

THE ANNUNCIATION

GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

A Warm Welcome to Priest Jeff and Prebytera Alice Abell!

Second Sunday of Matthew/The Holy Martyrs of China

Sunday, June 10, 2018

Rev. Fr. Joseph Gingrich, Parish Priest

Altar Boys

All Available

Ushers On Duty 5

Epistle Reading

Romans 2:10-16

Gospel Reading

Matthew 4:18-23

TODAY'S DIVINE LITURGY HYMNS AND SCRIPTURE READINGS:

RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION IN THE FIRST MODE

When the stone had been sealed by the Jews and the soldiers were guarding Thine immaculate Body, Thou didst arise on the third day, O Saviour, granting life unto the world. Wherefore, the powers of the Heavens cried out to Thee, O Lifegiver: Glory to Thy Resurrection, O Christ. Glory to Thy Kingdom. Glory to Thy dispensation, O only Friend of man.

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 Φιλάνθρωπε.

DISMISSAL HYMN FOR THE ANNUNCIATION IN THE FOURTH MODE

On this day when our salvation is crowned for eternity, and the revelation of the mystery of the ages, with Divine Grace the Son of God becomes the Virgin's Son, and Gabriel's good tidings proclaim the news, for this we rejoice in song unto the Holy Theotokos, Hail to You who are filled with Grace, the Lord is with You.

Σήμερον της σωτηρίας ημών το κεφάλαιον και του απ' αιώνας μυστηρίου η φανέρωσις, Ο Υιός του Θεού, Υιός της Παρθένου γίνεται, και Γαβριήλ την χάριν ευαγγελίζεται. Διό και ημείς συν αυτώ τη Θεοτόκω βοήσωμεν. Χαιρε, κεχαριτωμένη, ο Κύριος μετά σου.

SEASONAL KONTAKION IN THE SECOND MODE

O Protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, mediation unto the creator most constant: O despise not the voices of those who have sinned; but be quick, O good one, to come unto our aid, who in faith cry unto thee: Hasten to intercession and speed thou to make supplication, O thou who dost ever protect, O Theotokos, them that honor thee.

Προσασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε. Μὴ παρίδης ἀμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθή, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἱκεσίαν, ἢ προστατεύουσα ἀεὶ, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.

EPISTLE READING

PRIEST: Let us attend.

READER: Let your mercy, O Lord, be upon us. Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous.

PRIEST: Wisdom

READER: The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Romans 2:10-16.

PRIEST: Let us attend.

READER: 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.

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.

SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 2018

MATINS AND DIVINE LITURGY

8:15 AM

40 DAY BLESSING: Kaitlyn Kordalis and son Panagiotis

MEMORIALS: +Georgia Pappas 40 days

The Memorial Service is found on page 164 of the Burgundy Divine Liturgy books

Altar Flowers are given in loving memory of +Nick Argeros by Venetia Bramlage and family and Ted Argeroplos and family.

Fellowship Coffee Hour is provided by Keith, Maria, Stephanie and Georgia McFarland in loving memory of their mother and Yiayia +Georgia Pappas. Coffee Hour is being hosted by GOYA.

MEETING AND EVENT SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 11TH

Wed.	13th Marian Prayer	3:00 pm	Church
	Choir Practice	6:30 pm	Church

EXTEND, O LORD, YOUR MERCY AND PROTECTION UPON YOUR SERVANTS

Please pray for the health and salvation of your brothers and sisters in Christ during today's Divine Liturgy and throughout the week: ***Konstantinos Haritos, Mary Saloom, Mike Mokas, Katherine Xidas, Magdeline Tisinger, Peter Mihalislis, Elli Bambakidis, Stephanie Michaelson, Mary Leakas, Maria Polychronis, Alex Gounaris, Athie Zavakos, Stephen Fricioni, John Wagner, Marilyn Lusa and Cynthia Yonts***

FROM FR. JOSEPH

-Member in Good Standing. In order to serve as a sponsor or koumbaro/koumbara at a Sacrament of the Church one must be a pledged member of our parish for 2018 according to the **Uniform Parish Regulations** of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America. **Section 18** of the **UPR** states: *"At a minimum, a parishioner in good standing must: be current in his or her stewardship and other financial obligations to the Parish, abide by all the regulations herein stated and the Parish Bylaws; and cooperate in every way for the welfare and well being of the Parish."*

-Morality Classes. The Morality Seminar for Juniors and Seniors is being moved to October 20th, 2018 and May 11, 2019.

-Vacation Church School. Vacation Church School will take place at St. Paul's Orthodox Church Monday, June 25 to Friday, June 29 from 9:00 AM to 12:40 PM. Ages are 5 to 11. Registrations and information are on the glass kiosk as you enter the community center. Please turn your child's registration into my exterior mailbox today. For additional information call Heather Weiss at (937) 397-5026. This will be a lot of fun and I will be active in it if our children sign up.

-Apostle's Fast. The Apostle's Fast takes place from June 4 to June 29. For anyone wishing to keep the traditional fast no meat, fish, eggs, dairy products, or alcohol are to be consumed on June 6, 13, 15, 20, 22, and 27. Fish and alcohol are permissible on all other days of the Apostle's Fast while meat, eggs, and dairy products continue to not be consumed according to the fulness of our fasting tradition. Our rule of fasting, to be sure, is not intended to be a "straight-jacket" for Orthodox Christians, nor a source of pharisaical pride for anyone who keeps the fulness of the Church's fasting discipline. It is rather the rule, the standard, against which each is to measure his own practice, and towards which we individually must always strive, according to our strength and circumstances. Whenever, for sickness or any other reason, one falls short of the rule, he applies to himself the spiritual medicine of self-reproach and strives to enter more fully into the spirit and discipline of fasting, which is indeed of great spiritual benefit to those who sincerely strive to follow it.



Park Days Schedule

Please join us for park dates every Thursday this summer.
 Early birds will arrive around 9 am and many will bring a packed lunch.
 In case of rain, cancellations will be posted by 8:15 am in the St. Paul Facebook page:
[facebook.com/St.Paul.Orthodox.Dayton.Ohio/](https://www.facebook.com/St.Paul.Orthodox.Dayton.Ohio/)

Date	Park	Address	Amenities
May 31	St. Paul's Play Ground	4451 Wagner Rd., Dayton, 45440	Playground, walking trails
June 7	Indian Riffle Park	2801 E Stroop Rd., Kettering, 45420	Playground, pond, walking trails, shelter area
June 14	Shoup Park	1341 Meadowbridge Dr., Beavercreek, 45432	Basketball, picnic, Picnic shelters, playgrounds
June 21	Helke Park	888 Randler Ave., Vandalia, 45377	Playgrounds, tennis courts, volleyball, grass area, woods
June 28	Community Park [VCS Camp Week]	691 E. Dayton-Yellow Springs Rd., Fairborn, 45324	Playgrounds, tennis courts, basketball
July 5	Wegerzyn Children's Discovery Garden	1301 E. Siebenthaler Ave., Dayton, 45414	Water play, sand area, pond, walking paths
July 12	Kennedy Park	5073 Bigger Rd., Kettering, 45440 (Next to Polen Farm)	Water play, playground, shelter area
July 19	Owen's Place	2260 Dayton Xenia Rd., Dayton, 45434	Accessible playground, recreational area, tree house village
July 26	Orchardly Park	2599 Delaine Ave., Oakwood, 45419	Water play, tennis, basketball, sand box, shelter area
August 2	Activity Center Park	221 N. Main St., Centerville, 45459	Water play, tennis, shelter area
August 9	Hills and Dales MetroPark	2606 Hilton Ave., Kettering, 45409	Playground, nature play, walking paths
August 16	Shafor Park	Patterson Rd. and Shafor Blvd., Oakwood, 45419	Water play, sand area, shelter area

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU FR. JOSEPH AND PARISH

The garden committee would like to thank Father Joseph for the wonderful blessing of the Joy Courtyard and Memorial Garden last Sunday. We would also like to thank the entire parish for supporting this project and participating in this beautiful addition to our campus.

AEGEAN DANCE GROUP

The Aegean Dance group is looking forward to another exciting year of dancing and we welcome all college and post graduate age individuals to participate. Members are not required to attend a certain number of practices, as we understand many people are working, traveling, or have other commitments. That being said, we expect members to learn the steps, whether it be during practices or with the help of tutorial videos and one on one sessions with other members. The first practice will be Monday June 4th at 6pm at the Karras home. For more

information regarding practice or if interested please contact Annie Tsolometes (937-626-2031) or Elea Karras (937-610-6052) by June 15th.

JUNE – COMMUNITY CARE MINISTRY - PROJECT BELIEVE SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

Help make Magic happen for kids going back to school! A bin will be in the Community Center lobby for collection of school supplies for children in foster care or who are homeless. Please check the School Supply Wish List: Backpacks, Pens, Glue sticks, Colored pencils (no erasers) Crayons, Markers, Folders (no metal fasteners please) Notebooks (no metal spirals please) Pencil pouches or boxes, Calculators, Highlighters, Rulers (no metal edges) – Chairpersons: Cynthia Barron and Libby Stamas

YOUTH PLANNING BUS RIDE TO MDSC – RSVP

If your child is planning on riding the bus to or from MDSC please e-mail Tina Day at steelergoddess@hotmail.com to receive the necessary paperwork and RSVP to hold a spot on the bus. **Please RSVP by June 16th.**

RECOGNITION SUNDAY

On Sunday, June 17, 2018 we will recognize our parish's High School and College Graduates at the annual Recognition Luncheon following the Divine Liturgy. Additionally, we will announce the 2018 AIF Scholarship recipients, the AHEPA District #11 – Buckeye Scholarship Foundation recipients and acknowledge our parish St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival participants.

YOUNG AT HEART – JUNE LUNCHEON

Parish Council will host our annual Young at Heart summer luncheon on Thursday, June 21st at 11:30 a.m. in the Community Center. Hope to see all our Young at Heart people there.

COMMUNITY SANDWICH MAKING

The next community sandwich making day will be on Monday, July 2nd at 6:30 p.m. in the Community Center everyone is welcome to participate.



REGISTER NOW

VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

St. Paul the Apostle Orthodox
Church
4451 Wagner Rd.
Dayton, OH 45440

Monday, June 25
to
Friday, June 29
9:00 a.m. - 12:40 p.m.

Ages 5 - 11
Everyone welcome!

Please register by June 10

For more information, call
Heather Weis
(937) 397-5026

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VCS Registration Form 2018

Parent's Name _____ Phone # _____
 Street Address _____ Cell/Emergency # _____
 City, State, Zip _____ E-mail address _____
 Caregiver's Name _____ Caregiver's Phone # _____
Child's Name **Baptismal Name** **Grade Next Fall** **Age** **Birth Date**

Church/Parish Affiliation _____

Food allergies or other medical conditions we should be aware of _____

Yes, I would like to help with _____

Mail registration to St. Paul the Apostle Orthodox Church Attn: VCS 4451 Wagner Rd. Dayton, OH 45440
Please enclose \$ 0 per child.

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