Vacation Church School July 31st, August 1st, and August 2nd

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New Ecclesiastical Year/New Sunday School Year

Dear Parishioners,

September 1st marks the beginning of the New Ecclesiastical (Church) Year. Usually we all are looking for new beginnings in our spiritual efforts and disciplines. Spiritual Fathers would underline that we start and become Christians our whole life. Even with the Sacraments and sacramental life we practice, we are expecting new beginnings. For instance, the Sacrament of Confession takes away the burdens of sin and erases our fallings and we start a new our spiritual efforts. New Beginnings!

Our Holy Orthodox Church celebrates and has established September the first as the day of the New Ecclesiastical Year, since some important events have taken place. This is the day Jesus chose to go into the Synagogue in Nazareth and to read from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah (Isaiah 61:1-2) to announce the beginning of His ministry at the age of 30. Christ read “The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me; because He hath anointed Me to preach good tidings unto the meek.” Officially in the Church after the First Ecumenical Council (325) AD, Christians observed September 1st as New Year’s Day.

Also, September was the month Moses led the Hebrews out of slavery in Egypt to the freedom of the Promised Land. This is very good to remember and encourage ourselves to allow Christ to lead us from this month on to a way of life free of the slavery of weaknesses and passions and fallings to sin to a life full of sanctification and the Grace of the Lord.

Moreover, this is the month we commemorate the victory of Constantine the Great over Maxentius the enemy of Christianity. The result was to allow Christians to confess their faith freely throughout the Roman Empire; with the same way we pray that may the Lord give us the power and the ability to conquer the devil, to defeat the evil, to endure sufferings, to sacrifice for our fellowmen and to involve in the ministries of the Church.

Since September 1st marks the beginning of the New Ecclesiastical Year, it is also the beginning of many programs and activities in our Church and especially our Sunday School. The Sunday School is one of the main concerns for our whole Community. Sunday School teaches our children the saving faith and encourages the students to participate in the services of the Church; it teaches to listen and practice the Word of God and to grow everyday spiritually. Sunday School reveals all the Christian life, the roots, the principles and shows the Christian direction in life. Sunday School is the way through which the Church expresses the care, the love and the concern to our children in learning and experience the new life in Christ.

We all should make every effort necessary to be sure that this year our children will be included in the program of our Sunday School in the Fall, Winter and Spring. Our talented and well-qualified teachers are doing their best to pass on to our youngsters all the information of the good materials and curriculum we have. Sunday School is crucially important in our evil and difficult days for our children to understand our faith and to adopt a strong Orthodox Christian lifestyle. We need to be sure that Jesus Christ our Saviour will protect, guide and accompany our precious children in their lives. St. John Chrysostom makes clear this point when he writes:
“Let everything be secondary to the provident care we take of our children to our bringing them up in the discipline and admonition of the Lord”.

Let us all be on guard. Let us embrace our Sunday School. Let us see that we are a Community of the Lord. Let us allow our Saviour to receive our Children as He expects and says, “Let the children come to me”.

Through the intercessions of the Holy Theotokos, the Virgin Mary and the prayers of all the Saints, may we have the Grace of the Lord blessings us to acquire the best Sunday School ever and the best Ecclesiastical year. Amen.

With love in Christ,

Rev. Michael E. Varvarelis

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**Νέο Εκκλησιαστικό Ετος/Νέο Κατηχητικό Ετος**

Αγαπητοί μας Ενορίτες,

Την Πρώτη Σεπτεμβρίου αρχίζει τό νέο Εκκλησιαστικό έτος. Συνήθως όλοι μας αναζητούμε να βάλουμε αρχή στις πνευματικές προσπάθειες, τήν άσκηση, τήν πειθαρχία. Πνευματικοί πατέρες τονίζουν ότι συνεχώς αρχίζουμε και γινόμαστε Χριστιανοί σ’ όλη μας τήν ζωή. Μέ τά Μυστήρια και τήν μυστηριακή ζωή περιμένουμε καινούργιο ξεκίνημα. Επί παραδείγματι τό Μυστήριο τής Εξομολογήσεως αφαιρεί τό βάρος τής αμαρτίας και σβήνει τίς πτώσεις μας και αρχίζουμε νέες πνευματικές προσπάθειες. Καινούργιο ξεκίνημα!

Γιορτάζουμε τήν πρώτη Σεπτεμβρίου τήν πρώτη ημέρα τού Νέου Εκκλησιαστικού Ετους, επειδή μερικά ουσιαστικά γεγονότα συνέβησαν. Αυτή είναι η ημέρα που διάλεξε ο Χριστός μας να εμφανισθεί στή Συναγωγή και νά διαβάσει από τόν Προφήτη Ησαία (Ησαία 61:1-2) ανακοινώνοντας τό ξεκίνημα τής Μεσοαιγυπτικής Παρουσίας Του και τού έργου Του σε ηλικία 30 ετών. Διάβασε ο Χριστός «Πνεύμα Κυρίου επ’ εμέ, ού ένεκεν έχρισέ με, ευαγγελίσασθε πτωχοίς απεστάλακε με ιάσασθαι τούς συντετριμένους τή καρδία, κηρύξαι αιχμαλώτους άφεσιν καί τυφλοίς ανάβλεψιν, καλέσ αι ενιαυτόν Κυρίου δεκτόν». Επίσημα εορτάζουμε τήν 1η Σεπτεμβρίου ώς τήν πρώτη ημέρα τού Ετους μετά τήν Πρώτη Οικουμενική Σύνοδο (325 μΧ).

Επίσης ο Σεπτεμβρίος είναι ο μήνας πού ο Μωϋσής πήρε και οδήγησε τούς Εβραίους από τήν σκλαβία τής Αιγύπτου στήν ελευθερία τής γής τής Επαγγελίας. Είναι καλό αυτό νά τό ενθυμούμαστε καί νά ενθυμούμαστε την απελευθέρωση τούς από τή σκλαβία σέ αδυναμίες, πάθη καί πτώσεις στήν αμαρτία και γεμάτη με αγιασμό καί Χάρι Θεού.

Ακόμη αυτός είναι ο μήνας πού ο Μαξέντιος εκδόθηκε στήν ελευθερία τής Ρωμαϊκής Αυτοκρατορίας. Μέ τήν επιβολή αυτή, ο Μαξέντιος εκδόθηκε καί μετά από τή θυσία του στήν Ρωμαϊκή Αυτοκρατορία, εκδόθηκε καί ανέδειξε στήν Ρωμαϊκή Αυτοκρατορία την αληθινή Εκκλησία. Η πρώτη ημέρα τής Ρωμαϊκής Αυτοκρατορίας, «εκδόθηκε» στήν ελευθερία τής Αγγλίας, καί ο Χριστός εκάθισε στήν Ρωμαϊκή Αυτοκρατορία καί ο Ιερός Ρυθμός εκδόθηκε καί ανέδειξε στήν Ρωμαϊκή Αυτοκρατορία την αληθινή Εκκλησία.
Επίσης μαζί με όλα τα προγράμματα αρχίζουμε και το Κατηχητικό μας Σχολείο που διδάσκει στά παιδιά μας τήν σωτήριον πίστιν και τά ενθαρρύνει νά συμμετέχουν στίς ακολουθίες τής Εκκλησίας. Τά διδάσκει νά ακούουν και ασκούνται είς τόν Δόγον του Θεού και νά αυξάνουν καθημερινά πνευματικός. Τό Κατηχητικό Σχολείο αποκαλύπτει τήν Χριστιανική Ζωή, τις ρίζες και τις αρχές τής πίστεως μας και δείχνει τήν αυξάνουν καθημερινά πνευματικώς. Τό Κατηχητικό Σχολείο είναι νά μέσομέ το ποιόν η Εκκλησία εκφράζει τό ενδιαφέρον, τήν αγάπη και τήν φροντίδα στά παιδιά γιά νά μάθουν και νά γνωρισθούν μέ τήν εν Χριστώ Ζωή.

Ολοί μας πρέπει νά καταβάλωμε κάθε απαραίτητη προσπάθεια γιά νά είμαστε σίγουροι ότι αυτό τό έτος τά παιδιά μας νά εγγραφούν και νά παρακολουθήσουν τό Κατηχητικό Σχολείο τό Φθινόπωρο, τόν Χειμώνα καί τήν Άνοιξη. Οί ταλαντούχοι καί κατάλληλοι δάσκαλοι μέ τό καλό υλικό πού έχουν στή διάθεσή τους θά βοηθήσουν τά παιδιά μας στές δύσκολες μέρες που περνούμε. Τό Κατηχητικό Σχολείο είναι αναμφισβήτητα απαραίτητο γιά νά εννοήσουν τά παιδιά μας τήν πίστι μας και γιά νά υιοθετήσουν έναν βαθό σοβαρό Ορθόδοξο Χριστιανικό ήθος. Πρέπει νά είμαστε σίγουροι ότι ο Ισχυός Χριστός, ο Σωτήρας μας, θά προστατεύον, θά καθοδηγή και θά συμπορεύεται με τά ακριβά μας παιδιά στή Ζωή.

Ας αγρυπνούμε. Ας αγκαλιάσουμε το Κατηχητικό Σχολείο. Ας φροντίζουμε νά έχουμε μιά Κοινότητα τού Κυρίου. Ας επιτρέψουμε στόν Σωτήρα μας νά δεχθή τά παιδιά μας όπως περιμένει όπως περιμένει πάντα νά συμβαίνει «Αφετε τά παιδία ελθείν πρός με».

Διά πρεσβείων τῆς Αγίας Θεοτόκου καί Αειπαρθένου Μαρίας καί πάνω τών Αγίων η Χάρις τού Κυρίου νά ευλογήση νά έχωμε τήν καλύτερη Κατηχητική καί Εκκλησιαστική Χρονιά. Αμήν.

Μέ τήν Χριστώ αγάπη,

Πατήρ Μιχαήλ

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**Nativity of the Theotokos Greek Orthodox Monastery**

*With the Blessings of His Eminence Metropolitan Savas, Gerontissa Theophano & her Sisterhood warmly welcome you to the*

**6TH ANNUAL DINNER BANQUET**

**SAVE THE DATE**

**OCTOBER 13, 2019**

*Details forthcoming at: www.NativityoftheTheotokosMonastery.org Gerontissa Theophano’s 25th Anniversary & 30th Anniversary of the Founding of the Monastery*
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A NOTE FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL

Dear Parishioners,

I hope you had a great summer!

As you know, September is the start of the new Ecclesiastical Year. I ask that you use this time to renew your commitment to your spiritual growth and to our community. Attend church regularly, and on time. Bring a family member or friend who may not be as active. Also, there are many worthy ministries and projects that could use your time and talent including:

- Choir
- Sunday School
- Greek School
- Parish Council (elections in November)
- Technology committee (newly formed)
- Building & Grounds committee
- Philoptochos
- Festival

Find something you have passion for and get involved!

Also, we have the privilege and blessing of hosting this year’s Metropolis Clergy-Laity Assembly taking place September 26-28, 2019. ALL ARE WELCOME. We will have as an honored guest His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios, Former of America, whose twenty-year Archepiscopal ministry (and 54-year connection to this Metropolis) will be memorialized during the Thursday evening Dinner.

Yours in Christ,

George J. Spanos
Parish Council President

The Parish Council prides itself on transparency in all that we do. The following are available to each and every parishioner and may be requested at the office, or from a member of the Executive Committee of Parish Council - Minutes from the Monthly Parish Council meeting; Annual Budget and Actual Spending Year to Date; Balances of our various Endowment funds. If you want to know, ASK.

The Parish Council
VOTER ELIGIBILITY FOR PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

In order to be eligible to vote in the Parish Council Elections, an individual must be a member in good standing of the Parish, as defined in the Uniform Parish Regulations of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America. In Chapter One, Article 18, Section 1, of these regulations, a parishioner in good standing is defined as: "Any person, eighteen years of age or over, who was baptized and chrismated according to the rites of the Orthodox Church and lives according to the tenets of the Orthodox faith."

The Uniform Parish Regulations also provide that a member in good standing is one who has met his or her stewardship obligation to the Parish. Under Article VI, Section 1, of our Parish Bylaws, this stewardship obligation is defined as follows: "For purposes of voting in the annual election of Parish Council members, a parishioner in good standing is defined as any member of the Parish who submits a completed stewardship pledge card on or before the end of the Ecclesiastical Year, August 31, prior to the elections on the third Sunday in November of each calendar year."

In addition, Article VI, Section 6, of the Parish Bylaws provides that "Absentee ballots shall be made available to parishioners who for physical or health reasons are unable to personally cast a ballot on the day of elections and who are otherwise able, competent, and eligible to vote." Requests for absentee ballots will be available in the church office.

Please remember that if you do not turn in a pledge card, you are NOT eligible to vote in the Fall elections for Parish Council, NOR are you able to run as a candidate. August 31, 2019 is the deadline to submit your stewardship pledge card.

NOMINATION FORM
2019 PARISH COUNCIL ELECTION
January 1, 2020 - December 31, 2022

As a parishioner in good standing of Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral for at least one year immediately preceding the 2019 Parish Council Election, I hereby submit my name as a candidate for election to the Parish Council for the three-year term of office from January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2022.

Please submit this form to the church office on or before the date of the Parish Assembly at which the 2020 Parish Council nominations are to be made.

Please print:

NAME: ____________________________________________

TELEPHONE: ________________________________________

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# SEPTEMBER EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES 2019

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## YOUTH MINISTRIES

### ALTAR BOY TEAMS

We will have an Altar Boy Orientation-Meeting on Saturday, September 14th at 6:30pm. We will discuss certain topics pertaining to the boys’ involvement in the Holy Altar and form teams for this new year. All boys interested 7 yrs and up please be present at this meeting.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

**With God’s Blessings, Sunday School** will begin on Sunday, September 15th. Please have the children in Church for the Epistle and Gospel readings. Divine Liturgy starts 9:30am. Sunday School will follow after Holy Communion.

**We are updating our Sunday School Files** and need your help. In this month’s Source you will find a SUNDAY SCHOOL REGISTRATION FORM that must be filled out for ALL STUDENTS. Please return forms to teachers on the First Day of Sunday School (September 15) or mail them to the church office no later than Friday, September 13th.

A Sunday School program is only as strong as the REGULAR ATTENDANCE of its students.
Please make an attempt to attend Sunday School on a regular basis.

**GREEK SCHOOL**

Please see the enclosed registration form for our new Greek School year. We are excited to begin a new year for our children. The first session, with the Blessing of Water Service will take place on **Wednesday, September 18th at 5:15pm** in the Hall. After the Blessing of Water Service, we will introduce the teachers, distribute rules of the School, receive books and attend the first class till 7:00pm. We are happy to have Mr. George Giannaris as our Co-Director for the Greek School along with Fr. Michael.

**ADULT GREEK SCHOOL**

*Advanced Adult Greek School will begin on Tuesday, October 1st from 5:30pm to 7pm*

*Beginners Adult Greek School will be on Thursday, October 3rd from 5:30pm to 7pm.*

Last year was a successful year and we had a nice gathering of students. We look forward to again this year. Fr. Michael is teaching once more this year.

Please register so that the appropriate number of books will be ordered.

**GOYA**

We are looking forward to a wonderful year with our GOYANS. All children from 7th grades till 12th grades are invited and welcome to join us in GOYA. We meet at different homes, have discussions on religious topics, go to retreats, help the less fortunate and other events. We want all our children in the 7th-12th grades to be part of this group. **Our first gathering/picnic will be on Sunday, Sept. 15th** at the home of Chris & Teri Petsinis, 1127 Shannon Lane, Carlisle, PA at 4:30pm. Please make plans to attend.

**OLYMPIC FLAMES**

We hope that all of our dancers are enjoying their summer break. We are excited to announce that dance practices will begin on Wed. September 11, 2019 at 7pm for all groups. Please complete the registration form that is included with this month’s Source and bring it with you to the first practice. The registration fee is due at the time of Registration.

We welcome new dancers who are in grades 1st - 12th. We have three dance groups divided by age. Beginner/Intermediate: 1-5th grade, Juniors 6-8th grade, and Seniors: 9-12th grade. We practice two Wednesdays and one Sunday each month. (September-November and January-May, no practices in the month of December). No prior dance experience is necessary.

If you have any questions please contact Ann Ariano at annariano@pa.net.

**PARISH MINISTRIES**

**PHILOPTOCHOS**

Our First-Initial Meeting will be held on **Thursday, September 19th at 6:00 p.m.** It will be a potluck dinner. Please make and bring an item from home. There will be a table in the Social Hall for signing up. We will discuss our plans for the year.

**STS. JOACHIM AND ANNA**

We want to welcome everyone back from their summer travels. We hope everyone had a wonderful and healthy summer.

We have canceled our September meeting because so many members will still be away on vacation or joining Father Michael on the pilgrimage to Constantinople and the Holy Lands.

**Our first meeting of the new Ecclesiastical year will be on Thursday, October 5th.** Our hosts for the meeting will be Mary Touloumes and her children Vicki, Callie and Gregory. The meeting will be held in the social hall starting at 11:30 am. We hope to see a great turnout for the meeting. Per our by-laws, we will be having our bi-annual election of Society officers.

Membership in the Sts. Joachim and Anna Society is open to Orthodox parishioners who are 55 and over. However, any parishioner can attend our meetings and participate in our trips and other activities.
**CHURCH LENDING LIBRARY**
The church library contains information about Orthodoxy and Greece for you and your children. If you would like to borrow a book, fill out the information sheet found in the Library notebook binder. When you return it, be sure to list the date returned by your original sign in. Keep the books as long as you like; just be sure to return them within a reasonable amount of time so that your fellow parishioners may read them as well. Thank you.

**HOLY TRINITY BOOKS & GIFTS**
Welcome back from your summer vacations and travels. Jim and Kiki Lloyd will be on vacation for most of September. Thanks to several volunteers, the bookstore may be open some Sundays during the time they are gone. Please stop in when the bookstore is open. While they are on vacation, the volunteer will NOT be able to process credit card transactions. All sales will need to be cash or check during that time. We apologize for this inconvenience.

The bookstore has a large selection of items. We provide icons, censers, charcoal and incense for your household use. All proceeds from the bookstore either go directly back into the bookstore or into the parish. We have a selection of CD’s that Father Michael picked up during the Clergy-Laity Conference this past summer. We are also constantly adding new book titles to our excellent collection of Orthodox books for adults and children. We can also special-order books, icons and other items that are not normally stocked in the bookstore. We also order icons and other items from the Holy Protection Monastery when needed. We have the wine that is used for communion available for purchase and donation to Father Michael for use during communion. We recently added bottles of light olive oil that can be donated to Father for the altar vigil light. We also carry a burial cloth (Σαβανο) that has been blessed in Jerusalem at the tomb of Christ. This can be used for funerals.

Holy Trinity Books and Gifts’ normal operating hours are following the Divine Liturgy on Sunday, and the day when the Sts. Joachim and Anna Society meet from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. For more information or special requests, contact Jim and Kiki Lloyd by calling 717-507-0003 or at (email: bookstore@holytrinityhbg.org.

**LADIES’ BEREAVEMENT GROUP**
This group meets once a month on a Thursday. Our next gathering will be held on **Thursday, September 19th at 11:30am**. We speak on different topics that concern the group and discuss ways to cope with grief. Please consider coming.

**CONCERNED MOTHERS GROUP**
The goal of the group is to foster spiritual dialogue among mothers in our community in regards to raising our children in an Orthodox Christian home. We can all probably list many challenges we have faced as our children have journeyed through preschool to high school. The topics of the group will focus on making Orthodoxy a practical, living experience in our daily lives. Father Michael is leading the group. We meet in the Library monthly. Our next gathering will be on Wednesday September 18th.

**PARISH NEWS**

**KOLIVA**
If you need to request koliva for a memorial, please note that Koliva can be prepared for you at a cost of $135.00 by either:

- **Sofia Kaldes** (717) 766-4031
- **Peggy Orosz** (717) 258-3498

You may call either of the ladies directly to place an order. To schedule a memorial service or artoclasia, please be sure to contact the Church Office in advance as the staff will be able to assist you in scheduling and with the necessary information. Thank you.

**WALKWAY OF THE FAITHFUL**
If you want to include your family and loved ones in our unique WALKWAY of the FAITHFUL, you may purchase a brick in memory or in honor of a loved one. Simply obtain and complete a form in the office. Please contact Dimitri Zozos with any questions. (717) 648-6720.
NURSERY NOTICE
If you are a parent of young children and would like to volunteer with helping take care of the nursery, please join the Facebook page: Holy Trinity Nursery @ Camp Hill or contact Faith Sgagias at faithlarue@gmail.com. Thank you.

REMEMBERING THE SICK, THE SUFFERING, THE AFFLICTED
“The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective” (James 5.16)

If you know of someone in a hospital who would like a visit, please call Fr. Michael (717) 818-1160 or Mrs. Georgia Lucas (717) 697-0913. We hope to post names in the future of persons who have been particularly sick or who struggle with something or another so that the Community will keep them in prayer. If you know of someone you are certain would like to have their names posted, then please forward their names to the church Secretary.

INTERESTED IN LEARNING HOW TO CHANT?
Fr. Aaron Gilbert is offering Byzantine Chant lessons every Saturday at 4:45pm. If you are interested, please contact Fr. Aaron at 717-727-4014, or via email at aaron@holytrinityhbg.org.

TRINITY JUNIOR ENSEMBLE RECITAL - OCTOBER 13TH

The luncheon/recital will be on Sunday, October 13th, 12:00 Noon in the Social Hall. Those interested, please contact Mrs. Verna Kounas (717) 737-0647 or Mrs. Connie Kokos at 717(731-8421). We encourage all youth of our community to participate in this talented group of musicians and performers to share their gifts and inspire others to join. Complimentary luncheon provided. All are welcome to attend!
Olympic Flames Fall 2019 Practice Schedule

Hope everyone had an enjoyable summer. We are very excited to start the official dance season! Below is our Fall Practice Schedule. If you have any questions please feel free to email Ann Ariano at annariano@pa.net.

SEPTEMBER:
Wednesday September 18: DANCE REGISTRATION & FIRST NIGHT OF PRACTICE for Beg/Inter and Junior Groups (7:00 – 8:00pm) Please note that due to instructor unavailability Seniors will not have practice on this day. (Senior parents can still register their dancers on this night if they wish).
Sunday September 29: Dance Practice (Sunday practices are immediately following Sunday School for 1 hour)

OCTOBER: (due to our church hosting the Clergy Laity Conference in September we have an extra dance practice this month)
Wednesday October 2: 7-8pm all groups
Wednesday October 9: 7-8pm all groups
Wednesday October 23: 7-8pm all groups
Sunday October 27: after Sunday School-all groups

NOVEMBER:
Wednesday November 6: 7-8pm all groups.
Nov. 15-17: Metropolis Folk Dance Festival- Holy Cross (more details to follow)
Wednesday November 20: 7-8pm all groups
Sunday November 24: after Sunday School- all groups

DECEMBER: No Dance Practices held this month

**Additional Practices may be added for dancers who are attending the Metropolis Dance Festival**
OLYMPIC FLAME DANCERS
Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral
1000 Yverdon Drive Camp Hill, PA 17011
717. 763. 7441

REGISTRATION FORM
Fall 2019 – Spring 2020

Name of Dancer: __________________________    Age: ___ D.O.B: ______________

Grade: ______________

Parents Name: __________________________________________________________

Address: _______________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________

Phone Number: _________________     Cell Number: ________________

Email Address: _________________________ (All Olympic Flames Communications are via Email)

Previous Experience? ______________ How Many Years? _________________

Classes will be held on two Wednesdays and one Sunday during the months of Sept, Oct., Nov. Jan-May.
There will be no practices during the month of December.

Practice Times: Wednesdays: 7-8 p.m. (all groups)
Sundays: Immediately after Sunday School for 1 hour (all groups).
Please see attached calendar for practice dates.

Registration Fee:
1. _____ $175.00 Annual fee (all fees must be paid in full at time of registration)

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: $_______

Parent’s signature: ____________________________________

Director or Instructors Signature: _______________________________

I have read and agreed to the by-laws of The Olympic Flame Dancers Yes ☐ No ☐
Parent’s signature: ____________________________________

INSTRUCTOR USE ONLY: These groups will be determined at the discretion of the teachers
BEGINNER (GRADES 1ST, 2nd) Intermediate (GRADES 3rd, 4th and 5TH)
Junior Group (Grades 6,7and 8th) SENIOR GROUP (Grades 9 -12)

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 30, 2019
COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS MUSICAL 2019
THE GIVING SPIRIT OF ST. NICHOLAS - The True Santa

Join us as we travel between the modern day and the ancient city of Patara where the beloved St. Nicholas lived and performed acts of charity and miracles. This lighthearted musical about the spirit of giving during the Nativity Season and all through the year will be performed by the youth of our community. The story is told through dance and song and will feature both traditional and contemporary holiday music.

DATE: December 15th
TIME: 3:00 p.m. (intermission included)
PLACE: Social Hall Auditorium

All children in grades pre-school through 12 are invited to participate.

For information and rehearsal details, please contact:
Connie Kokos - 717-571-9066 (cgkokos1495@comcast.net)
Ann Ariano – 717-379-6350 (annariano@pa.net)
Sunday School Registration Form - Fall 2019 - Spring 2020

(Please fill out this form and return to Sunday School or Church Office)

We are updating information for ALL STUDENTS IN ALL GRADES - 2-years olds through 12th Grade. (2yr. olds must be 2 by Sept. 1st) Please fill out this form for “ALL” the children in your family

Child’s Name: ______________________________________________________________
Age and Birthdate: __________________________________________________________
Grade in School: ____________________________________________________________

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Grade in School: ____________________________________________________________

PARENTS NAME_________________________________________________________________
ADDRESS_______________________________________________________________________
Home PHONE NUMBER___________________________________________________________
CELL PHONE NUMBER____________________________________________________________
E-MAIL________________________________________________________________________

PLEASE RETURN TO SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER OR CHURCH OFFICE
as soon as possible

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!
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| **Sunday, September 1** | Feast of the Ecclesiastical New Year  
8:15 a.m. Orthros  
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy |
| **Monday, September 2** | Labor Day  
Church Office Closed |
| **Sunday, September 8** | Nativity of the Theotokos/Sunday before Holy Cross  
8:15 a.m. Orthros  
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
AHEPA Blood Drive |
| **Wednesday, September 11** | 7:00 p.m. Dance  
Registration and 1st Greek Dance Class |
| **Saturday, September 14** | Exaltation of The Holy Cross  
8:15 a.m. Orthros  
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
6:00 p.m. Vespers  
6:30 p.m. Altar Boy Orientation/Meeting |
| **Sunday, September 15** | Sunday after Holy Cross  
8:15 a.m. Orthros  
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
Procession for Holy Cross Day  
1st day of Sunday School  
4:30pm GOYA Meeting/Picnic at Chris & Teri Petsinis' home |
| **Tuesday, September 17** | Parish Council Meeting |
| **Wednesday, September 18** | Greek School  
Greek School 5:15 Agiasmos (Holy Water Service)  
Come for an introduction of the curriculum, meet the teachers, see your classrooms and get your books.  
7:00pm Greek Dance  
7:00pm Concerned Mothers group |
| **Thursday, September 19** | 11:30 a.m. Ladies Bereavement Class  
6:00 p.m. Philoptochos Potluck & Meeting |
| **Saturday, September 21** | 5:00 p.m. Goya gathering to clean church  
6:00pm Vespers |
| **Sunday, September 22** | 1st Sunday of Luke  
8:15 a.m. Orthros  
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
Holy Trinity Fall Golf Classic |
| **Wednesday, September 25** | 5:15 – 7:00 p.m. Greek School |
| **Thursday, September 26** | Pittsburgh Metropolis Clergy-Laity at our Holy Trinity Cathedral. Archbishop Demetrios will be with us for the dinner.  
Friday, September 27 | Pittsburgh Metropolis Clergy-Laity at our Holy Trinity Cathedral |
| **Saturday, September 28** | Pittsburgh Metropolis Clergy-Laity at our Holy Trinity Cathedral  
6:00 p.m. Vespers |
| **Sunday, September 29** | 2nd Sunday of Luke  
8:15 a.m. Orthros  
9:30 Archieratical Divine Liturgy with His Eminence Metropolitan Savas |
| **Monday, September 30** | 6:00 p.m. – 12 a.m. Vespers, Orthros with Leeete at Holy Protection Monastery |
| **Tuesday, October 1st** | Holy Protection Monastery Services  
8:00 a.m. Hours  
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy |

Process for filling out the survey for the beta thalassemia has started. Please make sure you participate in this survey.

Vacation Church School July 31st, August 1st, and August 2nd, 2019
The Elevation of the Life-Giving Cross of Christ is celebrated every year on September 14th. On this day, a strict fast is observed, because we are reminded of Great and Holy Friday. During the service the same Bible passage is read as in Great and Holy Friday.

St. Helen, the Mother of St. Constantine the Great, found the Sacred Cross. She was the daughter of the King of Brittany. She married Constantius Chloros, who became the Co-Emperor of the Roman Empire, and ruled in Britain and Gaul.

Their son, who was born in Gaul, later became Constantine the Great, one of the greatest men in history.

After Constantine’s father died, Constantine became the new Roman Emperor in his father’s place. Maxentius, the Emperor of Rome, was not happy with Constantine and sent troops to crush him so he could be the sole Emperor. But Constantine was ready and set forth with an army of well-trained, loyal troops to conquer Rome. The two armies met at the Milvian Bridge, which was built over the Tiber River.

Constantine’s troops were greatly outnumbered by Maxentius’. But the Day before the decisive battle which brought him victory over his enemies, Constantine and his troops saw across in the sky above the battlefield; a flaming Cross, the symbol of the Christian faith. Under it the words were written, “EN TOUTΩ NIKA”, which means “with this sign conquer”. That night Constantine saw in a dream Christ Himself, telling him to make banners with the Cross and carry them in his battles, so that he would conquer his enemies.

Constantine also had his troops make several Crosses and mark their shields with the Cross. The following day carrying the Crosses, Constantine won the battle and Maxentius was utterly defeated. Triumphantly Constantine entered the city of Rome and the people hailed him as their new Emperor.

In 313 Constantine issued the Edict of Milan that put an end to the persecutions of the Christians and set them free. Then in 325 he called the First Ecumenical Council in Nicaea, where 318 Fathers met, and the first part of the Creed was written.

To his mother, Helen, Constantine was a very generous son. He gave her the title of “Augusta” (Empress) and put her in charge of the treasure to do charitable works and to build churches for the Christians.

All her life, Queen Helen dreamed of going to Jerusalem to visit the Holy Land and to find Christ’s Holy Cross. In 325, the eighty-year-old, Queen took a small army of men and craftsmen, along with silver and gold, and set sail for Jerusalem. Due to bad weather, the company delayed in Paros waiting for the seas to calm. While there, St. Helen had her craftsmen build a large Church with one hundred doors. She dedicated it to the Mother of Christ and called it “Ekantotapyliανι” (meaning the Church with one hundred doors).

When the company finally arrived in Jerusalem, the Patriarch, with all his clergy welcomed the Queen to the Holy Land. Upon her arrival in the Holy City, St. Helen and her company began at once the search for Golgotha, the Holy Tomb and the Holy Cross. After buried for almost three hundred years it was slow and difficult work.

Forty years after Christ’s Crucifixion, the Romans had destroyed Jerusalem, leaving “no stone on stone” and the Jews were exiled. The Romans built a city on the ruins and a temple to the goddess Aphrodite high on Golgotha where the Cross was buried. After two hundred and
fifty years, even the pagan temple had fallen, and a sweet-smelling plant was growing in its
ruins. The flower was basil, “vasiliko” which means the flower of royalty.

Basil has become the official flower of the Church. The Priests use it to bless Churches
and homes whenever the blessing of water takes place.

Queen Helen was desperate to find Golgotha and asked everyone to pray. An Angel
appeared to the Patriarch and told him that the Holy Cross was buried underneath the ruins of
the pagan temple.

St. Helen immediately gathered her small army and they dug where the basil was
growing. Amazingly enough, their efforts were rewarded. Under the debris they discovered the
Holy Tomb of Christ. Near the tomb they found three crosses buried beneath the earth. They
dug a little further and found four large shining nails which were used to nail Jesus on the
Cross. Seeing all these, the Queen and the Patriarch were overwhelmed with great joy and gave
thanks to God for not overlooking their efforts, but she was also sad because she didn’t know
which one was Christ’s Cross. Patriarch Makarios, however assured her that God would reveal
His Cross with a miracle.

A funeral was passing by and one of the men stopped the procession and asked them to
bring the dead man to the Queen. The men laid one of the crosses on top of the dead man, but
nothing happened. Then the other cross and again nothing. Those were the two crosses on
which the two thieves died.

They laid the third Cross on him. “O how marvelous are Your works O Lord!” The dead
man rose and through this wondrous miracle the true Cross was revealed.

St. Helen and the Patriarch had tears of great joy in their eyes. They praised and glorified
God and embraced and kissed the Life-Giving Cross of our Savior Jesus Christ.

Recognizing the people’s desire to see the Cross, St. Helen had a platform built. On
September 14th in 326, Patriarch Makarios climbed up and lifted the Holy Cross. The people fell
on their knees and cried aloud “Lord have mercy”. This was the first “Elevation” of the Holy
Cross. This event became the annual elevation of the Holy Cross Feastday that is celebrated on
September 14th.

Before leaving Jerusalem, St. Helen built many Churches. She constructed the Church of
the Nativity in Bethlehem where Christ was born and the Church of the Ascension on the
Mount of Olives. She also constructed a tower and a Chapel on Mt. Sinai to protect the monks
from thieves and pirates. And most importantly she built the Church of the Holy Sepulcher on
the Holy Tomb of Christ, where the Holy Light comes on every Easter without anyone lighting
it on Great and Holy Saturday.

In 614, the Persians captured Jerusalem and made off with the Cross of Christ. Heraclius,
the Emperor of Byzantium led his armies against the Persians, retrieved the Holy Cross and
returned it to Jerusalem. The Holy Fathers of the church realized that the Cross could be stolen
again, and they decided to cut it and distribute it to the spiritual centers of Christ’s Churches
and Monasteries.

As an interesting side to the story:

When St. Helen returned to Constantinople, she brought back flowerpots planted with
basil. She took care of them herself with her own hands. When she stepped off the boat, she
placed the pots in a long row. From that time on that place was called “Glastra” (flowerpots), later a woman’s convent was built on that spot and it was named “Glastra”.

Sts. Constantine and Helen contributed so much to the Christian Faith that they were given the titles “Isapostoli” which means equal to the Apostles. St. Helen died in 328 and St. Constantine on May 21, 337. They were both buried in the Church of the Holy Apostles in Constantinople. They are commemorated together on May 21st.

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**FLOWERS FOR THE PANAGIA ICON DONATIONS**

- For the health of the John Veres Family
- For the health of family, donated by Nick A. Karagiannis
- For the health of family, donated by Pete Kolokithas
- For the health of Alexander and Alexandra on their wedding day and for the health of family, donated by Georgia Mavros

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**Fr. Michael’s Monthly Report – August 6, 2019**

1. **Vacation Church School** – it took place last week July 31st, August 1 and 2nd. The theme was **Superheroes** of the Faith; St. Katherine, St. Demetrios and St. Paisios. Good number of kids participated from Pre-K (4 years old) to sixth grade (12 years old). Also we had a nice group of volunteers (parents and Goyans) who came to help in teaching, cooking, crafts, gym fun and music. Mrs. Jennifer Solomon was the Coordinator and she did an excellent job. Everything went smoothly. The kids loved it!!!

2. **Dekapentavgoustos** – We are in the first fifteen days of August where a strict fast is observed by the Church for all of us for the Dormition of the Theotokos. Every evening we have Paraklesis Services except for Saturday night and the day before the Transfiguration when we have the Vespers Service, instead. During the Paraklesis Services we also pray for all the living by commemorating the names. Please submit your names if you wish. So far, we have good attendance in Church every evening.

3. **For the Great Vespers** for the Dormition of the Theotokos, we will have it at the Chapel in York, PA at 6:00pm on August 14th.

4. **For the Feastday** of the Dormition on August 15th, we will need to have Parish Council members. We usually have a nice large group of people that come for the Services and this Feastday is considered as the “Pascha” of the Summer.

5. **Syllogos Neohoriton Panigyri** will be held on Sunday, August 25, 2019. Everyone is invited to join the Panigyri to come eat, drink and dance. Live Music with the George Rambos Band. Please join us
at the Neohoriton Community Park (Elicker’s Grove), 511 Roth Church Road, Spring Grove, PA 17361. Church service begins with Orthros at 10am and Divine Liturgy at 11:00am in celebration of the Feastday of the Kimisis Tis Theotokou.

6. **The Candelabras** that are located on the Solea next to the Holy Altar main doors have been taken to be refinished. They should be back in three weeks at the most. The cost is $300 each. This way they will look fresh for the Clergy Laity Assembly at the end of September.

7. **I will also give to refinish** the seven-candle candelabra above the Altar, the censer and a blessing cross.

8. **Metropolis Clergy-Laity Assembly:** This will be held in our Parish at the end of September; September 26th, 27th and 28th. Our Committee are looking to cover a variety of areas. From food, to large rooms availability, to electronic access and presentations. We will be communicating this week with the Metropolitan and Chancellor along with the Metropolis Committee to sort out details of responsibility. Please help the Committee in aspects of specific areas that you may be able to help along with reaching out to our Community for participation and assistance.

9. **Sunday School:** We had a meeting and hope to have another one at the end of this month with the Sunday School Teachers. We are proposing to have some incentives to help with the attendance of our Sunday School students. While the start in the Fall is good, it drops for the Winter and Spring. More specifically we would like with perfect attendance to offer to those students $100 towards Camp Nazareth.

10. **New Books for the Divine Liturgy.** A new Parishioner provided the funds to have 100 more books of the Liturgy in our pews. Sponsoring the Metropolis Clergy-Laity Assembly will help us have an adequate number of books available in our pews.

11. **Marble Project:** it is finished and our Cathedral looks very beautiful. The cost is $8,111.33 more of the initial estimate. The donor will provide the funds.

12. **Handicap Ramp** from the parking lot to the front entrance of the Cathedral. We have the sponsor and we need to proceed with this project perhaps after the Clergy Laity Assembly. Let us talk for it.

13. **Greek School Leadership.** We have changed the leadership in the Greek School. Mrs. Jacque Ferentinos cannot serve as our Director nor as a Teacher this year. We now have George Giannaris as a co-Director along with myself. As discussed last year with the Teachers and PTO we hope to make some good and positive changes for our Greek School. Some more information will be given as we plan to meet with George and PTO President this week.

14. **Pilgrimage** to the Ecumenical Patriarchate. What a blessing!!! We are offering to His All-Holiness an Epitrachilion and Omophorion as a gift from our Community along with a picture of our Cathedral. We can pass a tray to help pay for this gift since it is coming from all of us at Holy Trinity Cathedral.

15. **Holy Trinity Fall Golf Classic Tournament will be held on Sunday September 22, 2019** to benefit Ionian Village and Campers at Camp Nazareth at Eagles Crossing Golf Course, 501 Conodoguinet
Registration to begin at 12:00 p.m., Shotgun Start at 1:00 p.m. $340 per team. If interested in signing up a team, please talk to Charman Chris Petsinis at 717-713-4627 or email chris_petsinis@yahoo.com. Note: All golfers/teams MUST pre-register by September 8th. A table will be set up in the Hall for your registrations. We all may wish to help by becoming sponsors. Every Sunday there will be a table at the foyer of our Church Hall after the Services to receive your donation to benefit our precious youth. Please consider becoming a sponsor. Thank you.

16. **Pictorical Directory** is in the last phase. We are correcting mistakes and will send it back in and in a few weeks, we will be getting our new pictorial directory. We will order extra directories. Those extra directories will be available to sale to parishioners who did not take pictures nor submit a photo.

17. **Iconography Project:** The 2nd phase has been completed and are looking into the 3rd and 4th phases. The 3rd phase which we hope to undertake for next year, the end of May and the beginning of June 2020, will include the upper section of the two walls in the main Church with limited additions in the dome.

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**AHEPA Blood Drive**

In the Library

**Sunday, September 8th**

**9:30 AM - 12:30 PM**

Help keep the local blood supply safe!

**Donors Receive:**

- 2 FREE admission vouchers to a Harrisburg Comedy Zone Show
- FREE Blood Donor t-shirt

A form of ID is REQUIRED to Donate
For more information: 1-800-771-0059 • 717giveblood.org
AHEPA WISHES KALO MINA OF SEPTEMBER 2019

AHEPA Chapter #64 wishes a blessed month of September to the entire community and hopes to recruit more men into the membership which has grown exponentially over the past 5 years. Since 1922, the AHEPA has initiated over 500,000 members into its 400 Chapters worldwide. With Chapters in the United States, Greece, Cyprus, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, England, Germany, France, Austria, and Constantinople. AHEPA is reaching out worldwide.

AHEPA is the world’s leading membership organization for Hellenes. We salute our members of the Power District #4 and Chapter #64 of Harrisburg, PA for again being honored as the Chapter with the most growth and retention for the past year presented at the 87th District Convention held this past June 7-9 in Grantville, PA at the Holiday Inn. Chapter #64 strives to support and promote active works of charity and great deeds in our community. We are proud of our membership and actively will do our part to recruit more members. We do great work! INVITE 1 to join today!

Listed below is a sample of the work the National AHEPA is proud of:

1. Contributed over $1 Billion to worthy causes since 1922.
2. Launched a fundraising initiative to raise $1 Million for the St. Nicholas Shrine at the World Trade Center collecting over $816,780 to date.
3. Raised over $512,800 for the Greek Relief securing shipments of medical supplies totaling $14 Million.
4. Awarded $1,250,000 in AHEPA Educational Scholarships in 2018 cumulatively.
5. Awarded over $55,000 in Athletic Department Scholarships.
7. Received a $1,249,000 donation from the Estate of Nancy Horton, wherein the interest will support the charitable work carried out in our hospitals in Greece.
8. Maintained the AHEPA ‘Journey to Greece Program’ which sends 25 students to participate in the summer credited program, tuition free on an annual basis.
9. A donation of $25,000 from L.M. Kohn and Company for the Educational Seminar and sponsorship of the annual Hellenic History Tournament where $10,000 in scholarships are awarded.
10. $10,000 to the Ionian Village towards their rebuilding after the recent tornadoes.
11. Raised $100,000 for Hurricane Harvey relief in 2017.
12. Donated $100,000 to the Ecumenical Patriarchate since 2008.
13. Donated over $25,000 by supporting the AHEPA Marathon for AHEPA charities.
14. Donated $5,000 in children’s toys to Children’s Hospital at Christmastime.
15. AHEPA Veterans Committee launched the website for registration of veteran members of the AHEPA and for the collection of donations to Veteran’s Programs.
17. Coordinated and donated over 10,000 gallons of milk to the families affected by the lead poisoning in Flint, Michigan.
18. Raised awareness and funds for the K-9 Service Dogs for Wounded Warriors programs and projects. AHEPA has purchased 16 dogs valued at $20,000 each so far, each for PTSD veterans.
19. Hosted events across the USA and Canada in support of the Sons and Maids, along with many other projects.
20. Donated $50,000 to sponsor the Religious Freedom Conference in Washington, D.C.


More information can be found on these AHEPA websites:

Respectfully,  
Dr. Michael Billys, Chaplain
Ahepa Chapter #64
District Marshal of Power District #4
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Ελληνικό Σχολείο γιά του Μεγάλους

Η προγραμμένη Τάξη γιά τους Μεγάλους την Τρίτη 1η Οκτωβρίου από τις 5:30μ.μ. έως τις 7:00μ.μ. και το Ελληνικό Σχολείο Ενηλίκων για καινούργιους θα είναι την Πέμπτη 3 Οκτωβρίου από τις 5:30μ.μ. έως 7:00μ.μ.

Το περασμένο έτος ήταν μια επιτυχημένη χρονιά και είχαμε μια οραία συγκέντρωση μαθητών. Προσβλέπουμε και πάλι φέτος. Ο π. Μιχαήλ διδάσκει για άλλη μια φορά φέτος. Εγγραφείτε, ώστε να παραγγελθούν τα κατάλληλα αριθμό βιβλίων. Νά δήτο το εσωτερικό και νά εγγραφήτε.

Η ΓΚΟΓΙΑ

Ανυπομονούμε για μια υπέροχη χρονιά με τους GOYAN μας. Όλα τα παιδιά από τις 7η έως τις 12η τάξεις προσκαλούνται και τους καλωσορίζουμε στην GOYA. Συναντώμαστε σε διαφορετικά σπίτια, έχουμε συζητήσεις για θρησκευτικά θέματα, πηγαίνουμε σε ρητρές, βοηθούμε πτυχούς και ούτω καθώς. Θέλουμε όλα τα παιδιά μας στις 7-12 τάξεις να είναι μέρος αυτής της ομάδας. Η πρώτη μας συγκέντρωση παράκαμπτη όταν θα γίνει την Κυριακή 15 Σεπτεμβρίου στο σπίτι του Χριστοφόρου και Σωτηρίας Πετσίνη, 1127 Shannon Lane, Carlisle, PA στις 4:30 μ.μ. Παρακαλούμε κάνετε τα σχέδια για να έλθете.

ΟΙ ΟΛΥΜΠΙΑΚΕΣ ΦΛΟΓΕΣ

Ελπίζουμε ότι όλες οι χορευτές μας θα απολάυσουν το καλοκαίρι τους διάλειμμα. Είμαστε ενθουσιασμένοι που ανακοινώνουμε ότι οι πρόβες χορού θα ξεκινήσουν την Τετάρτη 11 Σεπτεμβρίου 2019 στις 7:00μμ για όλες τις ομάδες. Συμπληρώστε τη φόρμα εγγραφής που συμπλήρωστε τον πάτερ Μιχαήλ στον ιερό μηχανηματία τους ή συνυγόμενο τον Πέμπτη 3 Οκτωβρίου από τις 5:30μ.μ. έως τις 7:00μ.μ.

Θέλουμε να καλωσορίσουμε όλους τους καλοκαιρινούς ταξιδιώτες. Επιστρέψτε τα βιβλία. Μερικά βιβλία δεν είχαν υπογραφοντας στο βιβλιοδάνειο. Μπορείτε να τα δανείστε στην Εκκλησία και την Ελλάδα για παιδιά και ταξιδιώτες.

ΦΙΛΟΠΤΩΧΟΣ

Η 1η συγκέντρωση του Αδελφώτη τους θα γίνει την Πέμπτη 19 Σεπτεμβρίου στις 6:00μμ με δείπνο. Παρακαλούμε να μας ετοιμάσετε από το σπίτι σας φαγητό. Θα έχουμε χαρτί στο Χώλ της Εκκλησίας τις Κυριακές για να δηλώσετε τί θα φέρετε. Στη συνάντηση θα μιλήσουμε για το ημερολόγιο 2019-2020, και θα μιλήσουμε για τις δωρεές που κάνουμε.

ΣΥΛΛΟΓΟΣ Αγ. Ιωακείμ και Άννας

Θέλουμε να καλωσορίσουμε όλους τους καλοκαιρινούς ταξιδιώτες. Επιστρέψτε τα βιβλία. Εάν έχετε απορίες επικοινωνήστε με την Ann Ariano στο annariano@pa.net.

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ΒΙΒΛΙΟΘΗΚΗ

Η Βιβλιοθήκη της Εκκλησίας διαθέτει βιβλία για την Ορθοδοξία και την Ελλάδα για παιδιά και μεγάλους. Μπορείτε να δανειστεί βιβλία υπογραφοντας στο βιβλιο δανειοδότη στις ταξιδιώτες της Βασιλικής Καιλλή και Γρηγόριος. Η πρώτη μας συνάντηση για τη νέα Εκκλησιαστική Χρονιά θα γίνει την Πέμπτη 5 Οκτωβρίου. Οι οικοδεσπότες μας για τη συνάντηση θα είναι η Μαρία Τουλούμη και τα παιδιά της Βασιλικής, Καίλλη και Γρηγόριος. Η συνάντηση θα πραγματοποιηθεί στο Χώλ στις 11:30 μ.μ. Επιστρέψτε τα βιβλία. Μπορείτε να παραγγείλετε από το συνολικό μας και να συμμετάσχετε στα ταξίδια μας και στις άλλες δραστηριότητες.
Θέλουμε να καλωσορίσουμε όλους τους ενορίες καθώς επιστρέφουν από τις καλοκαιρινές τους διακοπές και ταξίδια. Καθώς ξεκινάμε την Εκκλησιαστική Χρονιά, το βιβλιοπωλείο είναι πάντα διαθέσιμο για τις ορθόδοξες ανάγκες σας. Ανυπομονούμε πάντοτε να εξυπηρετούμε τους ενορίες ώστε να βρούν κάποιο βιβλίο η άλλο αντικείμενο που χρειάζονται για δική τους χρήση ή για οικογένεια ή φίλους. Επειδή ο Δημήτρης και η Κυρία θα λείπουν τον Σεπτέμβριο θα έχουν ευθυνές να ανοίξουν το Βιβλιοπωλείο μόνο που δεν θα μπορείτε να χρησιμοποιείτε την κάρτα σας, μόνο τακίκη ή μετρητή χρήματα. Σάς συγχρηματίζουμε υπάρξεις για αυτό.

Έχουμε μεγάλη ποικιλία αντικειμένων στο βιβλιοπωλείο. Παρέχουμε ικόνες, βιβλία, θυμιάματα, κάρβουνο και θυμίαμα για οικιακή χρήση. Όλα τα έσοδα από το βιβλιοπωλείο πηγαίνουν είτε απ’ τις κυρίες είτε από εθελοντές στο βιβλιοπωλείο είτε στην ενορία. Πρόσφατα λάβαμε δύο διαφορετικά CD που έχουν βυζαντινές μελωδίες στα Ελληνικά και στα Αγγλικά. Επίσης προσθέσαμε συνεχώς νέους τίτλους βιβλίων στην εξαιρετική μας συλλογή ορθόδοξων βιβλίων. Μπορούμε επίσης να δημιουργήσουμε ειδικά βιβλία παραγγελιών, εκόνες και άλλα αντικείμενα που μπορεί να μήν είναι διαθέσιμα στο βιβλιοπωλείο. Επίσης, παραγγέλνουμε εικόνες και άλλα αντικείμενα από τη Μονή Αγίας Σκέπης όταν χρειάζεται.

Έχουμε το κρασί που χρησιμοποιείται για την Θεία Κοινωνία διαθέσιμο για να αγοράσετε και να δωρίσετε στον Πάτερ Μιχαήλ για χρήση κατά τη διάρκεια της Θείας Λειτουργίας. Προσθέσαμε πρόσφατα μπουκάλια ελαφρού ελαιολάδου που διάρκεια της Θείας Λειτουργίας. Προσθέσαμε συνεχώς νέα αντικείμενα από εθελοντές νά ανοίγουν τό Βιβλιοπωλείο είτε στον Πάτερ Μιχαήλ είτε στην ενορία. Εάν θέλετε να προσθέσετε το ονομα εις μνημήν η Μνημόσυνο πού θέλετε γιά νά σάς κάνει κόλλυβα γιά τό Μνημόσυνο πού έχασαν τους συζύγους τους. Αυτό τό γκρούπ θα έχει συνάντηση μία φορά το μήνα την Πέμπτη. Η Πρεσβυτέρα υπογράφει στην ομάδα των γυναικών. Επισημένες συνάντηση μας θα γίνει την Πέμπτη 19 Σεπτεμβρίου στις 11:30πμ. Μπορείτε να παρακάσετε και να αναφέρετε χρήματα που αφορούν τους συμμετέχοντες. Παρακαλούμε να έρθετε.
ΝΑ ΠΡΟΣΕΥΧΟΜΑΣΤΕ ΓΙΑ ΤΟΥΣ ΑΣΘΕΝΕΙΣ, ΤΟΥΣ ΑΝΗΜΠΟΡΟΥΣ, ΤΟΥΣ ΔΥΣΤΥΧΕΙΣ

«Η προσευχή των δίκαιων είναι ισχυρή και αποτελεσματική» (Ιακ. 5.16) Αν γνωρίζετε κάποιο άτομο σε νοσοκομείο που θα ήθελε μια επίσκεψη, παρακαλούμε τηλεφωνείστε τον πάτερ Μιχαήλ (717) 818-1160 ή την κ. Γεωργία Λουκάς (717) 697-0913.

Ελπίζουμε να μοιραστείτε στο μέλλον ονόματα αν ύμων έχουν κατασκηνώσεις ή ήχον ανάγκη σε κάτι άλλο ζήτημα ώστε η κοινότητα να μπορεί να προσεύχετε. Αν ξέρετε πρόσωπα που είστε βέβαιοι ότι θα ήθελαν να έχουν τα ονόματά τους γραμμένα, τότε παρακαλούμε δώστε τα ονόματά τους στην γραμματέα της Εκκλησίας.

ΕΙΔΟΠΟΙΗΣΗ ΓΙΑ ΜΗΤΕΡΕΣ ΝΗΠΙΩΝ
Εάν είστε γονέας μικρών παιδιών και θέλετε να προσφέρετε εθελοντικά βοηθώντας τη φροντίδα του παιδικού σταθμού, παρακαλούμε να συμμετάσχετε στη σελίδα Facebook: Nursery Holy Trinity@Camp Hill ή επικοινωνήστε με την Faith Sgagias στο faithlarue@gmail.com. Ευχαριστώ!

Η Τής Αγίας Τριάδος Jr. Ensemble
Την Κυριακή 21 Οκτωβρίου στό Χώλ της Εκκλησίας μετά την Κυριακική Λειτουργία θα παρατεθεί το γεύμα και θα ακολουθήσει το Junior Ensemble για τον εορτασμό της 20ής επετείου. Σκοπεύετε να παρακολουθήσετε και να υποστηρίξετε τη νεολαία μας για αυτό το θαυμαστό πολιτιστικό πρόγραμμα. Ελάτε να δητε τα μεγάλα χαρίσματα/ταλέντα που έχουν τα παιδά μας.

Βυζαντινή Μουσική
Ο π. Ααρών Γκίλμπερτ, Υπεύθυνος για την Νεολαία, δίνει μαθήματα Βυζαντινής Μουσικής κάθε Σάββατο στις 4:30μ. Αμα ενδιαφέρεσθε να μιλήσετε με τόν Ααρών στό (717) 727-4014, ή στο email aaron@holytrinityhbg.org.

Γκόλφ Εκδήλωση
Μεγάλο γκολφ για μια μεγάλη αιτία! Holy Trinity Fall Golf Classic Tournament Νά ορθροθησή τα παιδιά για τις κατασκηνώσεις που θα έγινουν στο Ιονικό Χωρίο
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ΘΕΙΕΣ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΕΣ ΣΕΠΤΕΜΒΡΙΟΥ
Κυριακή 1η Σεπτεμβρίου
Εναρξη Νεου Εκκλησιαστικου Ετους 8:15πμ Ορθρος
9:30πμ Θεια Λειτουργια
Δευτέρα 2 Σεπτεμβρίου
Λέιμπορ Ντέι
Αργία – Τό γραφείο είναι κλειστό
Κυριακή 8 Σεπτεμβρίου
Το Γενέθλιον της Θεοτοκου
8:15πμ Ορθρος
9:30πμ Θεια Λειτουργια
Ημέρα Αιμοδοσίας
Τετάρτη 11 Σεπτεμβρίου
7:00μμ Προβα Χορου με εγγραφες
Σάββατο 14 Σεπτεμβρίου
Η Υψωσις του Τιμιου Σταυρου
8:15πμ Ορθρος
9:00πμ Θεια Λειτουργια
6:00μμ Εσπερινός
6:30μμ Σεμινάριο για τους Ιερόπαιδες
Κυριακή 15 Σεπτεμβρίου
Κυριακή μετά την Υψωσις του Τιμιου Σταυρου
Τρίτη 17 Σεπτεμβρίου
7:00μμ Συνάντηση Κοινωνικού Συμβουλίου

Τετάρτη 18 Σεπτεμβρίου
5:15μμ Αγιασμός του Ελληνικού Σχολείο
Ελατε να δητε το καινούργιο πρόγραμμα, να γνωριστήτε με τις δασκάλες, να δητε τις ταξεις να παρετε τα βιβλια και να έχετε το πρώτο μάθημα.
7:00μμ μάθημα χορού
7:00μμ Συνάντηση των Μητέρων

Πέμπτη 19 Σεπτεμβρίου
11:30πμ Γκρουπ Πενθούς για τις κυριες
6:00μμ Συγκέντρωση του Συλλόγου της Φιλοπτωχού με φαγητο που παρακαλουμε να φερετε απο το σπιτι.

Σαββατο 21 Σεπτεμβρίου
5:00μμ Η Γκόγια θα καθαρίσει την Εκκλησία
6:00μμ Εσπερινός

Κυριακή 22 Σεπτεμβρίου
1η Κυριακή του Λουκά
8:15πμ Ορθρος
9:30πμ Θεία Λειτουργία

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Σαββατο 28 Σεπτεμβρίου
Κληρολαϊκό Συνέδριο της Μητροπόλεως μας στόν δικό μας Καθεδρικό της Αγίας Τριάδος.
6:00μμ Εσπερινός

Κυριακή 29 Σεπτεμβρίου
2η Κυριακή Λουκά
8:15μμ Ορθρος
9:30πμ Αρχιερατική Θεία Λειτουργία με τόν Μητροπολίτη μας κ.κ. Σάββα

Δευτέρα 30 Σεπτεμβρίου
6:30μμ – 12μεσάνυκτα Εσπερινός, Ορθρος, Λιτή στην Αγια Σκεπη

Τρίτη 1η Οκτωβρίου
Εορτή της Αγίας Σκεπής στο Μοναστηρί Αγία Σκεπη
8:00πμ Ωρες
9:00πμ Θεία Λειτουργία
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We now have availability for two pages of paid ads in our monthly Source. The ad price will represent a year of advertising or 11 issues as we combine the September and July Source into one issue. Ads are sold by the block. There will be room for 24 ads or blocks per page. You may purchase more than one block for increased space and presentation. The cost of one ad block is $125 per year, and subsequent blocks would be an additional $100 per block. For example, a business card ad would equal two blocks and would cost $225. Camera-ready ads are appreciated but not required.

Please help us promote this program. If you own or work for a business that may be interested in advertising in our Source which is sent out to over 600 families, please contact Mary in the church office. If you know of a business that may be a potential advertiser, please pass on a contact and phone number. Examples of businesses that may be interested in advertising could be Greek bands, importers, baptismal supplies/clothing stores, and jewelers specializing in crosses. Other possibilities could be lawyers, accountants, real estate agents, etc. The only ads we cannot accept are ones pertaining to credit cards, travel, or insurance.

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