

JANUARY 22, 2023 – 15th Sunday of Luke (Zacchaeus)

Ss. Timothy the Apostle of the 70 and the Martyr Anastasios the Persian

Grave (7th) Tone

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

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CHANTER: Steve Andrews

CHOIR DIRECTOR: Steve Andrews

ORGANIST: Roseanne Yu

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

Our Sunday worship schedule: Sept 11 – May 31: Orthros 8:45 a.m. & Divine Liturgy 10:00 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>

TODAYS MEMORIAL SERVICE is being chanted for the soul of the servant of God *Donna Thomas* (40 days).

PLEASE JOIN US for coffee and fellowship following services in the Large Hall hosted by GOYA, Parish Council & the Ceiling Fundraising Committee and sponsored by the family of Donna Thomas.

TODAY: ORATORICAL FESTIVAL SUNDAY – SECOND BASKET WILL BE PASSED
PHILOPTOCHOS MIMOSAS & MEMBERSHIP and GENERAL MEETING

THIS WEEK AT ST. NICHOLAS

- Tuesday, Jan 24, 2023: GOYA BOYS Basketball 7:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, Jan 25, 2023: GOYA GIRLS Basketball 7:00 p.m.
- Thursday, Jan 26, 2023: Moussaka Prep 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
- Friday, Jan 27, 2023: Moussaka Prep 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
- Saturday, Jan 28, 2023: Greek School 10:00 a.m. / Moussaka Prep 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
- Sunday, Jan 29, 2023: Memorial Service for Katherine Georgiades (1 year)
Moussaka Prep after church – 4:00 p.m.

PARISH COUNCIL IS LOOKING FOR ONE (1) ADDITIONAL MEMBER.
IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN JOINING, PLEASE CONTACT PARISH COUNCIL PRESIDENT,
MICHELLE KOTSAGRELOS (MMK8317@HOTMAIL.COM OR 412.680.1416)

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SPECIAL HYMNS AND READINGS OF THE DAY (SMALL ENTRANCE):

First to be chanted as the clergy exit is the Resurrection Apolytikion in Grave (7th) Tone: Κατέλυσας τῷ Σταυρῷ σου τὸν θάνατον, ἠνέφξας τῷ Ληστῇ τὸν Παράδεισον, τῶν Μυροφόρων τὸν θρήνον μετέβαλες, καὶ τοῖς σοῖς Ἀποστόλοις κηρύττειν ἐπέταξας· ὅτι ἀνέστης Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.
By means of Your Cross, O Lord, You abolished death. To the robber You opened Paradise. The lamentation of the myrrh-bearing women You transformed, and You gave Your Apostles the order to proclaim to all that You had risen, O Christ our God, and granted the world Your great mercy. [SD]

Then, 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 bow down before Christ. Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead. We sing to You, Alleluia.

The Resurrection Apolytikion in Tone 2 is repeated, followed by the hymn for St. Timothy the Apostle: Χρηστότητα ἐκδίδαχθεις, καὶ νήφων ἐν πᾶσιν, ἀγαθὴν συνείδησιν ἱεροπρεπῶς ἐνδυσάμενος, ἦντλησας ἐκ τοῦ Σκεύους τῆς ἐκλογῆς τὰ ἀπόρρητα· καὶ τὴν πίστιν τηρήσας, τὸν ἴσον δρόμον τετέλεκας, Ἀπόστολε Τιμόθεε.

Πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Having learned kindness, and being always steady and sober, vested with a good conscience as befits a priest, you drew out from the Chosen Vessel the secrets of God. And having kept the faith, you have finished the fair race, O Hieromartyr Timothy. Intercede with Christ our God, entreating Him to save our souls. [SD]

Following this, we honor in hymn Martyr Anastasios the Persian:

Ὁ Μάρτυς σου Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἀθλήσει αὐτοῦ, τὸ στέφος ἐκομίσατο τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν· ἔχων γὰρ τὴν ἰσχύν σου, τοὺς τυράννους καθεῖλεν· ἔθραυσε καὶ δαιμόνων, τὰ ἀνίσχυρα θράση, αὐτοῦ ταῖς ἱκεσίαις Χριστέ, σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Your Martyr, O Lord, was worthily awarded by You * the crown of incorruption, in that he contested for You our immortal God. * Since he possessed Your power, he defeated the tyrants, * dashing the demons' powerless displays of defiance. * O Christ God, at his fervent entreaties, save our souls. [SD]

Next, we hear the Apolytikion for our Patron saint, Nicholas Archbishop of Myra:

Κανόνα πίστεως καὶ εἰκόνα πραότητος, ἐγκρατείας Διδάσκαλον, ἀνέδειξέ σε τῇ ποιμνῇ σου, ἡ τῶν πραγμάτων ἀλήθεια· διὰ τοῦτο ἐκτήσω τῇ ταπεινώσει τὰ ὑψηλά, τῇ πτωχείᾳ τὰ πλούσια, Πάτερ Ἱεράρχα Νικόλαε· πρέσβευε 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, the Kontakion in Tone 1 for the Presentation of Christ (Feb. 2) is chanted:

Ὁ μήτραν παρθενικὴν ἀγιάσας τῷ τόκῳ σου, καὶ χεῖρας τοῦ Συμεὼν εὐλογήσας ὡς ἔπρεπε, προφθάσας καὶ νῦν ἔσωσας ἡμᾶς Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός. Ἀλλ' εἰρήνευσον ἐν πολέμοις τὸ πολίτευμα, καὶ κραταίωσον Βασιλεῖς οὓς ἠγάπησας, ὁ μόνος φιλόνητος.

Your birth sanctified a Virgin's womb and properly blessed the hands of Symeon. Having now come and saved us O Christ our God, give peace to Your commonwealth in troubled times and strengthen those in authority, whom You love, as only the loving One.

EPISTLE: I Timothy 4: 9-15. Τέκνον Τιμόθεε, πιστὸς ὁ λόγος καὶ πάσης ἀποδοχῆς ἄξιος· εἰς τοῦτο γὰρ καὶ κοπιῶμεν καὶ ὀνειδιζόμεθα, ὅτι ἠλπίκαμεν ἐπὶ Θεῷ ζῶντι, ὅς ἐστι Σωτὴρ πάντων ἀνθρώπων, μάλιστα πιστῶν. Παράγγελλε ταῦτα καὶ δίδασκε. Μηδεὶς σου τῆς νεότητος καταφρονεῖτω, ἀλλὰ τύπος γίνου τῶν πιστῶν ἐν λόγῳ, ἐν ἀναστροφῇ, ἐν ἀγάπῃ, ἐν πνεύματι, ἐν πίστει, ἐν ἀγνείᾳ. Ἔως ἔρχομαι πρόσεχε τῇ ἀναγνώσει, τῇ παρακλήσει, τῇ διδασκαλίᾳ. Μὴ ἀμέλει τοῦ ἐν σοὶ χαρίσματος, ὃ ἐδόθη σοι διὰ προφητείας μετὰ ἐπιθέσεως τῶν χειρῶν τοῦ πρεσβυτερίου. Ταῦτα μελέτα, ἐν τούτοις ἴσθι, ἵνα σου ἡ προκοπὴ φανερά ᾖ ἐν πᾶσιν.

Timothy, my son, the saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance. For to this end we toil and strive, because we have our hope set on the living God, who is the Savior of all men, especially of those who believe. Command and teach these things. Let no one despise your youth, but set the believers an example in speech and conduct, in love, in faith, in purity. Till I come, attend to the public reading of scripture, to preaching, to teaching. Do not neglect the gift you have, which was given you by prophetic utterance when the council of elders laid their hands upon you. Practice these duties, devote yourself to them, so that all may see your progress. [RSV]

GOSPEL: Luke 19: 1-10. Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, διήρχετο ὁ Ἰησοῦς τὴν Ἱερικὴν· καὶ ἰδοὺ ἀνὴρ ὀνόματι καλούμενος Ζακχαῖος, καὶ αὐτὸς ἦν ἀρχιτελώνης, καὶ οὗτος ἦν πλούσιος, καὶ ἐζήτει ἰδεῖν τὸν Ἰησοῦν τίς ἐστι, καὶ οὐκ ἠδύνατο ἀπὸ τοῦ ὄχλου, ὅτι τῇ ἡλικίᾳ μικρὸς ἦν. καὶ προδραμὼν ἔμπροσθεν ἀνέβη ἐπὶ συκομορέαν, ἵνα ἴδῃ αὐτόν, ὅτι δι' ἐκείνης ἤμελλε διέρχεσθαι. καὶ ὡς ἦλθεν ἐπὶ τὸν τόπον, ἀναβλέψας ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶδεν αὐτόν καὶ εἶπεν πρὸς αὐτόν· Ζακχαῖε, σπεύσας κατάβηθι· σήμερον γὰρ ἐν τῷ οἴκῳ σου δεῖ με μεῖναι. καὶ σπεύσας κατέβη, καὶ ὑπεδέξατο αὐτόν χαίρων. καὶ ἰδόντες πάντες διεγόγγυζον λέγοντες ὅτι παρὰ ἁμαρτωλῶ ἀνδρὶ εἰσῆλθε καταλῦσαι. σταθεὶς δὲ Ζακχαῖος εἶπε πρὸς τὸν Κύριον· Ἴδου τὰ ἡμίση τῶν ὑπαρχόντων μου, Κύριε, δίδωμι τοῖς πτωχοῖς, καὶ εἴ τινός τι ἐσυκοφάντησα, ἀποδίδωμι τετραπλοῦν. εἶπε δὲ πρὸς αὐτόν ὁ Ἰησοῦς ὅτι σήμερον σωτηρία τῷ οἴκῳ τούτῳ ἐγένετο, καθότι καὶ αὐτὸς υἱὸς Ἀβραάμ ἐστιν· ἦλθε γὰρ ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ζητῆσαι καὶ σῶσαι τὸ ἀπολωλός.

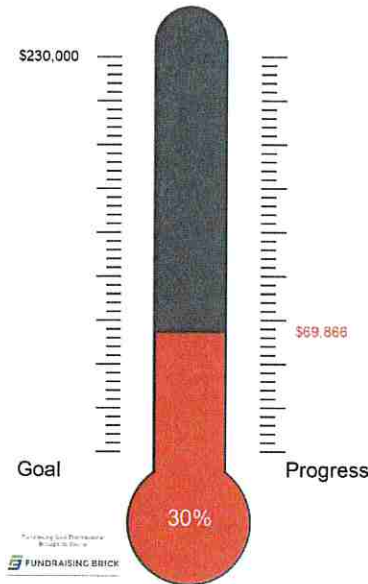
At that time, Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through. And there was a man named Zacchaeus; he was a chief collector, and rich. And he sought to see who Jesus was, but could not, on account of the crowd, because he was small of stature. So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him, for he was to pass that way. And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, make haste and come down; for I must stay at your house today." So he made haste and came down, and received him joyfully. And when they saw it they all murmured, "He has gone in to be the guest of a man who is a sinner." And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have defrauded any one of anything, I restore it fourfold." And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham. For the Son of man came to seek and to save the lost." [RSV]

After the Gospel reading, please return to page 12 of the Divine Liturgy Book for the remainder of the Service.

2023 Stewardship Pledge Cards are in the Narthex
(Just ask a member of Parish Council)

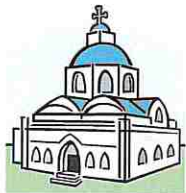
If you have already submitted your 2023 Stewardship Commitment, THANK YOU! If not, please take the time to make financial Stewardship Commitment today and complete the talent portion of the card to enable OUR Community to grow and carry on the mission of our faith.

HELP US REACH/ EXCEED OUR GOAL!!



Giving Thanks,
**Eucharistic
Stewardship**

<u>2023</u>	<u>STEWARDSHIP</u>
Total Stewards	109 (GOAL 300)
Total Pledged	\$69,866.00 GOAL (\$230,000.00)
Avg. Pledge	\$803.06



From the Church School Desk!

The St. Nicholas Church School teachers and students want to wish our GOYANs (and Church School students) Good Luck at the GOYA Basketball Tournament at Annunciation Church (Akron, OH) next weekend!

Church School students in grades 7th–12th have the opportunity to learn more about their faith and participate in the St. Nicholas Oratorical Festival that will be held in March 2023. For more information, please contact Chairman Eve Elsen at 412-580-9415 or eve.m.elsen@gmail.com.

And thanks for sharing your children with us every Sunday.

Yours in Christ,
Miss Michelle

GOYA NEWS

Dear St. Nicholas Parishioners,

The GOYA is thrilled to be hosting a Metropolis Basketball Tournament at our church this year. We are hoping that you will consider placing an advertisement in our tournament book, to help support our youth. Given the escalating costs of hosting these tournaments, the Tournament Program Book contributes greatly to the essential revenue needed as part of our overall cost raising efforts.

The tournament will be held the weekend of February 17-19, 2023, and we are expecting over 500 people from across PA and OH to attend! The program book serves as a great way to advertise local businesses and recognize our GOYANS.

Enclosed you will find our submission form, which has all the information you need to place the ad. The deadline for advertisements is February 6th. If you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact me at (412) 915-7838.

Thank you for your consideration and support!

Sincerely,

Maria Coutris

Pastitsio Sale - GOYA is selling their annual frozen 9 by 13 pans of Pastitsio for \$35.00. Please stop by the GOYA table to purchase. For Pastitsio pickups, call the church office or contact Alea Melacrinis Mavrogeorgis via text 412-726-5940. Please identify who you are in a detailed message. Checks can be made to St. Nicholas GOYA or cash is also acceptable.

TOURNAMENT PROGRAM BOOK SUBMISSION FORM

GOYA METROPOLIS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
FEBRUARY 17-19, 2023
HOSTED BY:
ST. NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL
PITTSBURGH, PA

Please support our youth by placing an ad in the tournament book. Advertisements may include business as well as personal wishes to the groups and/or individual players.
Please check your choice below.

All ads are BLACK & WHITE, no color options:

_____ Centerfold	\$250.00
_____ Full Page (5 ½ X 8 ½)	\$150.00
_____ Half Page (5 ½ X 4 ¼)	\$100.00
_____ 1/4 Page (2 ¾ X 4 ¼)	\$60.00
_____ Line sponsor (maximum of 60 characters/line)	\$30.00

One photo may be included in FULL or HALF page ads (MUST BE .jpg format)
Additional photos are \$5.00 each.

Ads may be submitted in hard copy or through email by FEBRUARY 6th:

Maria Coutris
8551 Ivy Hill Drive #9
Poland, OH 44514

EMAIL: mvcoutris@gmail.com

Please make checks payable to: **St. Nicholas GOYA** (mail to address above)

If you have questions, please call: (412)915-7838

Name:

Address:

Phone number:

Email:

Thank you for your continued support!



St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Cathedral
Philoptochos Society
419 South Dithridge Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15213

Dear Friends of St. Nicholas Philoptochos,

On behalf of our Philoptochos Board, I wish you and your family a happy and blessed new year! As we begin this new year, we start with our 2023 membership drive. We are able to return to Mimosas and Membership following church today Sunday January 22, 2023, and our General Meeting, all are welcome.

The last few years have been unique as we attempt to wind down from the pandemic. Despite imposed limitations during this time we have continued to help those in need while supporting our community and parish.

As we kick off our annual membership drive, please stop by to mingle and have a mimosa. I humbly ask for your support so we may continue to fulfil our philanthropic mission. The minimum membership donation is \$50. Any additional donations, if you are able, are greatly appreciated and put to good use. We are counting on your generous donations so we may embark on another year of outreach and charitable giving.

We thank you and appreciate your continued support!

Yours in Christ,

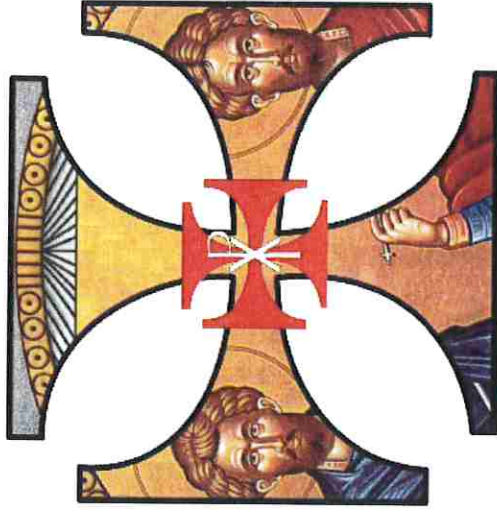
Maria Bardakos
President
St. Nicholas Cathedral Philoptochos

The Philoptochos Mission

- To help the poor, the destitute, the hungry, the aged, the sick, the unemployed, the orphaned, the imprisoned, the widowed, the handicapped, the victims of disasters, to undertake the burial of impoverished persons and to offer assistance to anyone who may need the help of the Church through fund raising efforts;
- To promote the charitable, benevolent, and philanthropic purposes of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America, through instructional programs, presentations, lectures, seminars and other educational resources;
- To preserve and perpetuate Orthodox Christian concepts and the Orthodox Christian Family, and through them, to promote the Greek Orthodox Faith and traditions;
- To promote participation in the activities of the Greek Orthodox community, with the cooperation of the Parish Priest and the Parish Council.

St. Nicholas Cathedral Philoptochos Society
419 S. Dithridge Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15213

JOIN US



Saint Nicholas Cathedral
Ladies Philoptochos Society

2023 MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

*"You are an 'army of agape'
that conquers pain and anguish
through generosity and
kindness."*

— Archbishop Elpidophoros of America



2023 Membership

You define what kind of member you will be. We are always looking for new skills, experiences, and personalities. We welcome you with open arms to join us in making a difference.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Enclosed is my 2023 membership donation in the amount of:

() \$50 () \$ _____

Make checks payable to St. Nicholas Philoptochos

RETURN FORM AND PAYMENT TO:

St. Nicholas Philoptochos
419 S. Dithridge Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15213

"Compassion is our passion!"

— Denise Panos Daugherty

We do so much more than just bake bread...

- In the last **two years**, we have provided **more than \$34,000** in financial support to those in need;
- We've served hundreds of hot meals and lunches through Neighborhood Resilience Project (formerly known as FOCUS Pittsburgh);
- We've held shoe, pajama and backpack drives to help local children in need;
- We've volunteered at Brother's Brother to help organize medical equipment for countries in need; and
- We support the ministries of our own Cathedral as well as Neighborhood Resilience Project, IOCC and the Nativity of the Theotokos Monastery.


Why Join Philoptochos?

- Help someone in need
- Get involved in your community
- Make an impact
- Change someone's life
- Meet new people
- Share your skills and expertise
- Gain knowledge
- Network
- Be part of a philanthropic movement

Give hope to those in need and make a difference in people's lives.

People are struggling everywhere. The need is greater than ever before. Help expand our outreach and help us to continue to give donations, hope and love immediately when a tragedy happens.

Become a member and contribute to existing initiatives, develop new programs, or identify a need that hasn't been met.

Follow us on Facebook 

facebook.com/Philoptochos-St-Nicholas-Cathedral-Pittsburgh

Theophany & the Blessing of the Waters

“WHAT IS THEOPHANY?” Every year on January 5 & 6 we celebrate the great feastday of the Theophany of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. The Baptism of Christ in the River Jordan by St. John the Baptist presents us with a great mystery of God: “He who is the Master of all is baptized by a servant, and He gives mankind cleansing through water.”

“WHAT IS A HOUSE BLESSING?” In celebration of Theophany, Orthodox Christians invite Christ not only into their hearts, but also their homes. We call upon Him to bring the blessings and spiritual cleansing of the Jordan into our daily lives. We do this each year by having the priest bless our homes with the Holy Water from the service of Theophany, offering prayers for our health, our family, and the Lord’s abundant blessings in the coming year.

“WHAT DO I NEED TO DO?” When Fr. Christopher visits, please have ready: **1)** a list of names of your family members, **2)** an icon. He will begin the service in the dining room or in the area of your home where you keep your icons, and then he will ask you to guide him around the house so that he may sprinkle the Holy Water throughout it. During the service, please turn off televisions, radios, etc., and silence your cell phones, so that full concentration may be given to the service.

“WHAT ABOUT BUSINESSES?” You may also request a blessing for your office or business. What better way to offer thanks to the Lord for your livelihood which He provides and to ask for His continued blessings upon it?

BLESSING OF HOMES: After the Holy Water Service on January 6, Fr. Christopher will begin blessing the homes of our parish with holy water. This year he will be blessing homes by appointment from January 6 on.

IN ORDER TO HAVE YOUR HOUSE BLESSED, please fill out this form and return it to the church office. If you are mailing it, please address it to Fr. Christopher and mark it ATTN: HOUSE BLESSING. He will call you to schedule a time for your house blessing.

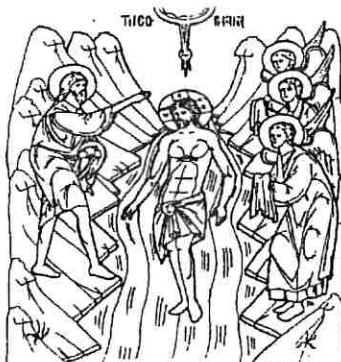
You may also call Father Bender at (724) 630-3483

Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Address: _____

PREFERRED TIME OF VISIT: Morning Afternoon Evening



Cathedral Restoration Project

Donation and Pledge Form

Donor Name _____

Address _____

E-mail _____

Total Amount Pledged _____

Payment Options

Paid in Full _____

Initial Payment _____ Your plan for additional payments _____

Donations can be by check or made on-line with credit card. From the St. Nicholas web site, www.stnickspgh.org, go to the "Giving" tab and click the "Donate" pull-down. This will transfer you to the on-line giving form. Select Ceiling Fund on the Fund pull down menu.

A construction board with signatures of all donors will be installed as part of the new ceiling. All donor family members can sign it. The board will be available at the church from mid-November through the end of December.

Engraved commemorative pavers are also available at the sizes below. These pavers will be added to the granite circle in our green space. Please indicate if you are interested in a paver and you will be provided with additional information.

____ 8" x 4" Paver at \$1,250

____ 8" x 8" Paver at \$2,500

____ 12" x 12" Granite at \$5,000 (pieces that make up the center cross)

____ 42" x 15" Exterior Granite Ring at \$25,000 (pieces on either side of the Bible verse)

Food Festival Cooking, 2023

Food Festival Preparations. We are on our roll again, this time with Moussaka, this coming Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday after Church, January 26, 27, 28 and 29. Thursday and Friday we're peeling, slicing and baking the eggplant. Saturday and Sunday we'll be assembling. (We're looking forward to using the new Julienne peelers Fran Hanna discovered and purchased for peeling. They are super peelers especially for eggplant.)

2023 Food Festival Cooking Schedule January 1, 2023, revised

Moussaka

Thursday and Friday, January 26 and 27	9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Saturday, January 28	9:00 to 4:00 pm
Sunday, January 29	After Church till 4:00 pm

February at a Glance

Finikia	Saturday, February 11, 9:00 – 4:00pm
Pasta Flora	Sunday, Feb. 12, After Church to 4:00 Monday, February 13, 9:00 to 4:00
Pastitsio	Friday and Saturday, Feb. 24 and 25, 9:00 am – 4:00pm Sunday, February 26, After Church till 4:00

Join Us for The Annual
Vlahokerasiotiki
Makaronada Dinner & Dance

Sunday, February 19th

St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Cathedral
419 S. Dithridge Street

Dinner Followed by Music

Cocktails 6:00 p.m.

Dinner 7:00 p.m.

Adults — \$35.00

Children 12 and under — \$15.00

Children 3 and under — Free

Pan of Makaronia To Go — \$20.00

***All proceeds will be matched by the Society and donated to the
St. Nicholas Cathedral ceiling restoration fund!***

For reservations, please contact Nikki Velisaris Lykos by February 12th
phone: 412-897-8208 e-mail: nvlykos@gmail.com

Name: _____ PHONE: _____

_____ Adults _____ Children 12 and under _____ Children 3 and under
_____ Pans of Makaronia To Go

Make checks payable to Manthyrea Educational Society and mail to:

Nikki Velisaris Lykos
1512 La Salle Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15216

January/February 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
22 15 th Sunday of Luke Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	23	24 GOYA BOYS Basketball 7:00 p.m.	25 GOYA GIRLS Basketball 7:00 p.m.	26	27	28 Greek School 10:00 a.m.
29 Sunday of the Canaanite Woman Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	30 Synaxis of Three Hierarchs Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	31 GOYA BOYS Basketball 7:00 p.m.	1 Great Vespers for Ypapanti's Feastday, 6:30 p.m. in East Pittsburgh GOYA GIRLS Basketball 7:00 p.m.	2 Feastday: AT Presentation of Christ (Ypapanti) Church, East Pittsburgh Orthros, 9:00 a.m., Divine Liturgy, 10 a.m. Lunch follows.	3	4 Greek School 10 a.m.
5 Sunday of Publican & Pharisee Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	6	7 GOYA BOYS Basketball 7:00 p.m.	8 GOYA GIRLS Basketball 7:00 p.m.	9	10	11 Greek School 10 a.m.
12 Sunday of Prodigal Son Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	13	14 GOYA BOYS Basketball 7:00 p.m.	15 GOYA GIRLS Basketball 7:00 p.m.	16	17 <div>St. Nick's HOSTS Final GOYA Basketball Tournament of this School Year. It will be gigantic! Volunteers are requested to help!</div>	18 Greek School 10 a.m.
19 Last Judgement (Meatfare) Sunday Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. Tournament participants all attend services and leave <i>first</i> at end.	20 Parish Council Meeting 6:30 p.m.	21	22	23	24	25 1 st Saturday of the Souls Orthros 9 a.m., Divine Liturgy 10 a.m. Father will be available for Sacrament of Confession following services. Greek School 10 a.m.
<div>Vlachokerasiotiko Apokreatiko Glendi (Dinner Dance) 6:00 pm. (Last day to eat meat before Lent.)</div>						