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# AUGUST 11, 2024 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Matthew

Euplus, Archdeacon of Cantania Niphon, Patriarch of Constantinople

ORTHROS ~ 8:45 A.M.
(ORTHROS SERVICE TEXT CLICK HERE)

MEMORIAL SERVICE ~ 9:45 A.M. Hope Pappas – 40 days

DIVINE LITURGY ~ 10:00 A.M. (LITURGY SERVICE TEXT CLICK HERE)

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#### HYMNS OF THE DAY

#### **APOLYTIKION. GRAVE MODE.** (Before the entrance)

You were transfigured upon the mountain, O Christ our God, showing to Your disciples Your glory as much as they could bear. Do also in us, sinners though we may be, shine Your everlasting light, by the intercessions of the Theotokos, O Giver of light. Glory to You.

Μετεμορφώθης ἐν τῷ ὄρει Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, δείξας τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου τὴν δόξαν σου, καθὼς ἠδύναντο. Λάμψον καὶ ἡμῖν τοῖς ἁμαρτωλοῖς, τὸ φῶς σου τὸ ἀΐδιον, πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, φωτοδότα δόξα σοι.

#### **RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION. MODE PL. 2.** (After the entrance)

When the angelic powers appeared at Your tomb, the soldiers guarding it feared and became as dead. And standing by the sepulcher was Mary, who was seeking Your immaculate body. Unassailed by Hades, You divested it of spoils. Then You met the Virgin. You granted life. O Lord, risen from the dead, glory to You!

Άγγελικαὶ δυνάμεις ἐπὶ τὸ μνῆμα σου, καὶ οἱ φυλάσσοντες ἀπενεκρώθησαν καὶ ιστατο Μαρία ἐν τῷ τάφῳ, ζητοῦσα τὸ ἄχραντόν σου σῶμα. Ἐσκύλευσας τὸν ἄδην, μὴ πειρασθεὶς ὑπ' αὐτοῦ ὑπήντησας τῆ Παρθένῳ, δωρούμενος τὴν ζωήν. Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

#### APOLYTIKION OF THE FEAST, GRAVE MODE.

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#### MEMORIAL HYMN, MODE PLAGAL 4.

Remember, O Lord, as You are good, Your servant, and forgive every sin she has 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 τῆς δούλης σου, καὶ ὅσα ἐν βίῳ ἥμαρτεν συγχώρησον οὐδεὶς γὰρ ἀναμάρτητος, εἰ μὴ σὰ ὁ δυνάμενος, καὶ τῆ μεταστάση δοῦναι τήν ἀνάπαυσιν.

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

Emulating the ways of Elias the zealot, and following the straight paths of the Baptist, O Father Anthony, thou madest of the wilderness a city, and didst support the world by thy prayers. Wherefore intercede with Christ our God, that our souls be saved.

Τὸν ζηλωτὴν Ἡλίαν τοῖς τρόποις μιμούμενος, τῷ Βαπτιστῆ εὐθείαις ταῖς τρίβοις ἑπόμενος, Πάτερ Ἁντώνιε, τῆς ἐρήμου γέγονας οἰκιστής, καί τήν οἰκουμένην ἐστήριξας εὐχαῖς σου διὸ πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

#### KONTAKION. GRAVE MODE.

Upon the mountain were You transfigured, and Your disciples beheld Your glory as far as they were able, O Christ our God; so that when they would see You crucified they might understand that Your Passion was deliberate, and declare to the world that in truth You are the Father's radiance.

Έπὶ τοῦ ὄρους μετεμορφώθης, καὶ ὡς ἐχώρουν οἱ Μαθηταί σου τὴν δόξαν σου, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἐθεάσαντο, ἵνα ὅταν σε ἴδωσι σταυρούμενον, τὸ μὲν πάθος νοήσωσιν ἑκούσιον, τῷ δὲ κόσμῳ κηρύξωσιν, ὅτι σὺ ὑπάρχεις ἀληθῶς, τοῦ Πατρὸς τὸ ἀπαύγασμα.



#### SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE DAY

## EPISTLE READING

Prokeimenon. Mode pl. 2. Psalm 27.

O Lord, save Your people, and bless Your inheritance.

Verse: To You, O Lord, I cry; O my God.

#### The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Romans 15:1-7

Brethren, we who are strong ought to bear with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves; let each of us please his neighbor for his good, to edify him. For Christ did not please himself; but, as it is written, "The reproaches of those who reproached you fell on me." For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the scriptures we might have hope. May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Welcome one another, therefore, as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.



## GOSPEL READING

#### Seventh Sunday of Matthew The Gospel According to Matthew 9:27-35

At that time, as Jesus went on, two blind men followed him, crying aloud, "Have mercy on us, Son of David." When he entered the house, the blind men came to him; and Jesus said to them, "Do you believe that I am able to do this?" They said to him, "Yes, Lord." Then he touched their eyes, saying, "According to your faith be it done to you." And their eyes were opened. And Jesus sternly charged them, "See that no one knows it." But they went away and spread his fame through all that district. As they were going away, behold, a dumb demoniac was brought to him. And when the demon had been cast out, the dumb man spoke; and the crowds marveled, saying, "Never was anything like this seen in Israel." But the Pharisees said, "He casts out demons by the prince of demons." And Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every disease and every infirmity among the people.



#### Ushers: PERRY VIDALAKIS, TOM GRAFOS, VINCE ZARIAN



<u>Today Social Hour is hosted by:</u> Mary Udria and Noula Serban in Honor of Irene Albeck's Birthday.

#### 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)

Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup> Small Paraklesis – 6:00 pm

Wednesday, August 14th Great Vespers of Dormition in Long Beach -7:00 pm

Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup> Dormition of the Theotokos - 9:00 am Orthros, 10:00 am Divine Liturgy.

<u>Sunday School Fellowship 2024-2025</u> First day of class will be September 8. Registration and more information will be coming soon.

**<u>2024-2025 Greek Language school:</u>** The first day of classes is October 3<sup>rd</sup> (Thursday) and October 7<sup>th</sup> (Monday) for all youth.

Registration with a discounted rate opens from 8/4-9/4.

Student's Family must be a pledge/paid steward (member) of St. Anthony when paying for Greek School or should pay the Non-Member fee.

Membership will be checked upon registration by the Office Manager.

Adult classes are starting the second week of October.

**Dance Practice is Starting Sunday, August 18!** The Dance Program is starting to prepare for our Festival Performances. First day of dance practice will be Sunday, August 18. Practice for the FIRST SUNDAY will be as follows to accommodate HOPE and JOY.

- 4 year olds and incoming 1st Graders and Kindergarteners starting August
   25
- Incoming 2nd Graders through 7th Graders practice 2-3PM in the ballroom.
- Incoming 8th Graders through 12th Graders practice 3-5PM in the ballroom.
- College and over practice 5-8PM in the ballroom.

Additional information about our upcoming dance season to come. Please contact Nikole Zoumberakis for more information at nikoula@gmail.com.



HOPE and JOY will meet Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup> following Divine Liturgy. HOPE-Hellenic Orthodox Powerful Explorers (4 ½ to 8 years old) JOY-Junior Orthodox Youth (9-11 years old)

These are Orthodox youth groups encouraging budding friendships, form strength among their peers, participate in meaningful activities under the umbrella of their Orthodox faith.

Come dressed for church, bring play clothes, play shoes, towel, water fun equipment. A Lenten lunch will be served Bring one piece of fruit, if bringing grapes just a small sample, learn the meaning of blessing of the fruit. Craft, mini-Olympiad, water fun. Parent participation is needed to help set up games, water play and transitions. Donation of one piece of fruit, one box of Oreo cookies, or Trader Joe's Joe, Joe cookies and popsicles. RSVP: (if possible) to Mrs. Albeck via text message.626-252-5062

#### 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 <a href="https://stanthonyphiloptochos.square.site">https://stanthonyphiloptochos.square.site</a> 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.



The deadline for submitting information for the Sunday Bulletin is every Wednesday. please send it to <a href="mailto:office@saint-anthonys.org">office@saint-anthonys.org</a>



#### 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 to receive more information about our parish or the Orthodox Christian faith.

### PASADENA GREEK FEST COOKING SCHEDULE

Monday, July 29

Tuesday, August 13

Wednesday, August 14

**TBA** 

Friday, August 30

Tuesday, September 3

Wednesday, September 4

Thursday, September 5

Friday, September 6

Monday, September 9

Tuesday, September 10

Wednesday, September 11

Thursday, September 12

Friday, September 13

Sunday, September 15

Monday, September 16

Tyropita

Moussaka

Moussaka

Spanakopita

Galaktoboureko

Koulourakia

Kourambiethes/Paximadia

Kataifi/Paximadia

**Floyeres** 

**Diples** 

Kataifi

Baklava

Melomacarona

Pasta Flora

Dolmathes

Meloma

Cooking will start at 9:00 am and lunch will be provided. Ending times vary depending on the items being prepared and the number of volunteers that attend. If you would like to provide lunch, please let the church office know. Please join us, even if you only have a couple of hours. We can't do it without you! We look forward to seeing you.

SAINT ANTHONY GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

# PASADENA GREEKFEST

20, 21, 22 SEPTEMBER 2024

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

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# St. Anthony Speaker Series

a new talk every other month

September Talk:

# Get Your Greek Citizenship

Learn How Americans of Greek Descent Can Become Greek Citizens Get the Benefits of an EU Passport for You and Your Family



Thursday September 26th, 2024 at 6:30pm St. Anthony Greek Orthodox Church Hall 778 S. Rosemead Blvd, Pasadena, CA

Speaker:

# Vasiliki Anyfanti

Greek Attorney and Expert on Getting Greek Citizenship

Light Refreshments will be Served
All Talks in this Series are Free
RSVP to Alma in the Church Office: (626) 449-6943 or alma@saint-anthonys.org



#### Next Talk:

"College Year in Athens" How Your Child Can Live and Study in Greece Thursday, November 14th at 6:30pm

St. Anthony Church Hall



# **SAVE THE DATE**

Friday, 13 September 2024
California Country Club, Whittier

Golfer Registration includes:

Golf, Brunch, Gift Bag, Barbecue, Beverages and Dinner

Add-on package includes:

2 mulligans, 2 raffle tickets, 10th hole tee shot, putting contest

Non-Golfer Dinner Registration includes:

Dinner, Games and Fellowship

All guests can enjoy:
Silent Auction, Putting Contest, 50-50 Game, Raffle and No-host Bar

Honoree Ellen Papadakis Online Registration
Opens 4th August
SaintSophiaCamp.org/events

Honoree Tina Callas

# 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.