

**GREEK
ORTHODOX CHURCH
OF GREATER SALT LAKE**



OCTOBER 3, 2021
THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LUKE
+ ST. DIONYSIOS THE AREOPAGITE

**THE DIVINE LITURGY
OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM**



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Chris Sakellariou
Shawn Trujillo



THIS WEEK'S EVENTS



MONDAY, OCT. 4

Girl Scouts

6:30pm-8:00pm @ PE Sm. Gym

Parish Council Meeting:

6:30pm @ HT

TUESDAY, OCT. 5:

Mannos Funeral

10:00am @ PE

Greek School

6:30 pm-8:00pm @ PE

Philoptochos Meeting

6:30pm @ PE

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 6:

Catechism Class.

7:00pm-8:30pm @ HT Hall (Carpet)

Boy Scouts

6:30pm-8:00pm @ PE Sm. Gym

THURSDAY, SEPT. 7:

YAL Basketball Tourney

6:00pm - 11:00pm @ PE Lg. Gym

Greek School

6:30pm-8:00pm @ PE

FRIDAY, OCT. 8:

Nothing Scheduled

SATURDAY, OCT. 9:

Greek School

10:00am-1:00pm @ HT

SUNDAY, OCT. 10: 3rd Sunday of Luke

Orthros:

9:00am @ HT ONLY

Divine Liturgy:

10:00am @ HT ONLY

Community Makaria Luncheon

after service

Jacob O'Rourke Baptism

2:00 pm @ HT

ST. DIONYSIOS THE AREOPAGITE



This Saint was from Athens, a learned man, and a member of the famous judicial court of Mars Hill (in Greek Aros Pagos, hence the name Areopagite (see Acts 17:19-34). When Saint Paul preached in Athens, he was one of the first there to believe in Christ, and, according to some, became the first bishop of that city. Others say -- and this may be more probable--that he was the second Bishop of Athens, after Saint Hierotheus, whom Dionysios calls his friend and teacher "after Paul" (On the Divine Names, 3:2). With Saint Hierotheus he was also present at the Dormition of the most holy Theotokos; the Doxasticon of the Aposticha for the service of the Dormition is partly taken from a passage in Chapter III of On the Divine Names. According to ancient tradition, he received a martyr's end (according to some, in Athens itself) about the year 96.



MEMORIALS



TODAY
AT HOLY TRINITY

Gregoria (Greg) Korologos:	6-Month Memorial
Pantelis (Panteli) Pantelides:	6-Month Memorial
George Chichis:	1-Year Memorial
(Coffee hour sponsored by the Tsortanidis, Chichis, and Hunter Family)	
Irene Vanikiotis:	1-Year Memorial
Efstathia (Stathoula) Kordopatis:	10-Year Memorial
Vasilios Kordopatis:	11-Year Memorial

SUNDAY, OCT. 10
AT HOLY TRINITY

Christian Timothy:	40-Day Memorial
John Calevas:	1-Year Memorial
Alex Miller:	6-Year Memorial
Dimitra (Jamie) Votsis-Paulos:	9-Year Memorial
Helen Pappas:	23-Year Memorial
Steve Pappas:	27-Year Memorial

Memorial for all who passed since March 2020

SUNDAY, OCT. 17
AT PROPHET ELIAS

Angelo Sylleloglou:	40-Day Memorial
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MAY THEIR MEMORY BE ETERNAL

ΥΜΝΟΙ ΤΗΣ ΗΜΕΡΑΣ

Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον

Ἦχος πλ. β΄

Ἀγγελικαὶ δυνάμεις ἐπὶ τὸ μνήμά σου, καὶ οἱ φυλάσσοντες ἀπενεκρώθησαν, καὶ ἴστατο Μαρία ἐν τῷ τάφῳ, ζητοῦσα τὸ ἄχραντόν σου σῶμα. Ἐσκύλευσας τὸν Ἄδην, μὴ πειρασθεὶς ὑπ’ αὐτοῦ, ὑπήντησας τῇ Παρθένῳ, δωρούμενος τὴν ζωὴν, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Ἀπολυτίκιον τοῦ Ἱερομάρτυρος

Ἦχος δ΄

Χρηστότητα ἐκδιδαχθεὶς, καὶ νήφων ἐν πᾶσιν, ἀγαθὴν συνείδησιν ἱεροπρεπῶς ἐνδυσάμενος, ἤντησας ἐκ τοῦ σκεύους τῆς ἐκλογῆς τὰ ἀπόρρητα, καὶ τὴν πίστιν τηρήσας, τὸν ἴσον δρόμον τετέλεκας, Ἱερομάρτυς Διονύσιε. Πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Ἀπολυτίκιον Πεντηκοστής

Ἦχος πλ. δ΄

Εὐλογητός εἶ Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν ὁ πανσόφος τοὺς ἀλιεῖς ἀναδειξας καταπέμψας αὐτοῖς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον καὶ δι’ αὐτῶν τὴν οἰκουμένην σαγηνεύσας φιλάνθρωπε δόξα σοι.

Ἀπολυτίκιον Προφήτου Ηλίου

Ἦχος δ΄

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

Κοντάκιον

Ἦχος β΄

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε, μὴ παρίδης, ἀμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθὴ, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶν κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἰκεσίαν, ἢ προστατεύουσα ἀεὶ, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.



HYMNS OF THE DAY



Resurrectional Apolytikion

Plagal 2nd Mode

When the angelic powers appeared at Your grave, the soldiers guarding it feared and became as dead. And standing by the sepulcher was Mary who was seeking Your immaculate body. You devastated Hades, not afflicted by it. You went to meet the virgin, and granted eternal life. You resurrected from the dead. O Lord, glory to You.

Apolytikion of the Hieromartyr

4th Mode

Having learnt kindness, and being always steady and sober, vested with a good conscience as befits a priest, you drew out from the Chosen Vessel the secrets of God. And having kept the faith, you have finished the fair race, O Hieromartyr Dionysius. Intercede with Christ our God, entreating Him to save our souls.

Apolytikion of Pentecost

Plagal 4th Mode

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

4th Mode

The incarnate Angel, the Cornerstone of the Prophets, the second Forerunner of the Coming of Christ, the glorious Elias, 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

2nd Mode

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: Σῶσον, Κύριε, τὸν λαόν σου καὶ
εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου.

Στίχος: Πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, κεκράξομαι, ὁ Θεός μου.

Πρὸς Κορινθίους Β' Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

(4:6-15)

Αδελφοί, ὁ Θεὸς ὁ εἰπών, ἐκ σκότους φῶς λάμπαι, ὁ ἔλαμψεν ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ἡμῶν πρὸς φωτισμὸν τῆς γνώσεως τῆς δόξης τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐν προσώπῳ Χριστοῦ. Ἔχομεν δὲ τὸν θησαυρὸν τοῦτον ἐν ὀστρακίνοις σκεύεσιν, ἵνα ἡ ὑπερβολὴ τῆς δυνάμεως ἧ τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ μὴ ἐξ ἡμῶν· ἐν παντὶ θλιβόμενοι ἀλλ' οὐ στενοχωρούμενοι, ἀπορούμενοι ἀλλ' οὐκ ἐξαπορούμενοι, διωκόμενοι ἀλλ' οὐκ ἐγκαταλειπόμενοι, καταβαλλόμενοι ἀλλ' οὐκ ἀπολλύμενοι, πάντοτε τὴν νέκρωσιν τοῦ Ἰησοῦ ἐν τῷ σώματι περιφέροντες, ἵνα καὶ ἡ ζωὴ τοῦ Ἰησοῦ ἐν τῷ σώματι ἡμῶν φανερωθῇ. Αἰεὶ γὰρ ἡμεῖς οἱ ζῶντες εἰς θάνατον παραδιδόμεθα διὰ Ἰησοῦν, ἵνα καὶ ἡ ζωὴ τοῦ Ἰησοῦ φανερωθῇ ἐν τῇ θνητῇ σαρκὶ ἡμῶν. Ὡστε ὁ θάνατος ἐν ἡμῖν ἐνεργεῖται, ἡ δὲ ζωὴ ἐν ὑμῖν. Ἔχοντες δὲ τὸ αὐτὸ πνεῦμα τῆς πίστεως, κατὰ τὸ γεγραμμένον, Ἐπίστευσα, διὸ ἐλάλησα, καὶ ἡμεῖς πιστεύομεν, διὸ καὶ λαλοῦμεν, εἰδότες ὅτι ὁ ἐγείρας τὸν Κύριον Ἰησοῦν καὶ ἡμᾶς σὺν Ἰησοῦ ἐγερεῖ καὶ παραστήσει σὺν ὑμῖν. Τὰ γὰρ πάντα δι' ὑμᾶς, ἵνα ἡ χάρις πλεονάσασα διὰ τῶν πλειόνων τὴν εὐχαριστίαν περισσεύσῃ εἰς τὴν δόξαν τοῦ Θεοῦ.





THE EPISTLE



Prokeimenon: O Lord, save Your people, and
bless Your inheritance.

Verse: To You, O Lord, I cry; O my God.

The reading is from Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians.

(4:6-15)

Brethren, it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ. But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, to show that the transcendent power belongs to God and not to us. We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be manifested in our bodies. For while we live we are always being given up to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus may be manifested in our mortal flesh. So death is at work in us, but life in you. Since we have the same spirit of faith as he had who wrote, "I believed, and so I spoke," we too believed, and so we speak, knowing that He who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into His presence. For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.



ΤΟ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΝ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

(6:31-36)

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος· Καθὼς θέλετε ἵνα ποιῶσιν ὑμῖν οἱ ἄνθρωποι, καὶ ὑμεῖς ποιεῖτε αὐτοῖς ὁμοίως. καὶ εἰ ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας ὑμᾶς, ποία ὑμῖν χάρις ἐστί; καὶ γὰρ οἱ ἁμαρτωλοὶ τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας αὐτοὺς ἀγαπῶσι. καὶ ἐὰν ἀγαθοποιῆτε τοὺς ἀγαθοποιούντας ὑμᾶς, ποία ὑμῖν χάρις ἐστί; καὶ γὰρ οἱ ἁμαρτωλοὶ τὸ αὐτὸ ποιοῦσι. καὶ ἐὰν δανείζητε παρ' ὧν ἐλπίζετε ἀπολαβεῖν, ποία ὑμῖν χάρις ἐστί; καὶ γὰρ ἁμαρτωλοὶ ἁμαρτωλοῖς δανείζουσιν ἵνα ἀπολάβωσι τὰ ἴσα. πλὴν ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἐχθροὺς ὑμῶν καὶ ἀγαθοποιεῖτε καὶ δανείζετε μηδὲν ἀπελπίζοντες, καὶ ἔσται ὁ μισθὸς ὑμῶν πολὺς, καὶ ἔσεσθε υἱοὶ ὑψίστου, ὅτι αὐτὸς χρηστός ἐστίν ἐπὶ τοὺς ἀχαρίστους καὶ πονηροὺς. Γίνεσθε οὖν οἰκτίρμονες καθὼς καὶ ὁ πατὴρ ὑμῶν οἰκτίρμων ἐστίν.





THE GOSPEL



The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Luke
(6:31-36)

The Lord said, "And as you wish that men would do to you, do so to them. If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the selfish. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful."





MEMORIAL & MAKARIA



The past 18 months have upended our lives and rewritten the way we operate in our personal lives, and in the life of our parish community. Perhaps one of the most profound changes has been our inability to gather to bury our brothers and sister who have fallen asleep in the Lord.

As an attempt at reclaiming our role in keeping the memory of our departed "eternal," on **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10** we will gather at **Holy Trinity** as a united community - to share in the Divine Liturgy together, and then to chant the memorial for our more than 50 members who've passed to life eternal since March of last year.

At the completion of the divine services, we will share in a communal makaria next door, sponsored by the Parish Council. A long table will be available for families to bring a few photos, flowers, etc. for their loved ones.

Please RSVP to Maria in the church office if you plan on attending the Makaria, so that we can prepare appropriately.

**Please call the Church Office with the names of any parishioners for whom a Church Funeral was not celebrated this past year, due to Covid concerns, as we do not have records of them.

BAPTISM OF LUCAS O'ROURKE



Presvytera Jessica and Fr. Patrick are overjoyed to invite the entire parish community to the baptism of their son, Lucas Alexander, at **2:00pm on Sunday October 10**, at Holy Trinity (following the community makaria).

Please do not bring a gift! Instead, please consider making a donation to our St. Sophia Hellenic Orthodox School.



SURPLUS FOOD SALE



Fantis Gold Greek Coffee	\$5.00/package
Nescafe	\$11.00/can
Ouzo Candies	\$6.00/package
Hilopites	\$2.00/package
Pastichio Macaroni	\$1.00/package
Orzo	\$2.00/package
Thick Semolina	\$2.00/package
Fine Semolina	\$2.00/package
Sour Cherry Preserves	\$5.00 each
Olive Oil Rusks	\$5.00/package
Oregano	\$4.00/package
Vanilla Halva	\$2.00 each
Almond Halva	\$2.00 each
1/2 lb Halva log - Pistachio	\$20.00 each
1/2 lb Halva log - Almond	\$20.00 each
Chicken Souvlaki (Package of 20)	\$20.00/package
Gyro Meat	\$30.00/case (12 cases)
Calamari	\$50/case (11 cases)
Meatballs (Package of 12)	\$10.00/package
Fix beer	\$50.00/case (4 cases)

Old Items from 2019 Festival

Orzo	\$1.00 each
Gigantes (baked giant beans)	\$2.00 each

****All items must be picked up within 48hrs of purchase, and**
are available on a first-come-first-served basis. Call the church
office to check availability. Payment can be made via credit card.**

AXIOS & CONGRATULATIONS

to ARCHON-ELECT Dr. DEMETRIOS (TYKIE) SKEDROS



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Archons of the Ecumenical Patriarchate in America

whose candidacy to become an Archon of the Ecumenical Patriarchate of the Order of St. Andrew has been approved! Archon-Elect Demetrios will be invested at the Archdiocesan Cathedral of the Holy Trinity in NYC on Sunday, October 31st during Archon Weekend. This year's Archon Investiture of the 2020 & 2021 Classes will be even more special as it will be presided by His All Holiness Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew himself as he will be making his 3rd Apostolic Visit to the United States from October 23-November 3, 2021.

An Archon is recognized by His All Holiness Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew for his outstanding service to the Church, and a well-known distinguished, and well-respected leader of the Orthodox Christian community. Those selected to serve as Archons have demonstrated a commitment greater than average toward the stewardship of time, talent and treasure for the betterment of the Church, Parish, Metropolis, Archdiocese, Ecumenical Patriarchate and the community as a whole.

We wholeheartedly congratulate Dr. Skedros upon his election as an Archon of the Ecumenical Patriarchate and pray for God's continued blessings upon him and his lovely family. Dr. Skedros joins our parish's "Senior" Archon Nicholas Bapis in representing our historic community. We look forward to having more stewards of our parish nominated for this special honor in the future!



ALTAR SERVERS



Calling all boys ages 10-18!

Fr. George and Fr. Patrick invite you back to service around the Holy Altar table. There is no experience necessary, but those of you with experience will be especially valuable to train our newer servers "on-the-job."

As a reminder, all altar servers must wear a mask while serving.

We look forward to serving with you again, very soon!

DALLAS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT



We have heard from the Metropolis that we are planning to resume the annual basketball tournament JAN. 14-17, 2022!

Calling all coaches and players, please begin considering whether you'll participate this year, and keep an eye out for further communications and details.

ADULT CONVERSATIONAL GREEK



	Tuesday/Thursday	Saturday
Beginner	5:00-6:30 pm	10:00-1:00pm
Intermediate	6:30-8:00 pm	11:00-2:00pm

Tuition: \$250/parish steward, or \$300/non-stewards

REGISTRATION STILL OPEN!



ANNOUNCEMENTS



- **CATECHISM:**

We had 42 Students at our introduction class! It is never too late to start, and the class is open to EVERYONE! Next class meets in the Memorial Building at HT next Wednesday, Oct. 6. See you there!

- **YOUNG AT HEART: ON THE ROAD!**

The Young at Heart will be going to Wendover on Saturday October 9. Leave Prophet Elias 8:30 Memorial Hall 9:00 cost \$20. RSVP with Bill Rekouniotis (801) 673-0424 or Bill Chaus (801) 573-3348.

Next Luncheon is OCTOBER 14.

- **THANKSGIVING DINNER - Save the Date:**

We are excited to announce that our annual Thanksgiving Dinner will resume this year, with Yanni Armaou as chairman, on NOVEMBER 25. Mark your calendars and tell your friends!

- **THEOLOGY ON TAP!**

A ministry of our YAL, but open to anyone who'd like to come, we'll gather at a local pub to eat and drink together, and share in casual discussion on our Orthodox Christian faith, led by our clergy. Our first gathering will be on October 16. We'll announce the location next week.

For more information, please reach out to Fr. Patrick at (419) 234-3632