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**JULY 21, 2024**

**4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF MATTHEW**

*Symeon the fool for Christ*

*Parthenios, Bishop of Arta*

**ORTHROS ~ 8:45 A.M.**

**[\(ORTHROS SERVICE TEXT CLICK HERE\)](#)**

**MEMORIAL SERVICE ~ 9:45 A.M.**

*Dr. Tassos (Anastasios) Nassos – 2 years*

*All those who lost their lives during the  
Turkish Invasion of Cyprus 50 years ago.*

**DIVINE LITURGY ~ 10:00 A.M.**

**[\(LITURGY SERVICE TEXT CLICK HERE\)](#)**



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## *HYMNS OF THE DAY*

### ***RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION. MODE 3.*** *(Before the entrance)*

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Εὐφραινέσθω τὰ οὐράνια, ἀγαλλιάσθω τὰ ἐπίγεια, ὅτι ἐποίησε κράτος ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ, ὁ Κύριος· ἐπάτησε τῷ θανάτῳ τὸν θάνατον· πρωτότοκος τῶν νεκρῶν ἐγένετο· ἐκ κοιλίας ἄδου ἐρρύσατο ἡμᾶς, καὶ παρέσχε τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

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## ***MEMORIAL HYMN. MODE PLAGAL 4.***

Remember, O Lord, as You are good, Your servants, and forgive every sin they have committed in this life. For no one is sinless except You, Who have power to grant rest to those who have fallen asleep.

Μνήσθητι Κύριε, ὡς ἀγαθὸς τῶν δούλων σου, καὶ ὅσα ἐν βίῳ ἡμαρτον συγχώρησον· οὐδεὶς γὰρ ἀναμάρτητος, εἰ μὴ σὺ ὁ δυνάμενος, καὶ τοῖς μεταστᾶσι δοῦναι τὴν ἀνάπαυσιν.

## ***APOLYTIKION OF ST. ANTHONY THE GREAT. MODE 4***

Emulating the ways of Elijah the zealot, and following the straight paths of the Baptist, O Father Anthony, you made the wilderness a city, and did support the world by your prayers. Wherefore intercede with Christ our God, that our souls be saved.

Τὸν ζηλωτὴν Ἡλίαν τοῖς τρόποις μιμούμενος, τῷ Βαπτιστῇ εὐθείαις ταῖς τρίβοις ἐπόμενος, Πάτερ Ἀντώνιε, τῆς ἐρήμου γέγονας οἰκιστής, καὶ τὴν οἰκουμένην ἐστήριξας εὐχαῖς σου· διὸ πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

## ***KONTAKION. MODE. 2***

O Protection of Christians that never falls, intercession with the Creator that never fails, we sinners beg you, do not ignore the voices of our prayers. O good Lady, we implore you, quickly come unto our aid, when we cry out to you with faith. Hurry to intercession, and hasten to supplication, O Theotokos who protect now and ever those who honor you.

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε, μὴ παρίδης, ἀμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθή, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἰκεσίαν, ἢ προστατεύουσα ἀεὶ, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμῶντων σε.

## ***EPISTLE READING***

**Prokeimenon. Mode 3. Psalm 46.**

Sing praises to God; sing praises; sing praises to our King; sing praises.

**Verse:** Oh, clap your hands, all you nations; shout to God with the voice of rejoicing.

**The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Romans 6:18 – 23**

Brethren, having been set free from sin, you have become slaves of righteousness. I am speaking in human terms, because of the weakness of your flesh. For just as you once yielded your members to impurity and to greater and greater iniquity, so now yield your members to righteousness for sanctification. When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. But then what return did you get from the things of which you are now ashamed? The end of those things is death. But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the return you get is sanctification and its end, eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

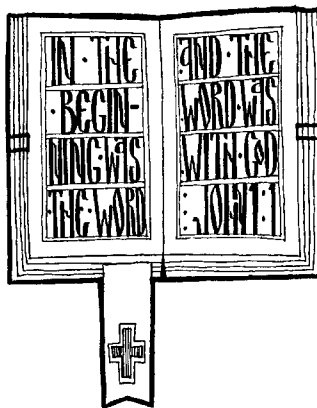


## *GOSPEL READING*

**Fourth Sunday of Matthew**

**The Gospel According to Matthew 8:5-13**

At that time, as Jesus entered Capernaum, a centurion came forward to him, beseeching him and saying, "Lord, my servant is lying paralyzed at home, in terrible distress." And he said to him, "I will come and heal him." But the centurion answered him, "Lord, I am not worthy to have you come under my roof; but only say the word, and my servant will be healed. For I am a man under authority, with soldiers under me; and I say to one, 'Go,' and he goes, and to another, 'Come,' and he comes, and to my slave, 'Do this,' and he does it." When Jesus heard him, he marveled, and said to those who followed him, "Truly, I say to you, not even in Israel have I found such faith. I tell you, many will come from east and west and sit at table with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven, while the sons of the kingdom will be thrown into the outer darkness; there men will weep and gnash their teeth." And to the centurion Jesus said, "Go; be it done for you as you have believed." And the servant was healed at that very moment.



## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Ushers: Pete Gallanis, Nikole Zoumberakis, Perry Vidalakis**



**Today Social Hour is hosted by:** the Nassos Family in memory of *Tassos (Anastasios) Nassos*.

**St. Anthony's Coffee Hour is coordinated by St. Anthony Philoptochos:**

Please assist with bringing weekly goodies. A sign-up poster has been placed in the foyer of the hall. Please sign up on the poster or contact Tanya Christodoulelis at 626-379-2304. Thank you for your support.

Please contact the Church office if you need to schedule a memorial.

### **Weekday Divine Services for the Month of August**

*([saint-anthonys.org/calendar](http://saint-anthonys.org/calendar))*

<b>Friday, August 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Small Paraklesis – 6:00 pm</b>
<b>Monday, August 5<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Great Vespers of Holy Transfiguration – 6:00 pm</b>
<b>Tuesday, August 6<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Transfiguration of the Lord - 9:00 am Orthros, 10:00 am Divine Liturgy.</b>
<b>Wednesday, August 7<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Small Paraklesis – 6:00 pm</b>
<b>Friday, August 9<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Small Paraklesis – 6:00 pm</b>
<b>Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Small Paraklesis – 6:00 pm</b>
<b>Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Great Vespers of Dormition <u>in Long Beach</u> –7:00 pm</b>
<b>Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Dormition of the Theotokos - 9:00 am Orthros, 10:00 am Divine Liturgy.</b>

## **2024 GREEK FESTIVAL FOOD PREPARATION SCHEDULE**

We are beginning to prepare for the festival. Please join us, even if you only have a couple of hours. It will be an opportunity to get to know your fellow parishioners and have a good time while helping St. Anthony's. We can't do it without you! Cooking time will start at 9:00 am and lunch will be provided. We look forward to seeing you.

*Monday, July 29*

*Tyropita*

### *PHILOPTOCHOS ANNOUNCEMENTS*

#### **2024 Philoptochos Membership - Renew or Join**

As we continue our philanthropic endeavors, we kindly remind those who haven't yet renewed their 2024 Philoptochos membership that it's not too late. Your membership enables us to provide vital financial assistance and outreach to those in need. We welcome your participation in Philoptochos, no matter how much time you can commit. To renew or join by mail - send check (payable to St. Anthony Philoptochos Society) to St. Anthony Philoptochos Society, 778 South Rosemead Boulevard, Pasadena, CA 91107 or online at <https://stanthonlyphiloptochos.square.site> Each \$50 stewardship supports the National Philoptochos, the San Francisco Metropolis and St. Anthony Philoptochos obligations and projects. Thank you for your continued support and for helping make a difference in our community.

#### **St. Anthony Philoptochos Operation Classroom.**

Making sure that the young students in our community can start the school year on an equal footing with their classmates is critical.

Below is the Back-to-School Supply List.

**FRIENDS-IN-DEED PASADENA**  
**“BACK TO SCHOOL” BACKPACK DRIVE**  
**Supported by St. Anthony Philoptochos**

Last year over 400 backpacks filled with school supplies were provided to students in the Food Pantry community. All students that came for a backpack and school supplies received them. Your participation is more important than ever. We hope you will join in this effort!

**Back-to-School Supply List**

- Backpacks (sturdy enough to handle heavy books) – PLEASE NOTE: **NO ALL** red or blue
- College and wide-ruled notebook paper
- College and wide-ruled spiral notebooks
- College and wide-ruled composition notebooks
- Pens: blue and black
- Pencils, including #2 yellow 6-sided for younger grades
- Mechanical pencils
- Erasers
- Zipper pouch for pens and pencils (3 holed to go in binders)
- Colored markers (NO Sharpies or permanent markers)
- Highlighters (all colors)
- Sharpeners (must hold shavings)
- Crayons (prefer Crayola brand)
- 2 Pocket folders (prefer poly folders)
- Calculators
- Dry erase markers
- Student scissors (such as Fiskar brand)
- Rulers (metric & customary)
- 3” x 5” index cards
- Glue sticks
- 3 ring binders (1” – 3”)
- Tab dividers for binders
- Staplers and staples
- Copy paper
- Tissue/Kleenex (small to fit in backpacks)
- Hand sanitizer bottles
- Disinfecting wipes packets

**All items needed by July 25th – Collection box will be in church hall July 16<sup>th</sup> – July 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**(In person collection Sunday, July 21<sup>st</sup> after church)**

Questions? Nicolette Fuerst at [nicolette.fuerst@gmail.com](mailto:nicolette.fuerst@gmail.com)



The deadline for submitting information for the Sunday Bulletin is every Wednesday. please send it to [office@saint-anthonys.org](mailto:office@saint-anthonys.org)



## WELCOME!



We hope you enjoy your time with us today and that your worship experience is inspirational and uplifting.

Please note that *only baptized and/or Chrismated Orthodox Christians may partake of the Sacrament of Holy Communion.* At the end of the Divine Liturgy, you are welcome to come and receive the *Antidoron* (blessed bread) from the priest.

Contact our office at 626-449-6943 or [office@saint-anthonys.org](mailto:office@saint-anthonys.org) to receive more information about our parish or the Orthodox Christian faith.



SAINT ANTHONY GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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**GREEK FEST**

**20, 21, 22 SEPTEMBER 2024**

Friday 5pm - 10pm \* saturday noon - 10pm \* sunday noon - 10pm

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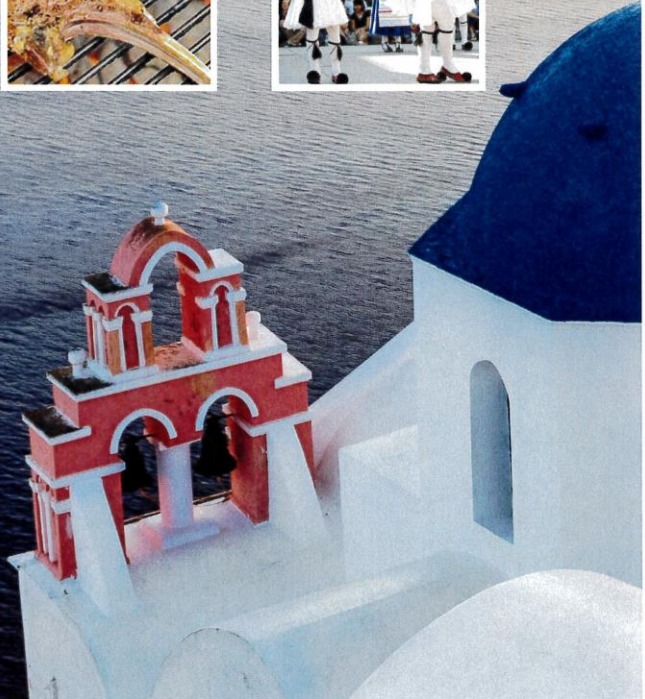


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Presenter:

Vasiliki Anyfanti, Attorney at Law  
of Abroad Law will be speaking

<https://abroadlaw.com/>

Thursday, September 26, 2024, 6:30 PM

Light Refreshments will be served

This event is free of charge.

**Reminder:**

**NO PARKING IN  
EMERGENCY WHITE  
ZONE IN FRONT OF  
CHURCH**

**A Handicap Placard or  
Handicap License Plate  
is required to park  
in the blue handicap  
parking spaces.**