

Community Calendar of Events

Sunday, Feb 2nd

PE Bball Practice 8GB 12:30-2:30pm
PE Dionysios Dance Practice 2-4pm
PE Bball Practice 7GB 3-5pm
PE 12GB Bball Practice 5-7pm

Monday, Feb 3rd

PE Girl Scouts 6-8:30pm
PE Bball Practice 11GB 6-8pm
PE Bball Practice 9GB 8-10pm

Tuesday, Feb 4th

HT Bible Study 10:30-11:30am
PE Bball Practice 6GB 6:30-8pm
PE Parthenon Dance Practice 6:30-8:30pm
PE Bible Study 7-8pm
HT Interfaith Service 7-8 w/refreshments
PE Dionysios Dance Practice 8:30-10pm

Wednesday, Feb 5th

HT Service to the Theotokos "Searcher for the Lost" 8-10am followed by Confessions Father Matthew Gilbert
PE Bball Practice 3GB 5:30-6:30pm
PE Blessing of the Waters 6:30pm
PE Bball Practice 7GB 6:30-8:30pm
HT Bball Terry Tatum 6:30-8pm
PE Scouts 7-9pm
PE Bball Practice 12GB 8:30-10pm

Thursday, Feb 6th

PE Orthros/Divine Liturgy 8:30/9:30am
PE Bball Practice 5GB 5-6:30pm
PE Bball Practice 5GG 5:30-6:30pm
PE Olympian/Athenian Dance Practice 6:30-8:30pm
HT Basketball 6:30-8pm
HT Bball Open Gym 7-9pm
PE Bball Practice 12GB 8:30-10am
PE Dionysios Dance Practice 8:30-10pm

Holy Trinity Philoptochos **President: Connie Yengich**

Upcoming Events:
Please join us **Sunday, February 9th** for the **"Share The Love Breakfast"** honoring St Sophia School. Philoptochos will host a light breakfast after church services. All donations collected will go to benefit St Sophia.

Monthly Meeting – Wednesday, February 12th 6:30pm at Holy Trinity. We will be making sandwiches for the Homeless and Teen shelters.

Prophet Elias Philoptochos **President: Kathy Shand**

You are cordially invited to our **Annual Membership tea**. Bring a friend for a fun afternoon! **Sunday, February 16th** 2-4pm. The home of Argie Priskos 7624 S Hilden Court Cottonwood Heights (1330 East off of Creek Road). Philoptochos is supported by the generosity of our members and work we do to raise funds for the causes we support.

Our annual membership supports the National Philoptochos with \$17. and our Metropolis chapter with \$10. Any monies beyond that go to support your local chapter.

HELLENIC CUISINE ACADEMY

Sunday, February 9, 2014

4pm @ Holy Trinity
Hellenic Memorial Building

French Cooking

Chef:

Drew Ellsworth

Sunday, March 2, 2014

3pm @ Tony Caputos

Cheese Pairing and Wine

Matthew Caputo

Andrianna Pacchelli

Tips on buying cheese & wines at

Caputo Market

Sunday, April 6, 2014

4pm @ Holy Trinity

Hellenic Memorial Building

Prime Rib & Many Greek Delicacies

Chef: Jim Fuskandrakis

From Jim's Family Restaurant

Please call Vickie Peters at [801-262-3233](tel:801-262-3233) to reserve your spot. Each class is \$35 or take all 4 for \$130.



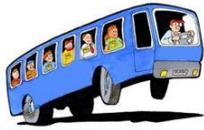
Lamb Hope Joy Valentines party!
Wednesday, February 12th 6-7pm.
"Love one another as I have loved you." Enjoy treats and making valentines. Bring a friend! RSVP please to Heather Saltas [801-674-8731](tel:801-674-8731) or Father Elias [801-556-4640](tel:801-556-4640).



Our Annual Youth Service Project to help feed the poor. What better way to demonstrate your concern for the hungry and share God's gifts with those in need than to participate in **Souper Bowl Sunday, February 2, 2014**. All canned food donations collected will be donated to a local Soup kitchen in our community to benefit the hungry and homeless community. Please drop off your canned food donations in the Narthex of both Churches on **Feb. 2nd**.



Young at Heart Valentine Luncheon
Thursday, February 13th at the Hellenic Memorial Hall at Noon. Our menu will be roast chicken, pilafi, vegetable, soup & salad. Happy Valentine's Day, we look forward to seeing you!



Young at Heart Headed out West

Saturday, February 15th we will be going to Wendover, Nevada. We will leave on a luxury bus from Prophet Elias at 8:30 am and from the Memorial Hall at 9:00 am. Cost is \$10 (paid in advance), you get \$5 back plus an all you can eat buffet. Please RSVP with Angie Kontgis at 801-359-0961 or Bill Kandas at 801-272-1906.



The Annual Panahaikos Bake Sale will take place at Prophet Elias Church and Holy Trinity Cathedral on **Sunday, February 16th** immediately following Divine Liturgy.



GOYA's Annual Fundraiser

The Apokreas Celebration will be held **Saturday, February 22nd** at Prophet Elias. Tickets will be sold in February.



The Elementary festival is February 23rd at Holy Trinity. We have moved the **Junior and Senior Festival to February 23rd** at both churches because of some scheduling conflicts. For the Junior and Senior Festivals, please contact Barbara Hillas at Prophet Elias and Christina Athas or Mary Royal at Holy Trinity with any questions

Saint Sophia School



From now until March 31, an incredibly generous donor will match every financial gift made to Saint Sophia dollar-for-dollar (up to \$25,000)! Your gift will help with: *scholarships *expanding programs *upgrading* equipment
Saint Sophia is **YOUR** community's school. It is the **only** school that offers Orthodox values and Greek culture. Now is **YOUR** chance to make a donation that will go even further. Please give today. To donate-send checks to Saint Sophia Hellenic Orthodox School, 5341 South Highland Drive SLC, UT 84117. For more information, please call 801-424-1297.

Saints & Feasts Commemorated

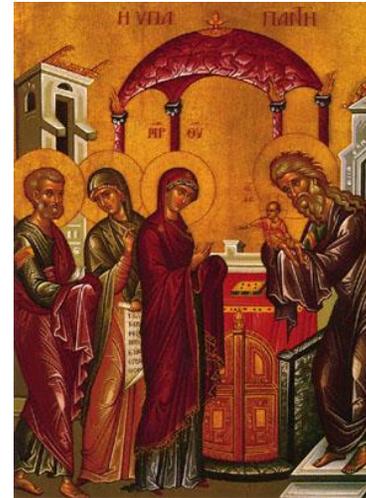
February 2, 2014

The Presentation of Our Lord and Savior in the Temple

Gabriel the New Martyr of Constantinople

Jordan the New Martyr

Agathadoros the Martyr of Cappadocia



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When the most pure Mother and Ever-Virgin Mary's forty days of purification had been fulfilled, she took her first-born Son to Jerusalem on this, the fortieth day after His birth, that she might present Him in the temple according to the Law of Moses, which teaches that every first-

born male child be dedicated to God, and also that she might offer the sacrifice of a pair of turtle-doves or two young pigeons, as required by the Law (Luke 2:22-24; Exod. 13:2; Lev. 12:6-8). On this same day, a just and devout man, the greatly aged Symeon, was also present in the temple, being guided by the Holy Spirit. For a long time, this man had been awaiting the salvation of God, and he had been informed by divine revelation that he would not die until he beheld the Lord's Christ. Thus, when he beheld Him at that time and took Him up into his aged arms, he gave glory to God, singing: "Now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace, O Master. . ." And he confessed that he would close his eyes joyfully, since he had seen the Light of revelation for the nations and the Glory of Israel (Luke 2:25-32). From ancient times, the Holy Church has retained this tradition of the churching of the mother and new-born child on the fortieth day and of the reading of prayers of purification.

The Apodosis of the Feast of the Meeting in the Temple is usually on the 9th of February. This, however, may vary if the Feast falls within the period of the Triodion. Should this occur, the Typicon should be consulted for specific information concerning the Apodosis of the Feast.

Memorials

Sunday 2/02/14 Prophet Elias
Aphrodite Marcooles 1 year

Sunday 2/9/14 Holy Trinity
Athenia Angelos 40 day

Prayer List

Barbara & Fred

Announcements

The Holy Trinity Choir will be singing Divine Liturgy today (**February 2nd**) under guest director, Steve Cardiasmenos. After Liturgy, the Philoptochos will provide a light lunch. Please join us in honor of Steve.

Holy Trinity Bible Study will be at the home of Peter and Mary Yiannias ([801-272-0489](tel:801-272-0489)) on **Tuesday, February 4th** at 10:30 am.

On **Tuesday, February 11th** it will be at the home of RaJean Higginson (801-865-4753) at 10:30 am.

Interfaith Month Service on **February 4th** from 7-8pm at Holy Trinity. Join us for a choir presentation of Orthodox Hymns, history of Greeks in Utah and discussion of Orthodoxy. Light refreshments will be provided by the Holy Trinity Philoptochos afterward.



Maintenance Updates

PE The walk in cooler is scheduled for repair next week pending board approval.

PE All the bids are in on the small kitchen and we are working on board approval, funding, and timing with the school because it involves concrete cutting and a lot of noise and dust.

PE We are working on the new fountain design for the memorial garden and a installation timeline. Donors are welcome and appreciated.

We are aware of the roof leaks at both facilities. We are making contacts to get this repaired quickly. Some work may fall under warranty.

New purchased rugs have been installed at both churches. Cost savings in place vs renting these bi-weekly.

HT The new sign has been refurbished and installed in front of the church. Many thanks to the donor for their efforts to revitalize this historical landmark.

New water fountains for both churches pending board approval to be installed soon. Thank you to the 2 donors who stepped forward to provide this for everyone.

Community Information

Godparent Day
February 16th at Prophet Elias.

2014 Pledge forms
Available on the website, gocslc.org and in both narthex.

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ATTENTION: Minos, Daughters of Minos and Minotavros members: The monthly working sessions in preparation for the 2015 Pancretan Convention has begun. Everyone is welcome to attend these meetings. They are held each month from 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm at the Cottonwood Country Club located at 1780 East Lakewood Drive (west of Prophet Elias). We will have a set agenda with specific topics for each meeting. The next two meetings are scheduled for **February 9th** - Registration, Website and Marketing and **March 2nd** - Cretan Night, Pastries and Appetizers. See you there!

Pan-Arcadian Federation's annual makaronada! Everyone is invited to join the community on Meatfare **Sunday, February 23rd** following Divine Liturgy at Holy Trinity in the carpeted area. Price: \$10 adults, \$7 kids. All proceeds raised go into our community.

Daughters of Minos

On **February 16th** at 4pm, the **Daughters of Minos** will host our annual member's appreciation party at Holy Trinity. This year's theme: "Travel the world with wine and cheese" so come enjoy a fun "trip" with all your Cretan friends!! New members are more than welcome to participate. During our meeting we will propose two very important bylaw amendments, so we will appreciate all our members' participation and input on this item. Voting will take place during our March meeting.

If you have children from 1st-3rd Grade and you want them to learn how to Cretan dance and perform, this is your opportunity. **Registration for KriKri opens on February 16th and closes on March 16th** during our meetings. NO registration will be accepted after March. Remember mothers or yiayias will have to attend the meetings in order for their children to be eligible to dance and perform. For any questions please call Staci Mihalopoulos at 801-580-0119 or stacigeorge@hotmail.com. All meetings take place at 4 pm and KriKri practices during all of them:

This year we need candidates for a new Executive Committee for the years 2015-2017. If you are interested in running or you would like to nominate someone for a President, Vice-President, Secretary or a Treasurer, please contact Election committee members, Orié Kambouris @801-808-6542 or Kristie Zervos Tatum @ 801-944-9163, to give you the details of eligibility. If you have a Facebook account Like us on Facebook under "Daughters of Minos" so you can stay connected with us.

Daughters of Minos Yearly Meeting- February 16th at Holy Trinity.

Epistle Reading

Hebrews 7:7-17

BRETHREN, it is beyond dispute that the inferior is blessed by the superior. Here tithes are received by mortal men; there, by one whom it is testified that he lives. One might even say that Levi himself, who receives tithes, paid tithes through Abraham, for he was still in the loins of his ancestor when Melchizedek met him. Now if perfection had been attainable through the Levitical priesthood (for under it the people received the law), what further need would there have been for another priest to arise after the order of Melchizedek, rather than one named after the order of Aaron? For when there is a change in the priesthood, there is necessarily a change in the law as well. For the one of whom these things are spoken belonged to another tribe, from which no one has ever served at the altar. For it is evident that our Lord was descended from Judah, and in connection with that tribe Moses said nothing about priests. This becomes even more evident when another priest arises in the likeness of Melchizedek, who has become a priest, not according to a legal requirement concerning bodily descent but by the power of an indestructible life. For it is witnessed of him, "Thou art a priest for ever, after the order of Melchizedek."

Gospel Reading

Luke 2:22-40

At that time, the parents brought the child Jesus up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord (as it is written in the law of the Lord, "Every male that opens the womb shall be called holy to the Lord") and to offer a sacrifice according to what is said in the law of the Lord, "a pair of turtle doves, or two young pigeons." Now there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Symeon, and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him. And it had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ. And inspired by the Spirit he came into the temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do for him according to the custom of the law, he took him up in his arms and blessed God and said, "Lord, now let your servant depart in peace, according to your word; for my eyes have seen your salvation which you have prepared in the presence of all peoples, a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and for glory to your people Israel." And his father and his mother marveled at what was said about him; and Symeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is set for the fall and rising of many in Israel, and for a sign that is spoken against (and a sword will pierce through your own soul also), that thoughts of many hearts may be revealed." And there was a prophetess, Anna, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher; she was of a great age, having lived with her husband seven years from her virginity, and as a widow till she was eighty-four. She did not depart from the temple, worshiping with fasting and prayer night and day. And coming up at that very hour she gave thanks to God, and spoke of him to all who were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem. And when they had performed everything according to the law of the Lord, they returned into Galilee, to their own city, Nazareth. And the child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favor of God was upon him.



Greek Orthodox Church of Salt Lake City

Sunday February 2, 2014

Holy Trinity Cathedral

279 South 300 West
Salt Lake City, UT 84101
801-328-9681

Prophet Elias Church

5335 Highland Drive
Holladay, UT 84117
801-277-2693

Reverend Father Michael Kouremetis

801-230-7651

Reverend Father Matthew Gilbert

801-556-1139

Reverend Father George Politis (retired)

Assistant Reverend Father Elias Koucos

801-556-4640

Assistant Reverend Father Dn. Anatoli Kireiev

If you need to reach clergy, you may reach them at the phone numbers listed.

Church Services

Sunday, February 2nd Prophet Elias

Orthros/Divine Liturgy 8:30/9:30 am

Presentation of Our Lord and Savior in the Temple

Wednesday February 5th Holy Trinity

Service to the Theotokos "Searcher for the Lost" 8-10am

FOLLOWED BY Confessions-Father Matthew Gilbert

Blessing of the Waters 6:30 pm **Prophet Elias**

Thursday, February 6th Prophet Elias

Orthros/Divine 8:30/9:30 am

Saint Photios, Patriarch of Constantinople

Saturday, February 8th Prophet Elias

Orthros/Divine Liturgy 8:30/9:30 am

Saint Theodore the General and Zachariah the Prophet