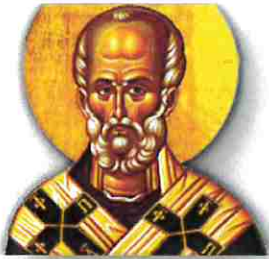


AUGUST 28, 2022 – Eleventh Sunday of Matthew

Moses the Ethiopian of Skete; Holy Martyrs Diomedes and Laurence; the Righteous king Hezekiah of Judah; Anna, daughter of Phanuel; 33 Martyrs of Heraclea; Holy Hieromartyr Damon; Synaxis of the Holy Fathers of the Lavra of the Kiev Caves

Tone 2

Orthros Gospel 10



WELCOME TO ST. NICHOLAS CATHEDRAL!

VISIT www.stnickspgh.org TODAY for news and updates about our parish!

CLERGY: Rev. Fr. Christopher Bender and Rev. Dn. Robert Lykos

Father's Cell & Email: 724-630-3483; frchbender@verizon.net

PROTOPSALTIS: Amy Hogg

CHANTER: Steve Andrews

CHOIR DIRECTOR: Steve Andrews

ORGANIST: Haley Cobb

Questions about our Parish? Email church@stnickspgh.org or call 412-682-3866

Our Sunday worship schedule: June 12 – Sept 4: Orthros 8:15 a.m. & Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.

WELCOME, VISITORS! You are honored guests here at St. Nicholas Cathedral and welcome at all our services. We invite you to receive the Holy Eucharist (Communion) if you are an Orthodox Christian who has prepared yourself through fasting, prayer, and confession. If you are not Orthodox, or are Orthodox but have not prepared, we respectfully invite you instead to come forward at the end of the service for a blessing by the priest and a piece of blessed bread (antidoron).

Our Mission & Vision Statements

The **MISSION** of St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Cathedral is to Proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ in a Spirit of Unity and Love for All through Worship, Service, Education, Fellowship and Outreach.

Our **VISION** is to be a Welcoming and Growing Parish, Striving to Live the New Life in Christ according to the Teachings and Traditions of the Greek Orthodox Faith.

Watch Sunday services, which are still streaming live from St Nicholas Cathedral at www.stnickspgh.org/ and click on "Live Streaming Click Here."

On-Line Giving donations are up and running on our web page www.stnickspgh.org by clicking please donate button - or you may access the donation page by using <https://abundant.co/stnickspgh/give>

TODAY'S TRISAGION SERVICE is being chanted for the soul of the servant of God, *Vasiliki (Bessie) Andrews (15 years).*

TODAY: We Cordially Invite

ALL New and Returning College, Graduate & Professional Students, and the entire congregation for today's Welcome Brunch, hosted by the Mothers and Fathers of St Nicholas Cathedral as we welcome our students to Pittsburgh!

Students, we hope that you will consider us your "spiritual home away from home" during your time here in Pittsburgh.

THIS WEEK AT ST. NICHOLAS

- Monday August 29, 2022: Beheading of St John the Baptist
Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

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SPECIAL HYMNS OF THE DAY (SMALL ENTRANCE):

The first hymn we hear at the Small Entrance is the Resurrection Apolytikion in the Tone of the week (1):
Ὅτε κατήλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἡ ζωὴ ἡ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν Ἄδην ἐνέκρωσας τῇ ἀστραπῇ τῆς Θεότητος·
ὅτε δὲ καὶ τοὺς τεθνεῶτας ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων ἀνέστησας, πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων
ἐκραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

When You descended unto death, O Lord who yourself are immortal Life, then did You mortify Hades by the lightning flash of Your Divinity. Also when You raised the dead the netherworld, all the Powers of the heavens were crying out: O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory to You. [SD]

At the procession with the Gospel the usual Eisodikon (Entrance Hymn) in Tone 2 is chanted:

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ προσπέσωμεν Χριστῷ. Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι· Ἀλληλούϊα. "Come let us worship and fall down before Christ. Save us O Son of God, who arose from the dead. We sing to you, Alleluia."

As the Clergy enter back into the Sanctuary, we hear the Resurrection hymn again.

Following this, we chant the Hymn for St. Nicholas (Tone 4):

Κανόνα πίστεως καὶ εἰκόνα πραότητος, ἐγκρατείας Διδάσκαλον, ἀνέδειξέ σε τῇ ποιμνῇ σου, ἡ τῶν πραγμάτων ἀλήθεια· διὰ τοῦτο ἐκτίσω τῇ ταπεινώσει τὰ ὑψηλά, τῇ πτωχείᾳ τὰ πλούσια, Πάτερ Ἱεράρχα Νικόλαε· πρόσβενε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν. The truth of things have revealed you to your flock as a rule of faith, an icon of meekness, and a teacher of temperance; for this cause you have achieved the heights by humility, riches by poverty. O Father and Hierarch Nicholas, intercede with Christ God that our souls be saved.

Finally, we hear the Kontakion for the upcoming feast of the Nativity of the Theotokos:

Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννα ὀνειδισμοῦ ἀτεκνίας, καὶ Ἀδὰμ καὶ Εὐά, ἐκ τῆς φθορᾶς τοῦ θανάτου, ἡλευθερώθησαν, Ἄχραντε, ἐν τῇ ἁγίᾳ γεννήσει σου· αὐτὴν ἐορτάζει καὶ ὁ λαός σου, ἐνοχῆς τῶν πταισμάτων, λυτρωθεὶς ἐν τῷ κράζειν σοι·
Ἡ στεῖρα τίκτει τὴν Θεοτόκον, καὶ τροφὸν τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν.

Both Joachim and Anna from their sterility's stigma, and Adam and Eve from their mortality's ruin, have been set free, O immaculate Maid, by your holy nativity. For this do your people hold celebration, redeemed from the guilt of transgression as they cry to you, "The barren one bears the Theotokos, the nourisher of our Life." [GKD]

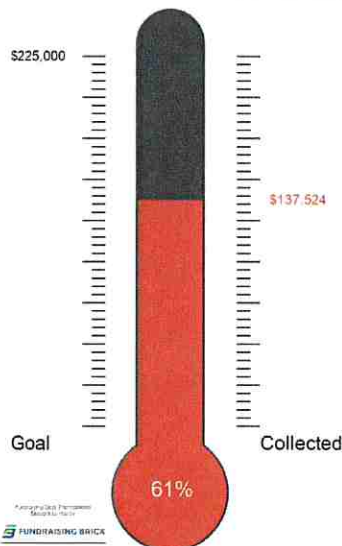
EPISTLE: I Corinthians 9:2-12: Brethren, you are the seal of my apostleship in the Lord. This is my defense to those who would examine me. Do we not have the right to our food and drink? Do we not have the right to be accompanied by a wife, as the other apostles and the brothers of the Lord and Cephas? Or is it only Barnabas and I who have no right to refrain from working for a living? Who serves as a soldier at his own expense? Who plants a vineyard without eating any of its fruit? Who tends a flock without getting some of the milk? Do I say this on human authority? It was written for our sake, because the plowman should plow in hope and the thresher thresh in hope of a share in the crop. If we have sown spiritual good among you, is it too much if we reap your material benefits? If others share this rightful claim upon you, do not we still more? Nevertheless, we have not made use of this right, but we endure anything rather than put an obstacle in the way of the gospel of Christ. [RSV]

GOSPEL: Matthew 17: 14-23. The Lord said this parable: "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his servants. When he began the reckoning, one was brought to him who owed him ten thousand talents; and as he could not pay, his lord ordered him to be sold, with his wife and children and all that he had, and payment to be made. So the servant fell on his knees, imploring him, 'Lord, have patience with me, and I will pay you everything.' And out of pity for him the lord of that servant released him and forgave him the debt. But that same servant, as he went out, came upon one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred denarii; and seizing him by the throat he said, 'Pay what you owe.' So his fellow servant fell down and besought him, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you.' He refused and went and put him in prison till he should pay the debt. When his fellow servants saw what had taken place, they were greatly distressed, and they went and reported to their lord all that had taken place. Then his lord summoned him and said to him, 'You wicked servant! I forgave you all that debt because you besought me; and should not you have had mercy on your fellow servant, as I had mercy on you?' And in anger his lord delivered him to the jailors, till he should pay all his debt. So also my heavenly Father will do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother from your heart." [RSV]

2022 Stewardship Pledge Cards are in the Narthex ***(Just ask a member of Parish Council)***

If you have already submitted your 2022 Stewardship Commitment, **THANK YOU!** If not, please take the time to make financial Stewardship Commitment today and complete the talent portion of the card to enable OUR Community to grow and carry on the mission of our faith.

HELP US REACH/ EXCEED OUR GOAL!!



<u>2022</u>	<u>STEWARDSHIP</u>
Total Stewards	265 (GOAL 300)
Total Pledged	\$137,524.00 GOAL (\$225,000.00)
Avg. Pledge	\$735.42

Greek School

Greek School for children will start on Saturday, September 17, 2022, not on September 10. There will be registration for Greek School after Divine Liturgy on Sunday, September 11.

Adult classes TBA will begin in October

ST. NICHOLAS CATHEDRAL
GREEK LANGUAGE SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR CHILDREN
2022 - 2023

Yearly Tuition for Children

1 student=\$250; 2 students =\$450; 3 students=\$675; 4 students=\$900
 Make checks payable to **St. Nicholas Cathedral** with Greek School in the memo.

Child's LAST NAME (English&Greek) _____
Child's First Name (English &Greek) _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ **State** _____ **ZIP** _____
HOME PHONE _____ **primary CELL** _____
Primary E-MAIL _____
Another CELL phone to receive info. _____
Another E-MAIL to receive info. _____
FATHER'S NAME (English & Greek) _____
MOTHER'S NAME (English & Greek) _____
School District Child Attends _____

Child's Age	Grade American School	Name Day	Birthdate	Grade Greek School

Any food allergies? Please list _____

IN case of EMERGENCY Εν ώρα ΑΝΑΓΚΗΣ Please give the names of relatives or other persons that could be reached. Children will be taken to Children's Hospital.

Emergency Name _____ **PHONE** _____
Emergency Name _____ **PHONE** _____

Parent's Signature _____

Parent Volunteering – Your Help is Needed!

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|--|-------------------------------------|
| ___ serving on Greek School Committee | ___ Substituting |
| ___ with Costume fitting | ___ March 25 th Luncheon |
| ___ with St. Nicholas Bazaar | ___ with Greek Language Festival |
| ___ with Christmas Caroling in nursing homes | ___ with Bake Sale |
| ___ with copying | ___ being a teacher's assistant |

ST. NICHOLAS CATHEDRAL
GREEK LANGUAGE SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR ADULTS
2022 - 2023

Please select

☐ Beginners

☐ Intermediates

☐ Advanced

Yearly Tuition \$ 350 per student

Checks payable to

St. Nicholas Cathedral

Memo: Greek School

Books are purchased by students
on their own

Please print

Name _____

Address _____

Home phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Cell phone _____

E-mail _____

Emergency contact _____

Emergency phone _____

Have you had previous Greek lessons? _____

If so where _____

Why do you want to learn Modern Greek? _____

YOUTH SAFETY WORKERS

Who is considered a Youth Safety Worker?

- **All Clergymen (Bishops/Priests/Deacons, both Active & Retired)**
- **Pastoral Assistants & Youth Directors**
- **People assisting, in any ministry, where the participants are under 18 years of age or in high school, whichever is later.**
 - **Including Parish Youth Safety Administrators, Church School Teachers, Dance Directors, Greek School Teachers, Youth Advisors (including Chaperones & Drivers)**
 - **Even... Parents who occasionally help-out, but are alone with other people's children.**

Each Youth Safety Worker is required to register yearly with the church.

Registration is available through the church office. In addition, all Youth Safety Workers are required to take two courses in Armatus Praesidium (on-line training platform) annually and to complete a background check every other year.

Here is the website:

<https://armatus2.praesidiuminc.com/armatusUser/login>. The first course, Youth Safety, has two parts. The second course, Youth Worker Regulations, has one part. Prompt completion is necessary as one cannot participate in any youth programs without being registered, having a background check, having PA state clearances, and completing the two courses.

Those interested in becoming a Youth Safety Worker and have not started the process or need to determine what documentation you need to complete, please contact Taki Darakos, edarakos@aol.com, 412-944-4961.



From the Church School Desk:

“The Orthodox Christian Church: Your Spiritual Home”

Sunday, September 18, 2022, the bells will start to ring again for the beginning of Church School with an Agiasmo Service (Blessings of the Water)!

This year’s Church School theme is **“The Orthodox Christian Church: Your Spiritual Home.”**

Every week your child is encouraged to bring “a donation” to Church School (this will help them learn the lesson of “stewardship,” including their TIME, Talent and treasure), plus, be assigned homework: Do something nice for someone!

Please take the time to look over the attached 2022-2023 Church School Calendar, fill out the registration form (and bring it on or before the 18th) and volunteer **your** time, talent and treasure to help **our** children.

I would like to thank the parents in advance for sharing your children with us every Sunday! But, what can you do to help? You can help our Church School program, in the final analysis, your child, by bringing him/her every Sunday. Encourage your child to tell you about the lesson taught for the day, as well as, the craft brought home. Pray with your child. (Each lesson should begin and end with Prayer.) Attend worship services together as a **family**; Divine Liturgy starts at 10:00 a.m.

Yours in Christ,

Miss Michelle

Church School Schedule
2022 -2023

Sunday, September 18, 2022		Church School Begins
Sunday, November 27, 2022	No Classroom Attendance	Thanksgiving Break
Sunday, December 11, 2022		St. Nicholas Bazaar
Sunday, December 18, 2022		Christmas Pageant
Sunday, December 25, 2022	No Classroom Attendance	Christmas Break
Sunday, January 1, 2023	No Classroom Attendance	Christmas Break
Sunday, January 8, 2023		Church School Resumes & Vasilopita Cutting
Sunday, March 5, 2023	Participation in Procession	Sunday of Orthodoxy
Sunday, March 19, 2023		Godparent/Parent Sunday
Saturday, April 8, 2023	Saturday of Lazarus	Communion Breakfast/Making of Palm Crosses
Sunday, April 9, 2023	Classroom Attendance	Palm Sunday
Sunday, April 16, 2023	No Classroom Attendance	Easter Sunday
Sunday, May 7, 2023	No Classroom Attendance	Food Festival
Sunday, May 21, 2023		Commencement

**Registration Form
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Cathedral
Church School**

Parent's Names

Address

Phone Numbers

Home _____

Work _____

Cell _____

E-mail _____

Children	Grade	Birthday	Nameday	Allergies
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May we call you to volunteer for one of our projects?

Substitute Teacher _____

Oratorical Festival _____

St. Nicholas Bazaar _____

Communion Breakfast _____

Christmas Pageant _____

Easter Egg Hunt _____

Snacks _____

Outreach Projects _____

Thanks for sharing your children with us every Sunday!

SIXTY CLUB NEWS

GOOD NEWS

Gateway Clipper Luncheon Cruise

Wednesday, September 14

11:30 a.m. to 1:30 a.m.

(Be at dock by 10:45 a.m., Boarding at 11:00 a.m.)

Cost: \$52.00

Cost includes buffet luncheon and entertainment:

Bo Wagner's A Tribute to Frank Sinatra

BAD NEWS

We have only 11 tickets,

First come, first serve

Make checks payable to Frances Hanna, (412-731-0790), mail to 110 McKay Street. Pittsburgh, PA-15218

Payment due with reservation.

Absolutely no cancellations or refunds!

MORE SIXTY CLUB NEWS!

TO ALL MEMBERS and FRIENDS

FLIGHT 93 MEMORIAL and QUECREEK MINE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2022

\$119.00/per person, includes lunch at Coal Miners' Café

Departure 7:45 a.m.-- return 5.00 p.m.

Short restroom stop enroute

(Please be at St. Nicholas by 7:30 a.m.)

(Be prepared—bring a mask and \$2.00 to \$3.00 driver's gratuity)

Payment due September 13. Contact Fran Hanna (412-731-0790) or Alice Gary (412-249-8612).

The above price is based on 20 participants.

Make checks payable to St. Nicholas Cathedral Sixty Club.

The Quecreek Mine disaster took place in Somerset County, PA, when nine miners were trapped underground for over 77 hours from July 24 to 28, 2002. Hear the fascinating step-by-step miraculous rescue of all nine miners.

We all know the importance of the Flight 93 Memorial. When we visited several years ago the memorial was not completed, it is now. Join us in paying our respects to those who gave their lives for our country.

Please tell your friends about this trip. They do not need to be our parishioners. All are welcome.

Cathedral Ceiling Damage Update, August 25

The maintenance committee has had two inspections of the sanctuary ceiling by the engineering firm Wiss, Janney, Elstner & Associates, a large, nation-wide, company specializing in structural and architectural analysis of construction-related problems. We are waiting for their report and recommendations on how to test the remainder of the ceiling and recommendation on how to repair. This report is expected any day (it is already late).

In our discussion with the engineering firm, the plaster had slow growing cracks emanating from ceiling cutouts, such as lights and ducts that separated the plaster from the underlying lath board. They have seen this failure before in buildings of this vintage (120 years old). From these discussions and discussions with other contractors, this is the current expectation of how the repair work will proceed.

1. Protect all items in the church that could be damaged by a falling chunk of plaster including the Bishop's Throne, altar screen, pulpit, and stained glass. Some of these will have hard enclosures built.
2. Erect scaffolding under the entire high portion of the ceiling
3. Test the structural integrity of the plaster across the entire ceiling.
 - If an area has a good bond, install mechanical supports to prevent future problems
 - If an area has cracked away from the lath board, remove the damaged plaster
4. Replaster both the area that has fallen and areas where cracked plaster was removed. Several coats of plaster will be required. The newly plastered areas will use modern steel lath panels which provides much better structural support.
5. Paint the ceiling
6. Remove scaffolding and all protective enclosures and coverings.
7. Clean dust from the entire church.

We have been doing much of the groundwork in preparation of the final direction from the engineering report. Two scaffolding companies have been on-site to review the requirements and have provided quotes. We have also had contractors on-site who could provide the plastering and painting.

We don't know how expensive the repair will be. It will depend on how large the required repair area will be and the specifics of the repair contained in the engineering report. But we do know it will be very expensive; the scaffolding alone will cost more than \$75,000. To start financing the project, St. Nicholas Cathedral has a healthy balance in the Building Fund plus the income earned from the Foundation Fund could be appropriated for this project. Beyond that, we are exploring other financing options including obtaining a mortgage, initiating a fundraising campaign, and principal withdrawals from the Foundation Fund.

The spiritual and social life of the parish will continue as usual during this church repair. Divine Liturgy has been in the small hall. All Religious and Greek Education classes and youth activities are proceeding as usual in September. And the church picnic is going forward on September 11. That said, we will expedite the repair process as much as possible, while ensuring that we have a ceiling that will easily last the next 100 years.

Parish Council

Ukrainian Food Festival

September 9 & 10, 2022

11:00 am – 7:00 pm

Welcome !

**Pyrohy/Pierogies, Holupsti/Stuffed Cabbage
Kielbasa, Halushki, Borscht, Outdoor Grill,
Ukrainian Pastries, Basket Raffle and more!!!**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH

Food Festival 11:00 – 7:00 pm

Church Tours Available

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH

Food Festival 11:00 – 7:00 pm

Church Talk/Tour with

Fr. John Charest at 1:00, 3:00 & 5:00 pm



Eat in, Take-out. MC/Visa available.

Handicap Accessible

Phone orders day of event at

412-276-9718

**SS Peter & Paul Ukrainian Orthodox
Church**

220 Mansfield Blvd.

Carnegie, PA 15106

Info: 412-527-5359

www.orthodoxcarnegie.org

Please Join Us for Our Annual



Date: **Sunday, September 11, 2022**

Time: Begins after church services end (approx. 12:00 p.m.)

Location: Anderson Shelter (Schenley Park, directions below)

Food: Served at 1:00 p.m.

Bring your Family and Friends to celebrate the end of Summer
with Great Food, Drinks and Fellowship!!!

Directions – from the church: Turn left onto Fifth Ave. Turn left onto Bigelow Blvd.
Cross over Forbes Ave. At the light, turn left onto Schenley Drive and head toward
Phipps Conservatory. At the stop sign, turn right. Once you cross the Panther
Hollow Bridge, make an immediate right at the end of the bridge.
Look for our signs and Greek Flag!!

Sponsored by the Parish of St Nicholas Cathedral



PRESENT

"REMEMBER SEPTEMBER"

"HRIPSIME'S AGONY, ATHENA'S MOURNING, AND RACHEL'S HEARTBREAK"

A CENTENNIAL MEMORIAL OF THE MARTYRS OF THE CHRISTIAN GENOCIDE IN ASIA MINOR, THE PONTUS, ANATOLIA (1915-1922),
AND THE JEWISH MARTYRS OF THE HOLOCAUST

SEPTEMBER 11 – 25, 2022

FOR DETAILS: PAHELLENICFOUNDATION.ORG/REMEMBERSEPTEMBER

7 PM, SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2022: GENOCIDE IN ASIA MINOR, THE PONTUS, AND ANATOLIA (1915-1923) AS THE "FINAL SOLUTION'S" INSPIRATION. FORMAL OPENING OF THE PROGRAM AND GREETINGS BY DISTINGUISHED GUESTS.

7 PM, MONDAY SEPTEMBER 12, 2022: "TETRAODEON TRIBUTE TO THE NEOMARTYRS OF ASIA MINOR". A MUSICAL/HYMNOLGIC COMMEMORATION OF THE GREEKS IN ANATOLIA, THE PONTUS, AND ASIA MINOR WHO WERE SLAUGHTERED IN THE CHRISTIAN GENOCIDE.

7 PM, TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 13, 2022: "ETTY: WRITING AS RESISTANCE". ADAPTED FROM THE DIARIES OF ETTY HILLESUM AND PERFORMED BY SUSAN STEIN. DIRECTED BY AUSTIN PENDLETON. IN-PERSON EVENT. DETAILS AT: PAHELLENICFOUNDATION.ORG/REMEMBERSEPTEMBER.

7 PM, WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 14, 2022: "A PRISONER OF WAR'S STORY" BY STRATIS DOUKAS. FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER, THE STORY WILL BE PRESENTED IN ITS ENGLISH TRANSLATION.

3 PM, THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 15, 2022: "THE STUDENTS OF UMBERTO PRIMO" - A POST-FILM DISCUSSION WITH ALESSANDRA MAIOLETTI (DIRECTOR), DIANE BOULANGER (EXECUTIVE PRODUCER) & AVI BEN HUR. DETAILS AT PAHELLENICFOUNDATION.ORG/REMEMBERSEPTEMBER

7 PM, FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 16, 2022: "EXPERIENCE AND CREATIONS: VAGGELIS ANETOPOULOS".

3 PM, SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2022: COMMEMORATING THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE THROUGH TESTIMONY: AN INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SHOAH FOUNDATION - THE INSTITUTE FOR VISUAL HISTORY AND EDUCATION.

7 PM, SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2022: "MEMORIES OF ASIA MINOR IN POEM". THE WINNING ENTRIES IN RESPONSE TO AN INTERNATIONAL POETRY COMPETITION ON THE THEME WILL BE PRESENTED; THIS COMPETITION IS A COLLABORATION BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN ART CENTER OF GREECE (EUARCE) AND THE AMERICAN HELLENIC FOUNDATION OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA. DETAILS AT PAHELLENICFOUNDATION.ORG/REMEMBERSEPTEMBER.

7 PM, SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 18, 2022: "HRIPSIME'S AGONY, ATHENA'S MOURNING, AND RACHEL'S HEARTBREAK". A MUSICAL AND POETIC CENTENNIAL COMMEMORATION OF, AND TRIBUTE TO THE MARTYRS OF THE CHRISTIAN GENOCIDE IN ANATOLIA, THE PONTUS, AND ASIA MINOR, AND THE JEWS IN THE HOLOCAUST.

5 PM, SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 25, 2022: "MAPPING MIGRATION, LEARNING FROM ORAL HISTORY: OTTOMAN GREEK IMMIGRATION TO WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA", A LECTURE-PRESENTATION BY DR. YIORGO TOPALIDIS, PH.D., SAMUEL PROCTOR ORAL HISTORY PROJECT, UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA.

7 PM, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2022: "THE BUILDERS FROM ASIA MINOR". A SHORT DOCUMENTARY ABOUT THE IMMIGRANTS AND REFUGEES FROM ASIA MINOR, THE PONTUS, AND ANATOLIA WHO HELPED SHAPE THE GREEK-AMERICAN COMMUNITIES OF THE TRI-STATE AREA. WITH HYMNS DEDICATED TO THE NEOMARTYRS OF ASIA MINOR BY MEMBERS OF THE BYZANTINE CHOIR OF THE GREEK ORTHODOX METROPOLIS OF PITTSBURGH. DETAILS AT PAHELLENICFOUNDATION.ORG/REMEMBERSEPTEMBER.

INTERNATIONAL ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN CHARITIES



Ukrainian Relief Dinner & Prayer Service

Sunday, September 25, 2022 | Service 4:00 PM • Dinner 5:00 PM

ST. NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL

419 South Dithridge St. • Pittsburgh (Oakland) 15213

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Metropolitan SAVAS, Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America

Metropolitan GREGORY of Nyssa, Carpatho-Russian Orthodox Church of the USA

Archbishop MELCHISEDEK, Orthodox Church in America

Archbishop DANIEL, Ukrainian Orthodox Church of the USA

Bishop THOMAS, Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America

Bishop IRINEJ, Serbian Orthodox Church in North & South America

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Register online at ioccc.org/pittsburgh

Or contact Zelfa 412-417-4706/zkhalil1@live.com,
Vera 412-833-0839, or Mary Ann 724-263-5605.

Make checks payable to IOCC with "Ukraine Relief" in memo.

Mail to IOCC c/o Nick Terezis, 306 Marberry Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15215.

Tickets held at door, not mailed. Tables for groups of 8 only.

For info or to volunteer call Zelfa 412-417-4706.



AUGUST / SEPTEMBER 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div> PLEASE NOTE: ALL REGULARLY SCHEDULED WORSHIP SERVICES WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE CRYSTAL ROOM (SMALL HALL) </div>						
28 11 th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m. Welcome Brunch New & Returning College Students and Families	29 Beheading of St. John the Baptist Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. STRICT FAST!	30	31	1 SEPT	2	3
4 12th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15 a.m. Divine Liturgy 9:30 a.m.	5 Labor Day CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	6	7	8	9 Nativity of the Theotokos FEAST DAY 5:00 p.m. Vespers, Orthros AT HOLY NATIVITY OF THEOTOKOS MONASTERY	10 Nativity of the Theotokos FEAST DAY 9:00 am: Hours, Divine Liturgy AT HOLY NATIVITY OF THEOTOKOS MONASTERY
11 Sun. before Holy Cross NOTE: WINTER HOURS BEGIN Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am Parish Picnic: 12:00 p.m.	12	13	14 ELEVATION OF THE HOLY CROSS Orthros 9 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10 a.m.	15	16	17 Greek School Begins 10:00 a.m.
18 Sunday after Holy Cross Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am Church School begins	19 Parish Council Meeting 7 p.m.	20	21	22	23	24 Greek School 10 a.m.