

ST. NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

## **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2021**

## **SUNDAY AFTER THE HOLY CROSS FEAST**

On behalf of the Parish Council, Fr. Michael, and the St. Nicholas Staff, we would like to welcome back and wish a Happy New Ecclesiastical Year to everyone in the Parish. We hope that you had a wonderful summer with fun filled events. Now it's time to get busy again. The month of September always brings us new challenges in the church. During the summer months St. Nicholas has been very busy and we are on our way for another exciting and challenging year. WELCOME BACK.

# **MEMORIAL SERVICE:**

A 2 year Memorial service will be chanted today in memory of our departed brother in Christ Dimitrios Avgerinos. May his soul rest in peace and may his memory be eternal.

A 2 year Memorial service will be chanted today in memory of our sister in Christ, Zoe Paros Maltas May her soul rest in peace and may her memory be eternal.

## **WEEKLY CALENDAR:**

Monday, September 20: Greek School Classes 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm Wednesday, September 21: Greek School Classes 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Thursday, September 23: Parish Council Meeting: 6:00 pm

## **GOYA KICKOFF PARTY AT THE PLATEIA:**

The St. Nicholas GOYA Youth group is having their Kickoff Party today at the Plateia from the hours of 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. They are also welcoming new members. Come and enjoy great fellowship with our Advisors, Parents and Goyan's. Welcome back and have a great year!!!

# SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION: WELCOME BACK SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS, AIDES AND STUDENTS. ATTENTION ALL PARENTS:

As Parents, you have the responsibility to bring your children on time to the Sunday school classes. Religious Education is very important for the spiritual growth and stability of our children. Learning about God, the Church, and their Faith, gives children the opportunity to explore new horizons in their life. Parents invest in your children's future by securing a lifetime of blessings through the Blessings of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Please do not neglect your children's opportunity to have a spiritual relationship with their Lord. HAVE A GREAT YEAR!

#### **HELLENNIC GOLDEN COINS:**

Registration for the Hellenic Golden Coins Dance Group is under way. You may register at the Church office, or contact Foula Paragios at 410-236- 3419 or Email her at fparagios@gmail.com or at hellenicgoldencoins@gmail.com

#### **GREEK SCHOOL REGISTRATION:**

As we mentioned in the upcoming events, that the beginning of the Greek school classes will begin on Monday, September the 20th. Registration for the Greek school classes are under way. Please register your child/or children so we can have an idea on how many students will be attending for the 2021/2022 year. Student applications are in the Church office. HAVE A GREAT YEAR!

## **ALTAR BOYS NEEDED:**

Fr. Michael is calling all our young men in the parish 10 and over to come and serve God by serving in the Altar as an Altar boy. What an honor it is for our young people to help their church in this manner. If you are interested contact Fr. Michael or the Church office and leave your name and phone number with the Church secretary.

#### **CHOIR NEWS:**

We are looking for new members to join our St. Nicholas Choir. Anyone who is interested in joining please contact the Church office at 410-633-5020 or you can contact our Choir Director Pete Bisbikis at 443-803-35-47 or E-mail him at peterbibikis@comcast.net. Rehearsals are scheduled on Friday evenings usually twice a month at 7:00 pm.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Sunday, September 26, Goya Officers are being Installed

Monday, September 27, Ladies Philoptochos "Crabfest" at Costas Inn 6:00 pm

Thursday, September 30, GOYA Meeting: 7:00 pm

Sunday, October 3, St. Nicholas "Diamonds" Crabfest at the Plateia 1pm-4pm
Tuesday, October 5, Ladies Philoptochos outing at Michael's Steakhouse: 6:00 pm

Sunday, October 10, GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING AFTER CHURCH !!!

Tuesday, October 12, St. Nicholas "Diamonds Meeting" at the Plateia 1:00 pm

Wednesday, October 13, Orthodox Bible Study 6:00 pm