



Weekly Bulletin

Greek Orthodox Cathedral
of the Annunciation

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Sunday, April 2 | Sunday of St. Mary of Egypt

Titus the Wonderworker, Theodora the Virgin-martyr of Palestine,
Amphianos & Aedesios the Martyrs of Lycia

Holy Week Store



Pascha Offering



Donate Flowers
for the Epitaphion



Honor the Memory
of a loved one

All items needed for Holy Week are in an online Store! Special Gifts for Great Lent and Holy Week, Holy Week books, Luminaries, and Epitaphion. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

Palm Sunday & Easter Luncheon

Click [HERE](#) to purchase your tickets to the Palm Sunday & Easter Luncheons.
Tickets must be pre-purchased.

Wednesday "NITE" Life this Week

Wednesday "NITE" Life this Wednesday, April 5.
The Ninth Hour and Presanctified Liturgy, beginning at 5:00 pm in the Cathedral.
This week's speaker is Fr. Kenneth Anthony.

St. Lazarus Bereavement Ministry This Week

Class this Wednesday, April 5 in the Kafenion.
Books may be purchased at the St. Nektarios Book Nook in Carlos Hall or online.

Bags of Love – Saturday, April 8th

As part of Lazarus Saturday activities, our Cathedral's St. Photini Outreach Ministry invites our Parish Family to join in assembling 200 Bags of Love to help the Homeless in our local Atlanta area. All ages are invited to join!
We will join together after the Saturday of Lazarus service in Carlos Hall.

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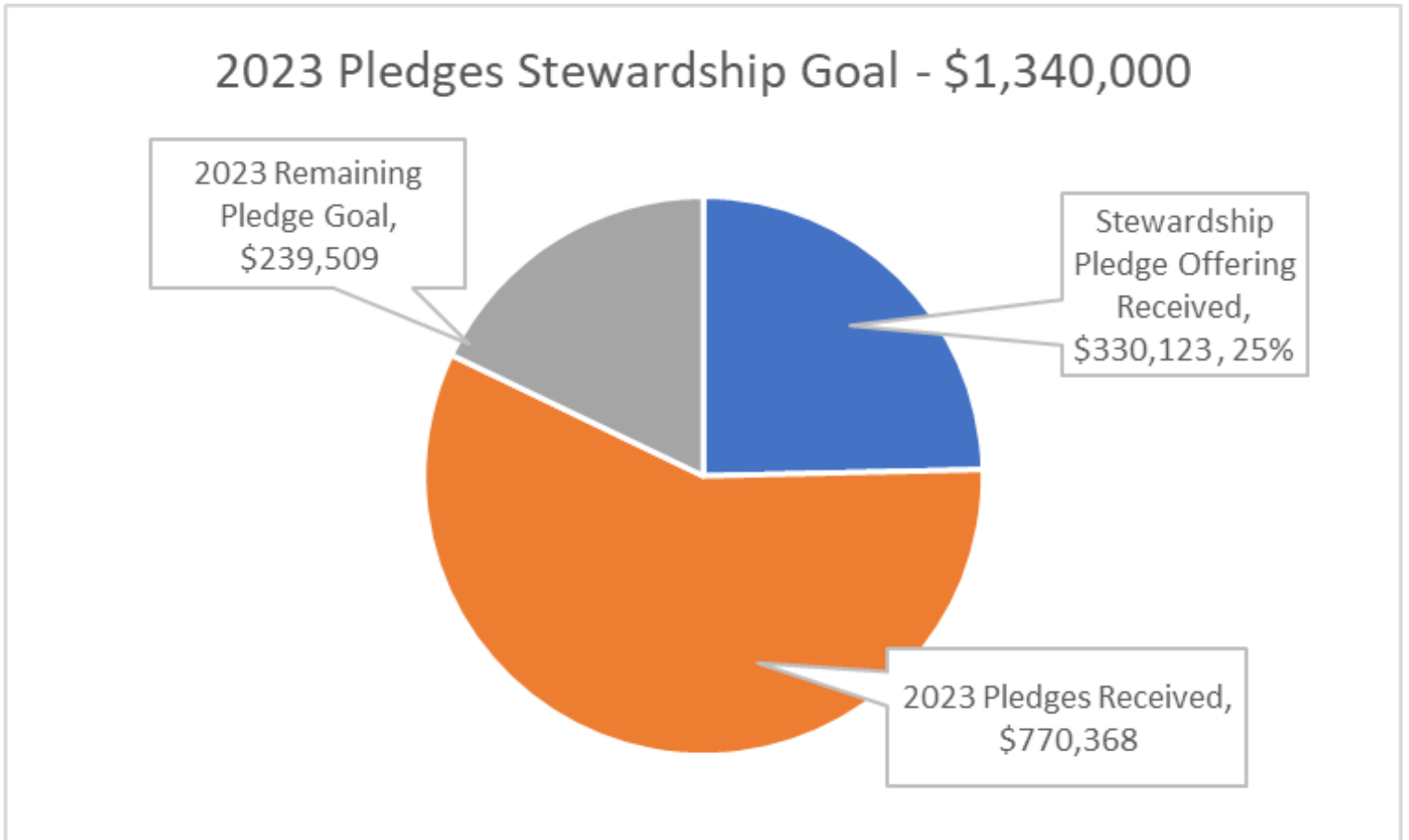
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Stewardship

*We want to thank you for your continued support of the Cathedral.
We are one community, worshiping and praying together.*



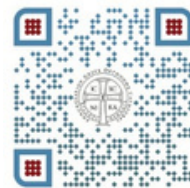
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Text "ATLGOC"
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Or visit us at atlgoc.org to light candles and submit names for prayers, manage your online giving, make a quick donation, and more.

Ministries

Sunday School

Youth Choir: 1st - 8th Grades

Youth Choir is open to students in 1st - 8th Grades. Rehearsals will be held from 11:30 am to 12:00 pm in the Media Center (one door down from the Sunday School Office).

If your child is interested in joining, please email SundaySchool@atlgoc.org so you can be added to the roster. Our Youth Choir Director is Susie Zaharatos.

Summer Camp 2023 Registration

June 5th - 9th & June 12th - 16th

Please click [HERE](#) to register.

Staff Applications are available online.

Counselors must have already worked as a CIT to apply.

Counselors in Training (CITs) must have completed the 10th Grade to apply.

*All staff 18 and over must complete the Youth Worker Training modules.

Golden Group Outing to the Carlos Museum

Come along with us on our outing to the Carlos Museum on Tuesday, April 25. We will have an hour-long guided tour of the Greek and Egyptian collections including the current exhibition, Life and the Afterlife. Meet our group in the lower parking lot by the doors to the atrium. The church vans will leave promptly at 9:15 am. The cost of the trip is \$15 and covers entrance fees and transportation costs. Lunch will be on our own at a nearby restaurant after the tour. Please contact Mary Alice George (678-521-4147) by April 16 to reserve your place.

Evrytanian Pascha/Easter Bake Sale

Sunday, April 2nd in Carlos Hall following Divine Liturgy
Koulourakia, Tsourekia, and Bunnies

For pre-orders please contact:
Bess Dimos 404-261-0504 or
Martha Lucas 770-939-4479

Philoptocos Scholarships

Our Philoptochos Ypapanti Chapter is offering three \$2000 scholarships for the 2023-24 academic year: Anna Mae Livaditis Memorial, Olga Biehler Memorial, and Philoptochos scholarships. These scholarships are dedicated to promote, encourage, and advance education and are limited to high school seniors and undergraduate college students who are members of the Cathedral. The scholarships are awarded based on financial need, as well as academic achievement and involvement in the church and community. Applications are available on the Cathedral website or click [HERE](#). The deadline to submit the application is Friday, May 5, 2023.

Please contact Anthea Economy if you have questions antheaeconomy@westminster.net. All information is held in strict confidence.

Annunciation Day School

Annunciation Day School is seeking applicants for two Pre-K assistants for the 2023-2024 school year. This is a part-time position working 25 hours/week with a lead teacher and no more than 12 students in a class. If you are seeking part-time employment and have a love for children, this is the perfect job for you! No teaching certificate required. Please email your resume to Joanna Gordon at jgordon@adsatlanta.org.



DUALLY ACCREDITED: SACS/COC COGNIA	<i>Internationally</i> DIVERSE COMMUNITY	<i>Small</i> CLASS SIZES 16-18 STUDENTS	<i>STATE-OF-THE-ART</i> Science Lab	AFTER SCHOOL <i>Clubs</i> Including: Ballet, Robotics, Word Play, Lego Club, Chess
<i>Our Mission:</i> Centered in Christ, Children and Community	162 STUDENTS 25 COUNTRIES Preschool & K-8	IOWA STANDARDIZED Test Scores IN THE TOP 25% NATIONALLY (2021)	<i>House System</i> mixing K-8 students in community, mentorship & competition	<i>IN-HOUSE & EXTERNAL</i> Field Trips STEM Sites, Fernbank & Telus Science Museum
LOWEST Tuition in ATLANTA \$4000 for Preschool, \$3850 for K-5, \$7450 for 6th-8th	<i>Competitive</i> SPORTS MAAC LEAGUE: BASKETBALL, SOCCER & VOLLEYBALL (Spartan Soccer teams reign champions for 3rd consecutive year)			

AnnunciationDaySchool.org

ADS PRESCHOOL APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN!

Program Features:

- ✓ Dually Accredited by COGNIA, SACS
- ✓ GELS Curriculum
- ✓ 14:2 student to teacher ratio
- ✓ Affordable Tuition (\$300-\$450/month)

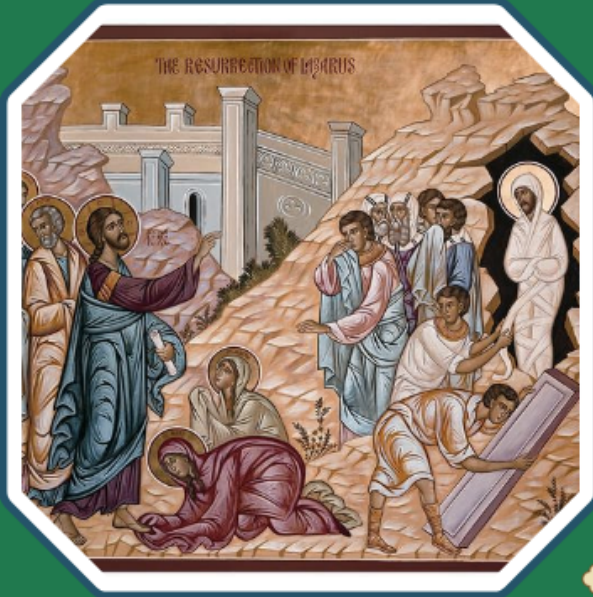
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Worship Services in honor of St. Lazarus



APRIL 7
SMALL COMPLINE WITH
CANON OF ST. LAZARUS
6:00 PM

APRIL 8
ORTHROS & DIVINE LITURGY
FOR SATURDAY OF LAZARUS
8:00 AM

Join us for worship in honor of St. Lazarus. Divine Liturgy on Saturday morning will be followed by a Lenten breakfast and palm cross folding. We will also be assembling bags of love. We look forward to seeing you all as we prepare for Holy Week!



APRIL 14
GREAT AND HOLY FRIDAY
EPITAPHIOS SERVICE

6:30 PM

Luminaries will light our procession of the Epitaphion on Great & Holy Friday Evening. During the procession, these luminaries will be arranged in alphabetical order by last name along our path. During the Great & Holy Friday service, the Clergy will remember your loved ones in prayer.

A donation of \$6.00 is requested for each luminary. Please visit our holy week store here and complete the online form no later than Sunday, April 9th to reserve your luminaries. Thank you for your support of GOYA!

Palm Sunday Annual Luncheon

Sunday, April 9, 2023

This year's luncheon will be dine-in or take-out. Immediately following the second Divine Liturgy in Kartos Ballroom. Please pre-order by Wednesday, April 5th.

Fish Plate \$20.00

A choice of Fresh Fried Fish or Plaki, along with Pasta, Vegetable Medley, Skordalia, Garden Salad & Dessert

Vegetarian Plate \$15.00

Pasta, Vegetable Medley, Skordalia, Garden Salad & Dessert

Please Pre-Order, before Wednesday, April 5th.
Order online at www.atlgoc.org/holy-week-store
or
call the Cathedral office to place your order with payment.

Red Eggs & Lenten Soups for Pascha!!

Annunciation Cathedral Philoptochos

Let Philoptochos help you with Red Eggs for Pascha and Lenten Soups! Our members will be preparing these items for purchase during the Lenten season. Your purchase of these items helps to support the philanthropic outreach of Philoptochos.

All Orders Must Be Paid In Advance
Please note the dates for order pick-ups!

Deadline For Placing Orders is Sunday, April 2nd

RED EGGS FOR PASCHA

- Red Eggs will be sold by the dozen, packaged in colorful egg cartons
- Only 100 Dozen Red Eggs will be available for purchase for \$15.00 per dozen
- Pick Up: HCC Atrium, Thursday, April 13th from Noon until 5:00pm

LENTEN SOUPS

- A favorite Cathedral tradition is Presvytera Evi's delicious homemade soups!
- Both Lentil and Bean Soups will be sold for \$15.00 per quart
- Pick Up:
 - Saturday, April 8th - Carlos Hall after the Saturday of Lazarus service
 - Sunday, April 9th - HCC Atrium after the Palm Sunday Luncheon

Orders Can Be Prepaid Either Online Or Personal Check

1. Online orders can be placed by going to atlgoc.org and clicking on either the "Philoptochos Easter Sale" link or the "Holy Week Store" link
 2. Make checks payable to: Annunciation Philoptochos 5017 INC and include a list of all items being ordered, along with a phone number to reach you!—
- Mail to: Philoptochos Eggs & Soups
2500 Clairmont Rd NE
Atlanta, Georgia 30329

Philoptochos thanks you for your support & wishes all parishioners a Blessed Lent





Easter Luncheon

Sponsored by the G.O.O.F.S

Following the Agape Service at 11:00 am.
Enjoy delicious food and wonderful fellowship as
we celebrate our Lord's Resurrection.

Lunch will be served from 12:30 pm -1:30 pm.
Tickets must be purchased in advance.

Menu:

Lamb Shank or Chicken Plate \$18.00
Children's Plate (10 and under) \$8.00

Click [HERE](#) to purchase tickets
Deadline: April 10th



SAVE THE DATE

SUNDAY MAY 14, 2023
(Mother's Day)

"PATH TO THE FUTURE" LUNCHEON

TO BENEFIT AND SUPPORT OUR METROPOLIS
OF ATLANTA STUDENTS ATTENDING

HELLENIC COLLEGE HOLY CROSS
GREEK ORTHODOX SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

Helen A. Carlos, HCHC Trustee, is spearheading this
Inaugural initiative which will rotate annually
throughout the Parishes of the Metropolis of Atlanta

Net proceeds of this event will provide relief of student
loan debt for male and female students attending HCHC

*OUR SUPPORT IS VITAL TO THE FUTURE OF
THE ORTHODOX CHURCH IN AMERICA*

Honored Guest, George M. Cantonis, President HCHC

"Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him"
(Matthew 3:3)

Invitation to Follow ~ Sponsorships Available

YOUR DONATION HAS A RIPPLE EFFECT



Your Philoptochos Membership
goes to:

Help the poor, the destitute, the hungry, the aged, the sick, the
unemployed, the orphaned, the imprisoned, the windowed, the
handicapped, the victims of disasters, to undertake the burial
of the impoverished persons.

Become a member today!

All ladies and gentlemen of the Cathedral 18 years and older
are invited to join Philotochos.

To complete your membership form & offer
a donation visit our website.

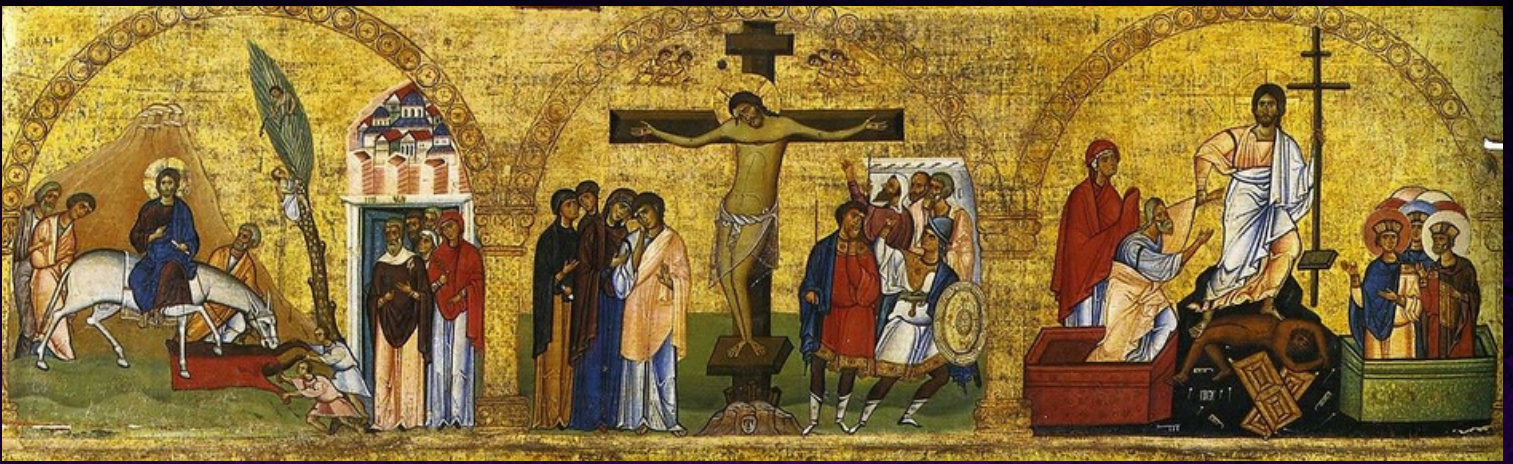


Afternoon Greek School Lambada Fundraiser April 2nd & April 9th

Come by our table in Carlos Hall today,
and the Kartos Ballroom next Sunday,
to purchase beautifully decorated
Lambades for the children in your life!



Proceeds to benefit
The Annunciation Afternoon Greek School



Holy Week Schedule

All Services in the Cathedral

Friday, April 7	6:00 pm	Canon to St. Lazarus
Saturday, April 8 <i>Saturday of Lazarus</i>	8:00 am 9:00 am 5:00 pm	Orthros Divine Liturgy Great Vespers
Sunday, April 9 <i>Palm Sunday</i>	6:45 am 8:00 am 9:30 am 6:30 pm	Orthros 1st Divine Liturgy 2nd Divine Liturgy 1st Nymphios Service
Monday, April 10 <i>Holy Monday</i>	8:30 am 6:30 pm	9th Hour & Presanctified Liturgy 2nd Nymphios Service
Tuesday, April 11 <i>Holy Tuesday</i>	8:30 am 6:30 pm	9th Hour & Presanctified Liturgy 3rd Nymphios Service
Wednesday, April 12 <i>Holy Wednesday</i>	8:30 am 2:00 pm 6:30 pm	9th Hour & Persanctified Liturgy Sacrament of Holy Unction Orthros of Holy Thursday
Thursday, April 13 <i>Holy Thursday</i>	6:30 am 6:00 pm	Vesperal Divine Liturgy of St. Basil The Holy Passion (12 Gospels)
Friday, April 14 <i>Holy Friday</i>	9:00 am 3:00 pm 6:30 pm	Great and Royal Hours Vespers & Apokathelosis Epitaphios Service
Saturday, April 15 <i>Great & Holy Saturday</i>	9:00 am 11:00 pm	Vesperal Divine Liturgy of St. Basil Orthros and Divine Liturgy
Sunday, April 16 <i>Easter (Pascha) Sunday</i>	11:00 am	Agape Vespers Service



BRIGHT WEEK SCHEDULE

Monday, April 17 <i>Bright Monday</i>	8:00 am 9:00 am	Orthos in the Metropolis Chapel Divine Liturgy in the Metropolis Chapel
Tuesday, April 18 <i>Bright Tuesday</i>	8:00 am 9:00 am	Orthos in the Metropolis Chapel Divine Liturgy in the Metropolis Chapel
Wednesday, April 19 <i>Bright Wednesday</i>	8:00 am 9:00 am	Orthos in the Metropolis Chapel Divine Liturgy in the Metropolis Chapel
Thursday, April 20 <i>Bright Thursday</i>	8:00 am 9:00 am	Orthos in the Metropolis Chapel Divine Liturgy in the Metropolis Chapel
Friday, April 21 <i>Zoodochos Pege</i>	8:00 am 9:00 am	Orthos in the Cathedral Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral
Sunday, April 23 <i>Thomas Sunday</i> <i>Feast of Saint George</i>	8:00 am 9:30 am	Orthos in the Cathedral Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral

CHRIST IS RISEN!

Ecclesiastical Calendar

Sunday, April 2 <i>5th Sunday of Great Lent</i>	Orthros in the Cathedral Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral	8:00 am 9:30 am
Monday, April 3	Great Compline in the Cathedral	6:00 pm
Wednesday, April 5	9th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Metropolis Chapel 9th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Cathedral	8:30 am 5:00 pm
Friday, April 7	Small Compline with the Canon to St. Lazarus	6:00 pm
Saturday, April 8 <i>Saturday of Lazarus</i>	Orthros in the Cathedral Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral Great Vespers in the Cathedral	8:00 am 9:00 am 5:00 pm
Sunday, April 9 <i>Palm Sunday</i>	Orthros in the Cathedral 1st Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral 2nd Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral 1st Nymphios Service in the Cathedral	6:45 am 8:00 am 9:30 am 6:30 pm

Events & Activities

Saturday, April 1	Pickleball in the Gym	10:00 am
Sunday, April 2	Pickleball in the Gym	4:00 pm
Monday, April 3	Golden Group Committee Meeting in the Conference Room Seniors @ Play in the Gym ADS Board Meeting in the Conference Room	10:30 am 11:00 am 7:00 pm
Tuesday, April 4	GOOFS Coffee & Doughnuts in the Kafenion Clergy Brotherhood Meeting in the Boardroom Godparent Seminar via Zoom Parish Council Meeting via Zoom	9:00 am 11:00 am 6:00 pm 6:30 pm
Wednesday, April 5	Mah jong and Games in the Kafenion St. Lazarus Bereavement Ministry Meeting in the Kafenion	10:00 am 6:00 pm
Saturday, April 1	Pickleball in the Gym	12:00 pm
Sunday, April 2	No Pickleball	

Youth

Sunday, April 2	Sunday School following the Prayer of Thanksgiving
Monday, April 3	No Annunciation Day School - Spring Break No Annunciation Afternoon Greek School - Spring Break
Tuesday, April 4	No Annunciation Day School - Spring Break
Wednesday, April 5	No Annunciation Day School - Spring Break No Annunciation Afternoon Greek School - Spring Break
Thursday, April 6	No Annunciation Day School - Spring Break
Friday, April 7	No Annunciation Day School - Spring Break
Saturday, April 8	Altar Boy & Handmaiden Seminar in the Cathedral following the Divine Liturgy
Sunday, April 9	No Sunday School