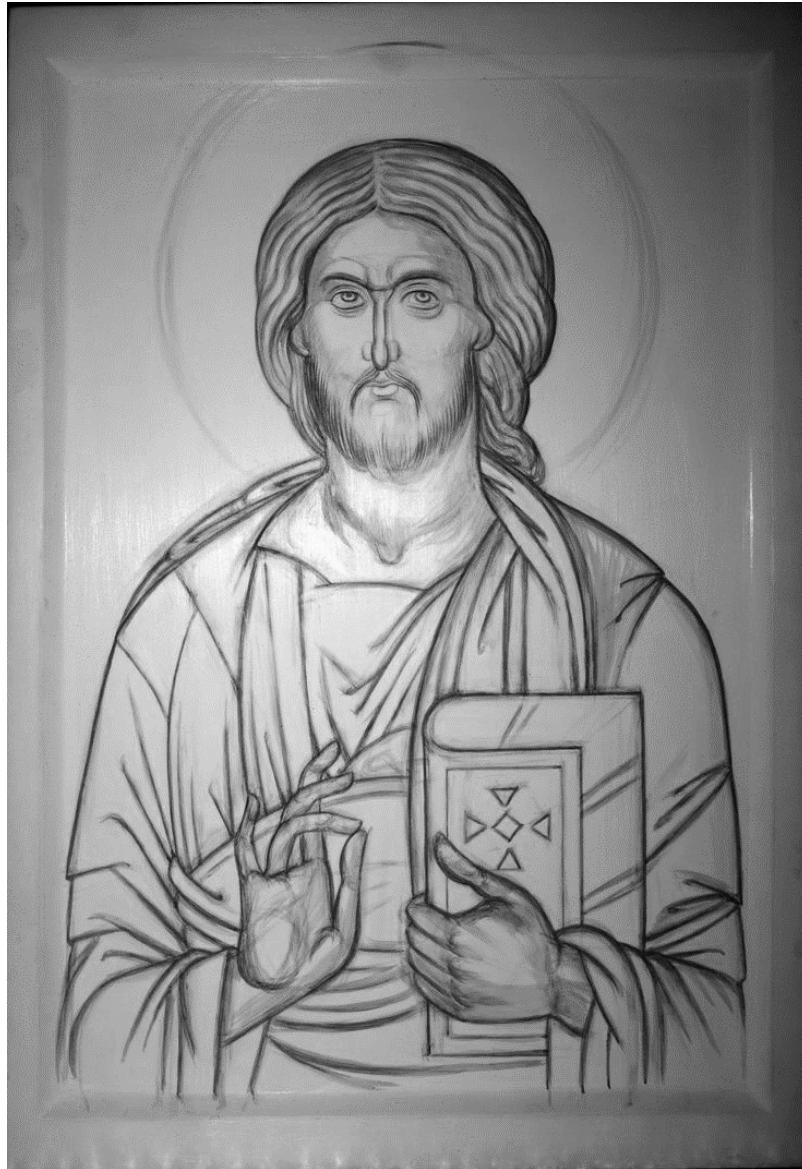


Fifth Sunday of Great Lent



Sunday, April 21, 2024

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church
250 Gallows Hill Road, Westfield, New Jersey 07090

[Live streaming services](#) - 908.233.8533 - www.holytrinitywestfield.org

Rev. Fr. Peter Delvzizis, Parish Priest

On the Fifth Sunday of Great Lent we commemorate Our Righteous Mother St. Mary of Egypt; The Holy Hieromartyr St. Januarios and those with him; Our Holy Father St. Maximian, Patriarch of Constantinople; St. Theodore the Holy Martyr & his mother St. Philippa of Perge; St. Alexandra the Martyr

Click links for Scripture Readings

Morning Gospel:	St. Mark 16:1-8	Ελληνικά
Epistle Reading:	Hebrews 9:11-14	Ελληνικά
Gospel Reading:	St. Mark 10:32-45	Ελληνικά

Plagal First Tone Ηχος Πλ. Α΄

Apolytikion of the Resurrection: *“To the Word, co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit, born of the Virgin for our salvation, let us, the faithful, give praise and worship. For He willed to be lifted up on the cross in the flesh, to endure death and raise the dead by His glorious resurrection.”*

Apolytikion of St. Mary: *“In you, O Mother, is preserved undistorted what was made in the image of God; for taking up the cross, you followed Christ and by example taught, that we should overlook the flesh, since it passes away, and instead look after the soul, since it is immortal. And therefore, O devout Mary, your spirit rejoices with the angels.”*

Apolytikion of the Church: *“Blessed are You, O Christ our Lord and God, You who made all wise the fishermen Your Apostles, sending down upon them Your Spirit, which is Holy and through their work drawing the world into Your net, glory to You Who loves mankind.”*

Kontakion: *“A protection of Christians unshamable,* Intercessor to our Holy Maker, unwavering,* please reject not* the prayerful cries of those who are in sin.* Instead, come to us for you are good;* your loving help do bring to us,* who are crying in faith to you.* hasten to intercession* and speed now to supplication,* as a protection for all time,* Theotokos, for those who honor you.”*

Altar Donations

Altar Candles - In loving memory of Mary and Anthony Coutros†; **Vigil Light** - In loving memory of Gus Vlangos†; **Large Candles** - In loving memory of Vasilios and Evangelos Daskalopoulos†; **Kandili** - In loving memory of Mary and Anthony Coutros†; **Prothesis Candles** - In loving memory of our beautiful Maria†. May her memory be eternal.

Sacraments and Rites

Memorials: Your prayers are requested Sunday morning at the memorial services in loving memory of Mary Coutros†, 4 years and Anthony Coutros†, 16 years; In loving memory of Stella Savva†, 14 years. Eternal be their memories.

Liturgical Schedule

Monday, April 22, Lenten Vespers, 5:00 PM

Wednesday, April 24, Presanctified Liturgy, 6:30 PM; Theosis, 7:45 PM

Saturday, April 27, Saturday of Lazarus, Orthros, 8:45 AM; Divine Liturgy, 9:30 AM

Sunday, April 28, **Palm Sunday**, Orthros, 8:30 AM; Divine Liturgy, 9:30 AM

Sunday, April 28, Bridegroom Service, 6:30 PM

Holy Monday, April 29, Bridegroom Service, 6:30 PM

Holy Tuesday, April 30, Presanctified Liturgy, 9:30 AM

Holy Tuesday, April 30, Bridegroom Service, 6:30 PM Hymn of Kassiani

Holy Wednesday, May 1, Sacrament of Holy Unction, 3:00 PM

Holy Wednesday, May 1, Bridegroom Service with Anointing of Unction, 6:30 PM

Holy Thursday, May 2, Divine Liturgy of the Mystical Supper, 9:30 AM

Holy Thursday, May 2, Divine Passion and Crucifixion, Twelve Gospels, 6:30 PM

Holy Friday, May 3, Imperial Hours, 9:30 AM

Holy Friday, May 3, Apokathelosis, Un-nailing Service, 3:00 PM

Holy Friday, May 3, Lamentation Service, 6:30 PM

Holy Saturday, May 4, Proti Anastasi Service, Divine Liturgy, 9:30 AM

Holy Saturday, May 4, Resurrection Vigil, 11:15 PM

THE GREAT AND HOLY PASCHA, May 5, Paschal Divine Liturgy, 12:00 AM

THE GREAT AND HOLY PASCHA, May 5, Agape Vespers, 11:00 AM

HE WHO HAS PITY ON THE POOR LENDS TO THE LORD

Both the poor man who begs and the rich man who gives, place the Lord under an obligation: not only when the poor man begs in the name of the Lord and with humility, but also when the rich man gives in the name of the Lord and with compassion. Everyone who receives must realize that he receives that which is God's; and, when a man gives, he must realize that he gives that which is God's. The giving as much as the receiving both have a value.

We all come naked into the world, and naked we leave it. We are all beggars before God, because we have nothing that we have not received from Him. Therefore, give to the poor man, your brother, even as God has given to you. You take what is another's and you give to your own when you give alms.

The poor man is closer to you than all your goods, even as God, the Creator of all men, values each man as being far more precious than all his goods. If you have been given wealth, it has been given to you as a test. It is to test your heart; to let God and the hosts of heaven see if you have understood from whom your wealth comes and why it has been given to you. Truly blessed are you if you understand that your wealth comes from God and belongs to God. Blessed are you if you count

the poor as your own family, as members of your own household, and share with them that which God has entrusted to you.

Oh, how immeasurable is God's love for mankind! Lo, all that you have belongs to God, yet He considers Himself your debtor if you take what is His and give it to the poor, and He will pay you for your good deed. What mercy can equal this?

O Lord, Lover of mankind, open our minds that we may comprehend the mystery of Your mercy, and soften our hearts that they may be like wax, and like wax burn and shine with the reflection of Your ineffable mercy. To You be glory and praise for ever. Amen.

- Bishop Nikolai Velimirovic

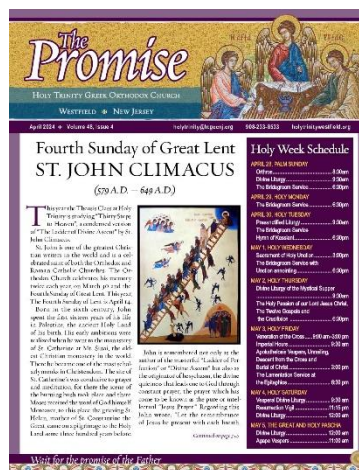
Welcome Visitors

We welcome all those visiting our parish and are pleased that you have chosen to worship with us. If you are looking for a friendly spiritual home, we invite you to become part of the Holy Trinity family. Fr. Peter would very much like to meet you. Please visit the Philoxenia/Fellowship table in the Bouras Center after services to meet parishioners and enjoy our Fellowship.

Fellowship Hour

Please join us in the Bouras Center after church services for the Fellowship Hour being sponsored by the Coutros family in loving memory of Mary† and Anthony Coutros†.

The April Edition of
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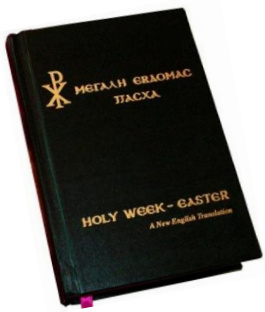


Theosis Program – Bible Study – Wednesday Evenings During Lent “Ladder of Divine Ascent”

After the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts, you are invited to attend the Theosis Program at 7:45 PM in Room 101. This year the class will review the Ladder of Divine Ascent and read through “Thirty Steps to Heaven” which is available for purchase in the parish bookstore.

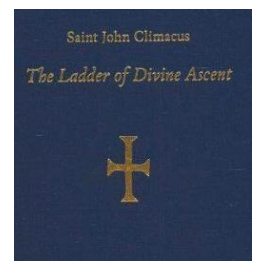
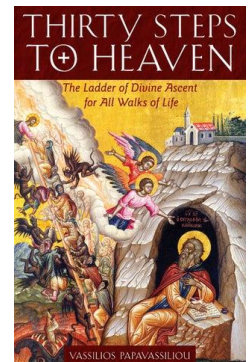
Holy Week Book – Now Available in Bookstore

Purchase your copy of the “Holy Week – Easter” book now available. This book contains the text for services from Palm Sunday Evening to Pascha Agape Vespers. The book helps the faithful navigate the many services that make up Holy Week. When we attend the services and use the book as a guide, we are spiritually uplifted participating in a more meaningful way.



Suggested Lenten Readings

Fr. Peter presents a list of amazing and spiritually uplifting books to read during Great Lent. Both “The Lenten Spring” and “Great Lent” are books that give the reader an understanding of the various themes we encounter during the seven weeks of Lent. There is no other book more powerful than St. John Climacus’ “The Ladder of Divine Ascent”. To this day in monasteries all over the world, this is the text that is read during mealtimes. A condensed version is offered in “Thirty Steps to Heaven”, the book that will be read during the Theosis Program on Wednesday nights during Lent. It is a necessity for those in the ascetic struggle. These, plus other titles, are available at Holy Trinity’s Bookstore.



New Bookstore Title Perfect for Lent

“Nistisima” is Greek for fasting. This is an ideal book for the Orthodox period of Great Lent. Recently published in 2022, it offers many traditional mouthwatering recipes along with many other classical ones that embrace the Lenten period. This book is hard to find so get yours today, while it is in stock. It is perfect to add to your cookbook collection.

Three Things to know about Prayer as Holy Week approaches

First, prayer is to stand before God. Prayer is more than talking to God. It is waiting upon God. It is a relationship, a personal encounter. It is being in His presence, basking in it. Next, prayer is “standing before God with the mind in the heart.” We are to present God not just with the mind, but a mind that has descended into the heart. When this happens, we are completely and totally present to the Lord. We are not to let Jesus remain in the mind and give Him only a cold intellectual allegiance. He descends into the heart where we feel His presence and yield our will to Him. Lastly, we are to stand before God unceasingly day and night until the end of life. In other words, prayer becomes the prime and constant activity that permeates all that we do in life. To use the words of Metropolitan Kallistos Ware, “Prayer should not be something we do from time to time, but something that we are all the time... (we are) not just people who say prayers occasionally, but people who are prayer continually.”

Holy Week and Pascha Preparations

Special Collection for Easter Decorations

A collection will be taken today for donations to decorate the Church and the Kouvouklion. Flowers are used throughout Holy Week and we request your help. Checks should be made out to HTGOC. Your generosity will ensure a proper and beautiful adornment of Christ's Tomb.

Special Donations for Palm Sunday, Holy Week and/or Pascha

If you desire to make a special donation, call the church office to find out what items are available, such as flowers, icon floral decoration, candles, vigil light, incense, charcoal, and more.



Palm Tying – Saturday, April 27

Please join us in the Bouras Center on Saturday, April 27 to help tie Palm Crosses for Palm Sunday distribution. The process will begin immediately after the Divine Liturgy on Saturday of Lazarus. No experience is necessary. Your Stewardship and Fellowship are important components in helping to make Holy Week special.

Ladies Philoptochos Palm Sunday Fellowship Hour – April 28

The Ladies Philoptochos will be sponsoring a special Fellowship Hour after Palm Sunday Liturgy. Kindly assist us with a Lenten contribution of one of the following: fruit (e.g. strawberries, orange slices, grapes, blueberries, etc., washed and ready for platters), sliced mini bagels, mini muffins, nuts or halva. Please sign up at the Philoptochos table or contact Marigo Markos at mchantzis@aol.com or 908-578-9330.

St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Presentation

On Sunday we will hear from two senior contestants who presented at the parish St. John Chrysostom Festival. Nicholas Sikellis and Nadia Tarhanidis will offer reflections on: *“Slander and forgiving others who hurt us – St. Nektarios of Aegina”* and *“A response to increasing natural disasters and God allowing these things to happen.”*

Metropolis of New Jersey to Honor Holy Trinity Parishioners – May 13

On Monday, May 13, parishioners from Holy Trinity will be honored at the Metropolis Grand Banquet. We thank this year's honorees who give selflessly of themselves to help benefit parish ministries: Hellen Kiriakatis-Senior Parish Member; Jerry Savnik-Steward of the Community; A.J. Karanikolas-Parish Council; Ellen Conti-Philoptochos; Kathy Drivas-Greek Education Teacher; Maria Tarhanidis-Youth Advisor; Nadia Konstantina Tarhanidis -GOYA; Peter Markos-Religious Education Teacher. The event will be held at the Venetian in Garfield beginning at 6 PM. Tickets are \$135/person. For reservations call the church office by April 22. If you would like to support an honoree with a sponsorship ad, please call the church office.

Metropolis of New Jersey Facebook Page

His Eminence Metropolitan Apostolos wishes to inform all that the Metropolis has created a new Greek Orthodox Metropolis of New Jersey Facebook Page. Please visit and follow this page and share the link with fellow parishioners. www.facebook.com/people/Greek-Orthodox-Metropolis-of-New-Jersey/



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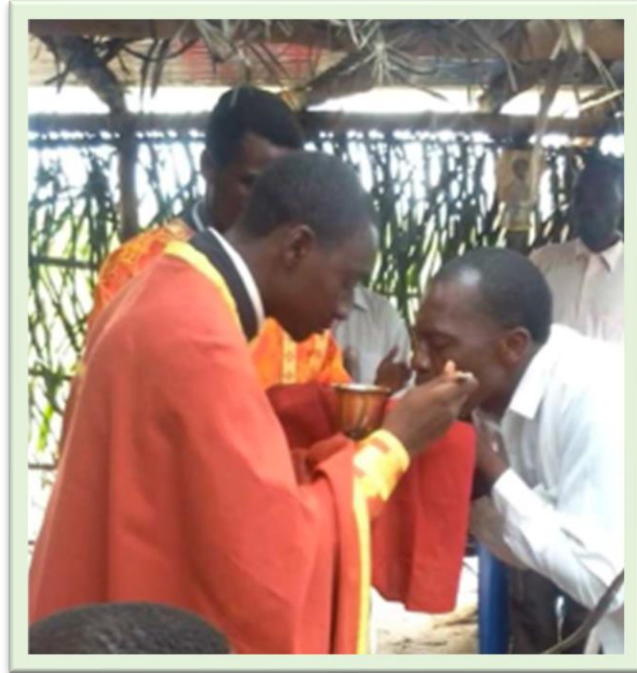
Support a Mission Priest

It's unbelievable how a small thing can grow into a tremendous success when our hearts are in the right place. The Support a Mission Priest (SAMP) Agape Fund raised awareness of OCMC's (Orthodox Christian Mission Center) efforts. Holy Trinity with her parishioners is now supporting some seven priests. Glory to God for this!

The Support a Mission Priest Program provides a subsidy to help priests in the Orthodox Church of Africa (Patriarchate of Alexandria) share the Faith, care for their communities, and provide for their families. Holy Trinity contributions are helping the following clergy:



His Grace Bishop Neofitos Kongai



Fr. Joseph Mukadi (Dem. Rep. of the Congo)

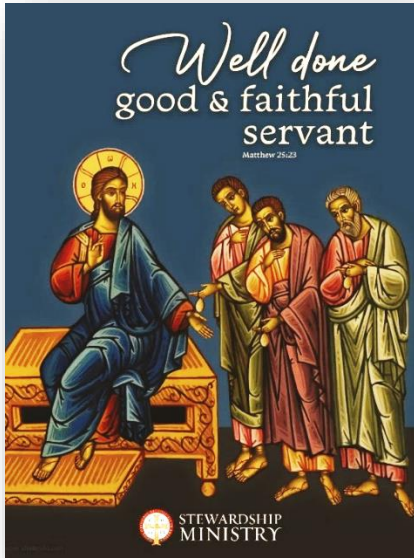


Fr. John Okello (Uganda)



Fr. Martin Bayang (Cameroon)

In addition, Fr. Peter and Presvytera Victoria committed to support His Grace Bishop Neofitos of Kenya. There are another four parishioners supporting mission priests in our parish. If you or your family would like to be part of this extraordinary effort, please contact Father Peter, he will get you connected so that you can Support a Mission Priest.



As Christian Stewards we are called to give back to God from the “first fruits” of our labor. We do this in large part by supporting Our Church, Our Spiritual Home. Each year during this time, I ask you to support our parish and her ministries in an intentional and meaningful way. We can do this by offering the first and the best of our fruits!

Thank you for your stewardship of time, talent, and treasure!

[Click here to complete your 2024 Stewardship Commitment Card online.](#)

TOTS Playgroup – Friday, April 26

The next TOTS (Trinity Orthodox Toddler Social) meeting will be on Friday, April 26, 9:30-11:30 AM in the preschool room. Children 18 months-Pre-K are welcome with their caregiver (younger siblings welcome!). Bring water, sneakers, and a snack. Contact Val Comprelli at vcomprelli@gmail.com or 612-801-8608 to sign up or to ask any questions.

Cemetery Palm Cross Pick Up – Sunday, April 21

Pick up your Cemetery Palm Cross order on Sunday, April 21 during the Fellowship Hour.

Parish Lenten Mission Project – OCMC Coin Boxes

OCMC Coin Boxes that were taken at the start of Lent are being collected Sunday, April 21. You may bring them to church anytime if you don't have yours today. We thank you for filling the boxes, not only with money, but with Christian love.

Parish Lenten Project – Saturday, April 20

RISE AGAINST HUNGER

Hunger means more than missing a meal or the physiological response to an empty stomach. Not having reliable or affordable access to food can be devastating, causing poor health and malnourishment or impaired child development and overall poor well-being. “Rise Against Hunger” is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to end hunger around the world. Holy Trinity is sponsoring a meal-packaging event with “Rise Against Hunger”. We need your help. On Saturday, April 20, from 10 AM - 12 PM, please come and help prepare 2,000 bags for 12,000 meals (no

cooking needed). 60 volunteers are needed! We are kindly requesting sign-up and any donation to offset the cost. Stop by the Philoptochos table or use the following link

<http://events.riseagainsthunger.org/LadiesPhiloptochos>

For further information, please reach out to Kathy Maglaras at maglarask@yahoo.com



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Trinity Circle – May 7

Please join us on Tuesday, May 7, for our monthly lunch/meeting from 11 AM -2 PM with speaker Steve Xenakis on “The Natural Wonders of Crete”. Lunch donated by Notis Kotsolios in memory of his beloved wife Theresa. May her memory be eternal.

New Members Celebratory Dinner & Reception – Friday, May 10

The Parish Council of Holy Trinity is hosting a *Celebratory Dinner & Reception* honoring new parish members & their families (2020 - present) on Friday, May 10, at 6:30 PM in the Bouras Center. New members are requested to RSVP by April 28 at the Fellowship table in the Bouras Center or to Gina Sikellis Gsikellis@gmail.com with the number of persons attending including the number and ages of children.

2024 Ladies Philoptochos Annual Dinner Fashion Show – May 21

The 2024 Philoptochos Fashion Show will be held Tuesday, May 21, 2024 at Brooklake Country Club with fashions by Emily's of Staten Island. Invitations for this beautiful event have been mailed out with many replies already arriving. If you are planning to attend, please send in your reply cards or visit the Philoptochos table during the Fellowship Hour to make your reservation. Reservations are accepted on a first-come basis. Also, reserve your Value Pak discounted raffle ticket set: please see Ellen Manos. For additional information, please contact Cassandra Romas, 2024 Fashion Show Chairman, kromas22409@gmail.com

The Holy Trinity Cultural Committee

The Holy Trinity Cultural Committee would like to share Hellenic and Orthodox cultural events and exhibits from organizations and institutions available to all. **East Mediterranean Business Culture Alliance** webinar events on <https://www.youtube.com/@embca>

- For a virtual tour of **The Metropolitan Museum of Art Exhibition: Africa & Byzantium** watch now at: <https://youtu.be/NHIT9vq6mJU>
- Please be advised The 3rd Nikos Mouyiaris Memorial Lecture scheduled for April 20, 2024 has been CANCELLED and will be rescheduled in the Fall of 2024.

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church of Westfield

Annual Lenten Project

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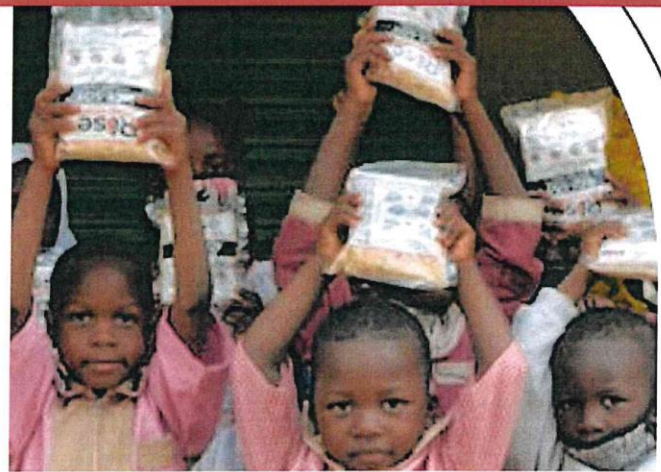
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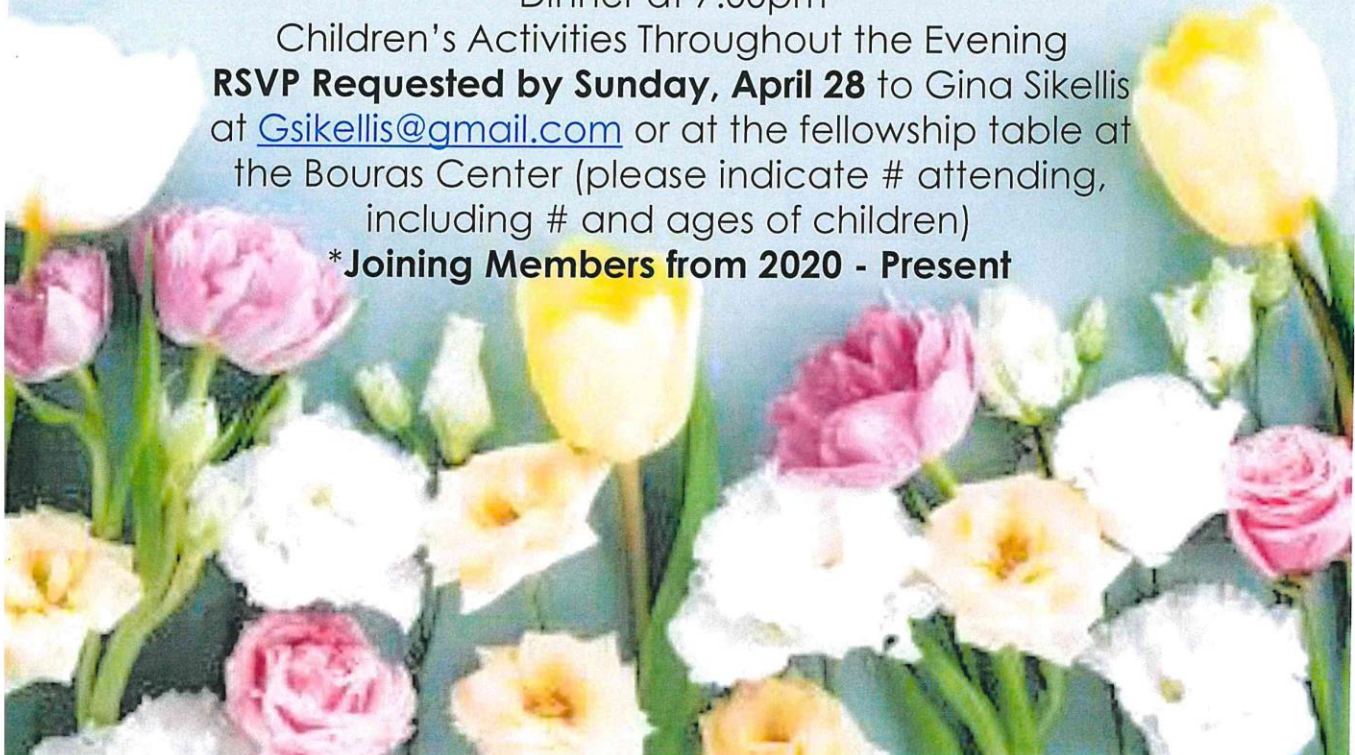
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at the Bouras Center, Holy Trinity
Family Reception & Cocktails at 6:30pm
Dinner at 7:00pm

Children's Activities Throughout the Evening

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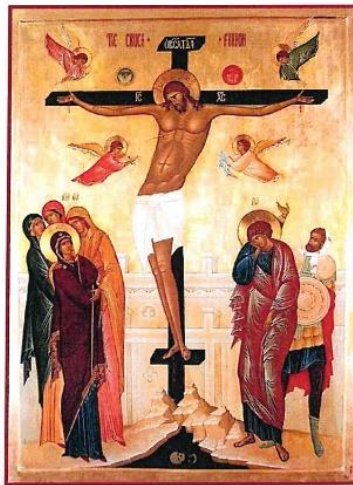
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Friday, May 3, 2024 ~ 10 am to 4 pm



The Retreat will focus on the theology, symbols, and hymns of Holy Week, Holy Friday and Pascha

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Apokathelosis from 3pm to 4pm

Parents are asked to attend the Apokathelosis Service at 3pm

A Lenten lunch and midday snack will be included

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Contact Pete Markos (pmarkos12@gmail.com) or Melissa Krikos (mkrikos@gmail.com)

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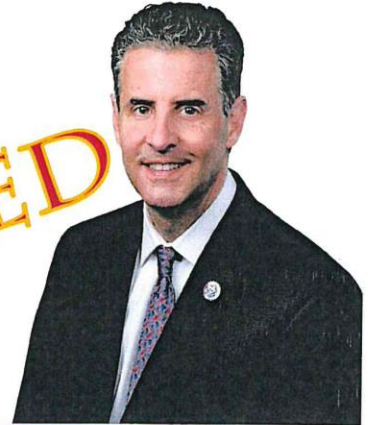
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# 3<sup>RD</sup> NIKOS MOUYIARIS MEMORIAL LECTURE

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*“To aid the widowed, the poor, the aged, the sick, the orphaned, the handicapped, the victims of disasters, and more.”*

**Please support our efforts and place a BUSINESS AD in our 2024 Journal!** Place your Business Ad by sending us the following no later than April 10, 2024:

1. **Email:** Send PDF file of your Ad creative unit to [alexandra.mavridis@yahoo.com](mailto:alexandra.mavridis@yahoo.com). If you want to repeat your identical ad from last year or want to make minor changes, please email us stating so.
2. **U.S. Mail:** Complete the tear-off below and mail with payment and copy of your creative ad to address below. Please make checks payable to **“The Ladies Philoptochos Society – HTGOC.”**

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church  
Attn: The Ladies Philoptochos Society - Ad Journal Committee  
250 Gallows Hill Rd., Westfield, NJ 07090

**BUSINESS AD AND SPONSORSHIP LEVELS**

|                                                                           |          |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Outside Back Cover.....                                                   | \$ 2,000 |
| Premium Sponsor (4C Full Page Ad on Inside Cover or First/Last Page)..... | \$ 550   |
| Platinum Sponsor (BW Full Page Ad in 1 <sup>st</sup> half of book).....   | \$ 350   |
| Event Supporter (BW Ad on inside page of book; 2 sizes available):        |          |
| Full Page Ad (approx. 5" X 8").....                                       | \$ 200   |
| Half Page (approx. 5" X 4").....                                          | \$ 150   |

**THE DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF ADVERTISEMENTS IS APRIL 10, 2024.**

IF YOU PLACED AN AD IN 2023 AD JOURNAL, A COPY IS ATTACHED.

The Ladies Philoptochos Society reserves the right to modify creative in order to conform to Journal specifications.

**Thank you for your generous support!      Alexandra Mavridis - Ad Journal Chairperson**

\*\*\*\*\* 2024 Sponsorship Business Journal Ad \*\*\*\*\*

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Business address \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsorship Level \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Ad Creative: Repeat Last Year's Ad \_\_\_\_\_ New Creative PDF emailed on \_\_\_\_\_

**Reminder to include copy of Ad creative and your check with this form when mailing.**

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Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church  
250 Gallows Hill Rd., Westfield, NJ 07090

**2024 JOURNAL--- PERSONAL AD CONTRACT**

Dear Members and Friends of The Ladies Philoptochos Society – HTGOC,

Our ANNUAL SPRING FASHION SHOW will be held on Tuesday, May 21, 2024 at Brooklake Country Club in Florham Park, NJ. Proceeds from the Ad Journal greatly benefit Philoptochos charities.

**Please support our efforts and place a PERSONAL TRIBUTE to a special person in your life:  
Mother’s Day, Birthday, Anniversary, In Memory of, Honoring a group or any special message!**

Place your Personal Tribute by sending us the following **no later than April 10, 2024:**

1. **Email:** Send PDF file of your tribute, including photo if applicable, to [alexandra.mavridis@yahoo.com](mailto:alexandra.mavridis@yahoo.com). If you need assistance in designing one, reach out to Alexandra Mavridis.
2. **U.S. Mail:** Complete the tear-off below and mail with payment and copy of your creative to address below. Please make checks payable to **“The Ladies Philoptochos Society – HTGOC.”**

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**TRIBUTE AD LEVELS**

|                                                                                                 |          |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Outside Back Cover.....                                                                         | \$ 2,000 |
| Platinum Sponsor Full Page (Premium placement; Black/White approx. 5” X 8”; optional photo) ... | \$ 200   |
| Full Page (Black/White approx. 5” X 8”; message with optional photo).....                       | \$ 100   |
| Half Page (Black/White approx. 5” X 4”; message with optional photo).....                       | \$ 55    |
| Quarter Page (Black/White approx. 5” X 2”; message only).....                                   | \$ 35    |

**THE FIRM DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF CREATIVE IS APRIL 10, 2024.**

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**Thank you for your generous support! Alexandra Mavridis - Ad Journal Chairperson**

\*\*\*\*\* 2024 Personal Tribute Journal Ad\*\*\*\*\*

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Tribute Level \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Tribute Type: Celebrating Someone Living in Your Life \_\_\_\_\_ or in Memoriam \_\_\_\_\_

Ad Creative: Repeat Last Year’s Ad \_\_\_\_\_ New Creative PDF emailed on \_\_\_\_\_

**Reminder: Please include copy of Tribute Ad creative and your check with this form when mailing.**

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# Upcoming Parish Events

## SAVE THE DATE!

### June 23-29, 2024

## CAMP GOOD SHEPHERD

The Metropolis Summer Camp program will take place in the summer of 2024 from June 23-29. Registration is now available. This is an excellent opportunity for children to meet other Greek Orthodox and to learn about the faith in a protected environment.



The poster features a teal background with a yellow brushstroke across the top. On the left, there are three circular icons representing Maryland, New Jersey, and Virginia. On the right, there are three photographs: a group of girls cheering with arms raised, a group of people in a canoe on a lake, and a group of people sitting on a bench. The text is arranged in a vertical flow, starting with the camp name and slogan, followed by details for each location. A QR code and registration link are at the bottom.

**Camp Good Shepherd**  
Experience the Best Week of Your Summer!

**CGS: MARYLAND**  
June 16-22, 2024  
Ages 8-18  
Camp Wo-Me-To  
1200 Knopp Rd, Jarrettsville, MD 21084  
Registration Fee: \$600 (Early Bird Discount until May 1, then \$675)

**CGS: NEW JERSEY**  
June 23-29, 2024  
Ages 8-18  
Camp Linwood MacDonald  
1 Flatbrook Rd, Sandyston, NJ 07826  
Registration Fee: \$625

**CGS: VIRGINIA (2 SESSIONS)**  
Week 1: July 7-13 (Completed 5th Grade - 8th Grade)  
Week 2: July 14-20 (Completed 9th Grade - 12th Grade)  
Camp Piantatank  
1586 Stampers Bay Rd Box 435, Hartfield, VA 23071  
Registration Fee: \$500

**REGISTER TODAY!**



[HTTP://APP.CAMPDOC.COM/REGISTER/CGSN](http://app.campdoc.com/register/cgsn)

MORE INFORMATION [HTTPS://WWW.NJ.GOARCH.ORG/CAMP-GOOD-SHEPHERD](https://www.nj.goarch.org/camp-good-shepherd)

