



THE GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL
OF THE ANNUNCIATION

BALTIMORE, MD 21201

Sunday, October 15, 2023

SUNDAY OF THE 7TH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL



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TODAY

Memorial Service - May Their Memory Be Eternal

Sophoclis (Soph) Sophocleus - 3 years

Evangeline (Ann) Sophocleus - 3 years

- **The servant of God John 'Modestos' Buerger** will be chrismated in the Orthodox Church this morning. His sponsor is Alexandra Austin. May God grant him many blessed years!
- **We thank our 2023 Stewardship Day Sponsor**, John Hall, for choosing October 15, in honor of Bishop Constantine Moralis of Sassima's ordination anniversary.
- **The Sacramental Wine** is donated by Penelope Coroneos Rutledge for the health and welfare of her aunt, Despina Bahadouris Coroneos; and by Marina McNamara in honor of John "Modestos" Buerger's Chrismation into the Orthodox Church.
- **Join us for a Coffee Hour**, in the Father Constantine Monios Social Hall immediately following Divine Liturgy, sponsored by John and Joanna Zoulis and family, in memory of their father, Lazaros Koutouvalis and sister in law, Fotini Frederiki Ieromonahos.
- Please wish a **Happy 29th Wedding Anniversary** to Presvytera Nicolette and Father Anastasios as they celebrated on October 9th and a **Happy 60th Birthday** to Father Anastasios today.
- **If you are visiting the Cathedral**, please introduce yourself to Fr. Anastasios Bourantas at the end of the Liturgy.



WEEKLY CALENDAR

See all events at:

annunciationbaltimore.org/calendar

LITURGICAL

- **Wed., 10/18**
 - 9:00am - Orthros and Divine Liturgy for St. Luke the Evangelist
 - 6:00pm - Paraklesis
- **Fri., 10/20**
 - 9:00am - Orthros and Divine Liturgy for Sts. Artemios and Gerasimos
- **Sun., 10/22 (6th Sunday of Luke)**
 - 8:00am - Orthros
 - 9:30am - Divine Liturgy

COMMUNITY


- **Mon., 10/16**
 - 7:00pm - Youth Ministries Committee Meeting
- **Wed., 10/18**
 - 7:00pm - Choir Practice
- **Thur., 10/19**
 - 10:00am - HHMM
 - 10:30am - Building & Maintenance Committee Meeting
- **Fri., 10/20**
 - 5:30pm - Greek School
 - 7:00pm - GOYA Meeting + Basketball Practice
- **Sat., 10/21**
 - 10:00am - Women's Bible Study
 - 3:00pm - Hope/Joy Event - Long Green Farm
- **Sun., 10/22**
 - 1:00pm - Choir Concert Series (AOC)
 - 5:00pm - AA and Al-Anon Meeting

SAINT OF THE DAY


Sunday of the 7th Ecumenical Council

On the Sunday that falls on or immediately after the eleventh of this month, we chant the Service to the 350 holy Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council, which gathered in Nicaea in 787 under the holy Patriarch Tarasius and during the reign of the Empress Irene and her son, Constantine Porphyrogenitus, to refute the Iconoclast heresy, which had received imperial support beginning with the Edict issued in 726 by Emperor Leo the Isaurian. Many of the holy Fathers who condemned Iconoclasm at this holy Council later died as Confessors and Martyrs for the holy Icons during the second assault of Iconoclasm in the 9th century, especially during the reigns of Leo the Armenian and Theophilus.


YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT

- **Date Change Due to Impending Weather: HOPE/JOY will have a gathering at Long Green Farm on Saturday, October 21st from 3:00-5:00 pm.** We will spend time at the farm, visit the animals, and play games. The address is Long Green Farm, 12720 Long Green Pike, Hydes, MD 21082. We thank the Deford family for hosting us. Please contact hopejoy@annunciationbaltimore.org or Eleni Lampadariou at 617-823-7143.
- **OXI DAY** - All youth are invited to the OXI Day Spaghetti Dinner, **Friday, October 27 from 6:30pm-8:30pm** in the Fr. Constantine Monios Social Hall. Come and enjoy food, music, dancing and games. Cost is \$5 a person. To RSVP use this link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054AACA72DA0F58-44802701-2023> 
- **Young Adult League (YAL)** - Join the Annunciation Young Adult League to meet other Orthodox Christians in Baltimore ages 18-35 for social, spiritual, and service themed events. Email Alexi Vlahoyiannis at yal@annunciationbaltimore.org for more information and fill out this form - (<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-RPLI6KPG8Sy6mog7z66w8E4K8i2VfqmMwC1VxnfQTxPp2g/viewform>) to receive updates on future events.
- **OCF** - All students attending college in the Baltimore area - Orthodox Christian Fellowship is a campus ministry to help you connect with other Orthodox Christians, navigate your time through school, and stay connected to the Church. Contact Dn. John for more info.
- **Greek School Registration is now Open.** Greek School is open to all children for Intro to Prep through 6th Grade. Register your child at: <https://forms.gle/Jh1SkcoU4bGi4dJL6>. Classes are on Friday evenings.
- **The Greek School is recruiting Teachers for the 2023/2024 school year.** Specifically for Kindergarten class and a teacher certified in Ellinomathima. Contact Sia Kyriakakos at siakyriakakos@gmail.com or 443-824-2573. This is a paid position.
- **Sunday School - Register your child at:** https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSevzHUUtlCO87DYJu_S6U2QbGEpEo4P0adEWvpqoqYjIG28w/viewform.
- **Sunday School is looking for Volunteers** - Teachers, Substitute Teachers and Teacher Aids for the 2023/2024 school year. Contact Anastasia Georgiou at religiously@annunciationbaltimore.org.
- **Please consider supporting our Youth Ministries** by making a donation in the labeled wooden collection box.

FESTIVAL UPDATE

- **Our 51st Annual Greek Festival was a big success.** The festival committee would like to thank all of the volunteers  fellowship and hard work in helping make this event possible.
- **FESTIVAL FOOD SALE** - Festival Food Firesale: there is a **limited supply** of full-size pans of **food, pastries and amazing wines** available for sale on our website. Please go to the link below or scan the QR code to order in advance. Inventory on some items is low. All food sales will be handled through the website to manage inventory on a first come basis. Pick up will be Sunday after Divine Liturgy in the lower lobby. Please call John Hall at 410-727-1831 for further questions. Again, thank you for your support and all of the effort put into an amazing Festival. <https://greek-orthodox-cathedral-of-the-annunciation---baltimore.square.site/>

COMMUNITY

- The Annunciation Women's Guild invites the **Women of the Cathedral to their Fall General Meeting and Luncheon on Sunday, October 29, 2023 at 11:30 AM** (after Liturgy) in the AOC Lobby. Please join us for a light lunch and fellowship with our Guest Speaker, Parish Historian, Nicholas M. Prevas. Nicholas will discuss the details surrounding the installation of the Cathedral's four Tiffany Windows and share the fascinating story of Baltimore's Greek Community of the 1920s. **Please RSVP by Friday, October 27, 2023** to Kaliope Del Pizzo at kmdelpizzo@gmail.com.
- **Special Fundraiser sponsored by AHEPA Chapter 535** (Aegean Defenders): Join Apollonia Greek Band featuring Antonis Giorgakis on the Lyra, for a special Greek Night celebration of OXI Day and fundraiser for the devastating fires and floods in Greece, **Friday, October 27th, 7pm** at Estiatorios Plaka. Presale tickets are \$50 including appetizers or \$60 at the door.
- The **Growing in Faith Women's Bible Study Group** will be studying the book Galatians. No Bible Study experience necessary as we will all learn together. Meetings will take place on Saturday mornings from **10AM - 11:30AM** in the AOC: **October 21 & November 11, 18**
- **The Worthington Chapter #30 of AHEPA will celebrate its 100th Anniversary** with a Dinner/Dance at Martin's Valley Mansion on **Saturday, November 4, 2023, from 7-11pm**. Honored guests attending are Pastors of Greek Orthodox churches, members of Congress, AHEPA Supreme Lodge Officers and the Chairman of the AHEPA Service Dogs for Warriors Program. There will be a Pictorial Display of the Chapter's History. Raffle tickets are also available with a prize of \$25,000. We invite all parishioners to attend and be part of our historic celebration! Event tickets are \$100 and available online at www.ahepa30.org, or by emailing Chairman Bill Bond at bondgrp@comcast.net.
- **Philoptochos Apron Sale fundraiser** is underway to benefit the Philoxenia House Elevator Project. Each Apron is \$35. Use link: <https://forms.gle/mE87BULB6uKQdSC17> or Scan QR code to place your order. Contact Rhoula Monios at rhoulavie@yahoo.com for more information. 
- **If you know of a parishioner who lives in an assisted-living home or by themselves** and is not able to attend services, please share their information with the Church Office. We want to make sure they receive visits from Fr. Anastasios or Dn. John, a copy of the Sunday Bulletin and Newsletter, and any other newsworthy communications.

CULTURE

- **The Hellenic Heritage Museum of Maryland, located in the AOC is open to visitors.** Our exhibits recognize the heritage of the Greeks who established this community. We are open by appointment or you can visit most Sundays when coffee hour is at the AOC. We continue to collect items that identify our culture and the journey of the families that established this community. Those interested in pursuing the heritage of Greeks in Maryland are welcome to our weekly work sessions on **Thursdays at the AOC from 10:30am to 1:00pm**. Contact: Fotini Batlatzis, tinabatlatzis@gmail.com, 410-823-0139; Harry C. Maistros, harry.maistros@comcast.net, 410- 467-1836; or visit: hellenicheritagemd.org, for more information.

BOOKSTORE

- The Bookstore at the Annunciation Cathedral is open every Sunday after Divine Liturgy. Please stop by to see the beautiful icons, books and gifts for purchase.

MUSIC

- The Annunciation **Cathedral Choir** and our choir Director, Fotini (Fifi) Nichols, invite you to join the choir. **Rehearsal will be held every Wednesday night at 7pm.** For additional information contact Fifi at fnichols1@verizon.net or you may call/text her at 443-745-9686.
- The **Annunciation Cathedral Choir** presents the first concert in the 2023-2024 season of the Annunciation Cathedral Concert Series on **Sunday, October 22 at 1 pm**, in the AOC. It will feature soprano Emily Casey, baritone Rob McGinness and Teodora Adzharova on the piano. This will be a wonderful musical event. For information and tickets, please contact annunciationconcerts.com or tadzharova@gmail.com, 410-929-5861.



STEWARDSHIP

- **2023 Stewardship Update:** To effectively manage our budget and discretionary spending, the Parish Council relies on the commitments made through pledges. Pledges provide important information about the number of families in our parish and allow you to register as a steward in good standing. We encourage all to formalize this commitment by making a pledge for 2023. **The Day Sponsor Steward Program** offers individuals a personal milestone that directly supports our parish and her ministries. You may choose a meaningful day throughout the year, whether it is a special occasion or a tribute to a loved one in memory or honor. Please consider the Day Sponsor Steward Program by becoming a **Day Sponsor Steward** (\$3500 annual pledge) or the new **Half-day Sponsor Steward** (\$1750 annual pledge). **2023 Stewardship commitment link:** <https://forms.gle/YAosrEyMkRimi84i8>. Hard copies are also available on the "Welcome" table in the church lobby.
- The office requests that you **DO NOT Submit 2022 Stewardship Envelopes. Offering Envelopes for 2023 are available** upon request. Fill out a 2023 Pledge Form and check the box asking to receive envelopes. You may also call the office or email office@annunciationbaltimore.org to request them.

- **The Sacraments of Holy Communion (and Holy Unction when offered)** are reserved for those who are baptized and/or chrismated in a canonical Orthodox Church. Additionally, even though the priest or deacon may know your name, please speak audibly your full baptismal name when approaching to receive the sacraments.
- **In order to protect our icons and liturgical items**, please blot any lip products before venerating icons or coming up for Holy Communion.
- **The Philoptochos has resources** available to those who require social services assistance. All requests are confidential and can be submitted to philoptochos@annunciationbaltimore.org or to Fr. Anastasios Fr.Anastasios@annunciationbaltimore.org or leave a message requesting a return call with the church office.
- **If you wish to have a home or business blessed** please contact the church office to request a time for Fr. Anastasios to visit.

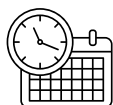
PASTORAL

GIVING

- **Online Donations** can be made through our website. Click the DONATE button in the upper right corner. We are grateful for your continued stewardship!
- **For candles and tray donations**, you can also donate by text message, just text the dollar amount to (833) 934-2637 and follow the prompts.
 - Note: TextToTray can only be used for candles and tray donations.
 - We are also grateful for donations made by check.

DIGITAL COMMUNICATION

- **Cathedral Updates** – To receive Bulletins and other updates via email, visit <https://annunciationbaltimore.flocknote.com> and enter your contact information.
- **Text Alerts** - To receive ministries updates via text, text the ministry keyword below to phone number 84576:
 - **Hope/Joy** → **HopeJoy**
 - **GOYA** → **GOYA**
 - **Men's Fellowship** → **MensFellowship**



Scheduling - To all ministry, organization and committee leaders and members: Please contact the Church Office before you schedule all on-site and off-site meetings, activities and events to ensure that there are no conflicts for meeting space and that the meetings/events appear on the church calendar.

If you would like to have information included in the Sunday Bulletin, please send your text and/or flyer to assistant@annunciationbaltimore.org by Wednesday at Noon.

For the November/December Newsletter, send to newsletter@annunciationbaltimore.org by October 16th.

Resurrectional Apolytikion

When You descended unto Death, O Lord, You who are immortal Life put Hades to death, by the lightning of Your divinity. And when You raised the dead from the netherworld, all the hosts of heaven sang aloud to You, "O Christ God, Giver of life, glory to You!"

“Ότε κατήλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἡ ζωὴ ἡ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν ἄδην ἐνέκρωσας, τῇ ἀστραπῇ τῆς θεότητος· ὅτε δὲ καὶ τοὺς τεθνεώτας, ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων ἀνέστησας, πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων ἐκραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστέ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

Apolytikion for the Fathers

Supremely blessed are You, O Christ our God. You established the holy Fathers upon the earth as beacons, and through them You have guided us all to the true Faith, O greatly merciful One, glory be to You.

Ὑπερδεδοξασμένος εἶ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ φωστῆρας ἐπὶ γῆς τοὺς Πατέρας ἡμῶν θεμελιώσας, καὶ δι’ αὐτῶν πρὸς τὴν ἀληθινὴν πίστιν, πάντας ἡμᾶς ὁδηγήσας· πολυεύσπλαγχνε, δόξα σοι.

Apolytikion for the Deceased

Remember Your servants, O Lord, since You are good, and forgive them for all their sins in life; for no one is without sin except for You who are able to give rest to those who have passed away.

Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, ὡς ἀγαθὸς τῶν δούλων σου, καὶ εἴ τι ἐν βίῳ, ἡμαρτον συγχώρησον· οὐδεὶς γὰρ ἀναμάρτητος, εἰμὴ σὺ ὁ δυνάμενος, καὶ τοῖς μετασῆσαι, δοῦναι τὴν ἀνάπαυσιν.

Apolytikion of the Parish

Today is the summary of our salvation, and the revelation of the age-old mystery. For the Son of God becomes the Son of the Virgin, and Gabriel announces the good news of grace. Therefore, let us join him, and cry aloud to the Theotokos: "Rejoice, Maiden full of grace! The Lord is with you."

Σήμερον τῆς σωτηρίας ἡμῶν τὸ κεφάλαιον, καὶ τοῦ ἀπ’ αἰῶνος μυστηρίου ἡ φανέρωσις· ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, Υἱὸς τῆς Παρθένου γίνεται, καὶ Γαβριὴλ τὴν χάριν εὐαγγελίζεται. Διὸ καὶ ἡμεῖς σὺν αὐτῷ τῇ Θεοτόκῳ βοήσωμεν· Χαίρε Κεχαριτωμένη, ὁ Κύριος μετὰ σοῦ.

Kontakion

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.

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

EPISTLE (TITUS 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 Tychicos 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.

Τέκνον Τίτε, πιστὸς ὁ λόγος, καὶ περὶ τούτων βούλομαί σε διαβιβαιοῦσθαι, ἵνα φροντίζωσιν καλῶν ἔργων προῖστασθαι οἱ πεπιστευκότες θεῷ. ταῦτά ἐστιν καλὰ καὶ ὠφέλιμα τοῖς ἀνθρώποις· μωρὰς δὲ ζητήσεις καὶ γενεαλογίας καὶ ἔριν καὶ μάχας νομικὰς περιῖστασο, εἰσὶν γὰρ ἀνωφελεῖς καὶ μάταιοι. Αἰρετικὸν ἄνθρωπον μετὰ μίαν καὶ δευτέραν νουθεσίαν παραιτοῦ, εἰδὼς ὅτι ἐξέστραπται ὁ τοιοῦτος καὶ ἁμαρτάνει, ὣν αὐτοκατάκριτος. Ὅταν πέμψω Ἀρτεμᾶν πρὸς σέ ἢ Τυχικόν, σπούδασον ἐλθεῖν πρὸς με εἰς Νικόπολιν, ἐκεῖ γὰρ κέκρικα παραχειμάσαι. Ζηνᾶν τὸν νομικὸν καὶ Ἀπολλῶν σπουδαίως πρόπεμψον, ἵνα μηδὲν αὐτοῖς λείπῃ. μανθανέτωσαν δὲ καὶ οἱ ἡμέτεροι καλῶν ἔργων προῖστασθαι εἰς τὰς ἀναγκαίας χρείας, ἵνα μὴ ὦσιν ἄκαρποι. Ἀσπάζονται σε οἱ μετ’ ἐμοῦ πάντες. Ἀσπασαί τοὺς φιλοῦντας ἡμᾶς ἐν πίστει. ἡ χάρις μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν. Ἀμήν.

GOSPEL (LUKE 8:5-15)

The Lord said this parable: "A sower went out to sow his seed; and as he sowed, some fell along the path, and was trodden under foot, and the birds of the air devoured it. And some fell on the rock; and as it grew up, it withered away, because it had no moisture. And some fell among thorns; and the thorns grew with it and choked it. And some fell into good soil and grew, and yielded a hundredfold." And when his disciples asked him what this parable meant, he said, "To you it has been given to know the secrets of the kingdom of God; but for others they are in parables, so that seeing they may not see, and hearing they may not understand. Now the parable is this: The seed is the word of God. The ones along the path are those who have heard; then the devil comes and takes away the word from their hearts, that they may not believe and be saved. And the ones on the rock are those who, when they hear the word, receive it with joy; but these have no root, they believe for a while and in time of temptation fall away. And as for what fell among the thorns, they are those who hear, but as they go on their way they are choked by the cares and riches and pleasures of life, and their fruit does not mature. And as for that in the good soil, they are those who, hearing the word, hold it fast in an honest and good heart, and bring forth fruit with patience." As he said these things, he cried out, "He who has ears to hear, let him hear."

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος τὴν παραβολὴν ταύτην· Ἐξῆλθεν ὁ σπείρων τοῦ σπείραι τὸν σπόρον αὐτοῦ. καὶ ἐν τῷ σπείρειν αὐτὸν ὁ μὲν ἔπεσε παρὰ τὴν ὁδόν, καὶ κατεπατήθη, καὶ τὰ πετεινὰ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ κατέφαγεν αὐτό· καὶ ἕτερον ἔπεσεν ἐπὶ τὴν πέτραν, καὶ φυὲν ἐξηράνθη διὰ τὸ μὴ ἔχειν ἱκμάδα· καὶ ἕτερον ἔπεσεν ἐν μέσῳ τῶν ἀκανθῶν, καὶ συμφυεῖσαι αἱ ἀκανθαὶ ἀπέπνιξαν αὐτό. καὶ ἕτερον ἔπεσεν εἰς τὴν γῆν τὴν ἀγαθὴν, καὶ φυὲν ἐποίησε καρπὸν ἑκατονταπλασίονα. ταῦτα λέγων ἐφώνει· Ὁ ἔχων ὦτα ἀκούειν ἀκουέτω. Ἐπρωτῶν δὲ αὐτὸν οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ λέγοντες· Τίς εἴη ἡ παραβολὴ αὕτη; ὁ δὲ εἶπεν· Ὑμῖν δέδοται γνῶναι τὰ μυστήρια τῆς βασιλείας τοῦ Θεοῦ, τοῖς δὲ λοιποῖς ἐν παραβολαῖς, ἵνα βλέποντες μὴ βλέπωσι καὶ ἀκούοντες μὴ συνιῶσιν. Ἔστι δὲ αὕτη ἡ παραβολή· ὁ σπόρος ἐστὶν ὁ λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ· οἱ δὲ παρὰ τὴν ὁδὸν εἰσιν οἱ ἀκούσαντες, εἴτα ἔρχεται ὁ διάβολος καὶ αἶρει τὸν λόγον ἀπὸ τῆς καρδίας αὐτῶν, ἵνα μὴ πιστεύσαντες σωθῶσιν. οἱ δὲ ἐπὶ τῆς πέτρας οἱ ὅταν ἀκούσωσι, μετὰ χαρᾶς δέχονται τὸν λόγον, καὶ οὗτοι ῥίζαν οὐκ ἔχουσιν, οἱ πρὸς καιρὸν πιστεύουσι καὶ ἐν καιρῷ πειρασμοῦ ἀφίστανται. τὸ δὲ εἰς τὰς ἀκάνθας πεσόν, οὗτοί εἰσιν οἱ ἀκούσαντες, καὶ ὑπὸ μεριμνῶν καὶ πλούτου καὶ ἡδονῶν τοῦ βίου πορευόμενοι συμπνίγονται καὶ οὐ τελεσφοροῦσι. τὸ δὲ ἐν τῇ καλῇ γῇ, οὗτοί εἰσιν οἵτινες ἐν καρδίᾳ καλῇ καὶ ἀγαθῇ ἀκούσαντες τὸν λόγον κατέχουσι καὶ καρποφοροῦσιν ἐν ὑπομονῇ. Ὁ ἔχων ὦτα ἀκούειν ἀκουέτω.

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WHAT WE OFFER

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Intro to Prep thru 6th Grade
Every Friday 5:15pm to 7:30pm

Tuition:

- \$535 for the first child
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- \$435 for the third
- \$385 for the fourth child

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The course follows a thematic format and covers everything GREEK! Topics include Greek news, celebrations, TV shows, movies, books, recipes, etc. There will be plenty of opportunities to converse and review grammar. Tuition: \$300. No textbooks or special classroom materials are required.

TRADITIONAL ADULT LANGUAGE PROGRAM

This class teaches beginners and experienced speakers basic language skills such as grammar, reading, speaking, and writing. Tuition: \$350. Textbooks must be purchased by the student.

Any questions, contact greekschool@annunciationbaltimore.org

Principal: Sia Kyriakakos at 443-824-2573

or siakyriakakos@gmail.com



Join us for an exciting new year!

Sunday School consists of Nursery (2 & 3 year olds) through High School.

Sunday School class time begins once Communion is offered and is received by the students. The children will meet their teachers in the church lobby to go up to Sunday School. Altars boys will also attend Sunday School.

Sunday School will end at 11:30am or after the Divine Liturgy, whichever is the later. The children will be brought down to receive Antidoron and be dismissed from the church. Register your child at:

<https://forms.gle/Zy5bJs7q23fAvqdP8> or use the QR Code.



Annunciation Cathedral Concert Series

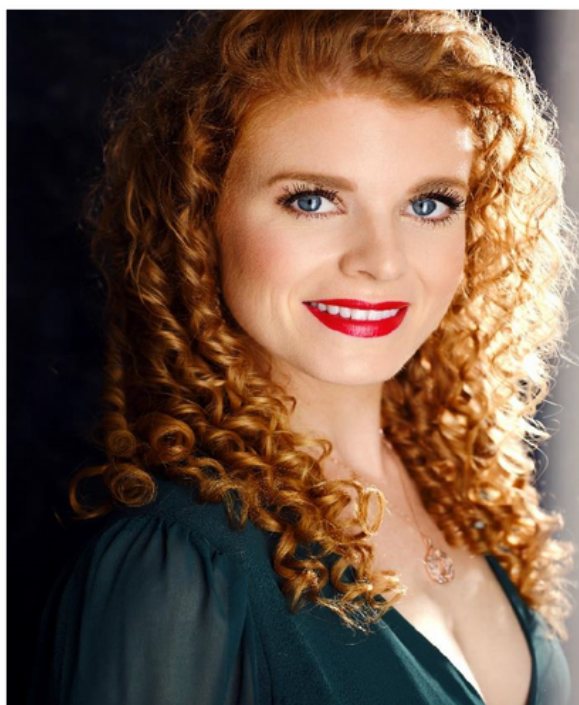
Presents

“So in love” - Songs of Longing

Rob McGinness, Baritone



Emily Casey, Soprano



October 22, 2023, 1 P.M.

Preston Hall

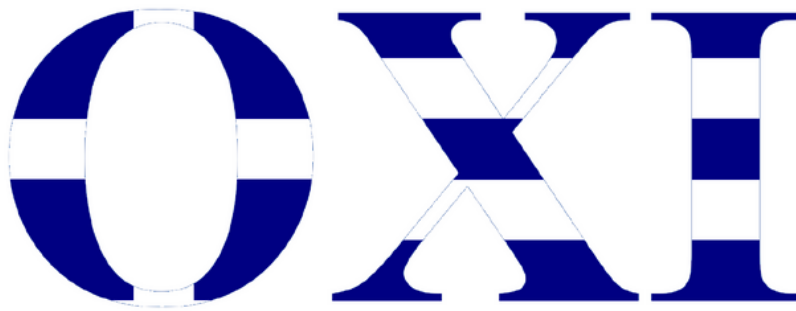
24 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Tickets \$20 adults, students and children free admission

For information and tickets : annunciationccs@gmail.com

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All youth are invited!

OXI Day Spaghetti Dinner

Food Music Dancing Games

Friday, October 27 6:30pm – 8:30pm

Fr. Constantine Monios Social Hall

\$5 per person

*Dress as your favorite hero and
invite a friend*

RSVP here and pay at the door



[Party RSVP Link](#)



Celebrating a century of service to the Greek-American community!

The Worthington Chapter No. 30 of AHEPA cordially invites you to its

100th Anniversary Gala Dinner-Dance



Date: Saturday, November 4, 2023

Place: Martin's Valley Mansion
594 Cranbrook Road
Cockeysville, MD 21030



Time: 7 – 11pm

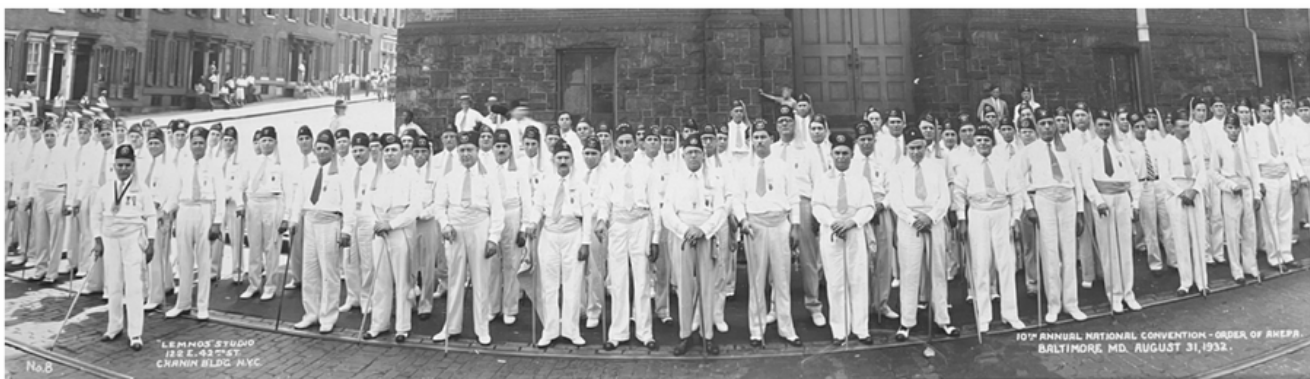
Ticket price - \$100 (Individual or Tables of 10 available)
Black Tie Optional

All proceeds from this historic event will be donated to the **AHEPA Service Dogs for Warriors Program** that acquires dogs as companions for Veterans with PTSD.

Raffle Tickets are available for \$100 benefiting the veterans' service dog initiative with a grand prize drawing of **\$25,000** – winner to be announced that evening!

Be a part of this historic celebration...which includes nostalgic photograph displays, a raffle drawing, plenty of fellowship and music by Koko Brothers. Each guest will receive a copy of "Tracing 100 Years of Progress" which was written for this special occasion!

Since October 1923, the Worthington Chapter has supported the Greek Orthodox Church communities and charitable organizations, both local and national, while promoting the Hellenic ideals of education, philanthropy, and civic responsibility. AHEPA stands for the American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association.



Dinner and Raffle Tickets are available for purchase after church services or by contacting Chairman William Bond at bondgrp@comcast.net or 410-913-2350.



"Apron Fundraiser" to Benefit The Philoxenia House †

**\$35/
Each**

Each Apron is Embroidered
Shipping can be arranged for an additional charge.



#1 Athena Standing in Red
"Greek Goddess at Work"



#2 Athena w/Owl in Red
"Greek Goddess at Work"



#3 Hercules in Black
"Greek God Grillin"



#4 Philoptochos Cross in
(a)Red (b)White (c)Blue
(d)Khaki



#5 When Life gives you
Lemons make
Avgolemono in Khaki



#6 When Life gives you
Lemons make
Avgolemono in Black

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