Epistle Reading St. Paul's Letter to the Romans 5:1-10



BRETHREN, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in our hope of sharing the glory of God. More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy

Spirit which has been given to us. While we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Why, one will hardly die for a righteous man -- though perhaps for a good man one will dare even to die. But God shows his love for us in that while we were yet sinners Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we are now justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.

Gospel Reading The Gospel of Matthew 6:22-33



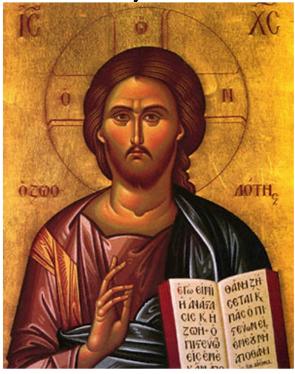
The Lord said, "The eye is the lamp of the body. So, if your eye is sound, your whole body will be full of light; but if your eye is not sound, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness! No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon. Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you shall eat or what

you shall drink, nor about your body, what you shall put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And which of you by being anxious can add one cubit to his span of life? And why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin; yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O men of little faith? Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear? For the Gentiles seek all these things; and your heavenly Father knows you need them all. But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things shall be yours as well."



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Sunday, June 21st 2015 3rd Sunday of Matthew



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

June 21st, 20153rd Sunday of MatthewHoly Trinity:Orthros 8:30am/Divine Liturgy 9:30amFr. EliasProphet Elias:Orthros 8:30am/Divine Liturgy 9:30amFr. Matthew

Weekday Services

Nativity of Saint John the Baptist
Holy Trinity Only: Orthros 8:30am/Divine Liturgy 9:30am
Fr. Matthew & Fr. Elias

Sunday Services

June 28th 4thSunday of Matthew

Holy Trinity Only: Orthros 8:30am/Divine Liturgy 9:30am Fr. Matthew

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, Madelina, Preston, Charissa, Tami Christian, Stavroula, Timothy, Rosie, Holly, JoAnne, Alex, Victoria, Patricia, Aleko, Kosta, Vassiliki, George, Mary

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**, **June 22**nd at **6:30pm** at Holy Trinity

NEW BULLETIN DEADLINE: TUESDAY AT 12:00 PM! PLEASE KEEP THIS TIME IN MIND, AS WE ARE TRYING TO ACCOMMODATE THOSE WHO RECEIVE A PRINTED BULLETIN IN THE MAIL! THANK YOU!

The Panahaikos Society will have its Birthday Party on **Sunday**, **June 14th** 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!

Vacation Church School

We would appreciate volunteers to come forward now so we can plan a great 2015 session. The dates for Vacation Church School are **July 13th-17th**. For more information, please call or text: Reinje Corbett 801 652-5511.

Young at Heart Trip to Price Festival!

Friday, July 10th leave from PE at 11:00am, leave from Price at 6:00 pm If you would like to go the cost is \$10.00 per person to help offset the cost of the bus. If you would like to make a reservation please call Anna Makris at 801-281-0046. We need 50 reservations to go, otherwise we will need to cancel the trip. Thank You!

The Society of Athanasios Diakos will be heading west to Wendover Nev. on **Saturday July 18th**. Leave Prophet Elias 8:30 a.m. Hellenic Memorial Hall 9:00 a.m. Leave Wendover 5:00 p.m. Receive \$7.00 back and a FREE all you can eat Buffet. Only serious participants RSVP with Bill Kandas 272-1906 or Basil Chelemes 580-1338. Hope you can come with us for a fun day. Thank you.

AUGUST 15TH ORTHODOX DAY AT SALT LAKE REAL RIO TINTO STADIUM SAVE THE DATE – SATURDAY, AUGUST 15TH, 2015.

AXIA CELEBRATING CRETAN WOMEN

The Axia Committee would like to invite the entire Community to attend this fun, "Vegas Style" event for the entire family!

TUESDAY, JUNE 30TH 2015
6:00 P.M

THE CULTURAL CELEBRATION CENTER A BEAUTIFUL INDOOR-OUTDOOR VENUE

1355 WEST 3100 SOUTH ADULTS: \$80.00

(INCLUDES DINNER, CASINO "DRACHMAS", AND MUCH MORE)

CHILDREN \$50.00 PER CHILD 12 AND UNDER

FOR ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS:

Orie Kambouris 801-808-6542 or Roula Sargetakis 801-466-6533 tedroula@msn.com.
For reservations MaryAnn Proestakis 801-558-5033.

Transportation available from-to Little America Hotel.

Dress Attire – Casual-Cocktail (Light jacket is also suggested)

WE WANT YOUR CLIPS!

If you have any pictures from any of our Greek Festival's from 1975-2014, WE WOULD LOVE FOR YOU TO SHARE THEM! We will be creating a slide show for our 40th Anniversary. Please scan and email them to our church email at orthodoxy3@gmail.com, or come in and we can scan them for you. Thank you!

Prophet Elias general meeting will be Tuesday, July 7 at Prophet Elias church, 7:00 pm

Summer Adventure Camp at Saint Sophia School

Summer Adventure Camp is for Pre-k 3 (3 years old and potty trained by June 1) through 2nd grade. The Adventure Camp is located at Saint Sophia School, 5341 So. Highland Dr. Our goal is to continue the early years' growth that defines Saint Sophia School's foundational philosophy: to Discover, Explore, Create, and Imagine. The summer experience will combine enrichment with play for an enhancing summer experience. Each activity is grounded in the belief that learning begins with "wonder." Sessions will navigate between sports, cooking, culture, dance, music water play, building, gardening, and more. The summer curriculum will offer such themed sessions as:

LOOKIN FOR COOKINJUNGLE SAFARISPECTACULAR SPORTSISLAND PARADISEFOREST FRIENDSSPLASHARAMA

SILLY SCIENCE BUDDING ARCHITECTS

MUSIC FESTIVAL OLYMPIADS

GREEN THUMBS CHEMISTRY FOR KIDS

Summer Camp: Two-week sessions lasting 10 weeks. (5 Sessions)

Post Camp: Not included in Summer Camp price. Details to be announced at a later date.

Sign-up: As few as 1 two-week session in any combination or whole camp.

Days: M-F

Hours: 9:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m. and 12:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Extended hours a.m.: 7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. **Extended** hours p.m.: 3:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Dates:

Cost per each session:

 Session I:
 June 8 – June 19
 Half Day 9:00-12:30
 \$195.00

 Session II:
 June 22 – July 3
 Full Day 9:00-4:00
 \$385.00

 Session III:
 July 6 – July 17
 Whole Summer Camp
 \$1925.00

 Session IV:
 July 20 – July 31
 Half Day Summer
 \$975.00

Session V: August 3 – August 14
Post Camp Week: August 17 – August 28 **Extended** a.m. and p.m. care by the hour

Help Wanted!

Designer needed for the Greek Festival. Looking for help with the pamphlet handed out to each attended. Must be comfortable with Illustrator or InDesign. If interested, please call the church office at 801-328-9681.

PAN ARCADIAN ANNUAL SUMMER COMMUNITY PICNIC: SUNDAY, JULY 5, 2015, George Washington Park, Exit #134 in Parley's Canyon, 4:00 p.m. Roast lamb and all the trimmings will be served. Everyone is welcome.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Mark your calendars for July 19th, 2015 for the Prophet Elias Name Day Picnic at Prophet Elias Church in the pavilion. More information to follow!

Save the Date

Lights! Camera! Auction!
A Night on the Red Carpet
At the Grand America Hotel
Saturday, November14, 2015
A Benefit for Saint Sophia School

Prophet Elias Philoptochos Presents



LOUKOUMATHES on the LAWN

to celebrate Father's Day June 21, 2015 including brothers, uncles, cousins, pappou, husband, God-father Enjoy fresh loukoumathes on the front lawn at Prophet Elias immediately after church services

Mark your calendar and enjoy a treat worthy of honoring Olympic Athletes and our **DADS**

SAVE THE DATE. July 25, 2015 - 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament at Prophet Elias and Banquet Dinner at Holy Trinity. All proceeds go to support Fr. Antipas of the Greek Orthodox Church in Nairobi, Kenya and the Dagoretti School, a primary school for underprivileged children which he founded. Any help or support is welcomed. Please contact Basil Vetas at 801-598-3289 or Alexis Sakellariou at 801-803-2412

Registration Packets – Attention all Cretans: We will be assembling packages for the Cretan Convention tomorrow June 22, 2015 at 6:30 p.m. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

The 44th Pancretan Association Convention will begin on Saturday, June 27, 2015. For those of you that have purchased package and tickets to this event, we will be at the Little America Hotel on Friday, June 26, 2015 from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for those of you

that would like to pick these up early. We will be located in the Sinclair Room at the hotel. Thank you for your support.

IMPORTANT MESSAGES FROM FATHER MATTHEW

MAY GOD BLESS OUR FATHERS ... Just as we honor our mothers, we, too, honor our beloved FATHERS for their diligent and hard work in rearing their families. According to Saint Clement, "Those who have devoted themselves to the Almighty Father have proved to be good parents to their children. Those who know the Son are good parents to their sons and daughters. Those who remember the Bridegroom – Christ – are good husbands to their wives."

WATER THE TREE Saint Kosmas Aitolos, who reposed in the 1700s, offers the following spiritual insight to parents: "As soon as you cut a tree down, the branches go dry forthwith, but as soon as you water the root, the branches refresh. Likewise, you parents are like the tree. When the father and the mother – you who are the root of the children – are 'watered' by fasting, prayers, almsgiving, and good deeds, God safeguards your children. Once you, the parents, dry out through sin, God deadens your children and puts you into hell with them. If an apple tree brings forth sour apples, we blame the tree not the apples. So, you parents who are the apple tree, do well that the apples also become sweet."

AS WE ENTER THE CHURCH During the sacred services of our Holy Orthodox Church, we should not engage in idle and unnecessary conversation in the narthex of the church. The entrance into an Orthodox church is always from the west, the church itself being turned with its main part towards the east, in token that the worshippers enter from the darkness of impiety into the light of truth. Thus, entering the church, Orthodox Christians assemble to offer up to God their common prayers, and to receive from Him His grace through the Holy Sacraments.

Our <u>TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY</u> will meet this **Tuesday**, **June 23** in the Little America Coffee Shop. We warmly welcome your participation.

Next **SUNDAY, JUNE 28**, Orthros and Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at **Holy Trinity** only. There will be <u>no</u> services at Prophet Elias on this day. However, for those participants attending the Cretan Convention, Divine Liturgy <u>only</u> (<u>no</u> Orthros) will be offered at the **Canyons Resort in Park City** at 9:30am if you should wish to attend the service there.

Humbly in Christ, Father Matthew

FESTIVAL FOOD PREP SCHEDULE

FOOD ITEM	CHAIRMAN	PREP DATES
Koulouria	Shelley Anderson and	Completed
	Jolene Vasilias	·
Souvlakia Pork	Prep Yanni Armaou	Completed
	Chris Floor Festival	
Souvlakia Chicken	Prep Yanni Armaou	July 4-5
	Chris Floor Festival	
Kourambiethes	Angela Kithas and	July 14
	Shelley Anderson	
Fasolakia	Bill Rekouniotis and	July 20
	Bill Kandas	
Pastichio	Nola Slager and	July 16-17
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Stefatho	Cliff Orton and Steve	July 25
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Galatoboureko	Nola Slager	July 27-28
Keftethes	Yanni Armaou Prep	August 9
Neitethes	Chris Kontgis Festival	August
Tyropites	Stephanie Pappas	August 22-23
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Baklava	Fran Matragos and	August 24-26
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Pasta Flora	Cindy Skedros and	August 29-30
	Connie Yengich	· ·
Karithopita	Zeta Tsagaris	September 5-6
Galatopita	Angelica Bailey	September 7
Macaroons	Nola Slager and	TBD
	Katherine Burton	
Melomakarona	Elpitha Votsis and	TBD
	Katina Sefandonakis	