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FEBRUARY 16, 2025 SUNDAY OF THE PRODIGAL SON

Pamphilus & Companions Flavianos Patriarch of Constantinople

ORTHROS $\sim 8:45$ A.M.

(ORTHROS SERVICE TEXT CLICK HERE)

MEMORIAL SERVICE ~ 9:45 A.M.

Nicos Demetri – 5 years

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



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HYMNS OF THE DAY

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MEMORIAL HYMN. MODE PLAGAL 4.

Remember, O Lord, as You are good, Your servant, and forgive every sin he 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 τοῦ δούλου σου, καὶ ὅσα ἐν βίῳ ἥμαρτεν συγχώρησον οὐδεὶς γὰρ ἀναμάρτητος, εἰ μὴ σὸ ὁ δυνάμενος, καὶ τῷ μεταστάντι δοῦναι τήν ἀνάπαυσιν.

KONTAKION. MODE 3.

I revolted senselessly * out of Your fatherly glory; * I have squandered sinfully * all of the riches You gave me.* Hence to You, using the Prodigal's words, I cry out,* I have sinned before You, merciful loving Father.* O receive me in repentance, * I pray, and treat me * as one of Your hired hands.

Τῆς πατρώας, δόξης σου, ἀποσκιρτήσας ἀφρόνως, ἐν κακοῖς ἐσκόρπισα, ὃν μοι παρέδωκας πλοῦτον ὅθεν σοι τὴν τοῦ Ἀσώτου, φωνὴν κραυγάζω Ἡμαρτον ἐνώπιόν σου Πάτερ οἰκτίρμον, δέξαι με μετανοοῦντα, καὶ ποίησόν με, ὡς ἕνα τῶν μισθίων σου.

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE DAY

EPISTLE READING

Prokeimenon. Mode 1 Psalm 32.22,1

Let your mercy, O Lord, be upon us. Verse: Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous.

The reading is from St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians 6:12-20

Brethren, "all things are lawful for me," but not all things are helpful. "All things are lawful for me," but I will not be enslaved by anything. "Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food" -- and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is not meant for immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. And God raised the Lord and will also raise us up by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Shall I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! Do you not know that he who joins himself to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For, as it is written, "The two shall become one flesh." But he who is united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. Shun immorality. Every other sin which a man commits is outside the body; but the immoral man sins against his own body. Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God? You are not your own; you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body and in your spirit which belong to God.

GOSPEL READING

The Gospel According to Luke 15:11-32

The Lord said this parable: "There was a man who had two sons; and the younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that falls to me.' And he divided his living between them. Not many days later, the younger son gathered all he had and took his journey into a far country, and there he squandered his property in loose living. And when he had spent everything, a great famine arose in that country, and he began to be in want. So he went and joined himself to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him into his fields to feed swine. And he would gladly have filled his belly with the pods that the swine ate; and no one gave him anything. But when he came to himself he said, 'How many of my father's hired servants have bread enough and to spare, but I perish here with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me as one of your hired servants.' And he arose and came to his father. But while he was yet at a distance, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him. And the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the father said to his servants, 'Bring quickly the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet; and bring the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and make merry; for this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found.' And they began to make merry. Now his elder son was in the field; and as he came and drew near to the house, he heard music and dancing. And he called one of the servants and asked what this meant. And he said to him, 'Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has received him safe and sound.' But he was angry and refused to go in. His father came out and entreated him, but he answered his father, 'Lo, these many years I have served you, and I never disobeyed your command; yet you never gave me a kid, that I might make merry with my friends. But when this son of yours came, who has devoured your living with harlots, you killed for him the fatted calf!' And he said to him, 'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. It was fitting to make merry and be glad, for this your brother was dead, and is alive; he was lost, and is found."

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOLY COMMUNION PROCEDURE

- *For the benefit of our Sunday School students, their teachers and the TIMELY start of their Sunday School Classes, the children will be receiving Holy Communion first.
- *The ushers will release the children by pew from Front to Back.
- *Only parents of the smallest, youngest Sunday School children, who need assistance, should receive Holy Communion with their children.
- *If you are not seated when Holy Communion begins, please take a seat in the back rows, quietly. Your children will be released in turn.
- *Please do not attempt to send your children down the side aisles to the front alone or down the center aisle.
- *After all children have received, the ushers will release the adults, again from the front pews.
- *Please cooperate with our ushers. Please do not ask to be allowed through ahead of others.
- *Please remember this new procedure is for the benefit of our children and their Sunday School experience.



Divine Services for February and March 2025

(saint-anthonys.org/calendar):

Saturday, February 22nd Saturday of the Souls

Orthros (9:00am), Divine Liturgy (10:00am)

Saturday, March 1st Saturday of the Souls

Orthros (9:00am), Divine Liturgy (10:00am)

Saturday, March 8th The Commemoration of the Miracle of Koliva

Wrought by St. Theodore the Tyro.

Orthros (9:00am), Divine Liturgy (10:00am)

BRING KOLIVA

Wednesday, March 5th Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – 6:00pm

Friday, March 7th Salutations to the Theotokos – 6:00pm

Wednesday, March 12th Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – 6:00pm

Friday, March 14th Salutations to the Theotokos – 6:00pm

Wednesday, March 19th Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – 6:00pm

Friday, March 21th Salutations to the Theotokos – 6:00pm

Monday, March 25th Annunciation of the Theotokos

Orthros 9:00am, Divine Liturgy 10:00am

Wednesday, March 26th Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – 6:00pm

Friday, March 28th Salutations to the Theotokos – 6:00pm

STUDIES IN THE FAITH

Spring Session, 2025 Feb 03^{rd -} April 07th

Our text for the 2024 Studies in the Faith class will be, *The Orthodox Faith, "Worship" Volume 2*, by Fr.Thomas Hopko. Our class for this year, will be taught with 10 class sessions, meeting on Monday evenings 6:30 – 7:30 pm.

These informative classes will serve as an excellent introduction to the Orthodox Faith for those interested in the Orthodox Church. This series of classes will also provide an inspiring enrichment and review for practicing Orthodox Christians.

- *Reading each week's assigned chapter and participating in class discussions is encouraged to ensure that the sessions become an exciting and meaningful experience for all participants. For those interested in this year's class please email Fr. Peter at: frpeter@saint-anthonys.org
- * Google SVS Press, go to the Find a Book tab at the top right of page, and type in: Volume 2 "Worship." The cost of the book is \$20. Plus tax. (Please order your copy before the class begins).

CHAPTERS TO BE DISCUSSED

Third Session – Monday Feb 17th

Chapter Two continued: "The Sacraments"

Fourth Session - Monday Feb 24th

Chapter Three: "The Daily Cycle of Prayers"

Fifth Session - Monday March 03rd

Chapter Four: "The Church Year"

Sixth Session – Monday March 10th

Chapter Four continued: "The Church Year"

Seventh Session - Monday March 17th

Chapter Five: "The Divine Liturgy"

Eighth Session - Monday March 24th

Chapter Five continued: "The Divine Liturgy"

Ninth Session - Monday March 31st

Great Lent

Tenth Session – April 07th

Holy Week

USHERS:

Jonathan Nassos, Jimmy Pappas, and Joe Akrotirianakis



Today's coffee hour fellowship will be hosted by Philoptochos.

Greek wine event:

"The St Anthony Speaker Series Greek Wine event is now on Thursday, February 20th at 6:00pm in the St Anthony church hall. Our own wine expert Liam McCann will discuss the fascinating grapes and regions that make Greek wine so wonderful. The talk is free. If you'd like to sample wines it's only \$20 per person. Please email Alma at the Church office if you would like to attend so we can have an accurate headcount at alma@saint-anthonys.org. Hope to see you there!"

Byzantine Chant Lenten Journey

Our chanters will be hosting a free series of Byzantine Chant classes, starting the first week of the Triodion and continuing through Holy Week.

This is a wonderful opportunity for anyone—young and old, current and future Orthodox Christians—to explore the rich musical tradition of the Greek Orthodox Church.

• When: Wednesdays at 7pm (or immediately following the Pre-Sanctified Liturgies during Lent)

• Where: Inside the Church

Anyone can attend! If you simply want to learn and listen, feel free to observe. But if you might be interested in chanting during the Orthros or Liturgy services, we especially encourage you to join!

No prior experience of Byzantine Chant, the Greek language, or any form of musical performance is required! Open to all ages — children, teenagers, young-adults, adults, seniors. You will need to be an Orthodox Christian to participate in the services, but these classes are open to all — even those not yet baptized or chrismated.

Our short-term goal is to offer an introductory level knowledge of this rich musical tradition with our parish, and encourage the ability to participate in the services by the time we arrive at Pascha. Our long-term hope is to possibly establish the first Byzantine Chant Choir in the Los Angeles area.

Whether you're musically inclined or simply curious about this sacred tradition, we welcome you on this Lenten journey.

Questions or to Sign Up:

Simply attend the first session on Wednesday, February 5th at 7pm! For more information or with any questions, email the church office, or speak with either Michael Kontaxis or Liam McCann in the Church hall on any Sunday!

St. Anthony's 2025 Pledged Stewards (Members)

(as of February, $\overline{2025}$)

Stratos, Fr. Peter/Pres. Aida Akrotirianakis, Joseph N. & Sherese Albeck, Irene Albeck, Mark Gregory Anast, Alexandra Andrei, Dragos & Ioana Andros, Gus & Lorena Angelos, James & Sophia Angiuli, Joseph (Joey) & Elizabeth Antsos, Dimitrios & Judith Din Arviso, Ange Gavalas, Cleola & George Athanasoulis, Chris & Tina Gittings, Brian & Maria Katsas Athans, Tesi & Craig Lareau Grafos, Thean Athans, Tina & Dean P. Halias, Joanne & John Haralambos, Anthony & Kathleen Athenson, Alex & Cynthia Sigler Attalla, Philip "Ted" & Michelle Reagan Harrison Helen Balas, Argiro Julie & Dino Horaites, George & Olympia Becronis, Christina Hronas, Maria & James W. Bissias, Peter Ioannou, Christos & Elleni Blosiu, Julian O. & Catalina E. Kalivas. Pota Bonorris, Donna & Pete Kallas, Mark & Debra Boukidis, Katherine Kamar, April Bowers, Connie & Terree Kaparos, Stefanos Brown, Niki Karaioannoglou, Phaedon & Jeanne Bryant, Dan & Karen Karamaras, Andriana Karvelas, Kosta & Marina Buickians, Gagik & Jacqueline Burkard Jr., Frank J. & Penelope Kasdagli, Dimitra & Mark Nastri Buzas, John & Pamela Kefalas, Evelyn Kefalas, Kellie Buzas, Nicholas & Danielle Caire, John. Kefalas, Mike J. Christodoulelis Family, Jimmy Kefallinos, Vicki & Nick Christodoulides, Loucas & Andri Kiotas, Stavroula Christopoulos, Tony and Lynnette Kokoris, Maria & Nicholas Coccia, Tina & Ginseppe Kolokotrones, Carolyn & James A. Damilatis, Eleni Kouis, Peter & Elizabeth Demopulos, Elizabeth & Andrew Koulakis, John and Gisele Demopulos, Michael & Patricia Koutsoukos, Lin & George Dewar, Mary & Andrew Kouvara, Bessie & Dana Roberts Dimopoulos, Antonios Kypreos, Maria & James Dupas, Christina Kypreos, Maria & James Dupas, George Lappas, Virginia Dupas, Theodore & Evangeline Leontas, Angela & Andrew Murrell Efstathiou, Teddi & Dean Loutsos, Anna & Georgia & John Floutsis, Penny & Ted Grajeda Frousakis, Georgia Lubian, Daniel & Stephanie

Fuerst, Billy Macris, Catherine & George Fuerst, Nicolette & Jay Makris, Ted & Maria Gallagher, Eleni & Matthew Malisos, Samantha A Gallanis, Mary Mallis, Tanya

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Manos, Katarina Scordelis, Alexander & Melissa Martin, Sam & Debbie Sherwood, Symone Maslen, Larissa & Mark Carpenter Sideris, Athanasios & Anastasia McCann, Liam Sipsas, Pantelis & Nafsika McGregor, Richard & Kristen Skandale, Elizabeth McNulty, Jennie & Chris Skandale, Helen Mechalas. Bess Smith, Herman & Helen Metry, Sam and Gemalyn Soewers, Alexander Mitis, Nick & Maria Prantzikou Soewers, Randy Mitropoulos, Eleni & Bill Balntas Stamos, Andy & Mary Mitsinikos, Emmanuel & Natalia Stamos, Nikos A. Mobayen, Chrissa & Syrus Stavropoulos, Tina Molinari, Yngrid Stephens, Kenneth & A. Maria Moutzouridis, Vasiliki & Peter Plumtree Murad, Mark & Evangeline Goulas Stratos, Fr. Peter/Pres. Aida Nichols, James & Joyce Tarazi, Ellie Treantafelles, Andreas & Georgia O'Dowd. Paula Otis, Robert & Denise Treantafelles, Helen Tripodes Zacharias N. Panagiot, Harry & Anastasia Papavasiliou, George & Stacy Tripodes, Dena Papavasiliou, Kostantinos Tripodes, Georgia E. Pappas, Dr. Alex P. Tripodes, Marika Pappas, Dr. James P. Tripodis, Ioannis & Helene Pappas, Dr. Peter A. Tsouvalas, Charles Tsouvalas, James Pappas, Maria E. Pappas, Tony & Stergiani Tsouvalas, John & Jenny Paras, Gus Tsudis, Mara and RJ Thieneman Pastis, Leah Tsudis, Peter and Carol Pastis, Patricia Udria, Juan & Mary Patzakis, Dr. Michael Vagenas, Alex & Tashia Patzakis, John & Andrea Vagenas, Diana Pirovolos, Nicholas & Anna Vagenas, Janet and Christina Plumtree, Martha & Wayne Vagenas, Nikolitsa Pollalis, Dino J. Vagenas, Pete & Mindy Polwrek, Joseph & Jennifer Vagenas, Vasilios Vavoulis, Ted & Esther Polwrek, Joseph & Jennifer Poulos. Yiota Vezzuto, Christopher & Celka Rafeedie, Linda S. Vezzuto, Robert Rodriguez, Dennis Vidalakis, Nancy

Vleisides, Irene & Mark

Saigh, Mara R. Suchy

Vorgias, Demetrios Vorgias, Zacharias & Alma Voyagis, Eleftherios & Pauline Webster, John & Jennifer Zarifes, Peter & Tina Ziska. Antonia

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this stewardship list. Please forgive us if there are any errors or omissions. Contact Alma at the church office 626-449-6943 for any questions or corrections.

Thank you to everyone who has returned the completed commitment card. If you have not done it, please return your completed commitment card to church as soon as possible. If you are new to the community and want to become a member in our Church, please feel free to either take a Steward Financial Commitment card (pledge Card) from the announcement table in the narthex, contact the Church office or Please visit saintanthonys.churchgiving.com to make your offering and schedule your regular stewardship giving.

Church office will be closed on tomorrow, February 17 in observance of President's Day.

The deadline for submitting information for the Sunday Bulletin is every Wednesday. please send it to office@saint-anthonys.org



* ANGEL: \$10,000 - \$14,999

\$192-\$288/ week OR \$833-\$1,249/ month

* ARCHANGEL: \$15,000 and up \$288/week OR \$1,250/month & up

2025 Stewardship Financial Commitment

"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's grace." (1 Peter 4:10)

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Please return your completed stewardship pledge card to the Church office as soon as possible

*To fully cover our operating expenses, our goal is to

have our average stewardship be \$2,000 per family or above

MAKE SURE YOU ARE A REGULAR SUPPORTER OF OUR CHURCH!

If you want to become a Steward/member of our Church, please complete the Steward Financial Commitment card (pledge Card), included above or they are available at the announcement table in the narthex,

Weekly stewardship weekly envelopes are available. Please contact the church office if you would like to have them for the 2025 stewardship contributions.

Please visit <u>saint-anthonys.churchgiving.com</u> or scan the QR code below to make your one time or recurring offering.

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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.

St. Anthony GOYA Basketball Information and Registration

St. Anthony GOYA Basketball practices began on January 24th 6:30-8pm at Mayfield Senior School 500 Bellefontaine Street, Pasadena. Practices will be every Friday with the exception of 2/14, 3/7 and 4/18.

We invite all youth ages 12-19 to join this 51-year Ministry sponsored by, The Greek Orthodox Basketball League (GOBL) comprised of the following parishes: St. Anthony; Assumption, of Long Beach, St. Basil; San Juan Capistrano; St. George, Downey, St. John, Anaheim; St. Katherine, Redondo Beach; St. Nicholas, Northridge; St. Sophia, Los Angeles.

We need all participants to register on TeamSnap and use the link provided to do so. Uniforms will be available after church and will be issued once players have been rostered on the TeamSnap App. Registration costs are \$100.00 per player for the entire season. This includes, all practices, and games.

The game schedule is:

February 23: Away @ St. Nicholas Church Northridge March 2: Home vs. St. John: Duarte High School

March 9: Away @ St. Basil San Juan Capistrano Community Center

March 16: Home vs. St. Sophia: Duarte High School
March 23: Home vs. St. Katherine: Duarte High School

March 30: Away vs. St. George (LocationTBD)

April 6: Home vs. Assumption: Duarte High School
April 26 and 27: Quarter and Semi Finals: St. Sophia Cathedral

May 4: Finals: St. Sophia Cathedral

May 10: Volleyball Tournament: Victory Park and St. Anthony

Please contact Pana Gelt, or Anthia Lucas if you have any questions or if you know of anyone that wants to play!

Pana 626-278-2808 - Anthia 626-274-6133



St. Anthony Speaker Series a new talk every other month (or so)

February Talk:

Wines of Greece

Learn about the Great Grapes and Wine Regions of Greece Have an Opportunity to Taste the Wines and Purchase Bottles!



Thursday February 20th, 2025 at 6:30pm St. Anthony Greek Orthodox Church Hall 778 S. Rosemead Blvd, Pasadena, CA

Speaker:

Liam McCann

Wine Expert

Light Refreshments will be Served

All Talks in this Series are Free but there is a \$20 per Person Fee to Taste the Wines RSVP to Alma in the Church Office: (626) 449-6943 or alma@saint-anthonys.org

PLEASE RSVP SO WE HAVE AN ACCURATE HEAD COUNT



Next Talk:

Consul General of Greece

Get Answers about Passports, Visas, and More Date TBA St. Anthony Church Hall



23rd Annual Pasadena Golf Classic

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Dear Friends,

We are pleased to announce that the much anticipated 23rd Annual Pasadena Golf Classic will be held on Friday May 2nd, 2025, at Brookside Golf Course in Pasadena and will honor Louie and Vicki Kades, our devoted supporters.

Our hope is to surpass last year goal and set a new record. With your support, we are confident that we can achieve that lofty goal. Our annual Taverna-on-the-Green promises to be a very memorable day of golf, food, fun, and fellow ship, all for a wonderful cause. The Pasadena Classic draws a wide range of participants from a variety of backgrounds, and Mr. Chuck Dukas from America's Got Talent will host the dinner. This year, in light of the recent fires, a portion of the proceeds will be donated to Southern California fire victims as well as the St. Anthony's Building Fund.

We need your help in reaching and exceeding our goal! We are asking you to be a proud sponsor or donate prize items, trips, or experiences for our auction. All donations, whether large or small, can make a sizeable impact. Please give with your hearts and make a difference that will last a lifetime. Gifts received are tax-deductible and will be given recognition in our golf publication.

On behalf of the entire St. Anthony's community, we wish to thank you in advance for your generous donation. If you should have any questions, please call the church office at 626-449-6943.

Kindest Regards,

Pasadena Golf Committee

TAX ID# 95-376422

Pasadena Golf Classic Friday May 2nd 2025

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23rd Annual St Anthony's Golf Tournament

We will have our much anticipated event this year on **Friday May 2**nd. Please join us for a festive day of golf dinner and fellowship.

There are many ways for you to support this year's charitable event. If you aren't a golfer join us for our all day Taverna on the Green mezethes and souvla.

At night sign up for dinner complete with silent auction and one of a kind live auction items. If you absolutely can't make it, please make a tax-deductible donation directly to the church office.

PHILOPTOCHOS ANNOUNCEMENTS

2025 Philoptochos Membership

Our Philoptochos chapter is growing and we invite you to renew and encourage every woman in our parish, 18 years of age or older, to become a member. Men and non-Orthodox women are also welcome to join as an Associate. The suggested membership fee is \$50. Memberships can be renewed online by visiting the Philoptochos square site: Stanthonyphiloptochos.square.site or, mail in your check payable to Philoptochos at St Anthony's Philoptochos, 778 South Rosemead Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91107 (see enclosed form) or see us at the membership table on Sundays following liturgy.

Thank you for your continued support and for helping make a difference in our community. When we combine our strengths and skills, great things can happen!

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PHILOPTOCHOS SOCIETY OF SAINT ANTHONY GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH PANAGIA CHAPTER

PHILOPTOCHOS MEMBERSHIP FORM

2025 Philoptochos Membe	ership 2025 Associate (Men / Non-Vo		
Last Name	First Name	Spouse Name	M.I.
Street Address			
City	State		Zip
Home Phone	Cell Phone		
Email Notices will be sent via email.	If you prefer your notices mailed,	please, let us know by cho	ecking here
\$50 Each \$50 stewardship suppor	system wardship (membership dues). S \$100 ts National Philoptochos (\$15), S gations and projects (\$20).	\$125 an Francisco Metropolis	
I am interested in helping with Feeding the Hungry Delivering Meals to Parisi Homebound Visitations Telephone Tree	Hosting Fell	ooking	Marketing Website Designer Other Talents Specify
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	ata for me" - M DIN BY MAIL (Check payabl		iloptochos Society)

Mail your check along with this form to:

Saint Anthony Philoptochos Society, Attention: Membership 778 South Rosemead Boulevard, Pasadena, CA 91107

or pay online at https://stanthonyphiloptochos.square.site Scroll down to "Annual Membership Dues"

For more information or questions, please contact Lisa Xanthos (626) 222-4374 or Helen Skandale (818) 618-4963

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS



Lenten Retreat



APR 4-6 2025

Pali Retreat Center

Runnings Springs, California

Organized carpools will be available from SoCal parishes.

Early Registration: \$270 Late Registration (after March 1): \$290

> Register Here



Activities
Zip lining, Archery,
Camp Festivities,
& Fun!

For more information, visit **socalgoya.com**

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GOYA LENTEN RETREAT!

This is a wonderful opportunity for our youth to come together in faith, fellowship, nature, and a lot of fun to be had!

The retreat will be held at the beautiful Pali Retreat Center in the San Bernardino Mountains near Running Springs on April 4-6. It is open to all current 6th - 12th graders.

All Southern California GOYAns are invited to participate in a wonderful retreat and getaway filled with delicious meals, zip lining, archery, hiking, basketball, volleyball, discussions, worship, Divine Liturgy, and plenty of time to play games, hang out, and get to know one another.

Registration includes: 2 nights lodging, all meals and activities (Zip Line, Archery, etc) beginning Friday evening dinner (meeting at St. George in Downey) to Sunday morning

Note: GOYAns who are participating in GOBL basketball WILL be able to be back for the games on Sunday.

This is going to be an amazing experience you don't want to miss!

We will be coordinating carpools with parishes as it gets closer. There are 60 spots left! Please register as soon as possible!

Early Registration until March 1: \$270 Late Registration March 2- 21: \$290

REGISTER HERE: https://forms.gle/HabFJXCd8BCKcdMn9 PAY HERE:

https://www.paypal.com/donate?hosted_button_id=E68RF5HFC6UP4

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Anna Teodosiadis, <u>ateodosiadis@sanfran.goarch.org</u>, Fr. Tom Felactu, Fr. Chris Retelas, Fr. Matthew Jouthas, or Stacia Counelis (<u>socalgoya@gmail.com</u>)

Pamphilios the Martyr & his Companions February 16

This Martyr contested during the reign of Maximian, in the year 290, in Caesarea of Palestine, and was put to death by command of Firmilian, the Governor of Palestine. His fellow contestants' names are Valens, Paul, Seleucus, Porphyrius, Julian, Theodulus, and five others from Egypt: Elias, Jeremias, Esaias, Samuel, and Daniel. Their martyrdom is recorded in Book VIII, ch. 11 of Eusebius's *Ecclesiastical History*, called *The Martyrs of Palestine*.

Reminder:

NO PARKING IN EMERGENCY WHITE ZONE IN FRONT OF CHURCH

A Handicap Placard or Handicap License Plate is required to park in the <u>blue handicap</u> parking spaces.