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MARCH 16, 2025

SUNDAY OF ST. GREGORY PALAMAS

*Sabine of Egypt
Christodoulus of Patmos*

ORTHROS ~ 8:45 A.M.

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

DIVINE LITURGY ~ 10:00 A.M.

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RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION. MODE PL 1. (Before the entrance)

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

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FOR THE HIERARCH. MODE PL. 4.

Beacon of Orthodox belief, the strong support of the Church and her teacher inspired by God, you are the ornament of monks, the unassailable champion of theologians, O Gregory the Wonder-worker and the boast of Thessalonica, the messenger of grace. Forever earnestly entreat for the salvation of our souls.

Ὁρθοδοξίας ὁ φωστὴρ, Ἐκκλησίας τὸ στήριγμα καὶ διδάσκαλε, τῶν μοναστῶν ἡ καλλονὴ, τῶν θεολόγων ὑπέρμαχος ἀπροσμάχητος· Γρηγόριε θαυματουργὲ Θεσσαλονίκης τὸ καύχημα κήρυξ τῆς χάριτος· ἰκέτευε διὰ παντός, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

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, you made the wilderness a city, and by your prayers Supported the entire world. Therefore, intercede with Christ our God, that our souls be saved.

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

KONTAKION. MODE PL 4.

O Champion General, I your City now inscribe to you Triumphant anthems as the tokens of my gratitude, Being rescued from the terrors, O Theotokos. Inasmuch as you have power unassailable, From all kinds of perils free me, so that unto you I may cry aloud: Rejoice, O unwedded Bride.

Τῆ ὑπερμάχῳ στρατηγῷ τὰ νικητήρια, Ὡς λυτρωθεῖσα τῶν δεινῶν εὐχαριστήρια, Ἀναγράφω σοι ἡ Πόλις σου Θεοτόκε. Ἄλλ' ὡς ἔχουσα τὸ κράτος ἀπροσμάχητον, Ἐκ παντοίων με κινδύνων ἐλευθέρωσον, Ἵνα κράζω σοι· Χαῖρε νύμφη ἀνύμφευτε.

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE DAY

EPISTLE READING

Prokeimenon. Mode Plagal 1

Psalm 11.7,1

You, O Lord, shall keep us and preserve us.

Verse: Save me, O Lord, for the godly man has failed.

The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews 1:10-14; 2:1-3

IN THE BEGINNING, Thou, Lord, didst found the earth in the beginning, and the heavens are the work of thy hands; they will perish, but thou remainest; they will all grow old like a garment, like a mantle thou wilt roll them up, and

they will be changed. But thou art the same, and thy years will never end." But to what angel has he ever said, "Sit at my right hand, till I make thy enemies a stool for thy feet?" Are they not all ministering spirits sent forth to serve, for the sake of those who are to obtain salvation?

Therefore we must pay closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. For if the message declared by angels was valid and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard him.



GOSPEL READING

The Gospel According to Mark 2:1-12

At that time, Jesus entered Capernaum and it was reported that he was at home. And many were gathered together, so that there was no longer room for them, not even about the door; and he was preaching the word to them. And they came, bringing to him a paralytic carried by four men. And when they could not get near him because of the crowd, they removed the roof above him; and when they had made an opening, they let down the pallet on which the paralytic lay. And when Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, "My son, your sins are forgiven." Now some of the scribes were sitting there, questioning in their hearts, "Why does this man speak thus? It is a blasphemy! Who can forgive sins but God alone?" And immediately Jesus, perceiving in his spirit that they thus questioned within themselves, said to them, "Why do you question thus in your hearts? Which is easier, to say to the paralytic, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Rise, take up your pallet and walk? But that you may know that the Son of man has authority on earth to forgive sins"-he said to the paralytic-"I say to you, rise, take up your pallet and go home." And he rose, and immediately took up the pallet and went out before them all; so that they were all amazed and glorified God, saying, "We never saw anything like this!"



USHERS:

Jonathan Nassos, Jimmy Pappas, and Joe Akrotirianakis

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.

STUDIES IN THE FAITH

Spring Session, 2025 - Feb 03rd - 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

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

Divine Services for March and First Week of April 2025

(saint-anthonys.org/calendar):

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

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

Tuesday, 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*

Friday, April 4th *The Akathist Hymn – 6:00pm*

Wednesday, April 9 *Pre-Sanctified Liturgy – 6:00pm*



Today's coffee hour fellowship will be hosted by Philoptochos

St John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival TODAY March 16, 2025

Our annual Parish St John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival for Jr and Sr Division Speakers will be held **TODAY Sunday, March 16 at noon in the Church.**

We look forward to hearing our young people share their thoughts and their faith.

HCHC ORATORICAL FESTIVAL SCHOLARSHIPS:

Participants of the St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival are eligible to receive a scholarship to Hellenic College when enrolling in a BA program. Those that win 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place at the parish, district, metropolis, or national levels, will be awarded a scholarship. <https://enrollment.hchc.edu/chr>

G.O.Y.A. basketball game this Sunday, March 16:

St. Sophia @ St. Anthony

Duarte High School - 1565 Central Avenue, Duarte

2:00 Jr. Girls

3:00 Sr. Girls

4:00 Sr. Boys

Questions contact: Pana 626-278-2808 - Anthia 626-274-6133

St. Anthony's 2025 Pledged Stewards (Members)

(as of March 14, 2025)

Stratos, Fr. Peter/Pres. Aida	Christopoulos, Tony and Lynnette
Akrotirianakis, Joseph N. & Sherese	Coccia, Tina & Ginseppe
Albeck, Irene	Constantinou, Dimitris & Katerina
Albeck, Mark Gregory	Damilatis, Eleni
Anast, Alexandra	Demetriades, Demetrios & Elizabeth
Andrei, Dragos & Ioana	Demopulos, Elizabeth & Andrew
Andros, Gus & Lorena	Demopulos, Michael & Patricia
Angelos, James & Sophia	Dewar, Mary & Andrew
Angiuli, Joseph (Joey) & Elizabeth	Dimopoulos, Antonios
Antsos, Dimitrios & Judith Din	Duncan, William & Stephanie
Arviso, Ange	Dupas, Christina
Athanasoulis, Chris & Tina	Dupas, George
Athans, Tesi & Craig Lareau	Dupas, Katherine
Athans, Tina & Dean P.	Dupas, Theodore & Evangeline
Athenson, Alex & Cynthia Sigler	Efstathiou, Teddi & Dean
Attalla, Philip "Ted" & Michelle Reagan	Floutsis, Penny & Ted
Balas, Argiro Julie & Dino	Frangeskou, Yiorgos & Xenia
Balas, Christian	Frousakis, Georgia
Baliotis, Tina	Fuerst, Billy
Becronis, Christina	Fuerst, Nicolette & Jay
Bissias, Peter	Gallagher, Eleni & Matthew
Blosiu, Julian O. & Catalina E.	Gallanis, Mary
Bonorris, Donna & Pete	Gallanis, Pete & Danica
Boukidis, Katherine	Garcia, Andrew and Elizabeth
Bowers, Connie & Terree	Gavalas, Cleola & George
Bowers, Connie & Terree	Georgakopoulos, Eleni & George
Bozikis, Demetra	Gittings, Brian & Maria Katsas
Brown, Niki	Grafos, Thean
Bryant, Dan & Karen	Halias, Joanne & John
Buickians, Gagik & Jacqueline	Haralambos, Anthony & Kathleen
Burkard Jr., Frank J. & Penelope	Harrison Helen
Buzas, John & Pamela	Horaites, Anthony M.
Buzas, Nicholas & Danielle	Horaites, George & Olympia
Caire, John.	Hronas, Maria & James W.
Christodoulelis Family, Jimmy	Ioannou, Christos & Elleni
Christodoulelis, Tanya Mallis	Kalambakas, Vivian N.
Christodoulides, Loucas & Andri	Kalivas, Pota

Kallas, Mark & Debra
Kamar, April
Kaparos, Stefanos
Karaioannoglou, Phaedon & Jeanne
Karamaras, Andriana
Karvelas, Kosta & Marina
Kasdagli, Dimitra & Mark Nastri
Katsafados, Theoni & Pete
Katsas, Asimina & Alexandra
Kefalas, Evelyn
Kefalas, Kellie
Kefalas, Mike J.
Kefalas, Modestos & Nina
Kefallinos, Vicki & Nick
Kevorkian, Levon
Kiotas, Stavroula
Kokoris, Maria & Nicholas
Kolokotronos, Carolyn & James A.
Kouis, Peter & Elizabeth
Koulakis, John and Gisele
Koulisis, Nicole
Kousoulas, Gus & Johanna
Koutsoukos, Lin & George
Kouvara, Bessie & Dana Roberts
Kypreos, Maria & James
Lappas, Virginia
Leontas, Angela & Andrew Murrell
Loutsos, Anna & Georgia & John
Grajeda
Lubian, Daniel & Stephanie
Macris, Catherine & George
Makris, Ted & Maria
Malisos, Samantha A
Manos, Demetrios
Manos, Katarina
Martin, Sam & Debbie
Maslen, Larissa & Mark Carpenter
McCann, Liam
McClain, Anastasia
McGregor, Richard & Kristen

McNulty, Jennie & Chris
Mechalas, Bess
Metry, Sam and Gemalyn
Mirea, Nicole
Mitis, Nick & Maria Prantzikou
Mitropoulos, Eleni & Bill Balntas
Mitropoulos, Nick & Venetia
Mitsinikos, Emmanuel & Natalia
Mobayen, Chrissa & Syrus
Molinari, Yngrid
Mora, A. J.
Moutzouridis, Vasiliki & Peter
Murad, Mark & Evangeline Goulas
Nassos, Jonathan & Jenni Pulos
Nichols, James & Joyce
O'Dowd, Paula
Otis, Robert & Denise
Panagiot, Harry & Anastasia
Papavasiliou, George & Stacy
Papavasiliou, Kostantinos
Pappas, Dr. Alex P.
Pappas, Dr. James P.
Pappas, Dr. Peter A.
Pappas, Maria E.
Pappas, Steven & Christine
Pappas, Tony & Stergiani
Paras, Gus
Pastis, Leah
Pastis, Patricia
Patzakis, Dr. Michael
Patzakis, John & Andrea
Paziouros, Konstantina & Nick
Pirovolos, Nicholas & Anna
Plumtree, Martha & Wayne
Pollalis, Dino J.
Polwrek, Joseph & Jennifer
Poulos, Yiota
Rafeedie, Linda S.
Reese, Helen
Rodriguez, Dennis

Saigh, Mara R. Suchy
Samaan, Yvette
Scordelis, Alexander & Melissa
Sherwood, Symone
Sideris, Athanasios & Anastasia
Sipsas, Pantelis & Nafsika
Skandale, Elizabeth
Skandale, Helen
Smith, Herman & Helen
Soewers, Alexander
Soewers, Randy
Stamos, Andy & Mary
Stamos, Nikos A.
Stavropoulos, Tina
Stephens, Kenneth & A. Maria
Plumtree
Tarazi, Ellie
Tarazi, Ted & Panagiota Angelos
Treantafelles, Andreas & Georgia
Treantafelles, Helen
Treantafelles, Stan & Vivian
Tripodes Zacharias N.
Tripodes, Dena
Tripodes, Georgia E.
Tripodes, Marika
Tripodis, Ioannis & Helene
Tsianos, George & Andria
Tsigkounis, Charalambos & Catherine
Tsouvalas, Charles
Tsouvalas, James

Tsouvalas, John & Jenny
Tsudis, Mara and RJ Thieneman
Tsudis, Peter and Carol
Udria, Juan & Mary
Vagenas, Alex & Tashia
Vagenas, Christina
Vagenas, Diana
Vagenas, Dino & Krystina
Vagenas, George & Polly
Vagenas, Janet
Vagenas, Nikolitsa
Vagenas, Pete & Mindy
Vagenas, Vasilios
Vavoulis, Ted & Esther
Vezzuto, Christopher & Celka
Vezzuto, Robert
Vidalakis, Nancy
Vleisides, Tim
Vorgias, Demetrios
Vorgias, Zacharias & Alma
Voyagis, Eleftherios & Pauline
Webster, John & Jennifer
Xanthos, Lisa
Zarifes, Peter & Tina
Ziska, Antonia
Zoumas, Michael & Christina

**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 or contact the Church office.***

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

How do I set up WeShare?

5 easy steps in less than 5 mins

1. Scan QR Code
(use camera on your device)
2. Click sign in (top right)
3. Under Don't have an account click - Create One
4. Follow prompts
5. Name, email, set up password, account info



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



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)*

2025

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME(S), PLEASE INCLUDE CHILDREN UNDER 18.

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

PREFERRED PHONE

OTHER/SECOND PHONE

E-MAIL

SIGNATURE

DATE

[For office use only]

ST. ANTHONY GIVING LEVELS:

CONTRIBUTOR: \$499 & below

\$9.60/week OR \$42/month & below

FRIEND: \$500 - \$999

\$9.60-\$19/week OR \$42-\$83/month

SUPPORTER: \$1,000 - \$1,999

\$19-\$38/week OR \$83-\$167/month

*** FAITHFUL: \$2,000 - \$3,999**

\$38-\$77/week OR \$167-\$333/month

*** DISCIPLE: \$4,000 - \$6,999**

\$77-\$135/week OR \$333-\$583/month

*** GUARDIAN: \$7,000 - \$9,999**

\$135-\$192/week OR \$583-\$833/month

*** 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

Review your stewardship commitment prayerfully, consider what you offer to Christ's Church in comparison to your monthly utility/ service payments.

Please return your completed commitment card to church by January 31, 2025

Your card must be on file for you to be considered in 'Good Standing'

In response to God's blessings, I/we pledge a 2025 offering of:

My Total Commitment for 2025: \$ _____

I will fulfill and pay my pledge: (CHECK ONE)

Weekly at \$ _____/week

Monthly at \$ _____/month Annually

Contact the Church office to set up easy recurring electronic payments
-OR- set up your own recurring giving at saint-anthonys.churchgiving.com

**To fully cover our operating expenses, our goal is to have our average stewardship be \$2,000 per family or above*

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

Save the Date!

Join us for the 23rd Annual Pasadena Golf Classic on May 2nd at Brookside Golf Course! Tee off at the picturesque Brookside Golf Course for a day filled with great food, music, and festivities at Taverna on the Green. Indulge in our famous spit roast, mezethes, and spirits. Don't miss out on the fun with friends and a touch of ouzo.

Not a golfer? You can still be part of the fun by attending the banquet and our exciting auctions! This year, we are honored to recognize Louis and Vicki Kades for their hard work and dedication to the St. Anthony community.

Opa! We can't wait to see you there!



PHILOPTOCHOS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Philoptochos Scholarship for Graduating High School Seniors

The Applications and Rules & Regulations Sheets for the Philoptochos Scholarship for Graduating High School Seniors are available at the Community Center Foyer table next to the Church Office.

Please note that the deadline for submission of applications and recommendation letters is April 11, 2025.

If you have any questions, please contact Presvytera Aida at presaida7@gmail.com

Philoptochos Easter Bake Sale delectable Greek pastries and our special signature treats are now available to order (please see flyer for details).

Proceeds benefit Kids 'n' Cancer, a San Francisco Metropolis Philoptochos Ministry, providing children with cancer and other life-threatening illnesses and their families with a stay at Camp AGAPE.

Philoptochos Easter Bake Sale

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Pre-Paid Orders Must be Received by Wednesday, April 2, 2025

ORDERS AVAILABLE FOR PICKUP ONLY:

St. Anthony Greek Orthodox Church, 778 South Rosemead Blvd., Pasadena

SATURDAY, APRIL 12 and SUNDAY, APRIL 13 (after Liturgy until 1:00 PM-both days)

Place prepaid order by:

- **MAIL** – Fill out Order Form below (check payable to St. Anthony Philoptochos and mail to: St. Anthony Philoptochos, Kids 'n' Cancer Bake Sale, 778 S. Rosemead Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91107 or
- **ONLINE** – <https://stanthonypiloptochos.square.site>

Name: _____ Cell/Home Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ E-mail: _____

ITEMS		COST	QUANTITY	\$ TOTAL
	Tsoureki (1 loaf) Traditional sweet Greek Easter Bread.	\$22	_____	\$ _____
	Koulourakia (bag of 12) Butter-based cookies with sweet delicate flavor topped with egg glaze and toasted sesame seeds.	\$12	_____	\$ _____
	Koulourakia, Chocolate Dipped (box of 6) Butter-based with sweet delicate flavor dipped in dark chocolate (Limited Quantity).	\$10	_____	\$ _____
	Pastel Kourabiethes (box of 12) Shortbread butter cookies without nuts covered in colored powdered sugar.	\$22	_____	\$ _____
	Kourabiethes (box of 12) Shortbread butter cookies without nuts covered in powdered sugar.	\$22	_____	\$ _____
	Easter Oreos, Chocolate Dipped (2 per pkg) Oreo cookies dipped in colorful chocolate and covered with candy sprinkles.	\$5	_____	\$ _____
	Dyed Red Eggs (1 dozen)	\$15	_____	\$ _____

ORDER TOTAL \$ _____

His Eminence Metropolitan Gerasimos and
the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of San Francisco Philoptochos
cordially invite you to attend



Agape

A Celebration of Love

"Whoever received one little child like this in
My name receives Me." Matthew 18:5

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to make a secure
donation TODAY!

Camp Agape is dedicated to providing support for children afflicted with cancer and their families. This beloved ministry offers a compassionate and caring environment, exemplary of Christ's unconditional love, along with an opportunity to shape meaningful friendships and create precious memories.



Opportunity Drawing
The Louis Vuitton
Neverfull MM Tote Bag

To benefit our Kids 'n' Cancer Ministry

Sunday, April 27, 2025
2:00 p.m. PDT

Newport Beach Country Club
One Clubhouse Drive | Newport Beach, CA 92660

RSVP Date: April 20, 2025

While enjoying
an afternoon of
fabulous music,
delectable food,
and good friends,
guests will have

the opportunity to purchase Mystery Hat Boxes filled with exciting gifts and participate in an Opportunity Drawing!



Kids 'n' Cancer
Camp Agape



A Ministry of the
Greek Orthodox Metropolis of San Francisco
Ladies Philoptochos Society

Register at www.sfphiloptochos.org
or by calling 415-431-2600
by April 20, 2025

Cost: \$100 person



OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

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, ateodosiadis@sanfran.goarch.org, Fr. Tom Felactu, Fr. Chris Retelas, Fr. Matthew Jouthas, or Stacia Counelis (socalgoya@gmail.com)



GREEK HERITAGE NIGHT



Celebrate Greek Heritage Night on March 25, the National Day of Greece, as the LA Kings take on the New York Rangers at 7:30 PM! A portion of proceeds supports Kids 'n Cancer. Don't miss this special night of hockey, culture, and community in partnership with the Greek Consulate. Get your tickets now!

SCAN HERE FOR INFO



TUESDAY, MAR 25 | 7:30 PM



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BENEFIT DINNER FOR THE LIFE-GIVING SPRING MONASTERY

St Nectarios Church in Covina will host a Benefit Dinner and Live Auction in support of our wonderful Monastery in Dunlap on SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2025. The evening will begin with Vespers at 5 pm, followed by a Social Hour at 6 pm and Dinner at 7 pm in the parish hall. Donation Amount: \$75 for adults; \$60 for children; children under 10 years old are free. RSVP by calling Anastasia Kalivas, 818-371-0526 by Palm Sunday, April 13. We urge you to reserve your seats due to the popularity of this event.

Savinos the Martyr of Egypt

March 16

The holy Martyr Sabine was from Hermopolis in Egypt, and was known for his zeal and piety. During the persecution of Diocletian, he concealed himself with other Christians in a small dwelling outside the city. But when he was discovered, and professed his faith in Christ, he was taken before Arian the Governor, and after he had been tortured he was drowned in the river. Concerning Arian the Governor, See also December 14.

Christodoulos the Wonderworker of Patmos

March 16

Saint Christodulus, who was from the region of Nicaea of Bithynia, was the son of Theodore and Anna, and was given the name John. He assumed the monastic habit in his youth and was renamed Christodulus ("slave of Christ" in Greek). At first, he lived the ascetical life in various places, then he received permission and monetary aid from the Emperor Alexis I Comnenus (reigned 1081-1118), and built on the island of Patmos a church and monastery named in honour of Saint John the Evangelist. These buildings stand to this day. However, when the Arabs attacked that place, he fled with his disciples and went to Euboa (Euripus), where also he completed the course of his life about the end of the eleventh century on the 16th of March. The disciples of this righteous man took his sacred incorrupt remains and transferred them to his own monastery, where they repose to this day for the sanctification of those who have recourse to them with faith.



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.



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