνσαρκὸς ἄγγελος, τῶν Προφητῶν ἡ κρηπὶς, ὁ δεῦτερος Πρόδρομος τῆς παρουσίας Χριστοῦ, Ἡλίας ὁ ἐνδοξος, ἄνωθεν καταπέμψας, Ελισαίῳ τὴν χάριν, νόσους ἀποδιώκει, καὶ λεπρούς καθαρίζει, διὸ καὶ τοῖς τιμώσιν αὐτὸν βρῦει ἅματα.

Κοντάκιον

Ὁ καθαρῶτατος ναὸς τοῦ Σωτῆρος, ἡ πολυτίμητος παστὰς καὶ Παρθένος, τὸ ἱερὸν θησαύρισμα τῆς δόξης τοῦ Θεοῦ, σήμερον εἰσάγεται, ἐν τῷ οἴκῳ Κυρίου, τὴν χάριν συνεισάγουσα, τὴν ἐν Πνεύματι Θείῳ· ἦν ἀνυμνοῦσιν Ἄγγελοι Θεοῦ· Αὕτη ὑπάρχει σκηνὴ ἐπουράνιος.



HYMNS OF THE DAY



Resurrectional Apolytikion

Let us worship the Word who is unoriginate with the Father and the Spirit, and from a Virgin was born for our salvation, O believers, and let us sing His praise. For in His goodness He was pleased to ascend the Cross in the flesh, and to undergo death, and to raise up those who had died, by His glorious Resurrection.

For the Saint

The grace that from your mouth shone forth like a torch illumined the universe. It deposited in the world the treasures of the absence of avarice. It showed us the height that is attained by humility. Now you instruct us by your words, Father John Chrysostom. Intercede with Christ God, the Word himself, entreating Him to save our souls.

Apolytikion of Pentecost (for the Holy Trinity)

Blessed are You, O Christ our God, who made fishermen all-wise, sending upon them the Holy Spirit and, through them, netting the world. O Loving One, glory to You.

Apolytikion of the Prophet Elias

The incarnate Angel, the Cornerstone of the Prophets, the second Forerunner of the Coming of Christ, the glorious Elias (Elijah), who from above, sent down to Elisha the grace to dispel sickness and cleanse lepers, abounds therefore in healing for those who honor him.

Kontakion

The Savior's most pure and immaculate temple, the very precious bridal chamber and Virgin, who is the sacred treasure of the glory of God, on this day is introduced into the House of the Lord, and with herself she brings the grace in the divine Spirit. She is extolled by the Angels of God. A heavenly tabernacle is she.





Ο ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΟΣ



Προκείμενον:

Τὸ στόμα μου λαλήσει σοφίαν.

Στίχος:

Ἀκούσατε ταῦτα, πάντα τὰ ἔθνη.

Πρὸς Ἑβραίους Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.
(7:26-28; 8:1-2)

Ἀδελφοί, τοιοῦτος ἡμῖν ἔπρεπεν ἀρχιερεύς, ὅσιος, ἄκακος, ἀμίαντος, κεχωρισμένος ἀπὸ τῶν ἀμαρτωλῶν καὶ ὑψηλότερος τῶν οὐρανῶν γενόμενος, ὃς οὐκ ἔχει καθ' ἡμέραν ἀνάγκην, ὡσπερ οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς, πρότερον ὑπὲρ τῶν ἰδίων ἀμαρτιῶν θυσίας ἀναφέρειν, ἔπειτα τῶν τοῦ λαοῦ· τοῦτο γὰρ ἐποίησεν ἐφάπαξ ἑαυτὸν ἀενέγκας. Ὁ νόμος γὰρ ἀνθρώπους καθίστησιν ἀρχιερεῖς ἔχοντας ἀσθένειαν, ὁ λόγος δὲ τῆς ὀρκωμοσίας τῆς μετὰ τὸν νόμον υἱὸν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τετελειωμένον. Κεφάλαιον δὲ ἐπὶ τοῖς λεγομένοις, τοιοῦτον ἔχομεν ἀρχιερέα, ὃς ἐκάθισεν ἐν δεξιᾷ τοῦ θρόνου τῆς μεγαλωσύνης ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, τῶν Ἁγίων λειτουργὸς καὶ τῆς σκηνῆς τῆς ἀληθινῆς, ἣν ἔπηξεν ὁ Κύριος, καὶ οὐκ ἄνθρωπος.





THE EPISTLE



Prokeimenon:

My mouth shall speak wisdom.

Verse:

Hear this, all you nations.

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

(7:26-28; 8:1-2)

Brethren, it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, unstained, separated from sinners, exalted above the heavens. He has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for his own sins and then for those of the people; he did this once for all when he offered up himself. Indeed, the law appoints men in their weakness as high priests, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect for ever. Now the point in what we are saying is this: we have such a high priest, one who is seated at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in heaven, a minister in the sanctuary and the true tent which is set up not by man but by the Lord.





ΤΟ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΝ



Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

(10:25–37)

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, νομικός τις προσῆλθε τῷ Ἰησοῦ πειράζων αὐτὸν καὶ λέγων· Διδάσκαλε, τί ποιήσας ζωὴν αἰώνιον κληρονομήσω; ὁ δὲ εἶπε πρὸς αὐτόν· Ἐν τῷ νόμῳ τί γέγραπται; πῶς ἀναγινώσκεις; ὁ δὲ ἀποκριθεὶς εἶπεν· Ἀγαπήσεις Κύριον τὸν Θεόν σου ἐξ ὅλης τῆς καρδίας σου καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς ψυχῆς σου καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς ἰσχύος σου καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς διανοίας σου, καὶ τὸν πλησίον σου ὡς σεαυτόν· εἶπε δὲ αὐτῷ· Ὁρθῶς ἀπεκρίθης· τοῦτο ποιεῖ καὶ ζήσῃ. ὁ δὲ θέλων δικαιοῦν ἑαυτόν εἶπε πρὸς τὸν Ἰησοῦν· Καὶ τίς ἐστὶ μου πλησίον; ὑπολαβὼν δὲ ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπεν· Ἄνθρωπός τις κατέβαινεν ἀπὸ Ἱερουσαλήμ εἰς Ἱεριχὼν, καὶ λησταῖς περιέπεσεν· οἱ καὶ ἐκδύσαντες αὐτὸν καὶ πληγὰς ἐπιθέντες ἀπῆλθον ἀφέντες ἡμιθανῆ τυγχάνοντα. κατὰ συγκυρίαν δὲ ἱερεὺς τις κατέβαινεν ἐν τῇ ὁδῷ ἐκείνῃ, καὶ ἰδὼν αὐτὸν ἀντιπαρῆλθεν. ὁμοίως δὲ καὶ Λευίτης γενόμενος κατὰ τὸν τόπον, ἔλθων καὶ ἰδὼν ἀντιπαρῆλθε. Σαμαρείτης δὲ τις ὁδεύων ἦλθε κατ' αὐτόν, καὶ ἰδὼν αὐτὸν ἐσπλαγχνίσθη, καὶ προσελθὼν κατέδησε τὰ τραύματα αὐτοῦ ἐπιχέων ἔλαιον καὶ οἶνον, ἐπιβιβάσας δὲ αὐτὸν ἐπὶ τὸ ἴδιον κτῆνος ἤγαγεν αὐτὸν εἰς πανδοχεῖον καὶ ἐπεμελήθη αὐτοῦ· καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν αὔριον ἐξελθὼν, ἐκβαλὼν δύο δηνάρια ἔδωκε τῷ πανδοχεῖ καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ· ἐπιμελήθητι αὐτοῦ, καὶ ὃ, τι ἂν προσδαπάνησῃς, ἐγὼ ἐν τῷ ἐπανέρχεσθαί με ἀποδώσω σοι. τίς οὖν τούτων τῶν τριῶν πλησίον δοκεῖ σοι γεγονέναι τοῦ ἐμπεσόντος εἰς τοὺς ληστάς; ὁ δὲ εἶπεν· Ὁ ποιήσας τὸ ἔλεος μετ' αὐτοῦ. εἶπεν οὖν αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· Πορεύου καὶ σὺ ποιεῖ ὁμοίως.



THE GOSPEL



The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Luke

(10:25–37)

At that time, a lawyer stood up to put Jesus to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? How do you read?" And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have answered right; do this, and you will live." But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him, and departed, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was; and when he saw him, he had compassion, and went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; then he set him on his own beast and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' Which of these three, do you think, proved neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed mercy on him." And Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." .



PARISH COUNCIL MESSAGE



Dear Parishioners,

The Parish Council has voted to hire an independent analyst to give a second opinion on the financial aspect of the current proposal by Woodbury Corporation. The exact motion from our meeting minutes was "... to hire a second opinion financial analysis requested by the Parish Council for the Woodbury project." This motion passed 11-2.

As we move forward with the downtown project, it is the fiduciary responsibility of the Parish Council to assure the community that the deal we vote on is sound. Thus, we want to be sure no stone is left unturned. A project of this magnitude requires special attention and careful consideration, so it is imperative for us to provide the community with as much information as possible. The more knowledge we as a community garner, the better we all can make an educated vote on the proposed project.

Once the analysis is finished, we will inform the community. In the meantime, please hang tight as this analysis is underway.


Sincerely,

The Parish Council





Let us begin the Nativity Lenten Period (Advent) which commences on Nov 15th with the Sacrament of Holy Unction as we prepare to welcome our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.



TUESDAY, NOV. 15 AT 7:00 PM
**THE MYSTERY OF
HOLY UNCTION**

When we are in pain - physical, emotional, or spiritual - Christ is present with us through the ministry of His Church. He is among us to offer strength to meet the challenges of life, and even the approach of death.

Come, and be anointed with holy oil, for the healing of soul and body, and remission of sins.



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BYLAWS COMMITTEE

Proposed modifications for the definition of Quorum November 2022

Background

This Bylaws Committee was assembled at the request of the Parish Council in late October 2022

Bylaws Committee: Dimitri Gerontis, Marina Gianoulis, Kostas Katsohirakis, Harry Souvall, Jeannine Timothy.

What we are attempting to do:

Definition - Bylaws are the rules and procedures adopted by an organization for the government of its members and the regulation of its affairs. As an organization grows and develops, modifications to the bylaws become necessary to meet the organization's current needs regarding internal processes as well as voting, meetings and elections.

The Parish Board has determined our parish needs *an amendment to our existing local parish Bylaws to modify the definition of a **quorum** necessary to vote on any transaction related to the purchase, sale or encumbrance of real property.* The Board has asked this committee to present two amendment options which the parish will consider and, ultimately, vote upon.

Why we are doing this now:

It has been fifty years since our parish bylaws were last updated. The Parish Board seeks to amend our bylaws with an updated procedure to determine the quorum required for all votes pertaining to real property transactions. As always, all updated bylaws will conform with the Uniform Parish Regulations (UPRs).

This committee's goal is to develop two options to modify the definition of a quorum for all parish projects related to the purchase, sale or encumbrance of real property. Consequently, we looked to our own parish data to determine what number of votes we need, on any and every real property transaction presented at our general and special assemblies, to achieve an equitable parish vote.

We have researched the following data points:

- Average number of members in good standing who have attended and voted at each of the past fall General Assemblies over the past 5 years. 80-130
- Average number of members in good standing who have voted at Parish Board elections over the past 5 years. 250-300
- Approximate number of Steward Families at the end of 2021. 600
- Approximate number of Stewards eligible to vote. 850

Current definition of quorum:

A quorum shall number fifty (50) members in good standing for all regular and special parish assemblies. If a quorum is not present, the Parish Assembly may be called a second time within twenty-one days. As such time decisions may be taken by the number of members present with the exception of matters pertaining to the purchase, sale or encumbering of Parish real property in which two-thirds of all members in good standing will constitute a quorum.

Source - 1: Amended Articles of Incorporation (1974), Article VI – Parish Assembly (e)

Source - 2: The By-Laws of the Greek Orthodox Church of Greater Salt Lake (1974), By-Law 8 (d)

Recommendations

The committee made certain recommendations. These were modified by the Parish Council to the following:

Option 1

(A) For transactions involving the purchase, sale or encumbrance of real property less than or equal to \$1,000,000 in value, the **quorum** shall consist of 50 members in good standing at a Parish Assembly.

(B) For transactions greater than \$1,000,000 in value, the **quorum** shall consist of 200 members in good standing at a Parish Assembly called for that purpose.

If a quorum is not present for (B), the Parish Assembly may be called a second time within twenty-one days. The parish shall send a certified letter to all members in good standing notifying them of this second assembly. At such time, a decision may be taken so long as there is a quorum of 50 members in good standing at the Parish Assembly. Only members who were eligible to vote in the first assembly will be eligible to vote in the second assembly.

Explanation of Option 1

The choice of a number instead of a percentage is to provide for the same system (set number) as has been used for all regular and special Parish Assemblies in the past. It is easy to count those present with a voting card. The higher number was chosen to recognize the importance of a greater number of members for important decisions without being so high as to make it difficult to conduct business. The number of 200 was chosen because attendance at fall assemblies has been between 80 and 130 and people voting in parish elections has been between 250 and 300. The number of 200 is an average of the two. The second assembly was lowered to the regular quorum so that the parish is able to conduct necessary business, should it not reach the 200-member threshold. The provision not allowing new voting members between assemblies is meant to encourage everyone wanting to vote to become a member in good standing at the first assembly.

Option 2

(A) For transactions involving the purchase, sale, or encumbrance of real property less than or equal to \$1,000,000 in value, the **quorum** shall consist of 50 members in good standing at a Parish Assembly.

(B) For transactions greater than \$1,000,000 in value, the **quorum** shall consist of two-thirds (2/3) of the number of Steward Families from the most recent year in good standing at a Parish Assembly

If a quorum is not present for (B), the Parish Assembly may be called a second time within twenty-one days. The parish shall send a certified letter to all members in good standing notifying them of this second assembly. At such time, a decision may be taken so long as there is a quorum of 200 members in good standing at the Parish Assembly.

Explanation of Option 2

Smaller transactions by definition have very limited impact on the life of our community, and they are transactional in nature typically involving the sale of a small piece of property that was donated to our parish. It seems reasonable to expect that we execute "ordinary-course" transactions with a smaller quorum. However, larger transactions will have an enormous impact on the life of our

community, with considerations that will affect us, our children, and their children long into the future. As a consequence, we owe it to ourselves to maintain a rigorous threshold for a quorum. The quorum should constitute a community-wide effort to approve large and complicated transactions versus major decisions being made by a small number of voting Stewards (minority). For large, complicated, impactful transactions we have a responsibility to ourselves to ensure broad-based attendance at such a voting Parish Assembly. We have many communication methods at our disposal, including word-of-mouth, old-fashioned phone trees, and advanced social media. As our community has demonstrated in recent years, we draw large numbers of attendees at our Festival, at weddings, at celebrations honoring clergy, and at other community-wide events. Stewards who live out-of-town have demonstrated a willingness and an ability to attend such events. A strong turnout and attendance should likewise be expected for proposed transactions that will impact our community for generations to come.

Definitions

1. “Steward Families” shall mean any family or individual making a fair share pledge
2. “Number of Steward Families” shall be provided by the Church Office/Parish Council Treasurer once a year, at the end of every calendar year, for that year. i.e., no later than December 21, 2021, for calendar year 2021, no later than December 31, 2022, for calendar year 2022, etc
3. “Voting Stewards” shall mean any individual eligible to vote at a Parish Assembly or at Parish Elections

Illustrative Examples

1. Husband, wife, three children, ages 15, 19, 26
One Steward Family, two members in good standing (two votes)
2. Single person, age > 18
One Steward Family, one member in good standing (one vote)
3. Yiayia or Papou
One Steward Family, one member in good standing (one vote)



SAVE THE DATE

HIERARCHICAL VISIT

With love in Christ, we are excited to announce that

His Grace, Bishop **CONSTANTINE** of **Sassima**

will make his first Hierarchical visit to our beloved Parish and celebrate the Hierarchical Divine Liturgy at Holy Trinity Cathedral on December 4, 2022. There will be NO Divine Liturgy at Prophet Elias Church on this Sunday so that we may come together as one Community Family to welcome His Grace. A celebratory Fellowship Hour will follow the Divine Liturgy.



Metropolis of Denver
 2023 GOYA Basketball Registration
OPEN!

Register today !

REGULAR REGISTRATION OPENS NOV 1
REGISTRATION CLOSSES NOV 30

Don't hesitate, register today!
<https://youth.denver.goarch.org/basketball-2023>








The Panahiakos Society

Turkey Raffle and Bake Sale

Sunday, November 20 after church at Holy Trinity
 Tickets will be available during coffee hour on that day.

Thanks for your support
HAPPY THANKSGIVING!




STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE



The Thanksgiving Celebration will be upon us soon. As we close in on this very important holiday let “Gratitude guide your Attitude”.

Most of us have so much to be thankful for each and every day. Don’t wait for one day in November to show your gratitude to God for all the blessings in your life. Show your appreciation for daily blessing of shelter, clothing, food, health, and the many loved ones to share these with. Stewardship can be expressed with your Time, Treasure, and Talent.

Now is a good time to make sure you have pledged and are current on your 2022 Stewardship. Not only will you help support the many ministries in our community, it will allow you to vote in our upcoming elections for the Parrish Council as well as for the very important decisions surrounding the Campus Project at Holy Trinity.

Another way to complement your Stewardship is to run for the Parrish Council. This is a very important role that leads and directs the daily life of our Parrish. Each year we need 15 dedicated Parishioners to commit to this fulfilling and important responsibility.

We wish you a Blessed Thanksgiving and hope to see you in church.

STEWARDSHIP FACTS & FIGURES

Cost to operate our community each day: \$3800 daily

Target goal for each Steward/Family: \$2500 yearly



PHILOPTOCHOS CORNER

Upcoming Events

Koulouria baking

Thursday, November 17 at 9:00am - HT warehouse



Galaktoboureko baking

Saturday, November 19 at 9:00am - HT warehouse

Sorting clothing for the Thanksgiving Dinner

Tuesday, November 22 at 6:00pm - HT

General Meeting

Tuesday, December 6 at 6:30pm - PE boardroom

Community Christmas Party

Friday, December 9 at 6:30pm - PE (see flyer for full details)

Thanksgiving Clothing Collection

In preparation for the Thanksgiving Dinner, we are starting to gather clothing donations. Please bring warm gently used clothing to Holy Trinity (carpeted area). Please be mindful – if you are donating undergarments, please ensure they are new and unused.

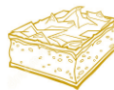
Holiday Goodies for Sale

We will be selling these items starting on Sunday, November 20th at both churches.

Pastichio \$30

Galaktoboureko \$25

Koulouria \$7






23RD ANNUAL

Holladay Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

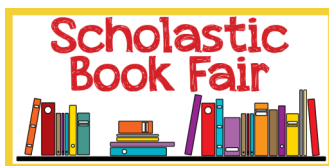
SUN, NOV 13 @ 7:00 PM
SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH, 1375 SPRING LN

Keynote Speaker Rabbi Sam Spector, Congregation Kol Ami	Presentation of the Colors Unified Fire Authority and Boy Scouts of America Troop 39
Youth Speaker Gary Duran, Holladay United Church of Christ	Musical Performances Sotto Voce Strings Directed by Asheley Watabe AnnaMarie Noelle Cardinelle Accompanied by Adrian Ruger

The Invocation will be offered by our very own Fr. George



ST. SOPHIA SCHOOL



Don't miss the Scholastic book fair at Saint Sophia School

SAT
IS
FINAL
DAY!

→ November 1-12, 8:30am - 9:30am ←

Exclusives, new releases and more!
 So many choices, all of them good.
 You can also shop the book fair online at

<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/saintsophiaschool>

All purchases through the Book Fair benefit our school.
 Thanks for supporting our kids! Happy reading!



NOVEMBER 13

YAL
SUNDAY

PROPHET ELIAS

BREAKFAST AT RICH'S
BAGELS AFTER





**Jr & Sr GOYANS
coming
together with
helping hands**

**WE CAN HELP LOCAL CHILDREN through the
Granite Education Foundation**

****6th-12th Grade GOYAN's****

Come together

Prophet Elias, Wednesday, 11/16 from 6-8pm

Come, donate, and assemble snack packs.

**We will enjoy dinner & work on our 1st
charitable event of the year.**

**COME AND
DONATE
ALL OF
THESE
ITEMS**

1 BOX OF GRANOLA BARS

1 BOX OF FRUIT SNACKS

1 BOX OF JUICE BOX/POUCH

**Each
GOYAN
BRING**





eat, drink, &
BE THANKFUL

A FRIENDSGIVING POTLUCK
+
YAL ELECTIONS



NOV. 17, 7PM AT PROPHET ELIAS

TEXT JLP TO SIGN UP FOR FOOD
(801)696-7317



Jr. and Sr.

GOYA Rock

the 'giving



**Come to H.T. on Tuesday, Nov 22nd from
6-8 to help sort clothes and make sweet
treats for our youngest
Thanksgiving guests
*enjoy pizza & parea***



The Greek Orthodox Church of Greater Salt Lake
is hosting its annual

Thanksgiving Day Dinner

for the homeless and the hungry

Thursday, November **24** 11:00am - 2:00pm



Holy Trinity Memorial Hall

279 South 300 West, SLC, UT 84101

Volunteers needed for meal
delivery. Please call the
Church Office @
801-328-9681

Donations welcome
if by check make out to
Holy Trinity with memo
'Thanksgiving Dinner'





THE SOCIETY OF ATHANASIOS DIAKOS

Christmas Luncheon

Sunday, December 4th 1:00 pm

Cottonwood Country Club

\$60 per person

*Your check is your reservation,
Mail your payment made payable to:*


*Athanasios Diakos
2471 East Lexington Circle
Salt Lake City, UT 84124
Phone: (801) 273-1921*

*Deadline for reservations is
Tuesday, November 29th
No Exceptions!*

Menu: Grilled Salmon & Petite Filet Buffet

Raffle Prizes!

Children's menu available \$20, 12 & under





OH 
WHAT
 FUN!

Join us for a Festive Celebration to kick off
the Holiday Season!

December 9th, 6:30pm

Prophet Elias

Community Tree Lighting at 7:00pm

Gingerbread Mansion decorating, dinner, raffle, and
more!

Must reserve Gingerbread Mansions ahead - \$20

RSVP to Nia Reganis (801)-243-7802

Pari Katsanevas (801)-652-6249

Hosted by Philoptochos

Donations welcome!





Choir
Community
Christmas Concert and
Dinner

At Prophet Elias Church
Sunday, December 18, at 5:00pm

The combined Choirs of
Holy Trinity, Prophet Elias and St. Anna
Invite the Community to their Annual
Christmas Dinner Concert

A special feature will be the
Christmas Jazz Orchestra

Please join us for a Joyous Christmas Season!



COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS CARD

We are now collecting names for our Community Christmas Card. Please fill out the line below and include a \$10 donation per family, and return it to the church office or hand it to a Parish Council member in the Narthex no later than December 2nd! You can also call the Church office and provide your information for a credit card payment.

Please put your name below as you wish it to appear on the card:

We thank you for your continued support and pray that the upcoming season is blessed with humility, love and kindness as we await the birth of Our Saviour Jesus Christ.





ANNOUNCEMENTS



~ REMINDER ~

Fall Parish Assembly (Very important GA, Please attend!)
Sunday, November 20, HT at 2:00pm

- [Greek Dance Practice](#) ~ will be reconvening in Jan/Feb for all groups. Please watch for additional information in the coming weeks.
- [GF Sale item](#) ~ We have 23 cases of Gyro meat for sale. They are priced at \$55 per case. Please contact the Church Office to coordinate payment and pickup.
- [Instant Church Directory](#) ~ If you are in need to contact someone within our Church, we encourage you to utilize the Instant Church Directory App. For further information you may call the Church office at 801.328.9681 and we would be happy to help you locate, and navigate the information that is available to you.
- [Movie Event](#) ~ [Smyrna, the Epic War Drama, Comes to the Big Screen in the US](#)
Smyrna based on a family diary that recounts the 1922 disaster. A century after the disaster of Smyrna, the critically acclaimed and moving drama about an elderly Greek-American woman comes to life. Her family diary recounts the 1922 burning of the cosmopolitan city of Smyrna where Greeks, Turks, Jews, Armenians, and Levantines once lived together harmoniously. Showings are December 8th at Jordan Commons, Jordan Landing & Century Theater (3300 S.) and Farmington @ Station Park

SAVE THE DATES!

- [2023 Metropolis of Denver Basketball Tournament](#)
Martin Luther King Jr. Weekend January 13-16, 2023, Tulsa Oklahoma Volleyball will be added as an option. Please note the Early Bird registration discount if paid by October 31 at <https://youth.denver.goarch.org/basketball-2023>
- [Camp Emmanuel 2023](#)
July 16~22, 2023, Ponderosa Camp, Larkspur, Colorado

