



"We venerate Your Cross, O Christ, and Your holy Resurrection we glorify"

# SUNDAY of the HOLY CROSS

APRIL 7, 2024

THE DIVINE LITURGY of ST. BASIL



# CHURCH6S

#### 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) 328-9681

churchoffice@gocslc.org

## **CLERGY**



V. Rev. Archimandrite GEORGE NIKAS ~ CATHEDRAL DEAN frgeorge@gocslc.org (732) 232-1036

Rev. Presbyter SIMEON PARDALIS - ASSISTANT PRIEST frsimeon@gocslc.org (801) 592-4886

Rev. Protopresbyter GEORGE POLITIS ~ RETIRED

## PARISH COUNCIL



#### 2024 EXECUTIVE BOARD

#### 2024 MEMBERS AT LARGE

President: George Karahalios

1st Vice President: Dimitri Gerontis

2nd Vice President: Archon Nick Bapis

Recording Secretary: Michael Giamalakis

Corresponding Secretary: Christopher Coombs

Treasurer: Evan Dudley

Asst. Treasurer: LeiAnn Bathemess

Frank Corbett

Dorie Farah

Andy Giannis

Kostas Katsohirakis

Chris Mantas

AJ Nicolodemos

Bill Paulos

Nick Vekiarides





# HIGROMARTYR ANTIPAS, BISHOP of PERGAMUM





Saint Antipas was a contemporary of the holy Apostles, by whom he was made Bishop of Pergamum. He contested during the reign of Domitian, when he was cast, as it is said, into a bronze bull that had been heated exceedingly. The Evangelist John writes of him in the Book of Revelation, and says (as it were from the mouth of Christ, Who says to the Angel [that is, the Bishop] of the Church of Pergamum): "I know thy works, and where thou dwellest, even where Satan's seat is; and thou holdest fast My Name, and hast not denied My Faith, even in those days wherein Antipas was my faithful Martyr, who was slain among you, where Satan dwelleth" (Rev. 2:13). The faithful pray to this Saint for ailments of the teeth.



#### SUNDAY, APRIL 7 - Veneration of the Holy Cross

Orthros / Divine Liturgy	9:00am - 11:00am	@ Both Churches
Sr. GOYA Dance Practice	2:00pm - 4:00pm	@ PE Lg Gym
Dionysius Dance Practice	2:00pm - 4:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym
Minotavros Meeting	4:00pm - 5:30pm	@ PE Sm Gym

#### MONDAY, APRIL 8

Great Compline	6:00pm - 7:00pm	@ PE
Girl Scouts Meeting	6:30pm - 8:30pm	@ PE Sm Gym

#### TUESDAY, APRIL 9

HCA Meeting	6:00pm - 8:00pm	@ HT
Greek School	6:30pm - 8:00pm	@ PE

Living Your Orthodox Faith	7:00pm - 8:30pm	@ PE Boardroom
Dionysius Dance Practice	8:30pm - 10:30pm	@ PE Sm Gym

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

Presanct	ified Liturgy	6:00pm - 7:30pm	@ PE
Cub Scc	outs Meeting	6:00pm - 7:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym
Ir GOY	'A Dance Practice	6:00pm - 8:00pm	@ HT

#### THURSDAY, APRIL 11

Young at Heart Luncheon

8		•
Greek School	6:30pm - 8:00pm	@ PE
Choir Practice	7:00pm - 8:00pm	@ PE Choir Room
Bible Study	7:00pm - 8:00pm	@ PE Boardroom
Dionysius Dance Practice	8:30pm - 10:30pm	@ PE Sm Gym

12:00pm - 2:00pm @ HT

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 12

4th Salutations	7:00pm - 8:30pm	@ PE
Boy Scouts Meeting	6:00pm - 7:00pm	@ Sm Gym

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 13

YAL Cleaning Church Service Project	10:00am - 12:00pm @ PE
Greek School	10:00am - 1:00pm @ HT
YAL Cleaning Church Service Project	2:00pm - 4:00pm @ HT

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 14

Orthros / Divine Liturgy	9:00am - 11:00am	@ Both Churches
Sr. GOYA Dance Practice	2:00pm - 4:00pm	@ PE Lg Gym
Dionysius Dance Practice	2:00pm - 4:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym





## TODAY, APRIL 7 HOLY TRINITY

Pantelis Panteli: 3 ~ Year Memorial Michael (Mitch) Manousakis: 7 ~ Year Memorial

Helen Manousakis: 37 ~ Year Memorial

Georgia latrakis: 49 ~ Year Memorial George Manousakis: 68 ~ Year Memorial Christos latrakis: 68 ~ Year Memorial

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 14

#### **HOLY TRINITY**

Stella Saltas: 6 ~ Month Memorial Chris Metos: 5 ~ Year Memorial Tony Mason: 5 ~ Year Memorial

## SUNDAY, APRIL 21 PROPHET ELIAS

George Vanikiotis: 3 ~ Month Memorial

SUNDAY, APRIL 28
PALM SUNDAY







#### Άπολυτίκιον Άναστάσιμον

Εὐφραινέσθω τὰ οὐράνια, ἀγαλλιάσθω τὰ ἐπίγεια, ὅτι ἐποίησε κράτος ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ, ὁ Κύριος ἐπάτησε τῷ θανάτῳ τὸν θάνατον πρωτότοκος τῶν νεκρῶν ἐγένετο ἐκ κοιλίας ἄδου ἐρῥύσατο ἡμᾶς, καὶ παρέσχε τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

#### Τῆς Ἑορτῆς

Σῶσον, Κύριε, τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, νίκας τοῖς βασιλεῦσι κατὰ βαρβάρων δωρούμενος, καὶ τὸ σὸν φυλάττων διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ σου πολίτευμα.

#### <u>Ἀπολυτίκιον Πεντηκοστής (για την Αγία Τριάδα)</u>

Εύλογητός εἶ Χριστὲ ὁ Θεος ἡμῶν ὁ πανσόφους τοὺς ἁλιεῖς ἀναδείξας καταπέμψας αὐτοῖς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἄγιον καὶ δι' αὐτῶν τῆν οἰκουμένην σαγηνεύσας φιλάνθρωπε δόξα Σοι.

#### Άπολυτίκιον Προφήτου Ηλιού

Ο ένσαρκος άγγελος, τών Προφητών η κρηπίς, ο δεύτερος Πρόδρομος τής παρουσίας Χριστού, Ηλίας ο ένδοξος, άνωθεν καταπέμψας, Ελισαίω τήν χάριν, νόσους αποδιώκει, καί λεπρούς καθαρίζει, διό καί τοίς τιμώσιν αυτόν βρύει ιάματα.

#### Κοντάκιον

Τῆ ὑπερμάχῳ στρατηγῷ τὰ νικητήρια, Ὁς λυτρωθεῖσα τῶν δεινῶν εὐχαριστήρια, Ἀναγράφω σοι ἡ Πόλις σου Θεοτόκε. Ἀλλ΄ ὡς ἔχουσα τὸ κράτος ἀπροσμάχητον, Ἐκ παντοίων με κινδύνων ἐλευθέρωσον, "Ινα κράζω σοι Χαῖρε νύμφη ἀνύμφευτε.



#### Resurrectional Apolytikion

Let the heavens be glad. Let the earth rejoice exceedingly. For the Lord has shown strength with his arm. He trampled death by death. He became the first-born of the dead. Out of the belly of Hades, He has rescued us, and to the world He has granted the great mercy.

#### For the Feast

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 Pentecost (for the Holy Trinity)

Blessed are You, O Christ our God, who made fishermen all-wise, sending upon them the Holy Spirit and, through them, netting the world. O Loving One, glory to You.

#### Apolytikion of the Prophet Elias

The incarnate Angel, the Cornerstone of the Prophets, the second Forerunner of the Coming of Christ, the glorious Elias (Elijah), who from above, sent down to Elisha the grace to dispel sickness and cleanse lepers, abounds therefore in healing for those who honor him.

#### Kontakion

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.



#### Προκείμενον:

Σῶσον, Κύριε, τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου.

#### Στίχος:

Πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, κεκράξομαι, ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ παρασιωπήσῃς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ.

Πρὸς Ἑβραίους Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

(4:14~16, 5:1~6)

Άδελφοί, ἔχοντες ἀρχιερέα μέγαν διεληλυθότα τοὺς οὐρανούς, Ιησοῦν τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ, κρατῶμεν τῆς ὁμολογίας. οὐ γὰρ ἔχομεν ἀρχιερέα μὴ δυνάμενον συμπαθῆσαι ταῖς ἀσθενείαις ἡμῶν, πεπειραμένον δὲ κατὰ πάντα καθ' ὁμοιότητα χωρὶς ἁμαρτίας. προσερχώμεθα οὖν μετὰ παρρησίας τῷ θρόνῳ τῆς χάριτος, ἵνα λάβωμεν ἔλεον καὶ χάριν εὕρωμεν εἰς εὔκαιρον βοήθειαν. Πᾶς γὰρ άρχιερεὺς ἐξ ἀνθρώπων λαμβανόμενος ὑπὲρ ἀνθρώπων καθίσταται τὰ πρὸς τὸν Θεόν, ἵνα προσφέρη δῶρά τε καὶ θυσίας ὑπὲρ άμαρτιῶν, μετριοπαθεῖν δυνάμενος τοῖς άγνοοῦσι πλανωμένοις, ἐπεὶ καὶ αὐτὸς περίκειται ἀσθένειαν καὶ διὰ ταύτην όφείλει, καθώς περὶ τοῦ λαοῦ, οὕτω καὶ περὶ ἑαυτοῦ προσφέρειν ύπὲρ ἀμαρτιῶν. καὶ οὐχ ἑαυτῶ τις λαμβάνει τὴν τιμήν, ἀλλὰ καλούμενος ὑπὸ τοῦ Θεοῦ, καθάπερ καὶ Ἀαρών. οὕτω καὶ ὁ Χριστὸς οὐχ ἑαυτὸν ἐδόξασε γενηθῆναι ἀρχιερέα, ἀλλ' ὁ λαλήσας πρὸς αὐτόν· υἱός μου εἶ σύ, ἐγὼ σήμερον γεγέννηκά σε· καθὼς καὶ ἐν ἑτέρῳ λέγει σὺ ἱερεὺς εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα κατὰ τὴν τάξιν Μελχισεδέκ.





#### Prokeimenon:

O Lord, save Your people, and bless Your inheritance.

#### Verse:

To You, O Lord, I cry; O my God, may You not pass over me in silence.

The reading is from Paul's Letter to the Hebrews

(4:14~16, 5:1~6)

Brethren, since we have a 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, "You are my Son, today I have begotten you"; as he says also in another place, "You are a priest for ever, after the order of Melchizedek."





#### Έκ τοῦ κατὰ Μᾶρκον ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

(8:34-38, 9:1)

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος 'Όστις θέλει ὀπίσω μου ἀκολουθεῖν, ἀπαρνησάσθω ἑαυτὸν καὶ ἀράτω τὸν σταυρὸν αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἀκολουθείτω μοι. ὃς γὰρ ἃν θέλη τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτοῦ σῶσαι, ἀπολέσει αὐτήν 'ὸς δ' ἂν ἀπολέση τὴν ἑαυτοῦ ψυχὴν ἔνεκεν ἐμοῦ καὶ τοῦ εὐαγγελίου, οὖτος σώσει αὐτήν. τί γὰρ ἀφελήσει ἄνθρωπον ἐὰν κερδήση τὸν κόσμον ὅλον, καὶ ζημιωθῆ τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτοῦ; ἢ τί δώσει ἄνθρωπος ἀντάλλαγμα τῆς ψυχῆς αὐτοῦ; ὸς γὰρ ἐὰν ἐπαισχυνθῆ με καὶ τοὺς ἐμοὺς λόγους ἐν τῆ γενεᾳ ταύτη τῆ μοιχαλίδι καὶ ἀμαρτωλῷ, καὶ ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ἐπαισχυνθήσεται αὐτὸν ὅταν ἔλθη ἐν τῆ δόξη τοῦ πατρὸς αὐτοῦ μετὰ τῶν ἀγγέλων τῶν ἁγίων. Καὶ ἔλεγεν αὐτοῖς ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι εἰσί τινες τῶν ὧδε ἑστηκότων, οἵτινες οὐ μὴ γεύσωνται θανάτου ἕως ἃν ἴδωσι τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐληλυθυῖαν ἐν δυνάμει.



#### The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Mark

(8:34~38, 9:1)

The Lord said: "If anyone wishes to 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 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 the kingdom of God come with power."

## LENTEN SERVICES SCHEDULE

#### **2024 LENTEN SERVICES**

## All of the below Lenten Services will be held at Prophet Elias Greek Orthodox Church

#### **GREAT COMPLINE**

Monday	April 8	6pm
Monday	April 15	6pm

#### **PRE-SANCTIFIED LITURGY**

Wednesday	April 10	6pm - Daughters of Minos
Wednesday	April 17	6pm - Pan Arcadians

#### **SALUTATIONS**

Friday	April 5	7pm
Friday	April 12	7pm

Friday April 19 7pm (Akathyst)



The following items are needed to decorate our two churches for Holy Week & Pascha, and to provide for the particular liturgical needs for the various sacred services. Your generous donations directly underwrite these costs, and accentuate the joyful-sorrow (χαρμολύπη) of Christ's Passion, and the radiance of His Resurrection. Please make checks payable to Greek Orthodox Church of Greater Salt Lake (memo: *Easter Donation*)

- 1. Palms to be distributed on Palm Sunday
- 2. Palm trees to be placed inside the churches on Palm Sunday
- 3. Flowers to decorate the Icon of Christ *The Bridegroom* (Nymphios)
- 4. Olive oil & cotton balls for Holy Unction
- 5. Eggs & red dye
- 6. Flowers for the base of the Crucifix on Holy Thursday
- 7. Flowers for the wreath to adorn the Crucifix on Holy Thursday
- 8. Candles for the Crucifix on Holy Thursday (3 sets of 3)
- 9. Candles for the 12 Gospels readings on Holy Thursday
- 10. Gardenias to be placed on the top of the Epitaphios
- 11. Flowers for the wreath of the Resurrection Banner
- 12. Bay leaves for Holy Saturday morning
- 13. Flowers for the wreath of the Resurrection Banner
- 14. Flowers to decorate the icon of the Resurrection
- 15. Resurrection candles for the clergy
- Dozens of lilies to decorate the churches for Pascha & Bright Week



# LIVING YOUR ORTHODOX FAITH

Interested in learning more about the Orthodox Faith?

Have questions on "Orthodox Praxis the practical aspects of our Faith?

All, especially Young
Adults, are
encouraged to join us
for a fun &
informative
discussion class with
Fr. George.

This is a continuation of Orthodoxy 101 taught by the Athens Brothers and is intended for all who desire to learn more about the traditions of Orthodoxy.

on TUESDAYS

BEGINNING MARCH 12, 2024

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

PE - BOARDROOM



TOPICS SUCH AS:

SOCIAL ISSUES

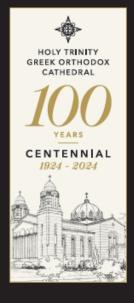






# SAVE the DATE

SATURDAY OCTOBER 19, 2024



GRAND AMERICA HOTEL SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

## 100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY GALA

GALA SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AND COMMEMORATIVE ALBUM
ADVERTISEMENTS INFORMATION TO FOLLOW

## The Hellenic Cultural Association's Holy Trinity Church Through the Years



The first outing of the Panahaikos Society was held on August 23, 1936.

Photo: HCA Museum

## The Hellenic Cultural Association's Holy Trinity Church Through the Years

The 1920s were the prime times of Greek immigrant life in Utah. By then the early immigrants had become American citizens; they were older and with money saved.

Many of the Panhellenic unions were disbanded and other Greek organizations -- many still in existence -- took their place. Most were comprised of members representing a common origin in certain areas of Greece, others more oriented toward life in America. Women's auxiliaries and young people's groups were also established. Among the early Greek organizations were:

- The Minos Club represented the Greeks from Crete.
- Athanasios Diakos' membership was composed of men from the Roumeli province of Greece.
- The Arcadian Brotherhood consisted of men from the Peloponnese (mainly Arcadia).
- Salt Lake City's Panahaikos drew members from the province of Ahaioelidos.
- AHEPA (American Hellenic and Educational Progressive Association) was organized primarily to counteract hostility toward Greeks by being oriented towards assimilation with emphasis on the use of English.
- GAPA (Greek American Progressive Association) was organized primarily to preserve the Greek language and traditions. (Their favorite gathering was the mountain picnic with lambs roasting on spits.)
- In September, 1932 Salt Lake City attorney N.J. Cotro-Manes became the new commander of Hellenic Post #40 of the American Legion. Other officers were James Cozakos, Theodore Marganis, James C. Skedros, John K. Praggastis, George Koucas, and Mike Koucklis.
- In June, 1934 the District 30 of AHEPA annual convention in Salt Lake City attracted several hundred delegates from throughout the West. Local members on the convention committee included P.S. Marthakis, past national vice president; Tom Politz, Sam Kounalis, N.J. Cotro-Manes, Harry Metos and Chris Athas.

Sources: Helen Zeece Papanikolas: Toil and Rage in A New Land; Constantine Skedros: Faith and Fervor.

## Hellenic Cultural Association Announces:

**Utah State Historical Society and Museum Services Workshop** 

When: <u>April 10, 2024</u>, from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Where: Salt Lake Hilton

Cost: FREE

Goal: Teach attendees how to care for historic collections and

family heirlooms.

Attendees are encouraged to bring an object important to you. This can be a photo, a scrapbook, recipe card, textile, etc. Workshop instructors will assist those who are interested in creating small storage spaces for their heirloom objects to extend the life of the objects.

For all who plan to attend this free workshop, please send the following:

- 1. Name
- 2. Email address or phone number
- 3. If you will have an important object with you at the workshop

Email your information to <u>Jeannine.timothy@gmail.com</u> <u>or text</u> to Jeannine's cell phone 801-558-7692

Deadline: April 2

#### PAN ARCADIAN WESTERN DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP 2024

The application for the scholarship is available at:

http://www.panarcadianwest.org/news

Applicants must have a grandparent or parent be a member of the local Arcadian Chapter #90 OR be a member herself/himself.

Postmark deadline is May 28, 2024.

Please contact Karen Anastasopoulos for any information or with any questions regarding the scholarship-

karenanast@gmail.com or 801-913-2414.



## Spring 2024 Special Lecture Series

# Beyond the Parthenon Ancient Wisdom from Greek Architecture

for the Modern World







## April 11 - 6pm UVU Campus - Room CS404

#### Michail Soumas

"The Temple of Epicurius Apollo at Bassae: A new interpretive framework and a proposal for reforming the archeological site"

## April 17 – 6pm UVU Campus - Lakeview Room at

the Fulton Library

Dr. Vassilis Ganiatsas, PhD "Traditional, Classical, and Modern Paradigms in Architectural Design\*









### THE HCA WEBSITE IS LIVE!

#### hellenicculturalassociationofutah.org

Let's bring out the band and celebrate!



#### AHEPA Jr. Band Salt Lake City, Utah

Front row: Sam Velis, , Ernest Paulos, Andy Stavropoulos, Nick Velis,

Marlapedras, Marlapedras

2nd Row: John Papanikolas, Bill Athas, Lou Athas, Nick Strike, George

Stavropoulos, George Pappas, Andy Doros, Louis Cairo, Cosmo

Cairo, Gus Papanikolas

3rd Row: Bill Floor, Margarite Stavropoulos, William Dokos Chris Dokos,

Gus Floor, Nick Papanikolas, Steve Pantelakis, George Floor,

Gus Paulos,

Bk Row: Mr. Held, Bandleader, Peter S. Marthakis, Angie Stavropoulos,

\_\_\_, Bill Delis, Maria Cairo, Nick Floor.



Visit our new website to learn more about the HCA.



Orthodox Young Professionals
Lenten Service Project
CLEANING THE CHURCHES

Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>
Prophet Elias
10:00am – Noon
Holy Trinity
2:00pm – 4:00pm

We will clean for the two hours and then come together for a meal and fellowship.



#### SIGN UP OPTIONS:

Contact Catherine @ (775) 293-0191

Online: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/352zyjr8">https://tinyurl.com/352zyjr8</a>

Scan the QR Code:

Everyone and survived and invited and welcome to help!





## +PHILOPTOCHOS CORNER+

#### Philoptochos Thank you

Thank you to our generous community for supporting our Mardi Bras drive-by! We collected items and monetary donations to help the Salt Lake Mission Women's Center.

Join us for the Parish Lenten Retreat – Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup> at Prophet Elias. See flyer for full details.

We are still collecting Membership through May 15<sup>th</sup>. QR code is available below or mail to:

Mary Katsanevas 1911 E Millbrook Drive Salt Lake City, Utah 84106



Membership Dues

PHILOPTOCHO



THE YOUNG AT HEART WILL HAVE THEIR LUNCHEON ON

THURSDAY APRIL 11

IN THE HELLENIC MEMORIAL HALL AT NOON.

COME JOIN US.

DESSERTS ARE

Καλό Πάσχα!



Our amazing chapter was featured in the March 2024 National Philoptochos Communication for our wonderful community sandwich day!

#### **Chapter Feature**

#### St. Philothea's Heartfelt Outreach: 1600 Sack Lunches for Salt Lake City's Community





In a beautiful display of compassion and unity, the devoted community of St. Philothea Philoptochos at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Chapter #8049 in Salt Lake City, Utah, recently undertook a heartwarming initiative. Inspired by their shared values of service and kindness, members joined hands to craft an impressive total of 1600 sack lunches, brimming with sandwiches and other essential items. With dedication, they poured their collective energy into this noble endeavor, aiming to make a tangible difference in the lives of others. Their generosity and selflessness shone brightly as they extended a helping hand to those in need, partnering with Catholic Community Services to spread love and sustenance throughout their community. Through their acts of charity, St. Philothea's faithful exemplify the timeless spirit of goodwill, embodying the profound impact that can be achieved when hearts unite in

service to others.



#### Parish Lenten Retreat Hosted by Philoptochos

O DE DE DE LA COMPTE DE LA COMPTE

Saturday, April 20, 2024 9:30am-1:00pm at Prophet Elias Guest Speaker – Fr. Dan Suciu

- · 9:30-10:00 Continental Breakfast
- · 10:00-12:00 Presentation
- · 12:00-1:00 Lenten Potluck-please bring your favorite Lenten dish to share

Fr. Dan will be presenting on:

"We are called to be Saints..."

g

In Adam and Eve, we were made in God's "image and likeness"; Adam lost "the likeness", but Jesus is the New Man, the full "image and likeness" of God. One of God's essential characteristics is Holiness. Jesus is the real Holy Man and, in Him, all of us can become holy, Saints, His icons for those around us unto ours and their salvation.

"Suffering and challenges..."

The Western Christendom teaches, "Jesus suffered on the Cross FOR us", that "He paid the

Debt" we incurred in Adam and Eve. It is a legalistic approach to salvation and it can harm us when facing pain and suffering. The Eastern Christianity believes that "Jesus's suffering on the Cross is, not only FOR us, but also IN us", that His suffering expands in our own, making pain and suffering an OPPORTUNITY for salvation, rather than a tragedy"

Fr. Dan was born on August 27, 1955 in Dumbraveni, central Transylvania, Romania. After graduating high school, he graduated in 1979 from the Theological Orthodox Institute of Sibiu, Romania and got admitted to the doctoral classes in theology at the Theological Institute of Bucharest. In September of 1982, he received a scholarship at the Princeton Theological Seminar to work on his doctoral thesis in Pastoral Theology. In January 1984, he accepted Archbishop Victorin's call to work as a missionary for the Romanian Orthodox Missionary Archdiocese of North America. He spent 10 years in parishes in Canada after which he worked in parishes in the U.S. He was accepted in the GOA in 1996 and has been part of the Metropolis of Denver ever since. Fr. Dan is married to Delia Mihaiela and they are the parents of Sylvia (John) and Christopher, and grandparents of Daniel and Anna. Fr. Dan is presently retired and lives in San Antonio, Texas.

Parish Lenten Retreat
Weekend – April 19 to 21, 2024
With Fr. Dan Suciu
At Prophet Elias Church



- Friday 7:00pm Akathist Hymn with Sermon from Fr. Dan
- Saturday 9:30am 1:00pm Parish Lenten Retreat hosted by Philoptochos
  - Saturday 6:00pm 8:00pm Talk with Fr. Dan for Families, GOYA, YAL and Orthodox Young Professionals
- Sunday 9:00am Orthros & Divine Liturgy with Sermon from Fr. Dan

# Arcadian Square Πλατεία της Αρκαδίας

#### **Arcadians April Event:**

Pre-Sanctified Liturgy & Dinner Wednesday, April 17, 2024 Prophet Elias, 6:00 PM Dinner Immediately Following Services (Approx 6:45 PM)

We will be attending Services as a group and hosting dinner for the parishioners in attendance.

We are asking the membership to bring a Lenten dish to share for dinner. You may bring items to the small kitchen in the gym at 5:30 pm prior to church.

Please sign up on the link below so that we can ensure that we have enough for everyone.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1-H20EaTiGhSm47u7\_MWx10Vafq8dsKl2CfZAJ1x75l/edit#gid=0

You may call, text or email Nicole with your selections or for any questions. 801-556-8664

n\_fivecents@hotmail.com

Salt Lake City Arcadians Chapter #90 "Theodoros Kolokotronis"





We will be attending Services as a group and hosting dinner for the parishioners in attendance.

For

We would like to ask the membership to bring a Lenten dish to share for the dinner.

You may bring items to the small kitchen in the gymat 5:30 pm prior to church. Please sign up on the link below so that we can ensure

that we have enough for everyone.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1-H20EaTiGhSm47u7\_MMx10Vafg8dsW20fZAJ1x75I/edit#gid=0

You may call; text or email Noole with your selections or for any questions.

801-556-8664

n fivecents@hatmeil.com

#### SAVE THE DATE

JR & SR GOYA

#### MYSTERY BUS EVENT

MAY 18 9:45 AM - 6:30 PM









San Diego, California | July 3-7, 2024

UNIFY

Please scan the QR code or click <u>HERE</u> for YAL National conference booking information

# Doughters of Minos >



## Safurday, May 11th at 10:30AM Little America Hotel



Brunch, fashion show, raffle \$65/ADULT \$35/CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER Open seating only, RSVP by May 1st

Purchase tickets at <a href="www.bit.ly/3Vy0tgk">www.bit.ly/3Vy0tgk</a>, use the QR code, or call Georgiann 801.450.0187

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Saint Sophia School

Discover, Explore, Imagine, Create



#### Enrollment open for 2023-2024

- Toddlers (18 mo. 2 1/2 yrs.)
- · Early Three
- PreK-3
- PreK-4
- Kindergarten (Full Day)





Come join us for a wonderful school year! Email: director@saintsophiaschool.org Phone: 801-424-1297

5341 S. Highland Drive, Holladay Utah

## SAVE THE DATE

Watch for more information on the upcoming events below

#### Spring Parish Assembly ~

Sunday, April 21 at PE ~ Note \*new date 12:00pm Lunch & 12:30pm Assembly begins.

For items to submit to the *printed* bulletin, the deadline remains 3pm on Wednesday of each week, however, please include both email addresses below, so there are no delays in forwarding between us in the office.

churchoffice@gocslc.org AND kim@gocslc.org

Thank you for your assistance in enabling us to reach our bulletin deadline.