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Exchanging Truth for a Lie

There is a subtle, diabolic and life threatening trap today. Secular society has ever increasingly come to believe in a different god. This one has always been around. He shows up with greater force and intensity in the more affluent areas of the world. And when he gains your heart, like so many other little idols we worship, he really doesn't let go. He may be known by many names, but for the purposes of this article, we will call him the god of materialism.

Many in this fallen world of ours have throughout history exchanged our true loving God in Heaven for this false god of materialism. They have exchanged truth for a lie. They have dispossessed themselves of the leadership of God for the leadership of man and all of his worldly philosophies.

We have all, no doubt, heard at one time or another the commandment of our Lord Jesus, "If you want to be perfect, go, sell all that you have and give it to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me," (Matt 19:21). Yet how many of us are able to do this, to share all that we have as did the early Church? How many of us are even able to give to our Church or to the poor without expecting something in return, such as public recognition?

With materialism, we usually think of big money and the things we can purchase with it: joy, supposed happiness, beautiful items for the home, from expensive Nintendo games for the children to computers to that shining new Eldorado, and those all important considerations... status and power. There is nothing wrong with a couple of these items so long as we do not lose touch with our true God in our lives. But in this terribly materialistic world of ours, we are forever and totally exchanging the truth, God, for a lie, the facade known as materialism, that sign of worldly success. This, too, is another problem with materialism. It has a tendency to lead us to many other sinful

natures, such as greed, frugality, vainglory, lust, pride and envy, to name a few, which quite often are also signs of worldly success. Gaining and maintaining wealth in order to acquire status within society, to live in luxury, to obtain power for our own advantage and not God's greater glory, become our ultimate purposes in life.

We are exchanging truth for a lie. There are those in the world today who will even point to Holy Scripture claiming that if we work hard, we will become wealthy in funds consistent with the teachings of God. Moreover, we deceive ourselves when we say that we should gain and maintain wealth so that we may perform good Christian works. More often this results in the hoarding of our wealth rather than in the sharing of it. Thus, we end up cloaking our materialism by using excuses for it.

While Holy Scripture indeed points to economics in everyday living, its main theme is that the blessings our Lord has given us should be utilized for His purpose including our spiritual prosperity and not for the objectives of worldly abundance. Our Lord never intended for us to view possessions in the materialistic way we do today. In short, it is not wealth in itself that is sin, but our attachment to it. To love as Jesus loves requires a total detachment.

Beginning in the Old Testament we see repeatedly how the Lord God admonished all people to set aside a portion of their blessings to be used for His glory and His work. However, the Law of ancient Israel, which included tithing, could be fulfilled only through love, not legalism. Our Lord Jesus Christ, who spoke through the Prophets of the Old Testament, articulated directly the complete truth, the full meaning of the Father's teachings. In the New Testament, our Lord and Savior spoke of possessions as meaningless in themselves, especially when

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GREEK SCHOOL NEWS

Never too Late to Learn Greek

Socrates was once quoted as saying, "I cannot teach anybody anything, I can only make them think." Thinking and having the willingness to learn is the motto of our adult Greek School students. St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Afternoon School is continuing its proud tradition of offering a Greek language course for adults on Friday evenings from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Three years ago, the teaching staff realized that there was a community need within and outside our parish to offer Greek language courses for adults. The students have remarked about how fun the class is and how helpful everyone is with each other.

The Greek language books selected by teacher, Vasiliki Kalograni and Principal, Helen Louvrou- Monopolis are wonderful. The books are easy to understand and come with a complete set of tutorial audio discs. The students are able to practice their pronunciation and vocabulary by listening to the discs and following along with their textbook.

The adult language program would benefit teenage children who did not have the opportunity to learn the language when they were children. The program would also benefit those individuals who are fluent in the Greek language, but are not able to read or write the Greek language. The St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Afternoon School is interested in expanding its program. If you are interested in taking Greek language classes please contact, Principal Helen Monopolis at 410-633-5020 or by email at stngreekschool@gmail.com

Greek School News:

The Greek School has begun its annual fundraiser of selling the World's Finest Chocolates. If you have a restaurant or office and would be willing to sell a box of chocolates, please contact Co-Chairpersons, Katina Palas at 410-960-1661 or Popi Angelos at 410-971-4851 for your supply of chocolates.

Calendar of Greek School Events

Monday, November: Executive PTA Meeting from 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. and General Assembly PTA Meeting at 8:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, November 24 - Friday, November 26: School Closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Saturday, December 4th: Greek School students to dance at the Ladies Philoptohos Society Christmas Tea starting at 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 8: Open House - Parents may visit Greek School classrooms during regular scheduled class times.

Thursday, December 9: Open House - Parents may visit Greek School classrooms during regular scheduled class times.

Monday, December 13: Executive PTA Meeting from 7:00p.m.-8:00 p.m. and General Assembly PTA Meeting at 8:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, December 15: Greek School Christmas Program, TBA.

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AFTERNOON GREEK SCHOOL

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ΝΕΑ ΤΟΥ ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΟΥ ΣΧΟΛΕΙΟΥ

Ποτέ δεν είναι αργά....

Ο μεγάλος Αθηναίος φιλόσοφος, Σωχράτης, είπε κάποτε: «Δεν μπορώ να διδάξω τον οποιονδήποτε οτιδήποτε. Μπορώ όμως να τον κάνω να μάθει να σκέφτεται!»

«Να σκεφτόμαστε και να έχομε τη θέληση να μάθουμε καινούργια πράγματα, καινούργια γλώσσα». Αυτή είναι η ιδέα και ο σκοπός της τάξης των ενηλίκων.

Την τάξη αυτή την προσφέρει το Ελληνικό μας Σχολείο κάθε Παρασκευή βράδυ, από τις 6:00 - 7:30 μ.μ. Πριν από τρία χρόνια οι υπεύθυνοι του Ελληνικού Σχολείου συνειδητοποίησαν ότι υπάρχει ανάγκη προσφοράς αυτής της ειδικής τάξης για ενήλικες. Οι μαθητές που την παρακολουθούν έχουν εκφράσει την ικανοποίησή τους για τον τρόπο με τον οποίο γίνεται το μάθημα και για το πόσο επίσης ο ένας μαθητής είναι πρόθυμος να βοηθήσει τον άλλο.

Η επιλογή των βιβλίων έγινε μετά από πολύ σκέψη από την διδάσκουσα, κ. Βασιλική Καλογράνη, και τη Διευθύντρια του Σχολείου, Ελένη Λούβρου-Μονόπωλη. Σύμφωνα με τους μαθητές τα βιβλία είναι κατάλληλα για αυτούς, βοηθητικά, ευχάριστα και ευκολοδιάβαστα. Τα βιβλία συνοδεύονται από δίσκους για να μπορούν οι μαθητές να μελετούν στο σπίτι, ακούγοντας την προφορά και το λεξιλόγιο του κάθε μαθήματος.

Όσοι δεν είχαν την ευκαιρία να μάθουν Ελληνικά όταν ήταν μικροί, μπορούν να εγγραφούν και να παρακολουθήσουν την τάξη αυτή. Επίσης, όσοι μιλούν μεν ελληνικά, αλλά δεν έχουν διδαχθεί ανάγνωση και γραφή, ευκαιρία είναι να μάθουν τώρα, αν θέλουν.

Όσοι ενδιαφέρεστε, παραπαλούμε τηλεφωνείστε στη Διευθύντρια, τηλ. 410-633-5020, ή στείλτε ηλεπτρονιπό μήνυμα στη διεύθυνση: stngreekschool@gmail.com.

Εκδηλώσεις Ελληνικού Σχολείου

Όπως κάθε χοόνο έτσι και φέτος αρχίσαμε να πουλάμε σοκολάτες. Τα κέρδη των πωλήσεων διατίθενται για την κάλυψη των αναγκών του Σχολείου μας. Αν έχετε εστιατόρειο ή γραφείο και θέλετε να μας βοηθήσετε πουλώντας σοκολάτες, παρακαλούμε να επικοινωνήσετε με τις υπεύθυνες, κ. Κατίνα Πάλλα, τηλ. 410-960-1661, και κ. Πόπη Αγγελή, τηλ. 410-971-4851.

Δευτέφα, 8 Νοεμβφίου 2010: Συνεδφίαση Πφοεδφείου Συλλόγου Γονέων και Δασκάλων, 7:00 - 8:00 μ.μ. Γενική Συνεδφίαση, 8:00-8:30μ.μ.

Τετάστη, 24 Νοεμβρίου μέχρι και Παρασκευή, 26 Νοεμβρίου 2010: Το Σχολείο κλειστό για την εορτή της Ημέρας των Ευχαριστιών

Σάββατο, 4 Δεκεμβρίου 2010: Συμμετοχή Ελληνικού Σχολείου στο Χριστουγεννιάτικο πάρτυ της Φιλοπτώχου που αρχίζει τη 1:00 μ.μ. (Τα παιδιά θα χορέψουν ελληνικούς χορούς).

Τετάςτη, 8 Δεκεμβςίου και Πέμπτη, 9 Δεκεμβςίου 2010: Ημέςα επισκέψεως γονέων στις τάξεις των παιδιών τους. Δεντέςα, 13 Δεκεμβςίου 2010: Συνεδςίαση Προεδςείου Συλλόγου Γονέων και Δασκάλων, 7:00-8:00 μ.μ. Γενική

Τετάρτη, 15 Δεκεμβρίου 2010: Χριστουγεννιάτικο πάρτυ.

Συνεδρίαση, 8:00-8:30 μ.μ.

AND COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS CARD

Please donate Poinsettias to decorate our church for Christmas. The cost is \$20.00 per plant. Also, if you wish to have your family's name printed in the Community Christmas Card the cost is \$20.00.

Please specify your choice (below) and fill out the form by checking the box of your choice and please enclose your donation. Thank you. Deadline: December 1st.

NAME	
ADDRESS	
☐ POINSETTIAS (#) \$	☐ COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS CARD (#) \$

COMMUNITY NEWS - KOINOTIKA NEA

ST. NICHOLAS PHILOPTOCHOS NEWS

Our chapter had an extraordinary summer. Within a period of two months, we were called to defray the cost of burying 4 of our fellow Greek Orthodox Christians whose families had limited financial resources. After all expenses had been settled, a total \$14,858.03 was expended by our chapter. We thank God for our faithful supporters who have enabled us to assist in these circumstances. A special thank you is extended to the following who have



contributed toward these burials—Bradley Ashton Funeral Home, the Metropolis of New Jersey Philoptochos, the Cathedral of the Annunciation Philoptochos, St. Demetrios Community and Philoptochos chapter, our St. Nicholas Diamonds, Ms. Despina Kaitis, Mrs. Rose Tsakalos, the Rhodian Society-Diagoras, Touch a Heart Florist, Stella Karais Giakoumakis, Father Michael, and the members of our Aporon (Assistance) Committee who worked diligently securing the paperwork and handling the arrangements for burial and payment of services for all 4 burials. May God bless everyone for their kindness and expression of Christian love.

We also wish to thank the following for their memorial donations—Evgenia Karellas in memory of Vasiliki Boias and Katina Sfiriou Palas in memory of Theodoros Katsionis. May their memory be eternal.

A full calendar of events is planned for the month of November starting with our Annual Food Drive. In cooperation with the Johns Hopkins Bayview Hospital, we will be collecting canned and dry nonperishable food items from November 1 through 15. Please bring your food donations to church, and drop them into the marked container in the Atrium. This is one of our community service activities when we can all join in to help the poor and needy of our area.

November 1 is the feast day of our patron Saints Kosmas and Damianos, and we celebrate this occasion with our annual dinner meeting to be held on Thursday, November 4 at 6:00 p.m. Dinner is offered free of charge, and all members are invited to join us for this wonderful evening of fellowship. We are pleased to announce our guest speaker for the evening will be Dr. Demetrios Kapogiannis of the Clinical Research Department of Harbor Hospital who will speak to us about Alzheimer's disease and Dementia. The men of our community are also encouraged to attend. Please make a note of the date and time change. On Sunday, November 7, we continue the celebration with an artoklasia for the health and welfare of the members of our chapter. Also on this day, all parishes of the Greek Orthodox faith have been requested to raise funds for the Ecumenical Patriarchate through their Philoptochos chapter with a special collection tray at the end of Divine Liturgy. Please be generous as we help sustain the leadership of our faith.

Our recent Ladies Night Out was another success. We wish to thank the Blue Hill Tavern, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stavrakis, and everyone who came on October 26th. More "Ladies Night Out" events are being planned so join our chapter and come to our meetings to hear about them!

We wish to welcome the newest members of our chapter—Nikki Roros, Georgia Fotopoulos, Virginia Papavasiliou, Alexandra Karoutsos, Danean Klimash, and Vasiliki Kalogranis.

UPCOMING EVENTS—December 1— general meeting and wine night, <u>December 1-11</u>—Toiletry collection for the Family Crisis Center, <u>December 4</u>—Annual Christmas Tea, <u>December 5</u>—St. Nicholas vespers and reception, <u>December 6</u>—St. Nicholas feast day of our church.

Wishing everyone a blessed Thanksgiving holiday!

Zoe Perdikakis, President

REMINDER! STEWARDSHIP COMMITMENT SUNDAY- NOVEMBER 7TH

Mark your calendars Sunday, November 7th is Parish Stewardship Commitment Sunday. This year's theme is still "Come and See". We need a vision statement, and what Saint Nicholas means to their organization, with 2010 accomplishments (bullet format) and a digital photograph from every parish organization. Each parish organization is asked to e-mail this to Frank Mayer at mayerf55@verizon.net by October 26, 2010. As always, a Luncheon will be provided FREE to all of our church members.

Respectfully Submitted, Frank Mayer, Chairman 2011, Stewardship Campaign.

ΥΠΕΝΘΥΜΙΣΗ: ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΘΕΛΟΝΤΙΚΗΣ ΠΡΟΣΦΟΡΑΣ - 7 ΝΟΕΜΒΡΙΟΥ

Παρακαλείστε να σημειώσετε την ημέρα στο ημερολόγιό σας, 7 Νοεμβρίου, 2010. Το εφετεινό θέμα είναι « Προσέλθετε και δείτε». Χρειαζόμαστε οραματική έκθεση: τι σημαίνει ο Άγιος Νικόλαος για τον Οργανισμό σας, με τους στόχους του 2010 και φωτογραφίες από όλους τους Εκκλησιαστικούς Οργανισμούς. Ζητούμε από κάθε Κοινοτικό Οργανισμό, να τις στείλει στην ημεκτρονική διεύθυνση του Frank Mayer mayerf55@verizon.net όχι αργότερα από την Τρίτη 26 Οκτωβρίου, 2010. Και όπως πάντα η Κοινότητα θα προσφέρει γεύμα, προς όλα τα εκκλησιαζόμενα μέλη, δωρεάν.

Με εκτίμηση, Frank Mayer - Υπεύθυνως του Προγράμματος Εθελοντικής Προσφοράς.

SAINT NICHOLAS "DIAMONDS" ACTIVITIES

2010

November 9 Meeting - BINGO afterwards

November 14 MEMORIAL SERVICE - COFFEE HOUR

November 18 "TOBY'S" Dinner Theatre

December 1 LOGWOOD GARDENS - Bus Trip
December 14 MEETING/Floral crafts/Lenten Lunch

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January 11 CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

February 8 MEETING/Make Valentine Cards March 8 MEETING/Covered dish Lenten Lunch

Activity with Fr. Michael

May 10 MEETING

May 22 Celebrate Sts. Constantine & Helen

ARTOCLASIA/LUNCHEON

June (TBD) HARBOR Cruise (around the end of June)?

August or NIAGARA FALLS 4 DAY TRIP September MORE INFORMATION LATER.
For more information about the various trips, please call

Mrs. Rose Tsakalos at 410-282-2040.

COMMUNITY NEWS - KOINOTIKA NEA

GREEKTOWN CDC

A message from John E. Gavrilis, CEO

Due to cutbacks in Baltimore City's budget, our hokeyman, Mr. Tom Frazier has been pulled from our neighborhood for another assignment. We would like to remind everyone that it is your responsibility to keep the area in front of your property clean. We need your help in picking up trash, cigarette butts and sweeping the curb areas. We would like to thank you in advance for supporting a cleaner Greektown.

We would like to remind residents of the 500-600 blocks of Lehigh, Macon, and Newkirk streets, as well as the 600-900 blocks of Oldham and Ponca streets that you are eligible to take full advantage of the **Healthy Neighborhoods** program. Please contact our office for information on how you can receive grants and very low interest loans.

As a reminder to all residents and church parishioners dial **311** for all non-emergency issues (tall grass, trash, rats, illegal dumping, etc.) and **911** for all Police emergency issues. This includes any illegal dumping and loitering as soon as you witness any occurrence.

Visit our website at www.greektownmd.org. Have a Happy Thanksgiving!

Believe in your community!

John E. Gavrilis



To benefit Scholarship Fund Join us for an unforgettable night of dancing with

The Apollo Orchestra from New York Featuring Lefteris Bournias!!

Tickets are on sale now!

Adults \$45 Children 12-Under \$20

Ticket includes appetizers and dessert

Saturday, November 13 Doors open at 8pm-2am

Saint Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church 520 S. Ponca Street Baltimore, MD 21224

For Tickets please contact: Kiki Stroumbis at 410-952-3679



KOINONIA

STEWARDSHIP PLEDGES FOR 2010

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<u>Issue month</u>: December, 2010 <u>Deadline</u>: November, 12th

You may drop your article to the church office or e-mail it to Emily Cossis at: emce3@aol.com or Maria Salpeas at: msalpeas@stnicholasmd.org

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Η 58τη ετήσια Χοροσπερίδα της Κοινότητάς μας θα γίνει στις 11 Δεκεμβρίου, στη Κοινοτική αίθουσα, από 8:00 μ.μ. έως 2:00 π.μ. Τιμή εισιτηρίου \$40 το άτομο. Στη τιμή συμπεριλαμβάνονται ποικιλία μεζεδάκια, και μουσική. Πληρώνετε το ποτό σας. Ο αριθμός των θέσεων είναι περιορισμένος γι αυτό παρακαλείστε να κλείσετε τις θέσεις σας εγκαίρως τηλεφωνώντας στους υπευθύνους κ. Γιάννη Χουσσομάλλη στο τηλ. 443-463-7147 και κ. Γιάννη Κορολόγο στο τηλ. 410-215-7675 η στο Κοινοτικό Γραφείο 410-633-5020.

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The 58th Annual

Saint Nicholas Name Day Banquet

Family Holiday Celebration

Saturday, December 11, 2010 8:00PM - 2:00AM

Large Social Hall

Cocktail hour with open bar Seat down dinner with Cash Bar **LIVE Music**

Donation will be \$40.00 per person

Chairmen for this event are **John Chrisomalis** 443-463-7147 John Korologos 410-215-7675

For table reservations call them or the church office at 410-633-5020

Seats are limited to first come first serve.

Saint Nicholas Church **Profit & Loss**

January through September 2010

January through September 20	10
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income Candles	00 700 00
Dances	63,726.00
Special events	-60.00
Total Dances	-60.00
Donations Other Donations Flowers Income Donations - General Donations - Hall Donations - Memorial Donations - Other	13,557.52 395.00 39,018.58 4,900.00 24,685.00 2,080.00
Total Donations	84,636.10
Greek Festival Greek school registration Stewardship Trays	51,955.00 24,045.00 157,263.22 15,889.00
Total Income	397,454.32
Cost of Goods Sold Candle expense Dance Expense Festival 6250 · Flowers Total COGS	12,267.00 1,003.95 9,900.00 400.00 23,570.95
Gross Profit	372 002 27
Expense	373,883.37
CAPITAL COSTS Capital Improvements Plateia Expenses	0.00 113,635.13
Total CAPITAL COSTS	113,635.13
EMPLOYEE COSTS 1099 Employees Health Insurance Organist 6560 · Payroll Expenses Payroll taxes Pension 6050 · Automobile Expense Temporary Clergy Services EMPLOYEE COSTS - Other	30.00 37,060.94 1,800.00 108,630.70 9,909.64 4,000.00 6,000.00 4,075.40 64,928.04
Total EMPLOYEE COSTS	236,434,72
GENERAL & ADMINISTRATION Advertising 6060 · Bank & Credit Card Svc Charges Church Supplies Clergy Laity Congress Flower Donations Fair Share 6260 · Gifts Insurance · General 6530 · Miscellaneous Office Expense Parade 6610 · Postage and Delivery Professional Fees Telephone GENERAL & ADMINISTRATION · Other Total GENERAL & ADMINISTRATION OCCUPANCY COSTS Mainten · Building Maintenance Cleaning Halls Ground Rent Janitor's Supplies 6940 · Utilities Total OCCUPANCY COSTS YOUTH AND EDUCATIONAL Youth Expense Scholarship	10,719.25 1,382.60 1,897.90 4,375.75 2,089.50 27,000.00 1,500.00 14,921.51 274.37 13,383.49 500.00 2,723.00 4,500.00 2,988.85 25.00 88,281.22 16,571.43 400.00 90.00 4,345.63 39,782.19 61,189.25
YOUTH AND EDUCATIONAL - Other Total YOUTH AND EDUCATIONAL	3,138.82 5,620.12
Total Expense	505,160.44
Net Ordinary Income	-131,277.07
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Exchanging Truth for a Lie

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they are amassed, kept, and finally corrupted by moth and dust (Matt 6:19). Constantly He illustrated how they were to be used for the benefit of others especially through the Church, the vehicle of God's grace through which salvation is brought into the world. Christ spoke often on how wealth and materialism can so easily separate us from God our Father. He says in Mark 10:25 that, "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of God."

Do not exchange the great truth for a lie, but rather maintain that perspective on wealth that our Lord Jesus Christ taught us. The offering that the Son of God made for us through His Blood and Body is paid back in a small but very important way through the offering that we make to Him through the Church. We need to follow His example and those of so many of his saintly followers. We need to give with our hearts, give with all our love to our fellow man and to our Church for the ministries of agape that His light through us may shine upon all the world and that salvation may continue to be brought to all of those around us.

by Chris Andreas

The preceding sermon has been provided by the Department of Stewardship Ministries of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America

As we are well aware, the St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church of New York City was destroyed on September 11, 2001 when we were attacked and the Twin Towers were brought down. The church was erected many years before the Towers were built and is still awaiting "the green light" to be rebuilt.

As an American citizen I beseech each of you to urge the authorities to expedite the process so that the St. Nicholas Church can continue its mission.

As Orthodox Christians we should do our duty by sending a letter to each of the individuals listed below to show our support for our sister church. Officials do respond to public outcries; and we need to have our voices heard.

Thank you, Eve Lallas

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Liturgical Program for the Month of November

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1—Sts. Kosmas and Damianos Unmercenaries. Orthros: 8:45 am, Divine Liturgy: 9:30 am.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7—Seventh Sunday of Luke.

Orthros: 8:45 am, Divine Liturgy: 10 am.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8—Gathering of the Archangels, Michael & Gabriel. Orthros: 8:45 am,

Divine Liturgy: 9:30 am.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9—St. Nektarios the Wonderworker. Orthros: 8:45 am, Divine Liturgy: 9:30 am. SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14—Eighth Sunday of Luke. Orthros: 8:45 am, Divine Liturgy: 10 am.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15—Holy Unction Service: 7:00 pm. Today begins the CHRISTMAS FAST: Fish is permitted on the following dates: November 15th until December 10th EXCEPT on ALL WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAYS. Meat and Dairy products are NOT PERMITTED during the Christmas Fast that ends on December 25th the FEAST of the Nativity: HAVE A WONDERFUL ADVENT PERIOD.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17: Paraklesis Service: 7:00 pm.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21—Entrance of the THEOTOKOS into the Temple. Orthros: 8:45 am,

Divine Liturgy: 10 am.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25—St. Catherine the Great Martyr & Thanksgiving Day Liturgy. Orthros: 8:45 am, Divine Liturgy: 9:30 am.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28—Thirteenth Sunday of Luke. Orthros: 8:45 am, Divine Liturgy: 10 am. TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30—St. Andrew the First Called Apostle. Orthros: 8:45 am, Divine Liturgy: 9:30

am.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER 1-15—Philoptochos Canned Food Drive **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4**—Philoptochos Annual Dinner Meeting – 6 pm. Guest Speaker: Dr. Dimitrios Kapogiannis, from Harbor Hospital. Topics on Alzheimer's and Dementia.

NOVEMBER 5, 6, 7 (Friday, Saturday & Sunday)—Annunciation Annual Greek Heritage Festival. Please support our sister parish.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7—Stewardship Sunday Luncheon – after church services.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9—Diamonds Meeting. **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13**—United Chios Society Annual Dance - 8 pm to 2 am. Large Social Hall.

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