

Announcements

In Our Prayers: Nora Bangert, Jim Beys, Tom Dubis, Seraphima Henderson, Agne Karagianis, Jean Kotakis, Michael Labis, George and Janice Paradissis, Elaine Scott, John Surgant, Sr., Elizabeth Despina Tsoussis, Chris Tsoubanos, Chris & Despina Zeris.

Prison Ministry Funds Drive: The Assumption Prison Ministry will be holding a Funds Drive during the month of February. Funds will be used to provide material support and encouragement to ex-offenders and their families as they transition from prison to becoming productive members of society. Funds are also used to help Prison Ministry efforts for those who are still in prison. Cash or checks may be given to Bill Goranitis or Diane Sieckmann. Checks can also be mailed to the Church. Make sure to mark checks "Prison Ministry."

Women's Book Study: Both the morning and evening Women's Book Study will begin again this coming Thursday, January 21 at 10:00 am at the home of Presvytera Ranae, and 7:00 pm at the home of Nina Seitz. They will be reading Alexander Schmemmann's *Great Lent: Journey to Pascha*. Copies may be purchased from the Church office for \$16. Contact Presvytera Laura Morton at 314-993-3115 for more information.

Scholarship Opportunity: The PanHellenic Scholarship Foundation is now accepting applications for the 2015/16 undergraduate scholarships. Application deadline is February 1, 2016. Visit www.panhellenicscholarships.org/apply.php for more information.

CrossRoad 2016 Summer Program: The CrossRoad Summer Institute is an engaging 10-day program for high school juniors and seniors at Hellenic College Holy Cross, where students study Orthodox Christianity, pray as a community, form lifelong friendships, engage in service and prepare for their future. There are two sessions offered: June 18 - 28, 2016 and July 5 - 15, 2015. Deadline is February 1, 2016. Online application at www.crossroadinsitute.org.

Heritage Greece 2016: A two-week cultural and educational immersion experience for Greek American college students, aged 18-26. This is a gift to successful applicants from the National Hellenic Society. This year's program will be held from June 9 - June 26, 2016. The application deadline is March 25, 2016. For more information, and to apply online, please visit <http://www.acg.edu/admissions/study-abroad/heritage-greece>.

Ionian Village Summer 2016: Ionian Village has announced their 2016 program dates. Spiritual Odyssey for 19 - 24 year-olds: June 1 - June 12; Summer Camp session one: June 19 - July 8; Summer Camp session two: July 17 - August 5. Visit www.ionianvillage.org for more information. Registration opens March 1.

AHEPA Scholarship: The St. Louis AHEPA Chapter 53 Scholarship Foundation is now accepting applications for 2016. Please email bdpappas@yahoo.com for an application. All materials must be in the hands of the foundation by April 15, with no exceptions granted.

Work & Travel Group Summer Housing: 20 Serbian Orthodox students who will be working at McDonalds at 101 Lamp and Lantern Lane in Chesterfield need housing from May 1 - Oct 1, 2016. They will need to be able to either bike or take a bus to their job. Please contact Charles Cather at charles.cather@workandtravelgroup.com or visit their website at www.workandtravelgroup.com if you are interested in hosting one of these young people.

Please return your old Church calendars to the Church office or burn the icons. Also, please return your old glass Holy Water bottles to the Church office. Thank you!

Sunday Bulletin January 17, 2016



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Welcome to all our visitors.

Welcome to the Assumption Greek Orthodox Church. We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today. It is our hope that your visit here will bring you many blessings from God and that you will visit with us again soon.
Please join us for coffee hour in the Church Hall.

12th Sunday of Luke

Epistle Reading: St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews 13:17-21

Gospel Reading: Luke 17:12-19

At that time, as Jesus entered a village, He was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance and lifted up their voices and said: "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." When He saw them He said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; and he fell on his face at Jesus's feet, giving Him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. Then said Jesus: "Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" And He said to him: "Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

Memorials & Trisagia

January 17

6-year Memorial in honor of Steve (Stergios) Evangelopoulos, husband of Sofia Evangelopoulos, father of Van Evangelopoulos, Lisa Evangelopoulos, and Stephanie Vojcic.

40-day Memorial for Angelo Palladino, son of Stella Palladino, brother of James Palladino and Kathy Palladino

16-year Memorial for George Palladino, husband of Stella Palladino, father of James Palladino, Angelo Palladino, and Kathy Palladino

January 24

1-year Memorial for Katherine Dubis, daughter of Chris & Tracy Dubis, sister of Nick Dubis, grand daughter of Tom & Magda Dubis, and niece of Effie Dubis

11-year Memorial for Androniki Harisis, mother of Magda Dubis and Gus Harisis

25-year Memorial for Christos Harisis, father of Magda Dubis and Gus Harisis

Trisagion for Theodosios Dubis, father of Tom Dubis

Trisagion for Eftalia Dubis, mother of Tom Dubis

3-year Memorial for Gus (Constantinos) Dubis, father of Maria Dubis and Ted Dubis

5-year Memorial for Georgia Dubis, mother of Maria Dubis and Ted Dubis

5-year Memorial for Evangelos Joumpas, brother-in-law of Elpitha Zoumbas, uncle of Jim Zoumbas

1-year Prayer for Doris Burns, friend of Jim Zoumbas

February 7

17-year Trisagion for Mary Labis, wife of Mike Labis

Feb 28

1-year Memorial for Mark Daniel (Danny) Taylor, husband of Stephanie Taylor, father of Daine, Mikail, Achilles, and Ares Taylor

March 27

1-year Memorial for Kaliope Lontos, mother of Harriet Lontos and Mary (Gary) Charipar

4-year Memorial for Michael Lontos, father of Harriet Lontos and Mary (Gary) Charipar

April 3

1-year Memorial for Jordan Gabriel Sadaka, son of Farid and Anna Sadaka

April 17

1-year Memorial for Helen Papavramides, mother of Bessie (Taki) Theodorou, Frank (Lynn) Papavramides, Agnes Willis, and Jinny Murray

4-year Memorial for Stergios Papavramides, father of Bessie (Taki) Theodorou, Frank (Lynn) Papavramides, Agnes Willis, and Jinny Murray

Calendar of Events

Sunday, Jan 17:

St Anthony the Great

8:30 am Orthros

9:45 am Divine Liturgy & Sunday School

12:00 pm Philoptochos Meeting

Monday, Jan 18:

Saints Athanasios and Cyril, Patriarchs of Alexandria

9:00 am Orthros

10:00 am Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, Jan 19:

Saint Makarios the Great of Egypt; Martyr Mertios

8:30 am Orthros

5:45 pm Greek School

6:30 pm Vespers

7:20 pm Bible Study

Wednesday, Jan 20:

Saint Eftymios the Great

9:00 am Orthros

10:00 am Divine Liturgy

2:00 pm Kafenio

Thursday, Jan 21:

Saint Maximos the Confessor; Martyr Neophytos

8:30 am Orthros

9:30 am Divine Liturgy

10:00 am Women's Morning Book Study at the home of Presvytera Ranae

7:00 pm Women's Evening Book Study at the home of Nina Seitz

Friday, Jan 22:

Saint Timothy of the 70; Martyr Anastasios the Persian

8:30 am Orthros

11:00 am - 2:00 pm Friday Luncheon

7:00 pm GOYA Lock-in at Church

Saturday, Jan 23:

Hieromartyr Clement of Ancyra; Martyr Agathangelos

12:00 pm Philoptochos Membership Drive in the Philoptochos Room

5:00 pm Great Vespers

6:00 pm Jr GOYA at Skyzone in Fenton

Sunday, Jan 24:

Saint Xenia, Deaconess of Rome; Hieromartyr Babylas

8:30 am Orthros

9:45 am Divine Liturgy & Sunday School

*If you did not make it to Holy Confession during the Nativity Fast,
please call your Spiritual Father to schedule time to go to Holy Confession.*

Please contact one of the priests if you would like to have your house or business blessed.