Epistle Reading

Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7



IN THOSE DAYS, when the disciples were increasing in number, the Hellenists murmured against the Hebrews because their widows were neglected in the daily distribution. And the twelve summoned the body of the disciples and said, "it is not right that we should give up preaching the word of God to serve tables. Therefore, brethren, pick out from among you seven men of good repute, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we may appoint to this duty. But we will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word." And what they said pleased the whole

multitude, and they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit, and Philip, and Prochoros, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicolaos, a proselyte of Antioch. These they set before the apostles, and they prayed and laid their hands upon them. And the word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the faith.

Gospel Reading

The Gospel of Mark 15:43-47; 16:1-8



At that time, Joseph of Arimathea, a respected member of the council, who was also himself looking for the kingdom of God, took courage and went to Pilate, and asked for the body of Jesus. And Pilate wondered if he were already dead; and summoning the centurion, he asked him whether he was already dead. And when he learned from the centurion that he was dead, he granted the body to Joseph. And he bought a linen shroud, and taking him down, wrapped him in the linen shroud, and laid him in a tomb which had been hewn out of the rock; and he rolled a stone

against the door of the tomb. Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Joses saw where he was laid.

And when the sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome, bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week they went to the tomb when the sun had risen. And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the door of the tomb?" And looking up, they saw that the stone was rolled back; for it was very large. And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe; and they were amazed. And he said to them, "Do not be amazed; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, he is not here; see the place where they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him, as he told you." And they went out and fled from the tomb; for trembling and astonishment had come upon them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.



Greek Orthodox Church of Greater Salt Lake www.gocslc.org; Orthodoxy3@gmail.com

Sunday, April 26th 2015

Sunday of the Holy Myrrhbearers



To contact our clergy, please call the numbers listed below:

Reverend Father Matthew Gilbert: 801-556-1139 Reverend Father Elias Koucos: 801-556-4640 Reverend Father George Politis (retired)

Holy Trinity Cathedral: 279 S. 300 W. SLC, UT 84101, (801) 328-9681 Prophet Elias Church: 5335 Highland Dr. Holladay, UT 84117, (801) 277-2693

Sunday Services

April 26th, 2015 Sunday of the Holy Myrrhbearers

Holy Trinity: Orthros 8:30am/Divine Liturgy 9:30am Fr. Elias **Prophet Elias**: Orthros 8:30am/Divine Liturgy 9:30am Fr. Matthew

Sunday Services

May 3rd, 2015 Sunday of the Paralytic

Holy Trinity: Orthros 8:30am/Divine Liturgy 9:30am Fr. Elias **Prophet Elias**: Orthros 8:30am/Divine Liturgy 9:30am Fr. Matthew

Memorials

April 26th

10 Year	HT/PE
3 Year	Holy Trinity
1 Year	Holy Trinity
40 Day	Holy Trinity
1 Year	Holy Trinity
40 Day	Holy Trinity
2 Month	Holy Trinity
2 Month	Holy Trinity
6 Month	Holy Trinity
5 Year	Prophet Elias
9 Month	Holy Trinity
	1 Year 40 Day 1 Year 40 Day 2 Month 2 Month 6 Month 5 Year

When Scheduling Memorials... Memorials must be scheduled through Fr. Matthew. For inquiries regarding memorials or to schedule one, please contact Fr. Matthew at 801-556-1139 or matthewthepriest@gmail.com.

Prayer List

Steve, Tami, Mariane, Rose Marie, Andrew *If you would like to add a name to the prayer list you can do so by calling the main office at Holy Trinity at 801-328-9681.*

Parish Council Meeting

There will be a Parish Council Meeting on **Monday**, **April 27**th, **2015** at **6:30pm** at Holy Trinity in the Board Room.

Stephanie Papanikolas Memorial Scholarship U of U Spring Semester 2015 Applications

Applications for the Stephanie Papanikolas Memorial Scholarship for the Spring Semester 2015 for students attending the University of Utah are now available in the offices at both Holy Trinity and Prophet Elias. Applicants must submit completed applications to Fr. Matthew before **May 1**st, **2015**. There will be two scholarships of \$500 awarded.

PAN ARCADIAN WESTERN DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP

The application for the Arcadian Scholarship is now available. Applicants must be a member of a PFA chapter OR a son, daughter, grandson or granddaughter of a member. Applicants may be a high school senior student, an undergraduate student OR a graduate student. The application is posted on http://www.panarcadianwest.org An application may also be emailed to you or mailed to you by contacting Karen Anastasopoulos, 801-913-2414, karenanast@gmail.com. Please contact Karen with any questions. Submission deadline is May 4th, 2015.

Luncheon Honoring Utah Supreme Court Justice Constandinos Himonas

Please join us in honoring Supreme Court Justice Constantinos Himonas sponsored by the Hellenic Bar Association and the Greek Orthodox Community of Greater Salt Lake City on **April 26**th, **2015** immediately following Church at Holy Trinity.

Hellenic Cultural Association

After Church at Holy Trinity, the HCA will be sharing the names of lost miners in Carbon County. We're supporting the Miners Memorial project in Price, Utah. They're looking for ANY INFORMATION you could add to their data base. Please stop by and look over the names, you'll be amazed!

GO THE DISTANCE! SAINT SOPHIA SCHOOL 5K RUN/WALK

When: Saturday, May 2nd, 2015 8:00AM

Where: 5341 South Highland Drive Salt Lake City, Utah 84117

Go the distance with Saint Sophia School this May! Walk, run, or push a stroller along the quiet, pastoral, tree-lined streets in the Saint Sophia School neighborhood. Cross the finish line and enjoy the festivities, music, drinks, and prizes. No bikes or dogs allowed. Children under the age of 13 must be accompanied by an adult.

Packet Pick Up Friday, May 1, 2015 9:30am-5:30pm (school office) Call 801-424-1297.

Online Registration Only: www.active.com search for SAINT SOPHIA SCHOOL

YOUTH EVENTS

Camp Emmanuel will be held at Manzano Mountain Retreat in Torreon, New Mexico, near Albuquerque. The Junior Session (ages 11-14) will be held June 7-13, while the Senior Session (ages 15-18) will take place June 14-20. Information and registration is available at: youth.denver.goarch.org/events/2015-events/2015-camp-emmanuel-home. The deadline for early registration at a reduced rate is March 31, and the final registration deadline is May 1st, 2015. The supplemental paperwork for campers is due by May 15.

THE DATE - SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 2015. MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW.

Sunday School Students: It's time to design the Sunday School Year Book cover! Please submit your entry to your Sunday School teacher by **Sunday**, **April 26**th. Entries should be on an 8.5x11 white paper. Please include your name and grade. Any questions, please contact Paul K. at 801.870.1514 or Elenie S. at 801.718.7515. Thanks!

Desired Greek speaking Caretaker needed for part-time assistance of an elderly lady. Possible living arrangements with an attached apartment. Call: 801-835-8382.

Prayer Service marking the Anniversary of the 100th Anniversary of the Armenian Genocide

Please mark your calendar and join our fellow Christians at an Evening Prayer service, held on **Friday**, **May 1**st at **7:00PM**, following the liturgy of the Book of Common Prayer of the Episcopal Church. The 100th anniversary of what's generally referred to as the Armenian Genocide was a *Christian* genocide in Asia Minor (involving Greeks and Assyrians as well) and the ongoing persecution of Christian minorities in the Middle East today. We hope that you can attend and give homage to those who lost their lives in this continuing tragedy.

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ATTENTION POTENTIAL MATHEMATICS TUTORS, ASPIRING TEACHERS

We have a College Student in our Greek Orthodox community who needs help with Calculus, and is an aspiring Chemical Engineer. If you have some time and would like to reach out to him, it will be a blessing for you to apply your Godgranted skills. His name is Gabriel Schileru, and he can be contacted at (801) 837-3230. Thank you for your consideration; Gabe is a wonderful guy, and wants to contribute his education to the economy of the region, soon.

Experienced Live in Caregiver (Cottonwood)

Seeking an experienced caregiver to live-in with our 89 year old mother (Greek) at her lovely home. Offering room, board, and a salary for a caregiver who can provide nursing and comfort. Must be experienced with dispensing medications, light meals and housekeeping, hygiene, and monitoring health. Looking for someone who is kind, patient and loving to the elderly. Please provide a resume with experience and your situation for live-in care. Must pass a background check and contact with past employers. Contact: Chris at 801-450-2105

SCHEDULING EVENTS

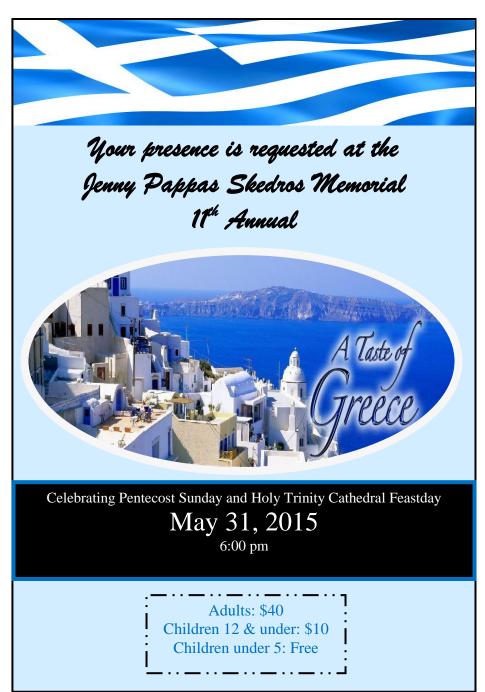
If you have a meeting or event scheduled at either facility, please contact the church office at 801-328-9681 one week prior to your scheduled event, to arrange for access to the building, set-up and any other needs you may have to help us make your event a success. We appreciate your cooperation.

ARCADIAN LADIES SUMMER PICNIC

Mark your calendars for **Saturday**, **June 6**th, **2015** at Sunnyside Park (840 South 1600 East) at Noon. Lunch, bingo, and a great time will be offered. Please contact your list. Any questions email Karen at karenanast@gmail.com or call her at 801-913-2414.

SPRING 2015 PARISH ASSEMBLY May 3rd, 2015 2:00 PM

Prophet Elias Church
Financial Packets available at the Narthex of both churches and office.



Tickets are available at both churches after Sunday service. **Donations are welcome and appreciated**

2015 Greek Orthodox Sports League Basketball Camp

The GSL staff is looking forward to another exciting year for our annual Sports League Basketball Camp. Our camp is designed to provide players with outstanding instruction, teamwork, sportsmanship and fun. We hope that you will join us this summer.

CAMP DETAILS

JUNE 8th - 11th, 2015

AM Session (boys and girls 3-6th grade) 9:00am –12:00pm (Doors open at 8:00am)

PM Session (boys and girls 7-12th grade) 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Location: Prophet Elias Greek Orthodox Church (5335 South Highland Drive Holladay, Utah) Cost: \$70.00. Registration forms are available at both churches. Please contact Gerard Gallegos @ 647-2829 for more information.

Volunteers needed:

GSL is looking for volunteers to help with our youth Basketball Camp that will be held June 8th -11th, 2015. Two shifts daily 9:00am-12:00pm and 1:00pm-4:00pm. Must be 14 years of age or older.

If interested please contact Gerard Gallegos 801-647-2829 or 801-484-5470.

Community Survey

The Parish Council of the Greek Orthodox Community of Greater Salt Lake hopes you will take a few minutes to fill out the survey that was sent to you by mail or electronic email. The survey has been designed to determine the needs and concerns of the Greek Orthodox Community of Greater Salt Lake, as we attempt to move forward in a positive direction and build for the future. One questionnaire/link has been sent to each adult parishioner on our mailing list. Your responses will be kept anonymous. Note the survey will only allow one response per computer. Please call the office if additional adult family members need to be sent the link, or if one needs to be mailed to you. The results of the survey will be compiled and analyzed by Maria Shilaos Nelson at the University of Utah. Please complete the survey as soon as possible so the results can be tabulated in time for the General Assembly on May 3rd. We thank you in advance for your participation.

The Panahaikos Society will have its Birthday Party on Sunday June 7th after church at The Other Place Restaurant 469 East 300 South. We will order from the menu and we will have a RAFFLE. We hope to see you there, please RSVP with George Miller 244-8587 or Bill Rekouniotis 673-0424 by Friday June 5th. Thank you.

Save the Date

Senior Banquet Dinner, **Sunday**, **May 17**th, **2015** at **5:00pm**. Location to be announced. All High School Seniors invited.

For the last day of Sunday School:

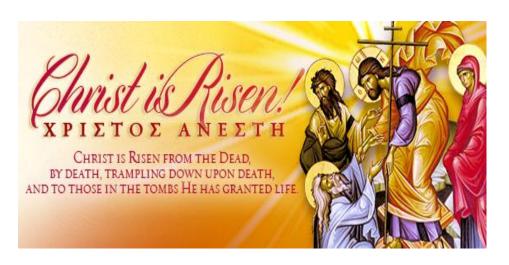
The last day of Sunday School will be Sunday, May 24th both churches. Certificates will be presented and yearbooks will be distributed. Thank you for a great year!

ORTHODOX DAY AT SALT LAKE REAL RIO TINTO STADIUM

SAVE THE DATE – SATURDAY, AUGUST 15TH, 2015. MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW.

Parishioner In Need Of Furniture

There is a young family in need of furniture. For more information, please contact Fr. Elias 801-556-4640.



IMPORTANT MESSAGES FROM FATHER MATTHEW IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING UPCOMING SERVICES

Please be informed that on **Sunday, May 17, 2015**, when I will be in Pocatello to attend the Hierarchical Divine Liturgy and 100-Year Anniversary festivities of the Greek Orthodox parish there, His Eminence Metropolitan Isaiah has directed that Father Elias will celebrate Orthros and Divine Liturgy at Prophet Elias only. Thus, there will be no services at Holy Trinity on this day.

Also, on **Pentecost Sunday, May 31, 2015**, which is the Feastday of Holy Trinity Cathedral, Prophet Elias will be closed so that all parish faithful may celebrate Orthros, Divine Liturgy, and the Service of Pentecost at Holy Trinity <u>only</u>. Likewise, on **Monday, July 20, 2015**, which is the Feastday of Prophet Elias Church, Orthros and Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at Prophet Elias <u>only</u> so that all parish faithful may participate in the liturgical celebration of the feast.

Regarding the upcoming National Convention of the PanCretan Association of America in June, His Eminence Metropolitan Isaiah has directed that on **Sunday**, **June 28**, **2015**, Father Elias will celebrate Orthros and Divine Liturgy at the Canyons Resort in Park City. I will celebrate Orthros and Divine Liturgy at Holy Trinity. Thus, there will be no services at Prophet Elias on this day.

METROPOLIS OF DENVER CLERGY RETREAT AND CLERGY-LAITY

Please be aware that I will be attending the Metropolis of Denver <u>CLERGY</u> <u>RETREAT</u> followed by the Metropolis <u>CLERGY-LAITY</u> <u>CONGRESS</u> in **Houston**, **Texas** from **April 28-May 2**.

Our <u>TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY</u> will meet this <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>April 28</u> at <u>10:30am</u> in the Little America Coffee Shop. Even if you have not yet joined us, please don't hesitate to take part in this wonderful study on the Book of Revelation! We had great participation this past Tuesday and invite you to join us!

If you would like to receive my weekly **FEED MY SHEEP** e-message, and/or if you would also like to receive my bi-monthly **CROSS+WALK newsletter** (this newsletter can be mailed or emailed; the next issue is now available), please let me know by calling, texting, or writing me at <u>801-556-1139</u> or <u>matthewthepriest@gmail.com</u>.

Humbly in the Risen Christ, Father Matthew

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