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JUNE 1, 2025

FATHERS OF THE 1ST COUNCIL

Justin the Philosopher and Martyr and his Companions

Pyrros the Hieromartyr

ORTHROS ~ 8:45 A.M.

(ORTHROS SERVICE TEXT CLICK HERE)

MEMORIAL SERVICE ~ 9:45 A.M.

Katherine Skandale -5 years

George Skandale – 16 years

DIVINE LITURGY ~ 10:00 A.M.

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HYMNS OF THE DAY

APOLYTIKION OF THE FEAST. MODE 4. (BEFORE ENTRANCE)

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Ἀνελήφθης ἐν δόξῃ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, χαροποιήσας τοὺς Μαθητάς, τῇ ἐπαγγελίᾳ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος, βεβαιωθέντων αὐτῶν διὰ τῆς εὐλογίας, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ Λυτρωτὴς τοῦ κόσμου.

RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION. MODE PL. 2. (AFTER 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!

Ἀγγελικαὶ δυνάμεις ἐπὶ τὸ μνήμα σου, καὶ οἱ φυλάσσοντες ἀπενεκρώθησαν· καὶ ἵστατο Μαρία ἐν τῷ τάφῳ, ζητοῦσα τὸ ἄχραντόν σου σῶμα. Ἐσκύλευσας τὸν ἄδην, μὴ πειρασθεὶς ὑπ' αὐτοῦ· ὑπήντησας τῇ Παρθένῳ, δωρούμενος τὴν ζωὴν. Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

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FOR THE FATHERS. MODE PL. 4.

Supremely blessed are You, O Christ our God. You established the holy Fathers upon the earth as beacons, and through them You have guided us all to the true Faith, O greatly merciful One, glory be to You.

Ὑπερδεδοξασμένος εἶ, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ φωστῆρας ἐπὶ γῆς τοὺς Πατέρας ἡμῶν θεμελιώσας, καὶ δι' αὐτῶν πρὸς τὴν ἀληθινὴν πίστιν, πάντας ἡμᾶς ὁδηγήσας· πολυεύσπλαγχνε, δόξα σοι.

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 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 OF THE FEAST. MODE PL. 2.

When You had fulfilled the dispensation for our sake, * and united things on earth with the things in heaven, * You were taken up thither in glory, O Christ our God, * going not away from any place, * but continuing inseparable, * and to them that love You crying out: * “I am with you, and there is, therefore, none against you.”

Τὴν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν πληρώσας οἰκονομίαν, καὶ τὰ ἐπὶ γῆς ἐνώσας τοῖς οὐρανίοις, ἀνελήφθης ἐν δόξῃ, Χριστε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, οὐδαμόθεν χωριζόμενος, ἀλλὰ μένων ἀδιάστατος, καὶ βοῶν τοῖς ἀγαπῶσί σε· Ἐγὼ εἰμι μεθ’ ὑμῶν, καὶ οὐδεὶς καθ’ ὑμῶν.



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.

EPISTLE READING

Acts of the Apostles 20:16-18, 28-36

Prokeimenon. Mode 4

Daniel 3.26,27

Blessed are you, O Lord, the God of our fathers.

Verse: For you are just in all you have done.

The reading is from Acts of the Apostles 20:16-18, 28-36

IN THOSE DAYS, Paul had decided to sail past Ephesos, so that he might not have to spend time in Asia; for he was hastening to be at Jerusalem, if possible, on the day of Pentecost. And from Miletos he sent to Ephesos and called to him the elders of the church. And when they came to him, he said to them: "Take heed to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God which he obtained with the blood of his own Son. I know that after my departure fierce wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock; and from among your own selves will arise men speaking perverse things, to draw away the disciples after them. Therefore be alert, remembering that for three years I did not cease night or day to admonish every one with tears. And now I commend you to God and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up and to give you the inheritance among all those who are sanctified. I coveted no one's silver or gold or apparel. You yourselves know that these hands ministered to my necessities, and to those who were with me. In all things I have shown you that by so toiling one must help the weak, remembering the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, 'it is more blessed to give than to receive.' " And when he had spoken thus, he knelt down and prayed with them all.

GOSPEL READING

The Gospel According to John 17:1-13

At that time, Jesus lifted up his eyes to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him power over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they know you the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work which you gave me to do; and now, Father, you glorify me in your own presence with the glory which I had with you before the world was made.

"I have manifested your name to the men whom you gave me out of the world; yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you; for I have given them the words which you gave me, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you did send me. I am praying for them; I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are mine; all mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. And now I am no more in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me; I have guarded them, and none of them is lost but the son of perdition, that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you; and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves."



Order for Holy Communion (*Only Baptized or Chrismated Orthodox Christians*). Please allow ushers to dismiss you row by row in an orderly fashion.

Divine Service for the month of June
(*saint-anthonys.org/calendar*)

Saturday, June 7, 2025 – Saturday of Souls
(Orthros 9:00am, Liturgy 10:00am)

Installation of the 2025 Philoptochos Board: Today, Fr. Peter will give the oath of office to the members of Philoptochos Board who are the following:
Connie Becker, Tanya Christodoulelis, Mary Dewar, Judith Din, Nicolette Fuerst, Maria Hronas, Carolina Kokoris, Maria Kokoris, Maria Kypreos, Fontaine Malisos, Christine Pappas, Andrea Patzakis, Athena Serban, Helen Skandale, Liz Skandale, Pres. Aida Stratos, Sophia Syrenegelas, Mary Udria, Lisa Xanthos



Today's coffee hour fellowship will be hosted by the Helen and Elizabeth Skandale in memory of their parents Katherine and George Skandale

**St. Anthony's Parish Assembly is TODAY Sunday June 1, 2025,
after Divine Services.**

St. Anthony's 2025 Pledged Stewards (Members)

(as of May 29, 2025)

Fr. Peter Stratos & 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
Argueta, Cris & Teresa V.
Arviso, Ange
Athanasoulis, Chris & Tina
Athans, Tesi & Craig Lareau
Athans, Tina & Dean P.
Athenson, Alex & Cynthia Sigler
Attalla, Philip "Ted" & Michelle
Reagan
Ayers, Nicole
Balas, Argiro Julie & Dino
Balas, Christian
Baliotis, Tina
Becker, Connie & Brian L.
Becronis, Christina
Bicos, Chris & Eleni
Bissias, Peter
Blosiu, Julian O. & Catalina E.
Bonorris, Donna & Pete
Boukidis, Katherine

Bowers, Connie & Terree
Bozikis, Demetra
Brown, Niki
Bryant, Dan & Karen
Buickians, Gagik & Jacqueline
Burkard Jr., Frank J. & Penelope
Buzas, John & Pamela
Buzas, Nicholas & Danielle
Caire, John.
Chames, Anastasia.
Christodoulelis Family, Jimmy
Christodoulelis, Tanya Mallis
Christodoulides, Loucas & Andri
Christopoulos, Judie & Gus
Christopoulos, Tony and Lynnette
Coccia, Tina & Ginseppe
Cokias, Jason & Karen
Constantinou, Dimitris & Katerina
Damilatis, Eleni
Darlal, Paula
Demetriades, Demetrios & Elizabeth
Demopulos, Elizabeth & Andrew
Demopulos, Michael & Patricia
Dewar, Mary & Andrew
Dimopoulos, Antonios
Dobbs, Nicholas & Allison
Duncan, Jan & Stephanie
Dupas, Christina
Dupas, George

Dupas, Katherine
Dupas, Theodore & Evangeline
Efsthathiou, Teddi & Dean
Floutsis, Penny & Ted
Frangeskou, Yiorgos & Xenia
Frousakis, Georgia
Fryer II, Norman & Kay
Fuerst, Billy
Fuerst, Nicolette & Jay
Gallagher, Eleni & Matthew
Gallanis, Mary
Gallanis, Pete & Danica
Ganis, Maria C.
Garcia, Andrew and Elizabeth
Gavalas, Cleola & George
Gavalas, Cleola & George
Gelt, Brian & Pana
Georgakopoulos, Eleni & George
Giakas, Vasiliki
Gittings, Brian & Maria Katsas
Grafos, Thean
Grafos, Tom & Tania
Halias, Joanne & John
Haralambos, Alik.
Haralambos, Anthony & Kathleen
Haralambos, Tom & Page
Harrison Helen
Hogarth Thea & Zachary Schwartz
Horaites, Anthony M. †
Horaites, George & Olympia
Hronas, Maria & James W.
Ioannou, Christos & Elleni
Johnsen, Eleni
Kades, Christine
Kades, Vicki & Louis
Kalambakas, Vivian N.
Kalivas, Elene & George
Kalivas, Pota
Kallas, Mark & Debra
Kamar, April

Kaparos, David & Kendall
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
Kolokotrones, Carolyn & James A.
Kontaxis, Michael & Christiana
Kouis, Peter & Elizabeth
Koulakis, John and Gisele
Koulisis, Nicole
Koulos, Joanna & Konstantinos
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
Lucas, John S. & Anthia
Macris, Catherine & George
Makredes, Labrini & Christopher
Makris, Ted & Maria
Malina, Dorothea
Malisos, Fontaine
Malisos, Samantha A
Manos, Demetrios & Katie
Manos, Katarina

Martin, Sam & Debbie
Maslen, Larissa & Mark Carpenter
Masouris, Vlase & Nicoleta
McCann, Liam
McClain, Anastasia
McGregor, Richard & Kristen
McNulty, Jennie & Chris
Mechalas, Bess †
Metry, Sam and Gemalyn
Mitis, Nick & Maria Prantzikou
Mitropoulos, Eleni & Bill Balntas
Mitropoulos, Nick & Venetia
Mitsinikos, Emmanuel & Natalia
Mobayen, Chrissa & Syrus
Molinari, Ynggrid
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
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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
Pegadiotes, George S.
Pirovolos, Nicholas & Anna
Plumtree, Martha & Wayne

Pollalis, Dino J.
Polwrek, Joseph & Jennifer
Poulos, Yiota
Rafeedie, Linda S.
Reese, Helen
Riley, Thomas & Evangelia
Rodriguez, Dennis
Roulakis, Eleni
Saigh, Mara R. Suchy
Samaan, Yvette
Scordelis, Alexander & Melissa
Serban, Athena & Mihai
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, Peter T & Theodora
Stavropoulos, Tina
Stephens, Kenneth & A. Maria
Plumtree
Stratos, Fr. Peter/Pres. Aida
Syrengelas, Christos & Sophia
Tarazi, Ellie
Tarazi, Ted & Panagiota Angelos
Treantafelles, Andreas & Georgia
Treantafelles, Helen
Treantafelles, Stan & Vivian
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Tripodes, Dena
Tripodes, Georgia E.
Tripodes, Marika
Tripodis, Ioannis & Helene
Tsaggouri, Eleni & Anastassios
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Tsouvalas, Charles
Tsouvalas, James
Tsouvalas, John & Jenny
Tsudis, Mara and RJ Thieneman
Tsudis, Peter and Carol
Turner, Daniel & Nicole
Udria, Juan & Mary
Vagenas, Alex & Tashia
Vagenas, Christina
Vagenas, Diana
Vagenas, Dino & Krystina
Vagenas, George & Polly
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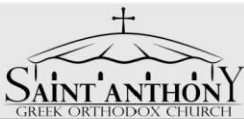
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Voyagis, Eleftherios & Pauline
Webster, John & Jennifer
Wojcik, Radoslav M. & Pamela
Xanthos, Lisa
Zarian, Vincent & Maria
Zarifes, Peter & Tina
Ziska, Antonia
Zoumas, Michael & Christina
Zoumberakis, Haralambos and
Nikole

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stewardship list. Please forgive us if there are any errors or
omissions. Contact Alma at the church office 626-449-6943 for any
questions.**

Justin the Philosopher and Martyr and his Companions

June 1, 2025

This Saint, who was from Neapolis of Palestine, was a follower of Plato the philosopher. Born in 103, he came to the Faith of Christ when he was already a mature man, seeking to find God through philosophy and human reasoning. A venerable elder appeared to him and spoke to him about the Prophets who had taught of God not through their own wisdom, but by revelation; and he led him to knowledge of Christ, Who is the fulfillment of what the Prophets taught. Saint Justin soon became a fervent follower of Christ, and an illustrious apologist of the Evangelical teachings. To the end of his life, while preaching Christ in all parts, he never put off his philosopher's garb. In Rome, he gave the Emperor Antoninus Pius (reigned 138-161) an apology wherein he proved the innocence and holiness of the Christian Faith, persuading him to relieve the persecution of Christians. Through the machinations of Crescens, a Cynic philosopher who envied him, Saint Justin was beheaded in Rome in 167 under Antoninus' successor, Marcus Aurelius (reigned 161-180). Besides his defense of Christianity (First and Second Apologies), Saint Justin wrote against paganism (Discourse to the Greeks, Hortatory Address to the Greeks), and refuted Jewish objections against Christ (Dialogue with Trypho).



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

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

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

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

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\$288/week OR \$1,250/month & up

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

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

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