



GREEK
ORTHODOX CHURCH
OF GREATER SALT LAKE



JULY 16, 2023

SUNDAY
OF THE
HOLY FATHERS
OF THE 4TH
ECUMENICAL COUNCIL

THE DIVINE LITURGY
OF ST. JOHN OF CHRYSOSTOM



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HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

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PROPHET ELIAS CHURCH

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CLERGY



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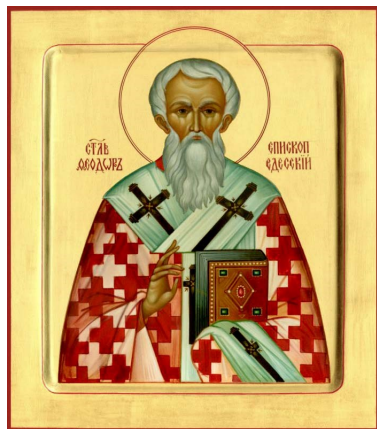
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ST THEODORE, BISHOP OF EDESSA



Our Father among the Saints Theodore was born in Edessa of Mesopotamia. At the age of about nineteen, he became a monk at the Monastery of Mar Sabbas in Palestine. After he had spent some twenty-four years there, he was chosen to become Bishop of Edessa, about the year 836. The city of Edessa at that time was beleaguered with many heresies, among them the Arian, Nestorian, Eutychian, and Manichean. Wishing to free the Orthodox of Edessa from the injustices of the many heretics, he undertook a journey to Babylon in Persia - that is, Baghdad - to ask the Persian King, who then ruled over all Syria, to use his power to protect the Orthodox of Edessa. When he arrived he learned that the King was gravely sick; but gaining admission to him, the holy Bishop Theodore restored him to health through prayer, and, after speaking to him many days in secret about the dispensation of God, converted him to Christ, baptizing him with the name of John. Returning to Edessa having accomplished his purpose, Theodore later learned by revelation that King John, with his three Arab body-guards who had been baptized with him, had professed their faith openly and received martyrs' crowns at the hands of the Persian Moslems. This was in the days when the blessed Theodora and her son Michael reigned in Constantinople. Not long thereafter, Theodore retired to the Monastery of Mar Sabbas, and ended his days.



THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE



SUNDAY, JULY 16

Orthros	9:00am	@ PE only
Divine Liturgy	10:00am	@ PE only
Dionysios Dance Practice	2:00pm-4:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym
LHJ Dance Practice	4:00pm-5:00pm	@ PE Playground
Prophet Elias Picnic	6:00pm	@ PE Pavilion

MONDAY, JULY 17

GF Fasolakia prep	9:00am-5:00pm	@ HT Warehouse/Kitchen
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TUESDAY, JULY 18

Dionysios Dance Practice	8:30pm-10:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym
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WEDNESDAY, JULY 19

GOYA Dance Practice	6:00pm-8:00pm	@ PE Sm & Lg Gym
Boy Scouts Meeting	6:00pm-8:00pm	@ PE Classroom
Pick-up Basketball	8:00pm-10:00pm	@ PE & HT

THURSDAY, JULY 20

Prophet Elias	9:00am-11:00am	@ PE
Choir Practice	7:00pm-8:00pm	@ PE
Dionysios Dance Practice	8:30pm-10:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym

FRIDAY, JULY 21

No Schedule

SATURDAY, JULY 22

No Schedule

SUNDAY, JULY 23

Orthros	9:00am	@ PE only
Divine Liturgy	10:00am	@ PE only
Dionysios Dance Practice	2:00pm-4:00pm	@ PE Sm Gym
LHJ Dance Practice	4:00pm-5:00pm	@ PE Playground





MEMORIALS & SERVICES



SUNDAY, JULY 16

AT PROPHET ELIAS

Lee Vordos: 2 ~ Year Memorial

Coffee Hour Sponsored by Dottie Vordos



SUNDAY, JULY 23

PROPHET ELIAS



SUNDAY, JULY 30

PROPHET ELIAS

Alexis Albert: 5 ~ Year Memorial





ΥΜΝΟΙ ΤΗΣ ΗΜΕΡΑΣ



Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον

Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον Πατρὶ καὶ Πνεύματι, τὸν ἐκ Παρθένου τεχθέντα εἰς σωτηρίαν ἡμῶν, ἀνυμνήσωμεν πιστοὶ καὶ προσκυνήσωμεν· ὅτι νύδόκησε σαρκί, ἀνελθεῖν ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ, καὶ θάνατον ὑπομεῖναι, καὶ ἐγεῖραι τοὺς τεθνεῶτας, ἐν τῇ ἐνδόξῳ ἀναστάσει αὐτοῦ.

Τῶν Πατέρων

Υπερδεδοξασμένοις εἶ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ φωστῆρας ἐπὶ γῆς τοὺς Πατέρας ἡμῶν θεμελιώσας, καὶ δι' αὐτῶν πρὸς τὴν ἀληθινὴν πίστιν, πάντας ἡμᾶς ὁδηγήσας· πολυεύσπλαγγνε, δόξα σοι.

Ἀπολυτίκιον Πεντηκοστής (για τὴν Ἁγία Τριάδα)

Εὐλογητός εἶ Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν ὁ πανσόφους τοὺς ἅλιεις ἀναδείξας καταπέμψας αὐτοῖς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον καὶ δι' αὐτῶν τὴν οἰκουμένην σαγηνεύσας φιλάνθρωπε δόξα σοι.

Ἀπολυτίκιον Προφήτου Ηλιοῦ

Ὁ ἐνσαρκος ἄγγελος, τῶν Προφητῶν ἡ κρηπίς, ὁ δεῦτερος Πρόδρομος τῆς παρουσίας Χριστοῦ, Ηλίας ὁ ἐνδοξος, ἄνωθεν καταπέμψας, Ελισαίῳ τὴν χάριν, νόσους αποδιώκει, καὶ λεπρούς καθαρίζει, διό καὶ τοῖς τιμώσιν αὐτὸν βρῦει ἰάματα.

Κοντάκιον

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάδετε, μὴ παρίδης, ἁμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθή, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἰκεσίαν, ἡ προστατεύουσα ἀεὶ, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.





HYMNS OF THE DAY



Resurrectional Apolytikion

As the Father and Spirit are unoriginate, so the Word, who was born from the Virgin for us. Let us praise Him, O believers, and let us worship Him. For our salvation He was pleased to be crucified in the flesh, and to undergo death, and to resurrect the dead, by His glorious resurrection.

For the Fathers

Supremely blessed are You, O Christ our God. You established the holy Fathers upon the earth as beacons, and through them You have guided us all to the true Faith, O greatly merciful One, glory be to You.

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 Protection of Christians that never falls, intercession with the Creator that never fails, we sinners beg you, do not ignore the voices of our prayers. O good Lady, we implore you, quickly come unto our aid, when we cry out to you with faith. Hurry to intercession, and hasten to supplication, O Theotokos who protect now and ever those who honor you.





Ο ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΟΣ



Προκείμενον:

Εὐφράνθητε ἐπὶ Κύριον καὶ ἀγαλλιᾶσθε,
δίκαιοι.

Στίχος:

Μακάριοι ὧν ἀφέθησαν αἱ ἀνομίαι.

Πρὸς Τίτον Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

(3:8-15)

Τέκνον Τίτε, πιστὸς ὁ λόγος, καὶ περὶ τούτων βούλομαί σε διαβεβαιουῖσθαι, ἵνα φροντίζωσιν καλῶν ἔργων προϊστασθαι οἱ πεπιστευκότες θεῶ. ταῦτά ἐστιν καλὰ καὶ ὠφέλιμα τοῖς ἀνθρώποις· μωρὰς δὲ ζητήσεις καὶ γενεαλογίας καὶ ἔριν καὶ μάχας νομικὰς περιίστασο, εἰσὶν γὰρ ἀνωφελεῖς καὶ μάταιοι. Αἰρετικὸν ἄνθρωπον μετὰ μίαν καὶ δευτέραν νουθεσίαν παραιτοῦ, εἰδὼς ὅτι ἐξέστραπται ὁ τοιοῦτος καὶ ἁμαρτάνει, ὧν αὐτοκατάκριτος. Ὅταν πέμπω Ἀρτεμᾶν πρὸς σὲ ἢ Τυχικόν, σπούδασον ἐλθεῖν πρὸς με εἰς Νικόπολιν, ἐκεῖ γὰρ κέκρικα παραχειμάσαι. Ζηνᾶν τὸν νομικὸν καὶ Ἀπολλῶν σπουδαίως πρόπεμψον, ἵνα μηδὲν αὐτοῖς λείπη. μανθανέτωσαν δὲ καὶ οἱ ἡμέτεροι καλῶν ἔργων προϊστασθαι εἰς τὰς ἀναγκαίας χρείας, ἵνα μὴ ὦσιν ἄκαρποι. Ἀσπάζονται σε οἱ μετ' ἐμοῦ πάντες. Ἀσπασαί τοὺς φιλοῦντας ἡμᾶς ἐν πίστει. ἡ χάρις μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν. Ἀμήν.





THE EPISTLE



Prokeimenon:

Be glad in the Lord and rejoice greatly,
O righteous ones.

Verse:

Blessed are those whose transgressions are forgiven.

The reading is from Paul's Letter to Titus.

(3:8–15)

Titus, my son, the saying is sure. I desire you to insist on these things, so that those who have believed in God may be careful to apply themselves to good deeds; these are excellent and profitable to men. But avoid stupid controversies, genealogies, dissensions, and quarrels over the law, for they are unprofitable and futile. As for a man who is factious, after admonishing him once or twice, have nothing more to do with him, knowing that such a person is perverted and sinful; he is self-condemned. When I send Artemas or Tychicos to you, do your best to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their way; see that they lack nothing. And let our people learn to apply themselves to good deeds, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not to be unfruitful. All who are with me send greeting to you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all. Amen.





ΤΟ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΝ



Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ματθαῖον ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

(5:14–19)

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος τοῖς ἑαυτοῦ μαθηταῖς· Ὑμεῖς ἐστε τὸ φῶς τοῦ κόσμου. οὐ δύναται πόλις κρυβῆναι ἐπάνω ὄρους κειμένη· οὐδὲ καίουσι λύχνον καὶ τιθέασι αὐτὸν ὑπὸ τὸν μόδιον, ἀλλ' ἐπὶ τὴν λυχνίαν, καὶ λάμπει πᾶσι τοῖς ἐν τῇ οἰκίᾳ. οὕτω λαμψάτω τὸ φῶς ὑμῶν ἔμπροσθεν τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ὅπως ἴδωσιν ὑμῶν τὰ καλὰ ἔργα καὶ δοξάσωσι τὸν πατέρα ὑμῶν τὸν ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς. Μὴ νομίσητε ὅτι ἦλθον καταλῦσαι τὸν νόμον ἢ τοὺς προφῆτας· οὐκ ἦλθον καταλῦσαι, ἀλλὰ πληρῶσαι. ἀμὴν γὰρ λέγω ὑμῖν, ἕως ἂν παρέλθῃ ὁ οὐρανὸς καὶ ἡ γῆ, ἰῶτα ἓν ἢ μία κεραία οὐ μὴ παρέλθῃ ἀπὸ τοῦ νόμου ἕως ἂν πάντα γένηται. ὃς ἐὰν οὖν λύσῃ μίαν τῶν ἐντολῶν τούτων τῶν ἐλαχίστων καὶ διδάξῃ οὕτω τοὺς ἀνθρώπους, ἐλάχιστος κληθήσεται ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ τῶν οὐρανῶν· ὃς δ' ἂν ποιήσῃ καὶ διδάξῃ, οὗτος μέγας κληθήσεται ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ τῶν οὐρανῶν.



THE GOSPEL



The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

(5:14~19)

The Lord said to his disciples, "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven. Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets; I have come not to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but he who does them and teaches them shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven."



Please note ~ Following this Sunday,
due to Fr. George Nikas surgery and vacation time for chanters
at HT, Church services will be held the next two weeks at
Prophet Elias only.

CHURCH SCHEDULE TO JULY 30

July 16	PE only	Prophet Elias Day
July 23	PE only	
July 30	PE only	

Fr. George will be on vacation in Greece until mid July.
If you have a pastoral emergency, please call the Church
Office for assistance.

If you need clergy assistance *after* Church Office Hours,
then please call:

1. Fr. Anthony Savas at 801-824-3987 -or-
2. Fr. Nikiforos Milovic at 801-600-0706

If there is a death in the family, please call the Church
Office or Fr. Luke Kontgas at 801-310-1881





**PROPHET ELIAS
NAME DAY**

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**SUNDAY, JULY 16, 2023
6:00PM**

PROPHET ELIAS PAVILION

5335 HIGHLAND DRIVE, HOLLADAY UT 84117

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR FOOD AND FUN
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We are most pleased to offer these Sponsorship Opportunities for our new Iconography for the Front Façade of the Iconostasis/Apse (to be completed by 9/1/23) and the Dome/Evangelists (to be completed by 1/31/24) at our Prophet Elias Church. As you plan your summer vacations, before you go, we encourage you to discuss with your family the possibility of donating toward our iconography project for the health and well-being or in memory of your loved ones. We welcome any and all donations toward this Iconography Project, however, due to space considerations, we will be able to display only those donations that are at least \$2,000 on a plaque in the Exonarthex. All sponsorships will be secured on a first come, first serve basis and must be made through Fr. George (732-232-1036, frgeorgen@gocslc.org). We thank all of you in advance for your continued generosity and look forward to completing the beautification our Prophet Elias Church!

ICONOGRAPHY PE (Prices for Donations)

ICONOSTASIS/APSE/FRONT

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| 1.) 2 Hierarchs
(St. Iakovos & St. Andrew of Crete) | \$6,000 (each) |
| 2.) Annunciation | \$12,000 |
| 3.) Joachim & Anna | \$5,000 |

DOMES/EVANGELISTS

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| 4.) 4 Evangelists
(Matthew, Mark, Luke & John) | \$10,000 (each) |
| 5.) 12 Cherubim (Angels) | \$2,000 (each) |
| 6.) Mandilion/Keramion | \$4,000 |
| 7.) Dome Décor | \$5,000 |
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7 Dome Décor \$5,000



~~ FESTIVAL CHAIR LIST 2023 ~~

Updated 7/7/23

CONTACT CHURCH OFFICE TO UPDATE CHAIRPERSON AT 801-328-9681

Items/Location	Prep Dates	Festival Chairperson	Phone Contact 1	Co-Chair Dimitri Gerontis	Phone Contact 2
Baklava	Ordering				
Dolmathes	Completed	Xanthi Athousakis	801-558-5430	Kathy Paras	801-671-1964
Fasalakia	July 17	George Barka	801-673-0424		
Galaktobureko	Aug 26,27	Christina Athas	801-891-9212		
Gyro		Chris Mantas	801-560-7855		
Kalamari	Ordering	Dorie Farah	801-430-7921	Pam Daewood	
Karithopita	Completed	Elpitha Votsis	801-558-1219	Zeta Tsagaris	801-673-0553
Kefthetes	Completed	Jon Pezeley	801-466-9187		
Kota (Greek Chicken)		Pete Floor	801-875-1012		
Koulouria	July 13,14	Connie Yengich	801-793-9393		
Kourambiethes	Ordering	Elpitha Votsis	801-558-1219	Zeta Tsagaris	801-673-0553
Lamb Booth		Basil Chelemes	801-580-1338		
Loukoumades		Terry Chipian	801-597-1362	Jeff Chipian	801-942-2457
Macaroons	Aug 26,27	Christina Athas	801-891-9212		
Melomacaronas	Ordering				
Pasta Flora	Aug 3,4	Cindy Skedros	801-560-9728	Alex Yengich	801-512-9918
Pastichio	Completed	Connie Yengich	801-793-9393	George Karahalios	801-541-4659
Pastry Prep (Gym)	Sept 5,6,7	Philoptochos			
Pilafi		Evan Dudley	385-216-7510	Bob Nelson	801-557-3831
Salads		Danielle Parker	801-209-0385		
Souvlakia	Ordered	Chris Floor	801-450-2105		
Stifado	July 15	Steve Saltas	801-541-0794		
Tyropites	Ordering	Dimitri Gerontis	801-230-6886		
Agora		Maria Nelson	801-201-3953	Cindy Skedros	801-560-9728
Admissions North Entrance		Madeline Pappas	385-522-1535		
Admissions South Entrance		Leiann Bathemess	801-949-7685		
Bar		Bill Zoumadakis	801-520-9202	Pam Zoumadakis	801-641-6173
Bar Tickets Sales		Nico Priskos	801-413-8902	Michael Zoumadakis	801-554-9703
Buffet Stations		Dave Katsanevas	801-244-9622		
Car Raffle		Chris Sakellariou	801-414-5150		
Cashiers Food Line		Mike Katsanevas	801-558-9148	Nicholas Katsanevas	
Church Tours		Toni Mae Dwyer	801-467-8917		
Court Yard Café		Shelly Anderson	801-860-3585		
Crowd Control Set Up		George Liodakis	801-597-6204		
Facilities		Husein Mahmutovic	801-913-4652		
Food Coordinator		Maria Papadakis	801-328-9681	Kim Bradshaw	801-328-9681
Food Lines/Runners FRI		Harry Souvall	385-296-7768	Amber Erickson	801-792-9380
Food Lines/Runners SAT		Tina Kelaidis	801-647-9534	Adelina Littler	801-414-9296
Food Lines/Runners SUN		Harry Souvall	385-296-7768	Amber Erickson	801-792-9380
Kafenio		Orie Kambouris	801-808-6542	Niko Kambouris	801-244-1547
Maintenance		Husein Mahmutovic	801-913-4652		
Nuisance & Hazard Monitor		Husein Mahmutovic	801-913-4652		
Ovens		Pete Saltas	801-573-1827		
Pastry Booth FRI		Philoptochos	801-793-9393		
Pastry Booth SAT		Philoptochos	801-793-9393		
Pastry Booth SUN		Philoptochos	801-793-9393		
Raffle		Chris Sakellariou	801-414-5150		
Runners		Ted Sargetakis	801-556-3001		
Security		George Karahalios	801-541-4659		
Volunteer Booth					

FESTIVAL FOOD PREP SCHEDULES

<i>Karithopita</i>	Sat, June 3	COMPLETED
<i>Dolmathes</i>	Thu, June 8	COMPLETED
	Fri, June 9	
	Sat, June 10	
<i>Keftethes & Pastichio</i>	Fri, July 7	COMPLETED
	Sat, July 8	
<i>Koulouria</i>	Thu, July 13	9:00am-6:30pm
	Fri, July 14	9:00am-6:30pm
<i>Stifado</i>	Sat, July 15	8:00am-5:00pm
<i>Fasolakia</i>	Mon, July 17	
<i>Pasta Flora</i>	Thu, Aug 3	4:00pm-8:00pm
	Fri, Aug 4	9:00am-11:00am (cut)
<i>Galaktobureko & Macaroons</i>	Sat, Aug 26	9:00am-
	Sun, Aug 27	
<i>Pastry Prep (Gym)</i>	Tue, Sept 5	
	Wed, Sept 6	
	Thu, Sept 7	

Please notify the office if you have **prep times** to add to the calendar & schedule

Please Join
The Society of Athanasios Diakos



Saturday **22** July

◆ ◆ Bus Leaves PE @ 8:30 or HT @ 9:00 ◆ ◆

♣ Bus Leaves Wendover @ 5:00 pm ♣

\$20 per person for a fun day with good parea

Please RSVP to Arge Feotis:
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2023

GREGORY & ANTHONY SKEDROS
MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19

4-PERSON SCRAMBLE

CHECK IN: 6:30AM

SHOTGUN START: 7:30AM

COST: SINGLE \$90, FOURSOME \$360,

FOURSOME WITH HOLE SPONSORSHIP \$625

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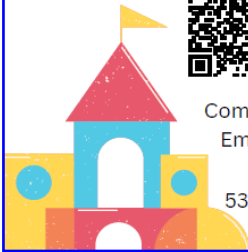


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Discover, Explore, Imagine, Create

Enrollment open for 2023-2024

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



Come join us for a wonderful school year!

Email: director@saintsophiaschool.org

Phone: 801-424-1297

5341 S. Highland Drive, Holladay Utah

<https://www.saintsophiaschool.org/academics>

EARLY THREE CLASS

**Tuesdays and Thursdays
from 9:00 a.m.- noon.**

children 2.8 years old (by September)

is a transitional program for children that are ready for their first preschool experience as an independent child, but not old enough to start the PreK-3 class.

Early Three students will learn critical skills necessary to be a part of a group without parents, grandparents, or guardians present as they discover, explore, create, and imagine through activities in the Saint Sophia School Early Three curriculum.

TODDLER CLASS

Wednesdays from 9am-11am | for children ages 18mo-2years + Parent/Guardian
Session One (September-December 2023)

The Toddler Class helps children develop small and large motor skills, acclimate to school, gain awareness of group behavior, provide parents with new ideas and ways of respectfully parenting, and discover Greek language and Culture.

Call or email today to save a spot - Toddler Day Class is limited.

For more information, contact director@saintsophiaschool.org

PHILOPTOCHOS CORNER

U of U Burn Center Donation Drive

We will continue to collect items for the U of U Burn Center throughout the summer. Donations can be brought to HT or PE on Sundays. There will be a bin in the narthex. Please see the flyer below for details.

Thank you to all who have dropped off donations in support of this project!

PHILOPTOCHOS PRESENTS

U OF U BURN CENTER DONATION DRIVE

We are collecting donations of the following items :

FOOD:

- Individual snacks
 - Popcorn, Oreos, cookies, pudding, applesauce cups, fruit cups, peanut butter pouches, granola/protein bars, trail mix, tuna/chicken packets, chips, crackers
- Microwavable items
 - Oatmeal, chili, soup, mac n' cheese, cream of wheat.
- Drinks
 - Gatorade, Powerade, juices, Crystal Light, hot-chocolate, coffee, Keurig pods.

NON- FOOD:

- Unopened laundry pods, dryer sheets
- Unopened feminine hygiene products
- Toothbrushes, toothpaste, combs, shampoo, conditioner
- New/Gently used gloves, socks, and hats
- Single Bed sized blankets
- Reusable shopping bags
- Gift Cards (\$10 to McDonalds, Wendys, Wal-Mart, etc.)

COLLECTION DATES & TIMES:
We are continuing this through the summer!!
Please bring donations to church on Sunday's and there will be a designated bin located in the narthex for items!

Contact Alex Yengich at (801)-512-9918
or Connie Yengich at (801)-793-9393 for
questions or more info!



YOUNG AT HEART

The Young at Heart will be taking the next two months off for Greek Festival setup.

We'll be back at it in October!

Have a great rest of the Summer and a great Festival



A prayer for our children going to
Camp Emmanuel

July 16-22
Larkspur, CO

Alexis Barton	Xanthe Kapos-Pullos
Dimitra Bourdos	Vasso Karahalios
Sophia Chatzis	George Maroudas
Sam Chelemes	Trinity Maroudas
Vivian Contant	Alexander Owen
Mia Kambouris	Kosti Tsandes

O Lord Jesus Christ our God, who condescended to enter under the roof of Zacchaeus the Publican, thus becoming salvation to him and his whole household: As the same Lord, by means of our unworthy prayers, look with mercy and beneficence upon our Orthodox encampments. As our Lord and Master, enlighten our directors, counselors, and staff to the doing of Your holy Will, so that they might always worthily direct those entrusted to their care, to grow in wisdom and grace before Your majesty. May Your presence be felt in the midst of our encampments, thus, in Your mercy, preserving them from the snares of the evil one and abundantly providing opportunity that all participants profit by Your blessing. For You are our God, and to You do we ascribe glory: to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS



- Items for Bulletin - A reminder, if you would like your event updates and fliers added to the printed version of the bulletin, they must be to us by Wednesday each week no later than 3:00pm. Please email to either churchoffice@gocslc.org or kim@gocslc.org. Ευχαριστώ

----- **SAVE THE FOLLOWING DATES** -----

More Information forthcoming for the dates below

- Sunday, August 20 - **Greek Orthodox Lagoon Day** - Elm Terrace is reserved for you! Tickets this year are purchased online. To purchase passports visit <https://shop.lagoonpark.com/> and select **I Have A Promo Code**, then enter promo code **GREEK2023**. Rates are \$69.95 + tax = \$76.02 per passport. A \$2.00 service fee per ticket will be added per ticket purchased. **Single day passports purchased online are non-refundable and valid for your scheduled event only.*
- Metropolis of Denver Basketball Tournament - will now be Presidents Day weekend, February 16-19, 2024.

--- **SAVE THE DATE** ---

The Parish Council has slated
September 24, 2023,
to vote on the Woodbury Project.

A special parish assembly will be called to order on this specific topic. Please clear your calendars for this very important special parish assembly. Look for further details in future bulletins.