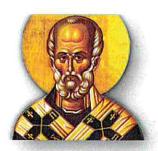
May 7, 2023

SUNDAY of the PARALYTIC

CHRIST IS RISEN!

Commemoration of the Sign of the Most Blessed Cross in the Sky in the reign of Constantius, Son of Constantine the Great, when Cyril was Archbishop of Jerusalem

The Holy Martyrs Akakios, Quadratus, Maximos, and John Psychaites the Confessor



WELCOME TO ST. NICHOLAS CATHEDRAL!

VISIT www.stnickspqh.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: 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

Χριστός Ανέστη! CHRIST IS RISEN!

TODAY: 61st Annual Food Festival begins 12:00 noon - 8:00 p.m.

THIS WEEK AT ST. NICHOLAS

Monday, May 8, 2023: Food Festival 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m

• Tuesday, May 9, 2023: Prophet Isaiah & Christopher the Martyr

Orthros 9:00 a.m., Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

Food Festival 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

• Wednesday, May 10, 2023: Food Festival 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m

Thursday, May 11, 2023: Food Festival 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m
 Friday, May 12, 2023: Food Festival 11:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 13, 2023: Food Festival 1:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m

Sunday, May 14, 2023:

Calling all Vegetarian's Soup for sale \$10.00/quart Navy Bean and Lentil limited quantity.

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TODAY'S SPECIAL HYMNS AND READINGS

As the Clergy exit the Altar with the Gospel at the small entrance, we all sing the Pascha (Easter) Anthem: Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι ζωὴν χαρισάμενος. Christ is Risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs, He has granted life.

After the procession with the Gospel the Eisodikon (Entrance Hymn) is chanted:

Έν ἐκκλησίαις εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Θεόν, Κύριον ἐκ πηγῶν Ἱσραήλ. Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἰὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

"In the congregations bless God, the Lord who springs out of Israel. Save us O Son of God, who rose from the Dead. We sing to You, Alleluia."

The clergy reenter the Sanctuary as we hear the Resurrection Hymn in Third Mode (the tone of the week):

Resurrectional Apolytikion, Third Mode

Let the heavens sing for joy, and let everything on earth be glad. For with His Arm the Lord has worked power.* He trampled death under foot by means of death; and He became the firstborn from the dead. From the maw of Hades He delivered us; and He granted the world His great mercy.

Εὐφραινέσθω τὰ οὐράνια, ἀγαλλιάσθω τὰ ἐπίγεια, ὅτι ἐποίησε κράτος, ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ, ὁ Κύριος ἐπάτησε τῷ θανάτῳ τὸν θάνατον πρωτότοκος τῶν νεκρῶν ἐγένετο ἐκ κοιλίας ἄδου ἐρρύσατο ἡμᾶς, καὶ παρέσχε τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

St Nicholas Apolytikion, Fourth Mode

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.

Κανόνα πίστεως καὶ εἰκόνα πραότητος, ἐγκρατείας Διδάσκαλον, ἀνέδειξέ σε τῇ ποίμνῃ 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.

Κοντάκιον. Ήχος πλ. δ΄. //Kontakion. Mode pl. 4.

Εἰ καὶ ἐν τάφῷ κατῆλθες, Ἀθάνατε, ἀλλὰ τοῦ ἄδου καθεῖλες τὴν δύναμιν· καὶ ἀνέστης ὡς νικητής, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, γυναιξὶ μυροφόροις φθεγξάμενος Χαίρετε, καὶ τοῖς σοῖς Ἀποστόλοις εἰρήνην δωρούμενος,

ό τοῖς πεσοῦσι παρέχων ἀνάστασιν.

Though You went down into the tomb, O Immortal One, yet You brought down the dominion of Hades; and You rose as the victor, O Christ our God; and You called out Rejoice to the Myrrh-bearing women, and gave peace to Your Apostles, O Lord who to the fallen grants resurrection.

Today's Apostolic Reading: Acts 9:32-42. In those days, as Peter went here and there among them all, he came down also to the saints that lived at Lydda. There he found a man named Aeneas, who had been bedridden for eight years and was paralyzed. And Peter said to him, "Aeneas, Jesus Christ heals you; rise and make your bed." And immediately he rose. And all the residents of Lydda and Sharon saw him, and they turned to the Lord. Now there was at Joppa a disciple named Tabitha, which means Dorcas. She was full of good works and acts of charity. In those days she fell sick and died. and when they had washed her, they laid her in an upper room. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, hearing that Peter was there, sent two men to him entreating him, "Please come to us without delay." So Peter rose and went with them. And when he had come, they took him to the upper room. All the widows stood beside him weeping, and showing tunics and other garments which Dorcas made while she was with them. But Peter put them all outside and knelt down and prayed; then turning to the body he said, "Tabitha, rise." And she opened her eyes, and when she saw Peter she sat up. And he gave her his hand and lifted her up. Then calling the saints and widows he presented her alive. And it became known throughout all Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. [RSV]

Today's Gospel Reading: John 5:1-15. At that time, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. Now there is in Jerusalem by the Sheep Gate a pool, in Hebrew called Bethesda which has five porticoes. In these lay a multitude of invalids, blind, lame, paralyzed, waiting for the moving of the water; for an angel of the Lord went down at certain seasons into the pool, and troubled the water; whoever stepped in first after the troubling of the water was healed of whatever disease he had. One man was there, who had been ill for thirty-eight years. When Jesus saw him and knew that he had been lying there a long time, he said to him, "Do you want to be healed?" The sick man answered him, "Sir, I have no man to put me into the pool when the water is troubled, and while I am going another steps down before me." Jesus said to him, "Rise, take up your pallet, and walk." And at once the man was healed, and he took up his pallet and walked. Now that day was the sabbath. So the Jews said to the man who was cured, "It is the sabbath, it is not lawful for you to carry your pallet." But he answered them, "The man who healed me said to me, 'Take up your pallet, and walk.' " They asked him, "Who is the man who said to you, 'Take up your pallet, and walk'?" Now the man who had been healed did not know who it was, for Jesus had withdrawn, as there was a crowd in the place. Afterward, Jesus found him in the temple, and said to him, "See, you are well! Sin no more, that nothing worse befall you." The man went away and told the Jews that it was Jesus who had healed him. [RSV]

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 mar 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!!



2023	STEWARDSHIP		
Total Stewards	221 (GOAL 300)		
Total Pledged	\$114,813.00 GOAL (\$230,000.00)		
Avg. Pledge	\$755.35		



From the Church School Desk: CHRIST IS RISEN! TRULY HE IS RISEN!

The St. Nicholas Church School teachers, staff and students want to wish our dancers (and Church School students) Good Luck at the Food Festival THIS week!

The Church School year is winding down to a close. Church School Graduation is on Sunday, May 21, 2023.

I appreciate the support from all of you and thanks for sharing your children with us every Sunday!

Yours in Christ, Miss Michelle

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) and Parish Council.

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 (on-line training platform) annually and to complete a background check every other year.

Here is the website: Please register at https://ncsrisk.org/goarch/. 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.

ST. NICHOLAS WOULD LIKE TO ACKNOWLEDGE ALL OF OUR 2023 GRADUATES

MAY 21st!

Please fill out this short questionnaire and submit to church office via email, fax (412-683-4960) or mail (419 S. Dithridge Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15213) by May 15, 2023.

Thank you!

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Month of Gradi	uation	
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GOYA NEWS

Coffee Hour Trays Needed – Have extra glass/plastic trays laying around, please donate them to be used during coffee hour on Sundays. We need to replenish our supply.

Please bring them to the church office.

GOT PASTICHIO?

Break the Pascha fast with pastichio! \$35.00 a pan. We accept check or cash.

Also, they make great gifts for Mother's Day!!!!

Food Festival 2023

Food Festival Preparations
Much help is needed
the week of the festival.
Choose your preference and
volunteer.
You can volunteer by either
going online to our church's
website,
calling the church office, or
by contacting a Food Festival
Committee Member.
It takes a Village...



GREEK SCHOOL NEWS

Greek School Graduation and Program will be held on Saturday, May 20th in the Small Hall.

THE MEMORIAL DAY TRISAGION SERVICES - May 29,2023

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES:

Divine Liturgy at Homewood Cemetery at 9:30 a.m., ending with Trisagion Service; The second Trisagion service at Wilkinsburg Cemetery at 12 Noon.

Please indicate at which cemetery your loved one names should be read

First Names Only- Please Print Clearly!

"May their memory be eternal!"

FIRST NAME ONLY	CEMETERY

Greek American progressive association (Gapa)

SUPREME LODGE 2023 COLLEGE ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

NATIONAL GAPA AWARD

The Supreme Lodge of the Greek American Progressive Association (GAPA), as part of its philanthropic and educational mission, is offering an annual College and Community Achievement Award in the amount of \$1,000.00.

The deadline for applying for the Achievement Award is May 15, 2023.

Students entering their first year of full time undergraduate college, university, or community college in 2023 are eligible to apply for the Supreme Lodge GAPA 2023 College Achievement Award. Award Recipients will be announced on/after May 31, 2023.

The Supreme Lodge GAPA 2023 College Achievement Award was established to recognize and promote scholastic performance and encourage participation in community activities while a student is engaged in earning an undergraduate degree.

SUBMIT APPLICATION and ALL REQUIRED documents: list of activities, letter of recommendation, high school transcript, essay, letter of college acceptance, and sponsor signature by May 15, 2023 to:

G.A.P.A. Supreme Lodge

Mail to:

Joanne Melachrinos 531 Berkshire Ave Pittsburgh, PA 15226

Contact Sophia at Sophiaalexiades54@msn.com for additional information

1. ACTIVITIES:

Describe the church, ethnic and community activities you participate in through your church and or community and also list any awards or recognitions you have received through these activities. Include extracurricular activities.

2. LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Attach a letter of recommendation from a teacher or mentor who can attest to your commitment to your academic efforts or in the case of a mentor who can attest to your development in your community or church environment.

3. HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT/ GRADE POINT AVERAGE

An overall Grade Point Average of 3.0 is required to qualify for the Achievement A ward. Please attach a transcript from your high school showing your Grade Point Average.

4. APPLICANT'S ESSAY

Among the values the Greek American Progressive Association seeks to promote are Hellenism and Orthodoxy through its members and their families into the greater American Community. Please share with us your feelings and thoughts about how your heritage or love for Hellenic Culture or history has helped to mold your character and how you would like to share the values of your faith, culture and heritage with the greater community now and after graduation.

5. COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE LETTER

Name of College you are being admitted in 2023 along with a copy of your letter of acceptance as full time freshman along with expected year of graduation.

APPLICANT NAME:
MAILING ADDRESS:
EMAIL:
TELEPHONE NUMBER:
SIGNATURE: DATE:
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6. SPONSOR REQUIREMENT
To be eligible for the Achievement Award, applicant must secure a nomination from a current member of A G.A.P.A. Lodge (Local or Supreme) The applicant may be related to a GAPA member (child or grandchild)or be a member or child or grandchild of a member of a Greek Orthodox Church.
Please have your sponsor complete and sign below
I hereby endorse the nomination of this applicant to be eligible for the 2023 GAPA Supreme
Lodge Achievement Award.
SIGNATURE OF SPONSOR
Name of Sponsor
Lodge Sponsor is a member of
Telephone Number
Date:

THE 2023 PITTSBURGH SUMMER GREEK FESTIVALS GUIDE



THE 2023 PITTSBURGH SUMMER GREEK FESTIVALS: ALL THE DETAILS

Don't cook tonight...go Greekl Please pass copies on to your friends! Greek food is always enjoyed best with good company!

Parish Dates Address		Phone	Website	Hours		
Saint Nicholas	May 7-13	419 S. Dithridge Street Pittsburgh (Oakland)	412-682-3866 www.StNicksPgh.org		Sun: 12p-8p; Mon-Thu: 11a-8p; Fri: 11a-9p, Sat: 1p-9p	
All Saints	June 5-9	601 West McMurray Road Canonsburg	724-745-5205	www.AllSaintsCbg.org	Mon-Fri: 11a-9p	
Holy Cross	June 13-16	123 Gilkeson Road Pittsburgh (Mt. Lebanon)	412-833-3355	www.HolyCrossPgh.org	Tue-Thu: 11a-8p Fri: 11a-9p	
Kimisis Tis Theotokou	June 15-17	2111 Davidson Street Aliquippa	724-375-5341	www.Theotokou.org	Thu-Sat: 11a-8p	
Holy Dormition	June 23-25	12 Washington Avenue Oakmont	412-828-4144	www.DormitionPgh.org	Fri-Sun: 12p-11p Dinner until 9pm	
Holy Trinity (Ambridge)	July 18-22	2930 Beaver Road Ambridge	724-266-5336	www.htgoc.org	Tue-Sat: 11a-10p	
Saint Spyridon	July 21	1207 Grand Boulevard Monessen	724-684-5411	stspyridon.pa.goarch.org	Fri: 11a-9p	
Ypapanti (Presentation of Christ)	July 27-29	1672 Electric Avenue East Pittsburgh	412-824-9188	www.ypapanti.net	Thu-Sat: 11a-9p	
Saint George	August 26-27	315 W. Englewood Avenue New Castle	724-654-8521	www.stgeorgenewcastle.org	Sat-Sun: 11a-7p	
Holy Trinity (Pittsburgh)	August 31- September 3	985 Providence Boulevard Pittsburgh (across from Passavant Hospital)	412-366-8700	www.HolyTrinityPgh.org	Thu-Sun: 11a-9p	

Thank you for enjoying our great Greek food and visiting our churches. Want to also help these communities feed, minister to and provide health care for the hungry and needy of the Hill District and the Pittsburgh area? Support the Neighbor Resilience Project by visiting neighborhoodresilience.org, a philanthropic ministry united in faith and joined by a desire to provide action-oriented and sustainable solutions for poverty-and-trauma-affected communities in the Pittsburgh area.

ST. CATHERINE PHILOPTOCHOS OF PRESENTATION OF CHRIST GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

PRESENTS

PPLAUSE! APPLAUSE!

MUSICAL CABARET

Join us for an afternoon of good food, good friends, wonderful talent and entertainment!

SUNDAY MAY 21, 2023

OLYMPIA BANQUET FACILITY 1575 ELECTRIC AVENUE, EAST PITTSBURGH, PA,15112 DOORS OPEN 1:00 PM

Cocktails, Buffet, Desserts, & Musical Cabaret

ADULTS \$30, STUDENTS \$15, AGE 4-11\$7, Under 3FREE FOR RESERVATIONS CONTACT:

MARY DOREZA 412 877-3415 PAID RESERVATIONS BY MAY 16,2023 A PORTION OF THE PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT" LENDING HEARTS," PROVIDING EMOTIONAL AND SOCIAL SUPPORT TO CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS WITH CANCER AND THEIR FAMILIES

CELEBRATING





Saturday, May 20th Hilton Garden Inn - Southpointe 1000 Corporate Drive, Canonsburg, PA

Dinner Tickets

Adults - \$60 Children (under 12) - \$20 Dance Only - \$25

Cocktalls 6pm - 7 pm
Dinner 7 pm - 8:30 pm
Presentation 8:30pm-9:30pm
Dance 9:30pm - 2 am





Use QR code to purchase tickets online by May 10, 2023 or contact. Helene Semanderes at (724)986-7424 Checks can be made payable to. Gretan Association of Pittsburgh. Ann. Ro Maropis - 102 Cedarbrook Ct., Oakdale, PA 15071 To pay via Vennio - apglicretan

Hotel reservations available \$105 per night https://group.hiltongardeninn.com/ukf0f7

Musicians from Crete George Mathioudakis (lyra) George Hatzidakis (laouto)

joining them from NJ Antonis Marmatakis (laouto)

ST. NICHOLAS CATHEDRAL 2023 GOLF OUTING

Registration/Lunch Buffet 11:00
Shotgun Start 12:30
Cocktails 5:30
Dinner/Auction/Prizes 6:00

Golf Foursome \$750 Individual \$200 Tee and Prize sponsorships available

Monday, May 22, 2023 Shannopin Country Club

For Reservations and Sponsorships 412-421-0294/Bellios216@gmail.com

JOIN CHAPTER ICAROS FOR THE 46th ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND MINI CONVENTION DANCE!

Sunday, May 28, 2023 ~ 9:00pm-2:00am

Dormition of the Theotokos Greek Orthodox Church Hall, 12 Washington Ave., Oakmont, PA 15139

Adults: \$25.00 Children (12 and under): \$5.00

Cash Bar ♦ Mezethes ♦ Chinese Raffle

Live Music with Ta Filarakia, featuring Victoria Mavrogeorgis on Violi!

Contact: Michelle Kotsagrelos at 412-680-1416 or mmk8317@hotmail.com

JOIN CHAPTER ICAROS FOR THE 21st ANNUAL STEVE MANNERS ICARIAN OPEN



Steve Manners and Mike Aivaliotis

Saturday, May 27, 2023

Meadowink Golf Course

4076 Bulltown Road, Murrysville, PA 15668

Don't be left out! Get a foursome together...
We will make foursomes as best we can for the rest.

PRICE: \$115.00 includes green fees, cart, snack at the turn, beer, and steak dinner

AGENDA: 12:00pm - Registration

1:00pm – Shotgun Start 6:00pm – Steak Dinner

CONTACT: Anna Aivaliotis at 412-310-7290 or annaca@pitt.edu

Dress Code: collared shirts; no cut-offs. Reminder: PA LCB does not allow you to bring your own beer.

PITTSBURGH CHAPTER ICAROS 7 2023 MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND MINI CONVENTION

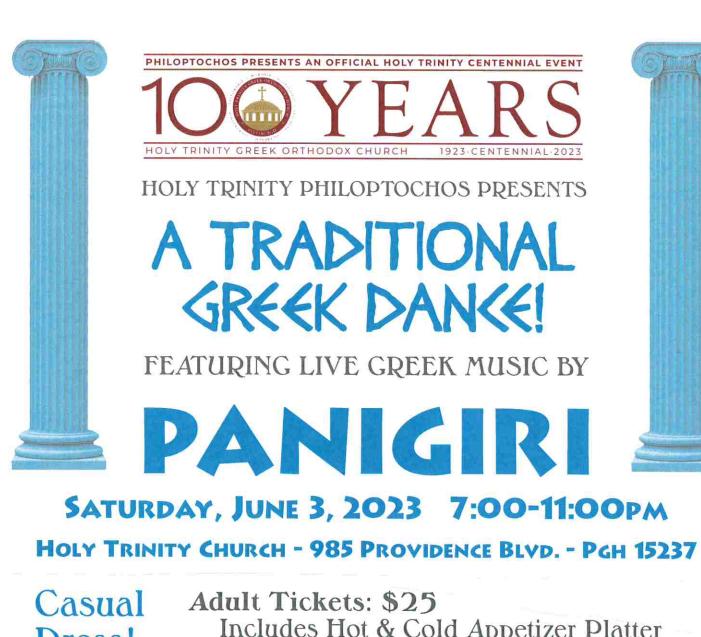


AD BOOK FORM

The undersigned agrees to purchase space in the 2023 Mini Convention Ad Book
Name:
Address:
Phone/Email:
PRINT YOUR ADVERTISEMENT IN THE SPACE BELOW (OR ATTACH):
PLEASE CHECK AMOUNT OF AD BOOK REQUEST: Full Page \$60.00 Half Page \$30.00
The Ad Book will be distributed at the Mini Convention Dance on 5/28/23 at the Dormition of The Holy Theotokos Church, Oakmont, PA
STEVE MANNERS ICARIAN OPEN 🌑 \$100 HOLE SPONSORSHIP
Meadowink Golf Course, Murrysville, PA ~ Saturday, May 27, 2023
The undersigned agrees to sponsor a hole at the 2023 Steve Manners Icarian Open at a cost of \$100.00
Name:
Address:
Phone/Email:
NAME/BUSINESS (LOGO) TO BE PRINTED ON SIGN:
THE MENT DESTRUCTION (DECEM) TO BE TRAITED ON SIGN:

Email camera ready ad to annaca@pitt.edu <u>DEADLINE MAY 12, 2023</u>

Mail form and check (payable to Chapter Icaros 7) to: Anna Aivaliotis, 6303 Hallwood Road, Verona, PA 15147 Telephone: 412-793-8384



Dress!

Includes Hot & Cold Appetizer Platter Children 12 & Under Tickets: \$15

Includes Child's Platter

All tickets include desserts & coffee. Cash Bar. Open Seating.



Advance sales only. Deadline: May 21 No tickets at door



Dinner with Wine Pairings

Net proceeds to benefit IOCC's relief efforts in the West Bank and Gaza

Sunday, June 4, 2023 • 5:30 ~ 7:30 p.m.

Khalil's Restaurant 4757 Baum Blvd., Pittsburgh, PA 15213

Come enjoy a traditional Middle Eastern feast with four wine pairings. The main Entrée will be Lamb Shank, please call if a substitution is needed.

Tickets: \$100 per person

Seating is limited • RSVP by May 27 to reserve your space!

Tickets & Sponsorships at:

iocc.org/pittsburgh

Questions? Contact Zelfa at zkhalil1@live.com or 412.417.4706 Volunteer servers needed. Please contact Zelfa.

The fair-market value (FMV) for each ticket is \$40. Only the portion of the payment that exceeds the FMV is deductible as a charitable contribution.



Celebrating FATHER'S DAY

St. Nicholas Philoptochos believes in honoring the men in our lives. Honor your husband, father, grandfather, godfather, brother, uncle or a special friend with a gift to Philoptochos. Your donation will enable us to continue our work of charitable giving to individuals and families in need, area food banks, shelters for the homeless, social service agencies and countless research efforts in the battle against cancer and other catastrophic diseases.

Join us this Father's Day by honoring someone you love with a gift to Philoptochos.

Make checks payable and send to: St. Nicholas Philoptochos, 419 S. Dithridge St. Pittsburgh, PA 15213, Memo: Father's Day

<u>DEADLINE TO SUBMIT NAMES FOR INCLUSION IN BULLETIN – SUNDAY, JUNE 11, 2023</u>

Enclosed is my gift of \$ _____ (minimum gift of \$5.00 per name please — all donations are tax deductible)

Your Name:	
	Father's Day acknowledgement card. gift will not be disclosed.
□ Please accept this gift in honor of:	
Name:	Name:
Address:	Address:
Name:	
Address:	
□ Please accept this gift in memory of: 1	4
2	5
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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 dono 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)

May 2023

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	Greek School 10:00 a.m.
7 Sunday of Paralyt Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	ic 8	Prophet Isaiah & Christopher the Martyr Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	10	11	12	13
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Sunday of Samari Woman Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	Parish Council Meeting 6:30 p.m.	Philoptochos General Meeting & Elections 6:30 p.m.				Greek School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday of Man Born Blind Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	22 ST. NICHOLAS GOLF OUTING AT SHANNOPIN COUNTRY CLUB 11:00 a.m. GOYA Volleyball 7:00 p.m.	Open Gym 7:00 p.m.	24	HOLY ASCENSION Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	26	Greek School 10:00 a.m.
Fathers of 1* Ecumenical Coun Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	Church Office Closed for MEMORIAL DAY Divine Liturgy / Trisagion At Homewood Cemetery 9:30 a.m. Trisagion At Wilkinsburg Cemetery 12:00 noon	Open Gym 7:00 p.m.	31			