

Holy Cross Greek Orthodox Church

Sunday July 14th, 2024

Sunday of the Holy Fathers



*We welcome all our Parishioners and Friends and Guests to our Holy Cross Community.
Service Hours are as follows: Sunday:
Orthros 8:30a.m. Liturgy 9:45a.m.
Sunday School begins right after communion.*

Welcome Fr. Joseph Abouid!

*All Week Day Divine Liturgy Services are as follows:
Orthros 9:00a.m. and Liturgy 10:00a.m.*



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Rev. Protopresbyter John N Kalomas - Parish Priest

Τιτ 3:8 – 15

Τέκνον Τίτε, πιστὸς ὁ λόγος· καὶ περὶ τούτων βούλομαί σε διαβεβαιοῦσθαι, ἵνα φροντίζωσι καλῶν ἔργων προϊστάσθαι οἱ πεπιστευκότες τῷ Θεῷ. ταῦτα ἔστι τὰ καλὰ καὶ ὠφέλιμα τοῖς ἀνθρώποις· μωρὰς δὲ ζητήσεις καὶ γενεαλογίας καὶ ἔρεις καὶ μάχας νομικὰς περιίστασο· εἰσὶ γὰρ ἀνωφελεῖς καὶ μάταιοι. αἰρετικὸν ἄνθρωπον μετὰ μίαν καὶ δευτέραν νοουθεσίαν παραιτοῦ, εἰδῶς ὅτι ἐξέστραπται ὁ τοιοῦτος καὶ ἀμαρτάνει ὦν αὐτοκατάκριτος. Ὅταν πέμψω Ἄρτεμᾶν πρὸς σε ἢ Τυχικόν, σπούδασον ἐλθεῖν πρὸς με εἰς Νικόπολιν· ἐκεῖ γὰρ κέκρικα παραχειμάσαι. Ζηνᾶν τὸν νομικὸν καὶ Ἀπολλῶ σπουδαίως πρόπεμψον, ἵνα μηδὲν αὐτοῖς λείπη. μανθανέτωσαν δὲ καὶ οἱ ἡμέτεροι καλῶν ἔργων προϊστάσθαι εἰς τὰς ἀναγκαίας χρείας, ἵνα μὴ ὦσιν ἄκαρποι. Ἀσπάζονται σε οἱ μετ' ἐμοῦ πάντες. ἄσπασαι τοὺς φιλοῦντας ἡμᾶς ἐν πίστει. Ἡ χάρις μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν· ἀμήν.

Tit. 3:8 – 15

Titus, my son, the saying is sure. I desire you to insist on these things, so that those who have believed in God may be careful to apply themselves to good deeds; these are excellent and profitable to men. But avoid stupid controversies, genealogies, dissensions, and quarrels over the law, for they are unprofitable and futile. As for a man who is factious, after admonishing him once or twice, have nothing more to do with him, knowing that such a person is perverted and sinful; he is self-condemned. When I send Artemas or Tychicus to you, do your best to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their way; see that they lack nothing. And let our people learn to apply themselves to good deeds, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not to be unfruitful. All who are with me send greeting to you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all. Amen.

Μτ 5:14 – 19

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος τοῖς ἑαυτοῦ μαθηταῖς· Ὑμεῖς ἐστε τὸ φῶς τοῦ κόσμου. οὐ δύναται πόλις κρυβῆναι ἐπάνω ὄρουσ κειμένη· οὐδὲ κείσονται λύχνοι καὶ τιθέασι αὐτὸν ὑπὸ τὸν μῶδιον, ἀλλ' ἐπὶ τὴν λυχνίαν, καὶ λάμπει πᾶσι τοῖς ἐν τῇ οἰκίᾳ. οὕτω λαμπάτω τὸ φῶς ὑμῶν ἔμπροσθεν τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ὅπως ἴδωσιν ὑμῶν τὰ καλὰ ἔργα καὶ δοξάσωσι τὸν πατέρα ὑμῶν τὸν ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς. Μὴ νομίσητε ὅτι ἦλθον καταλῦσαι τὸν νόμον ἢ τοὺς προφῆτας· οὐκ ἦλθον καταλῦσαι, ἀλλὰ πληρῶσαι. ἀμὴν γὰρ λέγω ὑμῖν, ἕως ἂν παρέλθῃ ὁ οὐρανὸς καὶ ἡ γῆ, ἰῶτα ἐν ἧ μία κεραία οὐ μὴ παρέλθῃ ἀπὸ τοῦ νόμου ἕως ἂν πάντα γένηται. ὃς ἐάν οὖν λύσῃ μίαν τῶν ἐντολῶν τούτων τῶν ἐλαχίστων καὶ διδάξῃ οὕτω τοὺς ἀνθρώπους, ἐλάχιστος κληθήσεται ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ τῶν οὐρανῶν· ὃς δ' ἂν ποιῆσῃ καὶ διδάξῃ, οὗτος μέγας κληθήσεται ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ τῶν οὐρανῶν.

Mt. 5:14 – 19

The Lord said to his disciples, "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven. Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets; I have come not to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but he who does them and teaches them shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven."

HOLY CROSS GREEK CHURCH FEAST DAY

SAVE
THE
DATE!

SUNDAY

SEPTEMBER 8

4PM-11PM

ROAST PIG BY THE POUND

FREE ADMISSION

FOOD • BAR • LIVE BAND • KID ZONE



SACRAMENTS AND 40 DAY CHILD BLESSINGS

No Sacraments

SAVE THE DATE AND EVENTS

MARRIAGE SEMINAR 2024: *August 10, October 12*

AUG 1st-15th *PANAGIA's FAST*

AUG 5th *Great Vesper for Transfiguration 7pm*

AUG 6th *Transfiguration of Christ, Orthros 9am, Divine Liturgy 10am*

AUG 15th *Feast of Panagia 9:00am*

AUG 29th *Beheading of John the Baptist, Orthros 9am, Divine Liturgy 10am*

SEPT 6th *Holy Cross International Festival Night; 4pm –11pm*

SEPT 8th *Panigiri Festival; 4pm –11pm*

SEPT 13th *Great Vespers of Holy Cross, 7pm*

SEPT 14th *Elevation of the Holy Cross, Orthros 8:30am, Divine Liturgy 10am*

OCT 2nd *Fall Catechism Classes start 7:30pm*

Congratulations

1ST PLACE

Panayiota Haidos - Checkers 11-12
Petroula Haidos - Backgammon 8-10
Vasilis Xinos - Long Jump Boys 11-12

GOLD

Congratulations

2ND PLACE

**Landon Vasilios Alexander - 50 yd
Freestyle Boys 12 & under**
Vasilios Giannopoulos - Long Jump Boys 11-12
Georgia Haidos - Backgammon 13-15
Eliza Poulos - Girls Softball Throw 11-12
**Vasilia Spyridakis - 25 yd Backstroke
Girls 10 & under**
Vasilkia Spyridakis - 25 yd Freestyle Girls 12 & under
Elena Stavros - Long Jump Girls 16-18

SILVER

ALTAR BOY SERVERS

Boys from the age of 7 years old and up are welcomed. Please give the name to the office or to Fr. John. All altar boys to be dressed and ready to serve by 9:45am.

STEWARDSHIP QUOTE

Stewardship is not about giving our time, talents and treasures only, it is also about our salvation. As we celebrated Pascha we have entered almost the mid point of this year. Please look at your stewardship offering and if you haven't done so, fulfil it today. As always give the best to God's house for the gifts that He has given us.



MEMORIALS

Maria Selas, *40 Days*

Konstandino Karoubas, *6 Months*, Right Pews 1-2

Maria Sarolas, *1 Year*, Left Pew 1

Kalliope Karoubas, *16 Years*, Right Pews 1-2

Trisagion : Joyce Maris

Sunday's coffee hour is hosted by the families of Konstandino & Kalliope Karoubas and Maria Sarolas in their memory. Everyone is invited to our community hall to enjoy Fellowship.



Congratulations

2ND PLACE

Table Tennis Doubles 13-15:
Alexander Mastorakos
Panayiotis Zervas

3RD PLACE

Bowling Co-Ed:
Georgio Fotos, Alexander Mastorakos,
George Mastorakos, Tara Mastorakos

SILVER/BRONZE

Congratulations

2ND PLACE

200 meter Relay Girls 8-10:
Olivia Coclas, Ioanna Dalmare,
Gianna Drakopoulos, Zoe Melone

3RD PLACE

200 meter Relay Girls 11-12:
Nikoletta Drakopoulos, Magdalena Melonides,
Eliza Poulos, Helena Poulos

200 Meter Relay Boys 11-12:
Thanasi Derakis, Vasilios Giannopoulos,
Zachariah Kokalias, Vasili Xinos




SILVER/BRONZE

Congratulations

3RD PLACE

Gianni Anagnopoulos - Softball Throw Boys 11-12
George Mastorakos - Checkers 16-18
Francieska Poulos - 50 yd Butterfly Girls 18 & under
Francieska Poulos - 100 yd Freestyle Girls 18 & under
Thrasyvoulos Spyridakis - 50 yd Backstroke Boys 15 & under
Vasilia Spyridakis - 50 yd Freestyle Girls 10 & under
Evgenia Zervas - Girls Long Jump 13-15

BRONZE



Have a blessed summer. May it be safe and restful. Wherever your travels take you, please do not forget Churches are open for business every Sunday. Stop in wherever you are and light a candle to thank God for the beautiful gifts He has given you. Also please remember your church of Holy Cross.

Να έχετε ένα ευλογημένο καλοκαίρι. Να είναι ασφαλές και ξεκούραστο. Όπου σας πηγαίνουν τα ταξίδια σας, μην ξεχνάτε ότι οι Εκκλησίες είναι ανοιχτές για δουλειά κάθε Κυριακή. Σταματήστε όπου βρίσκεστε και ανάψτε ένα κερι για να ευχαριστήσετε τον Θεό για τα όμορφα δώρα που σας έχει δώσει. Και μη ξεχάστε την εκκλησία σας του Τιμίου Σταβρού.

ΚΑΛΟ ΚΑΛΟΚΑΙΡΙ

