



ASCENSION
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
FAIRVIEW, NEW JERSEY



The LIGHT of the ASCENSION
Το Φως της Θείας Αναλήψεως



June 19, 2022

Today we commemorate

- [Epistle Reading click here](#)
- [Gospel Reading click here](#)

FATHER'S DAY MESSAGE



GREEK ORTHODOX ARCHDIOCESE OF AMERICA

ARCHEPISCOPAL ENCYCLICAL

Prot. No. 134/2022

Archepiscopal Encyclical for Father's Day

Sunday of All Saints
June 19, 2022

Unto the Most Reverend and Right Reverend Hierarchs, Pious Priests and Deacons, the Monks and Nuns, Presidents and Members of Parish Councils, Honorable Archons of the Ecumenical Patriarchate, Members of Leadership 100, the Day and Afternoon Schools, Philoptochos Societies, the Youth, Greek Orthodox Organizations, and the entirety of the Christ-named Plenitude of the Holy Archdiocese of America:

My Beloved Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

This Father's Day, I ask for our entire Archdiocese to remember the "fathers" of our communities across the nation — that is, our very own clergy, who serve everyone so selflessly. This is our second year of recognizing the parish clergy of the Church on this special occasion. And the fact that it coincides with the feast of All Saints gives it even greater force, as we ourselves are all "called to be saints" as well (Romans 1:7).

We observe this day for our priestly "fathers in Christ" by asking for special collections to be made for the Clergy Pension Fund. Your generosity will help secure this fund for future generations of clergy, who sacrifice so much for the life of our communities. Such donations can be made either individually — with voluntary, charitable giving — or through parishes, which support this effort by their participation in the Clergy Benefits Program. Either way, every gift has a tremendous impact on the health of the fund, by bringing it to its full potential.

And so, I express to each and every member of our Sacred Archdiocese my profound gratitude for the support — both material and spiritual — that they offer to our priests. Your dedication to the life of our parishes through your sustaining love for the clergy is vital to our progress as a Church. Therefore, as we fulfill the injunction to 'honor our fathers,' let us



make of this Father's Day a very special opportunity for true philanthropy and support the Clergy Pension Fund.

With paternal blessings and love in Christ,

† Ἀμερικός Ἐλπίδοφορος

† ELPIDOPHOROS
Archbishop of America

IMPORTANT MESSAGE



ASCENSION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΣ ΕΚΚΛΗΣΙΑ ΤΗΣ ΘΕΙΑΣ ΑΝΑΛΗΨΕΩΣ

REV. CHRISTOS L. PAPPAS
PROTOPREBYTER



June 2022

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in our Risen Lord,

We would like to thank everyone from the bottom of our hearts for your love and supporting our membership/stewardship fund this year!

If you have not yet paid your membership, please do so.

Your generosity supports our church liturgical, administrative, Greek School and philanthropic work.

Membership dues/stewardship starts at \$450.00 and for seniors at \$350.00.

Once again, thank you and God Bless.

Sincerely,

Peter A. Frangiskou
Parish Council President

Michael Siderias
Treasurer

Rev. Christos L. Pappas
Protopresbyter

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46th BIENNIAL

CLERGY-LAITY CONGRESS

Legacy · Renewal · Unity

JULY 3-7, 2022 | NEW YORK, NY

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NEWS & INFORMATION



SIGN-UP FOR CLERGY-LAITY VOLUNTEERS

The 46th Biennial Clergy-Laity Congress of our Archdiocese will be taking place in New York City. With such a large undertaking, the Archdiocese is in need of Volunteers to assist with welcoming guests, assist with registration, as well as to assist with the various events that will be taking place throughout the week. If you are interested to sign-up for the various volunteer opportunities,

please click on the link below.

[CLICK HERE to Sign-Up](#)

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday, June 19, 2022

Sunday of All Saints [click here](#)

8:30 a.m.—11:30 a.m.

Orthros, Divine Liturgy

*Coffee is offered by
the Parish Council*

Happy Father's Day

Wednesday, June 22, 2022

7:00 p.m. Parish Council Meeting

Friday, June 24, 2022

Nativity of John the Baptist
[click here](#)

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

Sunday, June 26, 2022

2nd Sunday of Matthew
[click here](#)

8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Orthros, Divine Liturgy

ΠΡΟΓΡΑΜΜΑ ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΩΝ

Κυριακή, 19 Ιουνίου, 2022

Των Αγίων Πάντων [click here](#)

8:30 π.μ. – 11:30 π.μ.

Όρθρος, Θ. Λειτουργία

Ο καφές προσφέρεται από
το Συμβούλιο

Τετάρτη, 22 Ιουνίου, 2022

7:00 μ.μ. Συνεδρίαση Συμβουλίου

Παρασκευή, 24 Ιουνίου, 2022

Γενέθλιον του Προδρόμου
[click here](#)

9:00 π.μ. - Όρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία

Κυριακή, 26 Ιουνίου, 2022

Β' Ματθαίου
[click here](#)

8:30 π.μ. – 11:30 π.μ.

LIVE STREAM [click here](#)

LIGHT a CANDLE and SAY a PRAYER [click here](#)

MEMORIAL SERVICES ΜΝΗΜΟΣΥΝΑ

40 days:
Diamantoula Skountzos

40 μέρες:
Διαμαντούλα Σκούντζος

OUR SPIRITUAL LEADER



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 9- First Day of Greek School

December 8 - Philoptochos Christmas Party

December 11- 70th Anniversary Annual Dinner



*You are cordially invited to the Celebration of the
Feast of the Synaxis of the Holy Apostles and
Nameday Celebration of*

His Grace Bishop Apostolos of Medeia

*Thursday, June 30, 2022
9:00am Orthros and Hierarchical Divine Liturgy
St. Athanasios Greek Orthodox Church
51 Paramus Road
Paramus, NJ*

A Luncheon Reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

CONGRATULATIONS

ASCENSION GREEK SCHOOL



CLASS OF 2022

GEORGIA ARAPIDIS

IRENA AVALOS

SOCRATES KYPRIANOS BONITSIS

EFTIHIA CHRISTOU

MELPOMENI DROSSOS **

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YEAR 2022
ASCENSION GREEK SCHOOL
15th Anniversary of Jr. High School
Gymnasio 7, 8, & 9



YEAR 2017
ASCENSION GREEK SCHOOL
10th Anniversary of Jr. High School
Gymnasio 7, 8, & 9

Ιστορική Αποφοίτηση του Γυμνασίου της Θείας Αναλήψεως, Fairview, New Jersey



Georgia Arapidis
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Άννα Στίθου



Sofia Vergara
Σοφία Βεργκάρα



Nina Vratsanos
Νίνα Βρατσάνου

Το πρώτο πλήρες απογευματινό Γυμνάσιο στο Σύστημα της Αρχιεπισκοπής (2007-2022)
γιορτάζει τα 15 χρόνια από την ολοκλήρωσή του (2007-2022)
τιμώντας τους 16 απόφοιτους της τάξης του 2022.

Η Κοινότητά μας, που ανήκει στη Μητρόπολη Νέας Ιερσέης, αισθάνεται υπερήφανη
για το εκπαιδευτικό αυτό επίτευγμα και ευχαριστεί όλους τους γονείς και δασκάλους
για την εμπιστοσύνη τους, υποστήριξη και αφοσίωσή τους στην ελληνοχριστιανική μόρφωση των παιδιών τους
στο σχολείο της Θείας Αναλήψεως στην πόλη Fairview!

**Η τελετή της ιστορικής αποφοίτησης θα γίνει
την Πέμπτη, 2 Ιουνίου, στις 6:30 μ.μ.
στο πολυτελές Graycliff Manor, Moonachie, NJ.**

Κύριος ομιλητής ο Θεοφιλέστατος Επίσκοπός Μηδείας κ. **ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΟΣ**



Οι απόφοιτοι της
Θεσ Τάξης 2022
με τον
Ιερ. Πρ. Πρωτοπρεσβύτερο
Χρήστο Παπαδό,
τον Διευθυντή
Καθ. Δημόσθεν
Τρεμπάφικου
και τις καθηγήτρες
Μαρία Σάββα Οικονομίδου
και Βάση Τζώνια (Βεβί)

Ευχαριστήρια σε όλους και στην Κοινότητα!



Greek Orthodox
Metropolis of New Jersey

CAMP GOOD SHEPHERD IS BACK AGAIN IN 2022!

July 17-23, 2022

CAMP Linwood MacDonald in Sandyston, NJ



**WE ARE VERY EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE CAMP GOOD SHEPHERD NJ IS
RETURNING FOR ANOTHER GREAT YEAR.....
AND OFFICIAL REGISTRATION IS OPENING SOON!**

- Have Fun and Make New Friends!
- Registration Cost \$600
- For More Information or to Volunteer Email Fr. John Theodosion at CGSNewJersey@gmail.com
- Taking Place at YMCA Camp Linwood MacDonald in Sandyston, NJ 07826,
- Check us out at facebook.com/campgoodshepherdNewJersey

COMMUNITY NEWS

ASCENSION FESTIVAL

**Thank you to all who supported our 2022 Festival and thank you to
all the volunteers who worked tirelessly for our church.**



























GREEK INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE



HOLY ASCENSION DAY





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GREEK SCHOOL GRADUATION





If you would like to volunteer in one of our
youth ministries, you must comply
with the
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Policies for the
safety of Children and Youth

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Parish Youth Safety Administrator
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201-658-1801

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