

Announcements

Coffee Hour today is sponsored by the family of Marika Kriqi

In Our Prayers: Nora Bangert, Tom Dubis, Seraphima Henderson, Jean Kotakis, Michael Labis, George and Janice Paradissis, Elaine Scott, Elizabeth Despina Tsoussis, Chris & Despina Zeris.

Fr. Athinagoras Loukataris from Faros Tou Kosmou in Thessalaniki, Greece, will be visiting Assumption Church on Sunday, July 3rd. Please welcome him during coffee hour.

Donations Needed: We are sponsoring a booth for Faros Tou Kosmou at the Clergy/Laity Congress this week in Nashville. We need donations for the business cards (\$75), flyers (\$500), an observer packet and event tickets (\$200), and items for the booth including electricity (\$250). Please make checks out to Assumption Church and write "Clergy/Laity Booth" in memo line.

Missing: Fr. Joseph has misplaced a black robe. If anyone knows where it is, please call the office at 314-966-2255. Thank you!

Monastery Pilgrimage: The Assumption Ladies Philoptochos is sponsoring a trip to the Monastery of St. John Chrysostomos in Pleasant Prairie, WI, Friday, October 21- Sunday, October 23. The \$70 cost includes transportation and meals at the monastery. Please bring spending money for meals and snacks for the bus trip or purchases at the Monastery. Payment needed by August 31st to hold reservations. Meet at the Church at 11:30 am. Checks payable to Assumption Church. Questions, call 314-966-2255.

Orthodox Young Professionals Conference: August 18 - 21 in New Orleans, LA. A weekend of spiritual growth and fellowship with other young adults: people beyond the college years navigating through the daily struggles of life as an Orthodox Christian in their mid-twenties through thirties. Attended by His Eminence Metropolitan Joseph and keynote speaker, Archdeacon Saed Rihani, with workshop speaker Jacob Saylor. For more information and to register online go to www.oypc2016.com.

July 3: Our Father among the Saints Anatolius, Archbishop of Constantinople

Saint Anatolius was a priest from Alexandria, who had been ordained deacon and perhaps also priest by Saint Cyril, Archbishop of Alexandria. In 449, at the Robber Council of Ephesus, Saint Cyril's infamous successor, the violent Dioscorus, unlawfully deposed Flavian, the Patriarch of Constantinople and opponent of the Monophysite Eutyches; Flavian, from the beatings which he received, died soon after. Dioscorus, thinking that the priest Anatolius would support him, consecrated him Patriarch of Constantinople in Saint Flavian's stead. After he had been consecrated by Dioscorus - who at that time had not yet been deposed - Anatolius united with the Orthodox; before the Council of Chalcedon in 451, he held a council of the Bishops in Constantinople, at which the Orthodox "Tome" of Pope Leo, which Dioscorus had not allowed to be read at the Robber Council, was read and approved; and at the Council of Chalcedon in 451 he condemned Nestorius, Eutyches, and, for his unlawful actions, Dioscorus. Saint Anatolius reposed in the year 458.

Some ascribe to this Anatolius the hymns of Vespers and the Praises in the Octoechos that are labelled Anatolian Stichera; but others (which may be more correct), to another with the same name, who was from the Monastery of Studium, and a disciple of Saint Theodore the Studite, whose epistle to this Anatolius is still extant.

The Great Horologion or Book of Hours, Trans. Holy Transfiguration Monastery. Holy Transfiguration Monastery Press, Brookline, MA, 1997.

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Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον. Ἦχος α΄.

Τοῦ λίθου σφραγισθέντος ὑπὸ τῶν Ἰουδαίων,
καὶ στρατιωτῶν φυλασσόντων τὸ ἄχραντόν σου
Σῶμα, ἀνέστης τριήμερος Σωτήρ, δωρούμενος
τῷ κόσμῳ τὴν ζωὴν· διὰ τοῦτο αἱ Δυνάμεις τῶν
οὐρανῶν ἐβόων σοι ζωοδότα. Δόξα τῇ
Ἀναστάσει σου Χριστέ, δόξα τῇ βασιλείᾳ σου,
δόξα τῇ οἰκονομίᾳ σου, μόνε φιλόνητο.

Resurrectional Apolytikion, Mode 1

The stone had been secured with a seal by the
Judeans, and a guard of soldiers was watching
Your immaculate body. You rose on the third
day, O Lord and Savior, granting life unto the
world. And therefore the powers of heaven
cried to You, O Lifegiver: Glory to Your
resurrection, O Christ; glory to Your kingdom;
glory to Your dispensation, only One who loves
mankind.

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.

Sunday of All Saints

Epistle Reading: St. Paul's Letter to the Romans 2:10-16

Brethren, glory and honor and peace for every one who does good, the Jew first and also the Greek. For God shows no partiality. All who have sinned without the law will also perish without the law, and all who have sinned under the law will be judged by the law. For it is not the hearers of the law who are righteous before God, but the doers of the law who will be justified. When Gentiles who have not the law do by nature what the law requires, they are a law to themselves, even though they do not have the law. They show that what the law requires is written on their hearts, while their conscience also bears witness and their conflicting thoughts accuse or perhaps excuse them on that day when, according to my gospel, God judges the secrets of men by Christ Jesus.

Gospel Reading: Matthew 4:18-23

At that time, as Jesus walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon who is called Peter and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea; for they were fishermen. And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." Immediately they left their nets and followed him. And going on from there he saw two other brothers, James the son of Zebedee and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left their boat and their father, and followed him. And he went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and preaching the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every infirmity among the people.

Apolytikion of Martyr Hyacinth & Companions in the Fourth Tone

Ο Μάρτυς σου Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἀθλήσει αὐτοῦ, τό στέφος εκομίσατο τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν, ἔχων γάρ τὴν ἰσχύν σου, τοὺς τυράννους καθεῖλεν, ἔθραυσε καὶ δαιμόνων, τὰ ἀνίσχυρα θράση, αὐτοῦ ταῖς κεσῖαις Χριστέ, σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Thy Martyr, O Lord, in his courageous contest for Thee received the prize of the crowns of incorruption and life from Thee, our immortal God. For since he possessed Thy strength, he cast down the tyrants and wholly destroyed the demons' strengthless presumption. O Christ God, by his prayers, save our souls, since Thou art merciful.

Memorials & Trisagia

July 3

9-day Trisagion for Mallory Elia Smith, daughter of Denyce (Richard) Serkin
1-year Memorial for Marika Kriqi, mother of Edlira (Arban Ndriollari) Kriqi and Roland Kriqi
Reposed Hierarchs of the Russian Church Outside Russia

July 10

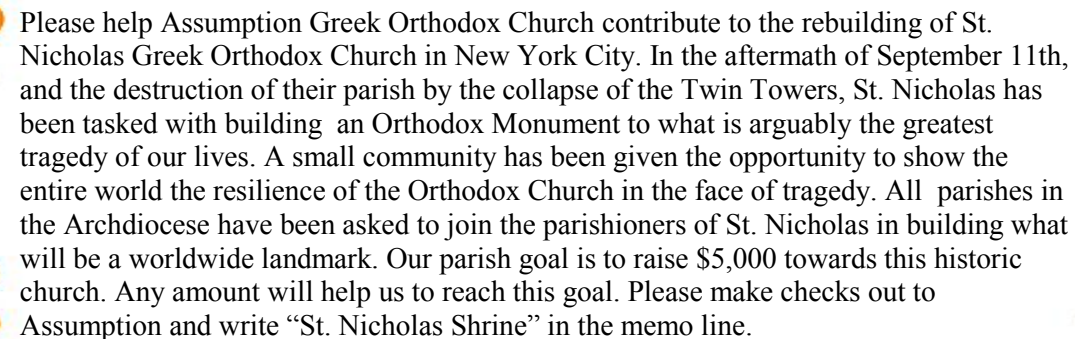
40-day Memorial for Agni Karagiannis, wife of Harry Karagiannis, mother of Tim (Jill) Karagiannis, Michael (Kate) Karagiannis, Steve (Krisanthe) Karagiannis, and John Karagiannis
40-day Memorial for John Surgant Sr., father of John (Carol) Surgant and Ted (Carolyn) Surgant
5-year Memorial for Gregory Pappas, husband of Patricia Pappas, father of Teresa (Tim) Willyard and Peter (Eleni) Pappas

July 24

40-day James (Demetrios) Beys, husband of Eleftheria Beys, father of Vicki (Jim) Palmer, Dimitra Beys, and Sam (Gretchyn) Beys.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, July 3:	St. Hyacinth of Caesarea; St. Anatolios, Patriarch of Constantinople 8:30 am Orthros 9:45 am Divine Liturgy
Monday, July 4:	Independence Day - Church Office Closed
Tuesday, July 5:	St. Athanasios of Mount Athos; St. Lampadus the Wonderworker 8:30 am Orthros 6:30 Vespers
Wednesday, July 6:	St. Sisoës the Great; Sts. Archippus, Philemon, Onesimus (fast day) 8:30 am Orthros 2:00 pm Kafenio
Thursday, July 7:	St. Thomas of Maleon; St. Kyriaki the Great Martyr 8:30 am Orthros 9:30 am Divine Liturgy
Friday, July 8:	Prokopios the Great Martyr; Theophilios the Myrrhbearer (fast day) 8:30 am Orthros 11:00 am - 2:00 pm Friday Luncheon
Saturday, July 9:	Pancratios, Bishop of Sicily; Dionysios the Orator 5:00 pm Great Vespers
Sunday, July 10:	45 Martyrs of Nikopolis, Armenia; Martyr Apollonios 8:30 am Orthros 9:45 am Divine Liturgy



Please help Assumption Greek Orthodox Church contribute to the rebuilding of St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church in New York City. In the aftermath of September 11th, and the destruction of their parish by the collapse of the Twin Towers, St. Nicholas has been tasked with building an Orthodox Monument to what is arguably the greatest tragedy of our lives. A small community has been given the opportunity to show the entire world the resilience of the Orthodox Church in the face of tragedy. All parishes in the Archdiocese have been asked to join the parishioners of St. Nicholas in building what will be a worldwide landmark. Our parish goal is to raise \$5,000 towards this historic church. Any amount will help us to reach this goal. Please make checks out to Assumption and write "St. Nicholas Shrine" in the memo line.