



ASCENSION
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
FAIRVIEW, NEW JERSEY



The LIGHT of the ASCENSION
Το Φως της Θείας Αναλήψεως



January 8, 2023

Today we commemorate Sunday After Epiphany

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



**ASCENSION
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH**
101 Anderson Ave, Fairview, NJ

Join Us for Epiphany Celebration

Blessing of the Waters at the Hudson River

Sunday, January 8, 2023
Orthros & Divine Liturgy 9 a.m. - 12 noon

Blessing of the Waters 1:30 p.m.
at Pier at The Yacht Club
541 River Rd, Edgewater, NJ 07020

Celebrated by
His Grace, Bishop Apostolos of Medeia



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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday

January 8, 2023

Sunday After Epiphany

[\(click here\)](#)

8:30am -11:30 am,

*Hierarchical Divine Liturgy
Presiding His Grace
Bishop Apostolos of Medeia*

**1:30 p.m. Annual
Epiphany Celebration
at "The Yacht Club"
541 River Road,
Edgewater, NJ**

**Tuesday
January 10, 2023
6:00 p.m. Paraklisi**

**Wednesday
January 11, 2023
[Theodosios the Cenobiarch](#)
[\(click here\)](#)
9:00 a.m. Orthros,
Divine Liturgy
4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
*Greek School***

**Friday
January 13, 2023
4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
*Greek School***

**Sunday
January 15, 2023
[12th Sunday of Luke](#)
[\(click here\)](#)
8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Orthros, D. Liturgy
Catechism School
Vasilopita Luncheon
by Philoptochos
Coffee is served
by the Philoptochos**

**Κυριακή
8 Ιανουαρίου, 2023
[Κυριακή μετά](#)
[τα Θεοφάνεια](#)
[\(click here\)](#)**

**8:30 π.μ. – 11:30 π.μ.
Αρχιερατική Θεία Λειτουργία
*από τον Επίσκοπο***

Μηδείας Απόστολο
1:30 μ.μ. Αγιασμός στο
Yacht Club
541 River Road,
Edgewater, NJ

Τρίτη
10 Ιανουαρίου, 2023
6:00 μ.μ. Παράκληση

Τετάρτη
11 Ιανουαρίου, 2023
Θεοδόσιος
Όσιος Κοινοβιάρχης
(click here)

9:00 π.μ. Όρθρος,
Θεία Λειτουργία,
4:30 μ.μ. - 6:30 μ.μ.
Ελληνικό Σχολείο

Παρασκευή
13 Ιανουαρίου, 2023
4:30 μ.μ. - 6:30 μ.μ.
Ελληνικό Σχολείο

Κυριακή
15 Ιανουαρίου, 2023
ΙΒ' Λουκά
(click here)
8:30 π.μ. – 11:30 π.μ.
Όρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία
Κατηχητικό Σχολείο
Φαγητό με Βασιλόπιτα
από την Φιλόπτωχο
Ο καφές σερβίρεται
από την Φιλόπτωχο

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DONATE to the ASCENSION CHURCH click here

OUR SPIRITUAL LEADER



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Protopresbyter

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Monday, Wednesday

9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

info@ascensionfairview.org



According to the Greek Orthodox tradition, the month of January is the time for home blessings. If you wish for Father Christ to come and bless your home, you may respond to this email and provide your name, address, phone number, and provide possible dates and times for scheduling blessing or you may contact Anastasia, Office Administrator, at 201-945-6448 or email us at info@ascensionfairview.org.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Saturday
January 7, 2023

1 year:
Antonios Papadimitriou

**Coffee is offered
by the
Papadimitriou Family
that has the
Memorial Service**

Sunday
January 8, 2023

40 days:
Evangelia Vergiris

***Coffee is offered by
the Vergiris Family
that has the***

ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 8, 2023
Annual Epiphany Celebration
at "The Yacht Club"
Edgewater, NJ
1:30 p.m.

January 8, 2023
Catechism Program
Vasilopita
11:30 a.m.

January 15, 2023
Philoptochos
Vasilopita Luncheon

February 4, 2023
PTO Taverna
7:30 p.m.

February 16, 2023
Philoptochos
Apokriatiko Glendi
at the Venetian

PHILOPTOCHOS

THE LADIES PHILOPTOCHOS SOCIETY OF THE
ASCENSION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
FAIRVIEW, NEW JERSEY

CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO OUR

*VASILOPITA LUNCHEON
ON*

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2023

RIGHT AFTER DIVINE LITURGY

ADULTS -\$20.00 PER PERSON

CHILDREN -\$10.00

CHILDREN 6 YEARS AND UNDER ARE FREE

*RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED AND CAN BE MADE BY
CONTACTING OUR CHAIRLADIES*

BY JANUARY 12, 2023

MARTHA LIOSSATOS-201-941-2535
VICKY DIAMANTOPOULOS-201-945-0375

*IN FURTHERANCE OF OUR PHILANTHROPIC ENDEAVORS, A
DONATION FROM THE NET PROCEEDS OF THIS EVENT WILL BE
GIVEN TO ST. BASIL'S ACADEMY*

PTO

ASCENSION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
Sponsored by the Parents & Teachers Organization

17th Annual
TAVERNA NIGHT

ASCENSION COMMUNITY CENTER
101 Anderson Avenue
Fairview, NJ

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2023

7:30 PM

TICKETS

\$60 - Pre-Paid Reservations

\$75 - At the door

\$30 - Children (12-18 years)

Greek/Sunday School Children/GOYANS - FREE

LIVE MUSIC

by

YIANNI PAPASTEFANOU

&

ORCHESTRA

TRADITIONAL DANCES PERFORMED BY OUR GOYA
DANCE GROUP

FULL CASH BAR AVAILABLE

(Please No BYOB)

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AND MEZEDAKIA**

EXCITING RAFFLE PRIZES!

CALL FOR RESERVATIONS

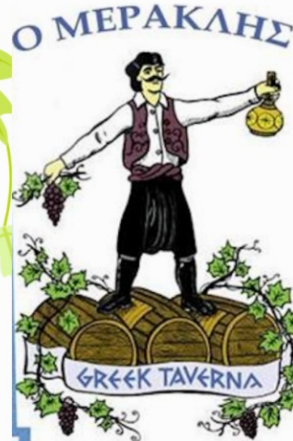
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Zelle payments can be made to:
ascensionfairviewpto@gmail.com

ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TOWARDS THE NEEDS OF OUR GREEK SCHOOL!
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



GREEK SCHOOL

**Saturday, January 21
at 5:00 pm**

**Participation at the Metropolis of New Jersey
Greek Letters Celebration
at SS. Nicholas, Constantine & Helen
Greek Orthodox Church
80 Laurel Avenue
Roseland, NJ 07068**

Our school will present an original program with the title:
“100 years since the Destruction of Hellenism in Smyrna, 1922-2022!”

Smyrneika songs and dances
by students Grades 7,8,9
and songs by our school choir
Grades 4&5

Sunday, January 29
1:30 p.m.
The Three Hierarchs &
Greek Letters Program



**His Eminence
Archbishop Elpidophoros of America**

**Cordially invites all Hellenic Afternoon Schools
of the Northern New Jersey Region to the**

2023 Greek Letters Day Celebration

Honoring the Three Hierarchs of our Orthodox Church



St. John Chrysostom, St. Basil the Great & St. Gregory the Theologian

**Saturday, January 21, 2023 at 5:00 pm
SS. Nicholas, Constantine & Helen**

Greek Orthodox Church

80 Laurel Ave, Roseland, NJ 07068

Dinner & Program for everyone present to enjoy

Please inform the St. Nicholas' Principal

by January 13, 2023



Ο Σεβασμιώτατος Αρχιεπίσκοπος Αμερικής
κ. ΕΛΠΙΔΟΦΟΡΟΣ

Σας προσκαλεί να συνεορτάσουμε
«Την Εορτή των Τριών Ιεραρχών
και την Ημέρα των Ελληνικών Γραμμάτων»



με την συμμετοχή των Ελληνικών απογευματινών σχολείων
της Αρχιερατικής Περιφέρειας Βορείου Νέας Ιερσέης

Σάββατο 21 Ιανουαρίου 2023, ώρα 5:00 μ.μ.

**Ιερός Ναός Αγίων Νικολάου,
Κωνσταντίνου & Ελένης**

80 Laurel Ave, Roseland, NJ 07068

Παρακαλούμε δηλώστε την συμμετοχή σας στον Ιερέα σας
ή την Διεύθυνση του Σχολείου σας έως τις 13 Ιανουαρίου 2023

~ Η Είσοδος είναι δωρεάν ~

COMMUNITY NEWS









On, Sunday, December 18, the Catechism Program had a beautiful Nativity Program in the church immediately following the Divine Liturgy. Congratulations to all the teachers and students. Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas!





On December 16, 2022, the Ascension Afternoon Greek School presented a beautiful Christmas program on the Nativity of our Lord and Savior. We also had a special visit by Santa Claus who presented gifts to all the children.







The PTO of our Greek School along with the direction of our musical director, Mrs. Erasmia Voukelatos, planned a wonderful day of singing the "kalanda" to our local businesses and spreading Christmas cheer.









It was a yummy GOYA breakfast of pancakes and eggs with Santa. Thank you for supporting the youth of our Ascension family.







Our GOYAns had a great time celebrating at their annual Christmas party with secret santa gifts, wearing Christmas sweaters and pajamas, and making ginger bread houses.



If you would like to volunteer in one of our
youth ministries, you must comply
with the
Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America
Policies for the
Safety of Children and Youth

For more information and to
register to be a youth worker,
contact:

Evelyn Tsugranis
Parish Youth Safety Administrator

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