

SUNDAY OF THE HOLY CROSS



Icon of the Sunday of the Holy Cross

HOLY TRANSFIGURATION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Our purpose is to lead people to the Kingdom of God.

*Our mission is to provide a place of worship
where people actively gather to practice their authentic
Orthodox Christian faith to impact the world.*



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SUNDAY—THE LORD’S DAY—MARCH 15, 2026

Sunday of the Holy Cross

Musical Mode: Grave Mode

Seventh Eothinon Gospel: John 20: 1-10

Readings of the Day: Hebrews 4: 14 16; 5: 1-6 & Mark 8: 34-38; 9: 1

Today’s Saints: Agapius the Martyr & His Companions; Manuel the New Martyr of Crete;
Holy Apostle Aristobulos of the Seventy, Bishop of Britain.

APOLYTIKION OF THE PARISH

Μετεμορφώθης ἐν τῷ ὄρει Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, δείξας τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου τὴν δόξαν σου, καθὼς ἠδύναντο. Λάμπσον καὶ ἡμῖν τοῖς ἀμαρτωλοῖς, τὸ φῶς σου τὸ αἰδῖον, πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, φωτοδότα δόξα σοι.

Metemorfóthis en to óri, Hristé o Theós, dixas tis Mathités sou, tin dóxan sou kathós idinanto;
lampson ke imin tis amartolis, to fos sou to aidion, presvies tis Theotókou, Fotodóta dóxa si.

You were transfigured upon the mountain, O Christ our God, showing to Your disciples, Your glory as much as they could bear. Do also in us, sinners though we may be, shine Your everlasting light, by the intercessions of the Theotokos, O Giver of Light, glory to You.

TODAY'S HYMNS

Entrance Hymn. Second Mode.

Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ.
Save us, O Son of God, who is risen from the dead. We sing to You, Alleluia.

Please sing along with us after the Small Entrance, as you are able.

Apolytikion of the Week. Grave Mode.

You destroyed death by Your Cross, You opened Paradise to the Robber. You turned the Myrrh-bearing Women's lament into joy, and You commanded Your Apostles to preach that You rose, O Christ God, granting the world the great mercy.

For the Feast. First Mode.

Save, O Lord, Your people and bless Your inheritance, granting victory to the faithful over the enemy, and by Your Cross protecting Your commonwealth.

Apolytikion of the Parish. Grave Mode.

[See inside front cover]

Kontakion. Plagal of the Second Mode.

O Champion General, I your City now inscribe to you. Triumphant anthems as the tokens of my gratitude, Being rescued from the terrors, O Theotokos. Inasmuch as you have power unassailable, From all kinds of perils free me, so that unto you I may cry aloud: Rejoice, O unwedded Bride.

WHERE TO FIND INFO ABOUT ORTHODOXY

Trisagion Films: On YouTube, Facebook and website, www.trisagionfilms.com

Follow our Podcasts: "*An Imperfect Podcast*" - You can now listen to the entire series on iTunes, Spotify, GooglePlay, PlayerFM, and Sticher. You can find the entire series on iTunes here as well: <http://tinyurl.com/y5ved9lk>

For audio of spiritual discussions: **Ancient Faith Radio:** www.ancientfaith.com
Visit our **Church Bookstore** for books, icons and other spiritual items for your home.
Visit our **Library** at <https://holytransfiguration.info/ministries/education/library/>

To learn more about the Orthodox Faith, peak to Father Panayiotis and he will guide you. Email him at frpanayiotis@holytransfiguration.info to schedule an appointment.

Parish Council On Duty: Danny Vlahiotis/Steven Pelky
Greeters On Duty: Pat Koutouzis/Tammy Dionas
Ushers On Duty: Daniela Chereches/Chris Davis/Philip George/Patrick Hartnett
Prosforo Bakers: Maro Neoclous/Kally Niarchos/Julie Orologas/Linda Lopos/Pat Koutouzis/Jessica Reale

Sun. Mar. 15

Sunday of the Holy Cross

8:45 am Orthros
 10:00 am Divine Liturgy
 11:15 am Youth Catechism classes
 12:30 pm Fellowship Coffee Hour sponsored by Marietta Greek Festival

Sunday Dance Practice Schedule

12:30-1:00 pm Pitsirikia (Pre-K)-PLC Classroom #125
 12:30-1:00 pm Palamakia (K & 1st)-PLC Classroom #127
 12:30-1:15 pm Asteria (2nd & 3rd)-PLC Classroom #128
 12:30-1:15 pm Petaloudes (4th & 5th)-PLC Classroom #130
 12:30-2:30 pm Phoenix (middle school)-PLC Gym
 1:00-3:30 pm Eleftheria (high school)-PLC Gym or Amphitheater

Mon. Mar. 16

10:00 am Festival Baking/Cooking (Keftedes)-PLC Kitchen
 10:00 am TOA Enrichment Day-Lighthouse
 5:30 pm Greek School Classes-PLC Lower Level Classrooms
 6:00 pm Great Compline
 7:00 pm Spiritual Book Club-PLC Library (St. Basil Conf. Rm.)
 7:00 pm Strategic Planning Committee Meeting

Tue. Mar. 17

8:30 am TOA Morning Prayers-Lighthouse
 9:30 am TOA Classes
 10:00 am Festival Baking/Cooking (Keftedes)-PLC Kitchen
 10:45 am Kafenion-Atrium
 4:30 pm Rental: Les Marmitons of Atlanta-PLC Banquet Hall/Kitchen
 5:30 pm Greek School Adult Classes-PLC Classrooms #132
 7:00 pm Mixed Choir Practice-Sanctuary

Wed. Mar. 18

10:00 am Chair Exercise Class-PLC Classroom #127
 10:00 am Festival Baking/Cooking (Keftedes)-PLC Kitchen
 5:30 pm Greek School Classes-PLC Lower Level Classrooms
 5:45 pm Divine Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts (followed by fellowship potluck dinner and the movie, *Where are you, Adam?*)

Thu. Mar. 19

8:30 am TOA Morning Prayers-Lighthouse
 9:30 am TOA Classes
 11:00 am Parea General Meeting/Luncheon-PLC Banquet Hall/Kitchen
 5:30 pm Greek School Adult Classes-PLC Classrooms #132
 6:00 pm Great Compline-Sanctuary
 7:00 pm Men's Choir Practice-Sanctuary

See full calendar for the rest of the schedule: www.holytransfiguration.info/calendar



Sunday of the Veneration of the Holy Cross



Αναγνώσματα Τρίτης Κυριακῆς Μεγ. Τεσσαρακοστῆς Κυριακῆ τῆς Σταυροπροσκυνήσεως

Απόστολος

Πρὸς Ἑβραίους 4.14-5.6

Ἀδελφοί, ἔχοντες οὖν ἀρχιερέα μέγαν διεληλυθότα τοὺς οὐρανοὺς, Ἰησοῦν τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ θεοῦ, κρατῶμεν τῆς ὁμολογίας. οὐ γὰρ ἔχομεν ἀρχιερέα μὴ δυνάμενον συμπαθεῖσαι ταῖς ἀσθενείαις ἡμῶν, πεπειρασμένον δὲ κατὰ πάντα καθ' ὁμοιότητα χωρὶς ἁμαρτίας. προσερχόμεθα οὖν μετὰ παρρησίας τῷ θρόνῳ τῆς χάριτος, ἵνα λάβωμεν ἔλεος καὶ χάριν εὕρωμεν εἰς εὐκαιρον βοήθειαν. Πᾶς γὰρ ἀρχιερεὺς ἐξ ἀνθρώπων λαμβανόμενος ὑπὲρ ἀνθρώπων καθίσταται τὰ πρὸς τὸν θεόν, ἵνα προσφέρῃ δῶρά τε καὶ θυσίας ὑπὲρ ἁμαρτιῶν, μετριοπαθεῖν δυνάμενος τοῖς ἀγνοοῦσιν καὶ πλανωμένοις, ἐπεὶ καὶ αὐτὸς περικείται ἀσθενείαν καὶ δι' αὐτὴν ὀφείλει καθὼς περὶ τοῦ λαοῦ, οὕτως καὶ περὶ αὐτοῦ προσφέρειν περὶ ἁμαρτιῶν. καὶ οὐχ ἑαυτῷ τις λαμβάνει τὴν τιμὴν ἀλλὰ καλούμενος ὑπὸ τοῦ θεοῦ καθόσπερ καὶ Ααρὼν. Οὕτως καὶ ὁ Χριστὸς οὐχ ἑαυτὸν ἐδόξασεν γεννηθῆναι ἀρχιερέα ἀλλ' ὁ λαλήσας πρὸς αὐτόν, Υἱὸς μου εἶ σύ, ἐγὼ σήμερον γεγέννηκά σε· καθὼς καὶ ἐν ἑτέρῳ λέγει, Σὺ ἱερεὺς εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα κατὰ τὴν τάξιν Μελχισέδεκ.

Εὐαγγέλιον

Κατὰ Μάρκον 8.34-9.1

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, προσκαλεσάμενος ὁ Ἰησοῦς τὸν ὄχλον σὺν τοῖς μαθηταῖς αὐτοῦ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς, Εἴ τις θέλει ὀπίσω μου ἀκολουθεῖν, ἀπαρνησάσθω ἑαυτὸν καὶ ἀράτω τὸν σταυρὸν αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀκολουθείτω μοι. ὃς γὰρ ἐὰν θέλῃ τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτοῦ σῶσαι ἀπολέσει αὐτήν· ὃς δ' ἂν ἀπολέσει τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτοῦ ἕνεκεν ἐμοῦ καὶ τοῦ εὐαγγελίου σώσει αὐτήν. τί γὰρ ὠφελεῖ ἄνθρωπον κερδῆσαι τὸν κόσμον ὅλον καὶ ζημιωθῆναι τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτοῦ; τί γὰρ δοῖ ἄνθρωπος ἀντάλλαγμα τῆς ψυχῆς αὐτοῦ ὃς γὰρ ἐὰν ἐπαισχυνθῇ με καὶ τοὺς ἐμοὺς λόγους ἐν τῇ γενεᾷ ταύτῃ τῇ μοιχαλίδι καὶ ἁμαρτωλῷ, καὶ ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ἐπαισχυνθήσεται αὐτόν, ὅταν ἔλθῃ ἐν τῇ δόξῃ τοῦ πατρὸς αὐτοῦ μετὰ τῶν ἀγγέλων τῶν ἁγίων. Καὶ ἔλεγεν αὐτοῖς, Ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι εἰσὶν τινες ὧδε τῶν ἐστηκότων οἵτινες οὐ μὴ γεύσονται θανάτου ἕως ἂν ἴδωσιν τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ θεοῦ ἐληλυθυῖαν ἐν δυνάμει.

Epistle Reading

Hebrews 4.14-5.6

Brethren, since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we have not a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need. For every high priest chosen from among men is appointed to act on behalf of men in relation to God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He can deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is beset with weakness. Because of this he is bound to offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not take the honor upon himself, but he is called by God, just as Aaron was. So also Christ did not exalt himself to be made a high priest, but was appointed by him who said to him, "Thou art my Son, today I have begotten thee"; as he says also in another place, "Thou art a priest for ever, after the order of Melchiz'edek."

Gospel Reading

Mark 8.34-9.1

In those days, Jesus called to him the multitude with his disciples, and said to them, "If any man would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it; and whoever loses his life for my sake and the gospel's will save it. For what does it profit a man, to gain the whole world and forfeit his life? For what can a man give in return for his life? For whoever is ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of him will the Son of man also be ashamed, when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels." And he said to them, "Truly, I say to you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see that the kingdom of God has come with power."

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Festival Kickoff Coffee Hour: Please join the Festival Board today for MGF Kickoff. Come by to pick up Flyers, Car Magnets, Sponsorship Info and access the Volunteer Sign Up. Light Lenten Lunch and Frappes will be served.

TOA Enrichment Day: Transfiguration Orthodox Academy will host Enrichment Day, a Charlotte Mason-inspired curriculum that promotes good habits, art & nature study, and journaling on **Mon. Mar. 16** from 10am-2pm in the Lighthouse. Email Joanna at office@toamarietta.com for more information.

Festival Cooking Request for Volunteers: Mon. Mar. 16, Tue. Mar. 17, and Wed. Mar. 18 from 10am-4pm. Making keftedes. Enter via the back kitchen door.

Where are you, Adam?: Film viewing & discussion with the Producer on **Wed. Mar. 18** following Pre-Sanctified Liturgy. The movie offers a rare look inside the daily life of a monastery on Holy Mount Athos. Filmed in Docheiariou Monastery and focusing on Geronda (Abbot) Gregory's reflections on his long life of physical and spiritual work, prior to his repose in 2018.

Great Lent: Weekly services: Compline on Mondays & Thursdays at 6:00 pm. Divine Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts on Wednesdays at 5:45 pm followed by potluck dinner and presentation. Salutation to the Theotokos on Fridays at 7:00 pm. Please scan above QR code to access flyer on Ministry News page for Wednesday speaker schedule.

Pascha Flowers & Luminaries: If you'd like to donate for Pascha Flowers and/or Holy Friday Luminaries in memory of family or friends who have reposed, please scan above QR code to access flyer on Ministry News page. There will also be a table set-up in the PLC lobby this Sunday.

Greek Independence Day Luncheon: Join us on **Sun. Mar. 22** for our Greek Independence Day Luncheon sponsored by Hellenic Studies. The traditional fish luncheon is \$15 and to go plates are available.

Metropolis Philoptochos Retreat: Join us at the Alexios Retreat Center from **Mar. 20-22** for the annual Philoptochos Retreat. Please scan above QR code to access flyer on Ministry News page.

Vacation Church School Camp: Mark your calendars. **Mon-Fri, Jun. 22-26.** Theme: Behold the Light! Registration details coming soon. Please scan above QR code to access flyer on Ministry News page.

Save the Date: The evening of **Sat. Aug. 22**, honoring Father Panayiotis' Retirement, immediately following Vespers. More details to come!

RECURRING MINISTRY EVENTS

Catechism (Youth PreK-12th grade): Classes meet on Sundays in the classrooms of the PLC following Communion. ALL CHILDREN MUST BE REGISTERED! Register online, <https://holytransfiguration.info/ministries/education/catechism/>

Chair Exercise Program: Our next meeting will be **Wed. Mar. 18, at 10:00 am** in PLC Classroom #127. Please text Ann Zakreski at 770.329.7421 if you plan to come.

GOYA: For rising 6th-graders thru High schoolers. Weekly meetings for fun and fellowship on Wednesdays. Contact goya@holytransfiguration.info to join our email list. **Next meeting Wed. Mar. 18** after the Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the PLC for the movie, *Where are you, Adam?*

Greek School Registration: Greek School classes began in August, but the program is still accepting students. Biblical and Modern Greek Classes available! Please scan above QR code to access flyer on Ministry News page.

Hellenic Dance: Practices for all groups continues **Sun Mar. 15.** See the previous page for the schedule. See also the parish website or scan the above QR code to see this week's ministry news email for a detailed schedule. Email Paulina Vastakis at hellenicdance@holytransfiguration.info with questions.

Life and Faith Transitions Group: Join us as We Discover *Christ in the Psalms*. Upcoming Session via Zoom: **Sat. Mar. 28.** For info & Zoom invite reach out to BJ Spanos at 404-771-9335 or spanosbj@gmail.com.

Mixed Choir: Next practice **Tues. Mar. 17** from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the Church.

Men's Choir: Next practice **Thu. Mar. 19** from 7:00-8:30 p.m. in the Church. Singing the Divine Liturgy on **Sun. Mar. 22**.

Parea: Our next meeting is on **Thu. Mar. 19**. Join us for a presentation by Georgia O'Brien regarding Endowments and Ways to Give starting at 11:00 am. The cost of the luncheon is \$ 5.00. Learn more about the new Endowment Fund, which will be presented for approval at the March 29th General Assembly. All are welcome.

Philoptochos 2026 Membership Drive: renew or join for the first time, <https://holytransfiguration.info/philoptochos>

Upcoming Philoptochos Events:

Tue. Apr. 7: Philoptochos Book Club

Philoptochos Book Club: Calling ALL Book Lovers! Come join the Philoptochos Book Club! We meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 11 am in the PLC Library followed by optional lunch out. ALL book lover readers are welcomed to come. **NEXT MEETING - Tue. Apr. 7**, at 11:00 am. Book - *Small Great Things* by Jodi Picoult.

Spiritual Book Club: We are reading *The Sayings of the Desert Fathers* (available in bookstore). This month, we are focusing on the sayings of Abba Anthony, Agathon, Arsenius, Poemen and Amma Syncletica & Theodora. Join us as we discuss these sayings and why they are relevant even today on **Mon. Mar. 16 at 7pm** in the PLC Library Email mgavalas@holytransfiguration.info to register. Scan above QR code to access flyer.

Young Adults in their 20's and 30's meet twice a month for continuing education & fellowship. Want to learn more? Join the HTGOC Young Adults GroupMe chat for notifications on events. Contact Fr. Michael (frmichael@holytransfiguration.info) or Ministry Lead (youngadults@holytransfiguration.info). **Next meeting: Sun. April 19** (Second Sunday)

LINKS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

2026 Annual Membership Campaign: see the Stewardship section to learn more.

Request a Home Visit with Clergy or Pastoral

Assistant: Are you or someone you know unable to attend church due to illness or some other reason? Would you or someone you know like a visit from a member of our clergy team or lay volunteer? If so,

please scan or click the QR code to fill out a form and we will do our very best to arrange times to visit! Scan QR code (on left page) to access further details on Ministry News page.

Driver Ministry: The Driver Ministry is here to support our parish family by offering transportation to those who need assistance getting to: Medical or personal appts., Grocery stores & errands, Church services & parish events, & other essential local needs. This ministry is open to any parishioner who may benefit from a little extra help. We are also warmly welcoming volunteer drivers who feel called to serve. Even one ride a month can make a meaningful difference in someone's life. If you or someone you know needs a ride or want to volunteer please contact Eleni Reese, elenireese@gmail.com, or 630-854-2174.

Philoptochos Assistance: If you or someone who's part of your community is in need, Philoptochos is here to help. Please contact Jamie Hughes at 770-710-7733 or jahughes421@gmail.com for details.

Phishing Scam Awareness: The church (priests, staff, Parish Council, ministry leads) will NEVER email or text you asking for you to buy gift cards or send money for any reason. If you receive such a message, IT IS A SCAM. Please disregard the request and report it to the church office (office@holytransfiguration.info or 770-924-8080). Always verify requests for financial assistance through direct communication with the church office. Protect yourself, your personal information, fellow parishioners, & the church by being cautious of these fraudulent attempts.

Fellowship/Coffee Hour Sponsorship is a great way to honor someone's birthday, nameday, memory, or a significant event with your church family. For ministries, it is a great opportunity to bring awareness to your group and gain members. Reserve your date by scanning or clicking the QR code. Scan QR code (on left page) to access further details on Ministry News page.

Youth Ministries Registration: Registration for our 2025-2026 youth ministries (Catechism, Hellenic Dance, HOPE & JOY, GOYA) is mandatory for youth to participate in these ministries. Register online via the Catechism webpage, Youth section, <https://holytransfiguration.info/ministries/education/catechism/>

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Scan QR code on previous page to access flyers on Ministry News page.



2026 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN

How to submit your 2026 Membership/Stewardship Card:

1. PAPER: Grab a paper Stewardship form from a Parish Council member in the Narthex on Sunday. You may mail back the completed paper form to the Church or drop the completed form in the offering tray.

2. ONLINE: You may complete the Online Membership/Stewardship Form on the website's Stewardship page (<https://holytransfiguration.info/join/>).

3. SCAN: use this QR code. Simply point your camera at the QR code and click the yellow link that appears in the image frame.



SO YOU KNOW

GENERAL FUND (GF) INCOME AND EXPENSES 01/01/26-02/28/26

Stewardship Contributions:	\$162,833
Other GF Income:	\$21,754
Total GF Expenses:	-\$206,829
Net General Fund Loss:	-\$22,242

2026 STEWARDSHIP REPORT AS OF 03/12/26

# of Pledged Households:	322
2026 Budget:	\$1,033,327
Total Pledge Amount:	\$823,042
Stewardship Shortfall:	-\$210,285

KEEP UP TO DATE ON MINISTRY NEWS

1. To keep up with events digitally, please register with our email database if you haven't already at <https://tinyurl.com/yudcpubr>. If you're on our list, make sure you've added office@holytransfiguration.info to your safe senders list and contact list.
2. Ministry News is emailed every Wednesday complete with flyers and details about special events, recurring ministries, and events beyond Holy Transfiguration. Scan the QR code on the right to access the most recent email.
3. The Church Website has an up-to-date calendar and ministry pages and can be found at <https://holytransfiguration.info>.
4. Weekend Email with livestream links and a weekend schedule reminder goes out every Friday.
5. Check out the Ministry Bulletin Boards on the upper and lower level of the Parish Life Center for details about upcoming events.



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HAS COMPLETED A 2026 MEMBERSHIP FORM OR COMMUNICATED A PLEDGE

- Abrahamian, Roy & Ashley
- Adams, Nick & Page
- Adams, Teresa & Tom
- Agne, Charles & Paula
- Alberts, Maria & Jeff
- Alberts, Stephanie
- Argentis, Toula
- Atala, Hanna & David
- Awad, John & Susan
- Azimzadeh, Ben & Liz
- Bafas, Eleni
- Bafas, Tom & Lois
- Bakalis, Nicholas & Alyssa
- Baleno, Brian & Irene
- Ball, Thomas & Kimberly
- Barber, William & Jane
- Barbulescu, Horatiu & Christina
- Barsky, Gregoriy & Dora Hristova
- Bell, Thomas
- Bilson, Ashley
- Bilson, Evan
- Bilson, Evelyn
- Bilson, Kenneth & Celeste
- Bilson, Paul & Elaine
- Bilson, Pete & Kathie
- Black, Lisa & Julio
- Black, Miranda
- Blalock, Mark & Thea
- Blasetti, Tony & Katerina
- Bliss, Terry & Irma
- Botni, Dorothy
- Brewer, John & Elizabeth
- Bridgers, Mark & Lela
- Brooks, Daniel & Irene
- Brooks, Lee & Peggy
- Brown, Fr. John & Patty
- Brown, Mr. Andrew
- Brown, Nicholas & Angela
- Bruce, Olen & Hazel
- Bruno, Anne
- Buchan, Anastasia
- Buchan, Kerry & Debra
- Buchan, Matthew
- Buchholz, Kirk & Alexis
- Bylos, Constantine & Katherine
- Bylos, Cosmon & Erin
- Cable, Mark & Roberta
- Cacavias, John & Anastasia
- Camareno, Mark & Chantelle
- Cantrell, Patrick & Alexandria
- Cardona, Jason & Bridgett
- Carlos, Jimmy & Helen
- Carr, Domenic & Sofia
- Carr, Florence
- Carr, Thomas
- Carstoiu, Oana
- Cassimus, Greg & Michelle
- Catrakilis, Harry & Elene
- Chereches, Daniela
- Christopher, Dennis & Paula
- Chryssopoulos, Grigorios & Agapi
- Clement, Eleni
- Cleveland, Eleni & Everett
- Comsudes, Maria
- Condra, Jack
- Cook, Jesse
- Cookorinis, Cherie
- Coppola, Vincent & Alexia
- Costarides, Cathy
- Costopoulos, Leonard & Joanne
- Coundouriotis, George
- Da Silva, Bryan
- Daniel, Jason
- Daniel, Jeannie & Patrick O'Connor
- Danos, Christopher & Marysia
- Davidson, Cameron & Elvira
- Davis, Christopher & Annemarie
- Davis, Judith L.
- Dela Torriente, Leonardo & Vasiliki
- Demakis, Harry & Christine
- Demakis, Hailey
- Demakis, Julia
- Demakis, Nicholas
- Despotopoulos, Nick
- Dionas, Mike & Tammy
- Dodys, Eleni
- Doulgerakis, John & Elizabeth
- Driscoll, Marty
- Dritsas, George
- Drumheller, Bob & Maria
- Dunkerly, Alayna & Christopher Knutzon
- Dunkerly, Cedric & Peggy
- Duvlaris, Mary
- Evans, Barton & Sharon
- Farrey, Ken & Chrisa
- Feldman, Noah & Sara Cirilo
- Fernandez, Maria
- Fernandez, Sussette
- Fidanoski, Dr. Boban & Natali
- Foster, Matt & Georgianne
- Fox, Karen
- Frangis, Leo
- Frank, Isabel
- Frazier, Jason & Lucia
- Galifianakis, Anna & Hal Bradford
- Gavalas, Constantine & Courtney
- Gavalas, Joseph & Donniss
- Gavalas, Michael
- Gavalas, Nicholas & Amita
- Gavalas, Victor & Katerina
- Georgacopoulos, Theodore & Mary
- George, Philip & Toula
- Gess, Larry & Niki
- Gianaris, Stephanie
- Glamp, Terrance
- Gormanos, Ted
- Green, Dr. Andy
- Haddad, Dr. Wassim & Lydia
- Hammond, Jim & Irene
- Hampton, Wade & Kristina
- Hansard, Christopher & Leslie
- Harrah, Kelly & Elizabeth
- Harris, Jr., James & Constance
- Hartnett, Patrick & Cat
- Henderson, Klio
- Hill, Dr. Julia
- Holmes, Christopher & Katie
- Honey, Charles
- Honey, Diana
- Hrisak, Phillip & Irene
- Hughes, Wayne & Jamie
- Hutt, Chris & Georgia
- Istanbul, Alice
- Jacobs, Katie
- Jacobs, Mike & Annette
- Jacobs, Paul
- Jansma, Brian & Victoria
- Johansen, Tina & Andrew
- Johnson, Jennie
- Johnson, Mihaela
- Joita, Daniel & Adina
- Kalaitzidis, George & Katy
- Kalina, Maria
- Kaloudis, Mary Varthis & Vasilios
- Kapsalis, Ioannis & Maria
- Karampelas, Basil & Sandra
- Kargas, Dr. Steve & Eva
- Kastner, Josephine
- Kay, David & Elena
- Kefalas, Tasso & Laura
- Kehoe, Gerald
- Kipreos, Manolis & Tasia
- Klementzos, Nicholas & Gerre
- Kleto, Androniki
- Knuchel, Mary Ellen
- Kollias, Athanasios & Loretta
- Kollias, Zack & Margaret
- Kontrafouris, Jim
- Kostas, Dr. Michael & Phyllis
- Kostulakos, Dennis & Virginia
- Kourey, Nick & Rachel
- Koutouzis, Dennis & Patricia
- Kummer, Jordan
- Kwiatkowski, Michael & Laura
- Kyratsous, Steve & Peggy
- Kyratsous, Theodora
- Laszlo, Joseph & Laura
- Lautenschlager, Austin
- Lavey, Christine P.
- Lawson, Blake
- Lawson, Elyse
- Leitourgis, Spyridon & Clarivel
- Lerios, Anna
- Levantis, Stamatis & Anastasia
- Lewis, Christopher
- Lilly, Kevin & Demetra
- Lilly, ***Household Deleted***
- Linebaugh, David & Ellen
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- Linebaugh, Sophia
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- Lymberopoulos, Dora

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- Miltiades, Demetri & Penny
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- Nikolov, Monique
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- Sarris, George & Sophia
- Sarris, Nick & Lauren
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- Sfyris, Vasileios & Heather
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- Skarpelis, Anastasios & Janet
- Sklikas, Peter & Kate
- Smith, Manning & Claudia
- Sotiropoulos, Lola
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- Tsoukalas, Dimitrios & Mary Beth
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- Turner, Yianni & Ashley
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RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

Orthodox Christians who have prepared spiritually are invited to come forward "with the fear of God, with faith, and with love" to receive Holy Communion. Non-Orthodox Christians may receive the blessed bread (*antidoron*) offered at the conclusion of the service, but not Holy Communion. They may come up to receive a blessing during Holy Communion if they wish. Preparation for Holy Communion includes confession of sins (even of sinful thoughts) and repentance, making peace with those around us, forgiving those who hurt us, asking for forgiveness from those we have hurt, and prayer. There is a special set of prayers called "Preparation for Holy Communion" to help prepare. If you have further questions regarding the proper preparation for Holy Communion, please speak with Fr. Panayiotis.

The Cross, Our Victory

Have you seen the wonderful victory? Have you seen the splendid deeds of the Cross? ... Who can tell the Lord's mighty deeds? By death we were made immortal: these are the glorious deeds of the Cross.

Have you understood the victory? Have you grasped how it was wrought? Learn now, how this victory was gained without any sweat or toil of ours. No weapons of ours were stained with blood; our feet did not stand in the front line of battle; we suffered no wounds; witnessed no tumults; and yet we obtained the victory.

The battle was the Lord's, the crown is ours. Since then victory is ours, let us imitate the soldiers, and with joyful voices sing the songs of victory.

Let us praise the Lord and say, "Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is thy victory? O death, where is thy sting?"

The Cross did all these wonderful things for us: the Cross is a war memorial erected against the demons, a sword against sin, the sword with which Christ slew the serpent.

The Cross is the Father's will, the glory of the Only-begotten, the Spirit's exultation, the beauty of the angels, the guardian of the Church. Paul glories in the Cross; it is the rampart of the saints, it is the light of the whole world.

St. John Chrysostom