



Weekly Bulletin

Greek Orthodox Cathedral
of the Annunciation

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Sunday, March 12 | Sunday of St. Gregory Palamas

Theophanes the Confessor, Symeon the New Theologian, Gregory Dialogos, Bishop of Rome, Phineas, grandson of Prophet Aaron, Paul Aurelian, Bishop of Brittany

Wednesday "NITE" Life this Week

Wednesday "NITE" Life this Wednesday, March 15th.

Please join us for the class immediately following

The Ninth Hour and Presanctified Liturgy, beginning at 5:00 pm in the Cathedral.

This week's speaker is Pastoral Assistant Theo Mantzikos.

No St. Lazarus Bereavement Ministry This Week

There is no class this Wednesday, March 15, please join us next Wednesday, March 22nd.

Books may be purchased at the St. Nektarios Book Nook in Carlos Hall or online.

Parish Assembly Registration is Now Open

2023 PARISH ASSEMBLY

Our Virtual Parish Assembly will be held Sunday, March 19th via Zoom following the Divine Liturgy at 12:30 pm.

Registration Deadline is 5:00 pm Friday, March 17th

Click [HERE](#) to register.

ELIGIBILITY TO VOTE:

Your stewardship obligations for 2022 must have been paid in full; Stewardship pledge or payment for 2023 must be received.

New members must have been in good standing for at least three months.

Summer Day Camp 2023

Registration is Now Open!!

Camp is offered for children ages 3-14 (must be age by September 1, 2023)

*PreK & KinderCamp campers must be potty trained.

The theme for this year is the "Eight Days of Creation". Camp will be held for two weeks. You can choose one or both weeks! June 5th-9th & June 12th-16th. Camp is held from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm. A letter with camp details will be sent out in May.

Click [HERE](#) to register

AHEPA Scholarships Available

2023 – 2024 Academic Year

The application deadline is March 15th, 2023.

For more information and to apply via the online application, go to www.ahepaatlscholarship.org.

Atlanta Greek Film Expo

Today at 4:15 pm

Plaza Theatre

Click [HERE](#) for more information.

Parish Contact Information

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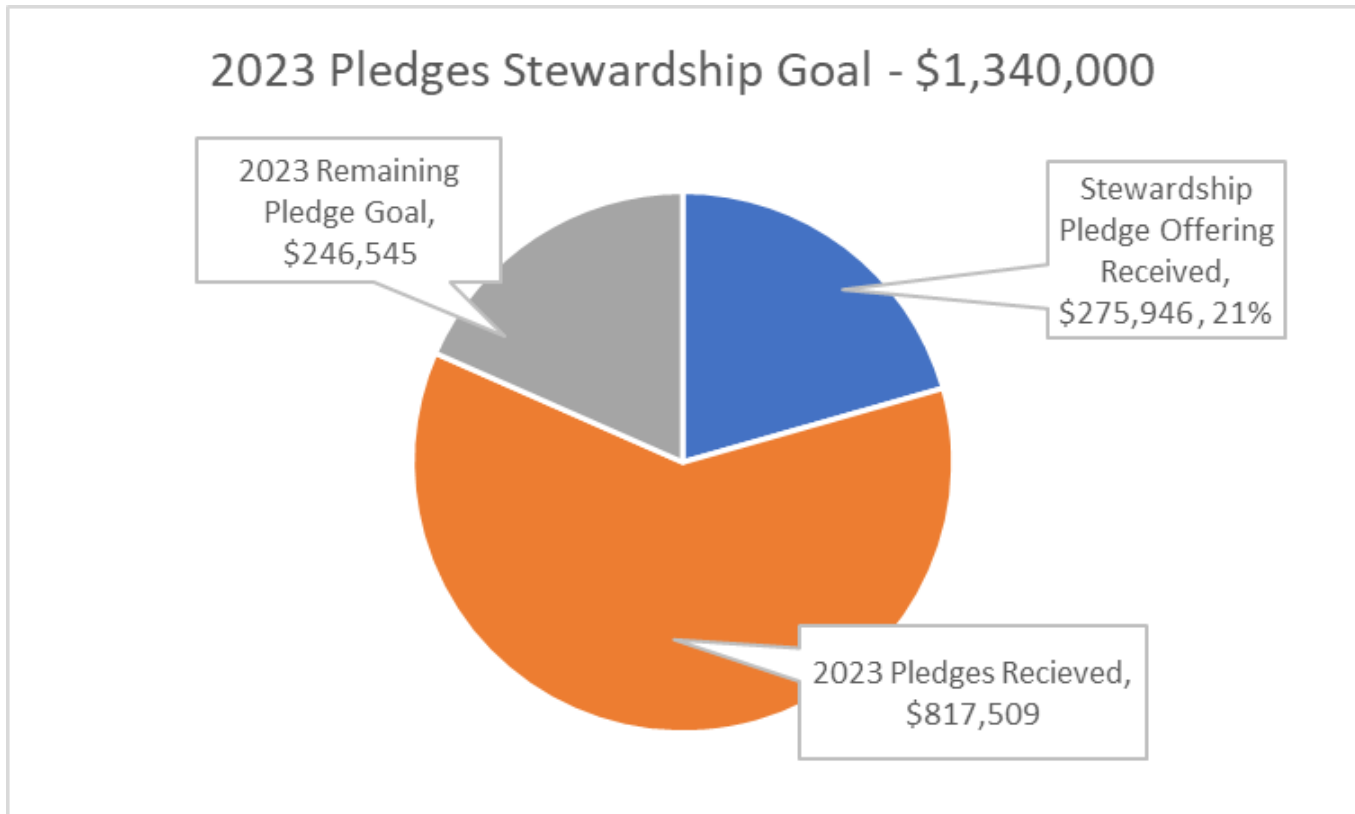
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Stewardship

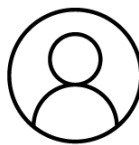
*We want to thank you for your continued support of the Cathedral.
We are one community, worshiping and praying together.*



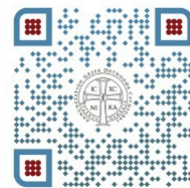
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Parish Council



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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

Sunday School Class Presentations

On the date your child's class has a presentation, please bring him/her to the Bride's Room at 9:15 am. They will sit with their teacher and their class in Church. The presentations will take place immediately following the Gospel reading.

March 17th - 3rd Heretismi Service (6th-8th)
March 19th - Sunday of the Holy Cross Procession
March 24th - 4th Heretismi Service (9th-12th)
March 31st - Akathistos Hymn (All Teachers & Students)

Youth Choir: 1st - 8th Grades

Youth Choir is open to students in 1st - 8th Grades. Rehearsals will begin on Sunday, March 19th. It 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@atlhoc.org so you can be added to the roster.

Our Youth Choir Director is Susie Zaharatos.

HOPE & JOY

March 12
All by Myself.....The Prophet Job

GOYA

March 12
Parish Level
St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival

Summer Camp 2023 Registration

June 5th - 9th & June 12th - 16th
Please click [HERE](#) to register.

The Deadline to Register is March 31, 2023. After this date, a late fee of \$25 per camper/per week will be applied.

Staff Applications will be open on March 15th. 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.

Annunciation Day School

ADS PRESCHOOL APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN!

Program Features:

- ✓ Dually Accredited by COGNIA, SACS
- ✓ GELS Curriculum
- ✓ 12:1 student to teacher ratio
- ✓ Affordable Tuition (\$300-\$450/month)

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THAT WE RECEIVE

BECOME A MEMBER OF PHILOPTOCHOS 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 online click [HERE](#).

Gifts for Great Lent & Holy Week

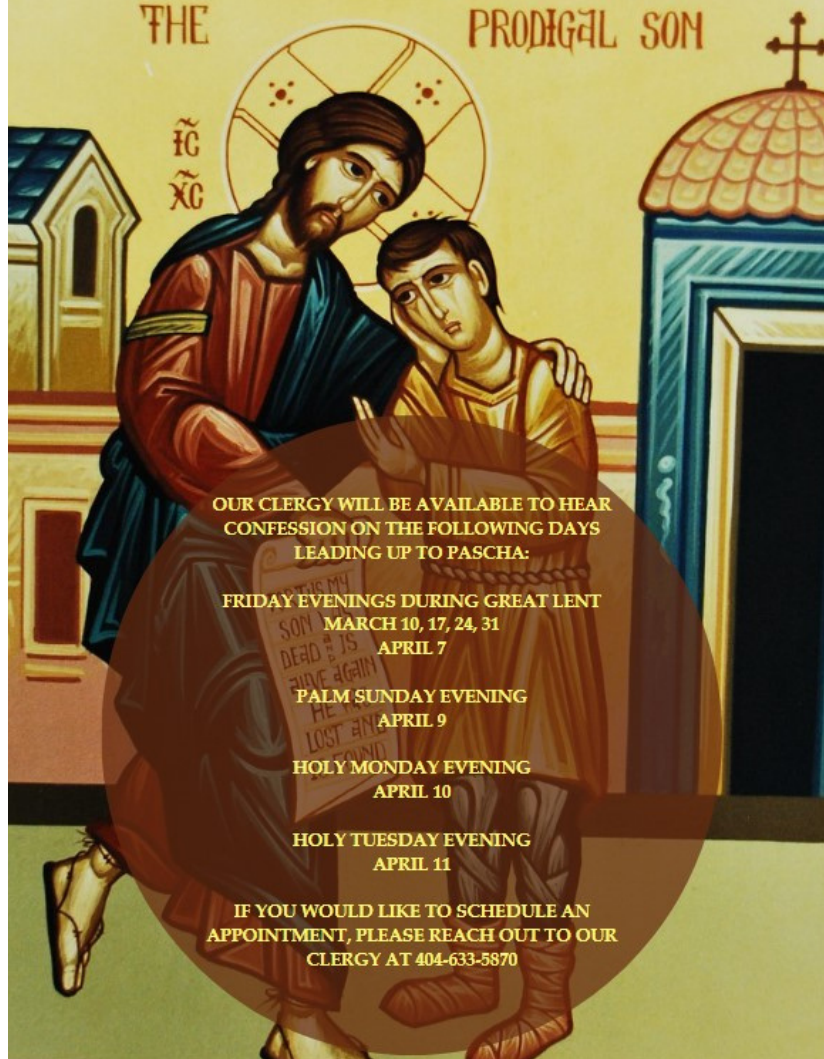
Items needed during Great Lent and Holy Week which can be donated in memory or for the health of a loved one:

Please note: If an item is already selected the donation will be applied to items needed.

| Items | Suggested Donations |
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| Decorations of Icon of the Virgin Mary for Heretismi (5) | \$150 each |
| Decorations of Icon of the Annunciation (March 25) | \$200 |
| Artoclasia for Vespers for the Annunciation (March 24) | \$100 |
| Artoclasia for the Feast of the Annunciation (March 25) | \$100 |
| Decorations of Icon of the Annunciation for the Icon Screen | \$1,500 |
| Daffodils of Sunday of Holy Cross | \$750 Donated |
| Prosporon | \$10 each |
| Wine for Holy Communion, case of 6 | \$180 per case |
| Olive Oil used in the Altar (4) | \$250 |
| Charcoal | \$75 |
| Incense | \$100 |
| Rose Water (4) | \$50 |
| Candles for Altar Boys | \$300 |
| Safety Cups for Holy Friday and Easter Sunday | \$300 |
| Floral Arch over Royal Gates | \$250 Donated |
| Decorations of Icon of Saturday of Lazarus | \$150 |
| Palms (Fans & Strips for making Crosses) | \$750 |
| Decorations of Icon of Palm Sunday | \$150 |
| Decorations of Icon of Nymphios (3 days) | \$150 per day |
| Decorations of Icon of Mystical Supper | \$150 |
| Supplies for Holy Unction (Olive Oil, Rose Oil, flour) | \$100 |
| 7 Candles for Holy Unction Bowl | \$25 |
| Candles on the Cross of Christ (Thursday and Friday) | \$100 |
| Candles for Holy Thursday Night (12) | \$150 |
| Wreath that hangs from Cross (1) | \$200 |
| Other Wreaths around base of Cross (2) | \$100 each |
| Decorations of Icon of the Crucifixion | \$150 |
| Candles for Epitaphion (4) | \$50 each |
| Rose Petals | \$35 |
| Tulle for covering of Epitaphios cloth | \$50 |
| Decorations of Icon of Epitaphios | \$150 |
| Bay Leaves | \$50 |
| Decorations of Icon of Resurrection (2) | \$150 each |
| Decorated Easter candles for Clergy (3) | \$100 each |
| Eggs and Dye | \$300 |
| Tulle Bags & Ribbon for Red Eggs | \$200 Donated |
| Lilies | \$35 each |
| 500 Chocolate Easter Bunnies | \$300 Donated |

To make a donation please visit www.atlgoc.org/holy-week-store

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OUR CLERGY WILL BE AVAILABLE TO HEAR CONFESSION ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS LEADING UP TO PASCHA:

FRIDAY EVENINGS DURING GREAT LENT

MARCH 10, 17, 24, 31

APRIL 7

PALM SUNDAY EVENING

APRIL 9

HOLY MONDAY EVENING

APRIL 10

HOLY TUESDAY EVENING

APRIL 11

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT, PLEASE REACH OUT TO OUR CLERGY AT 404-633-5870

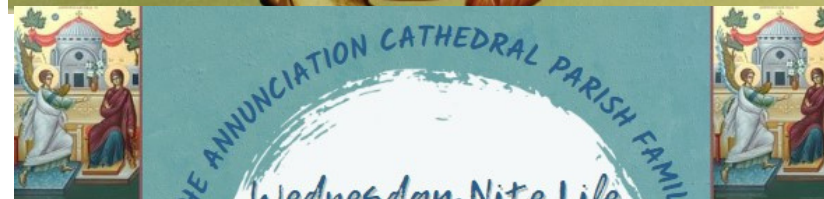
Join the Annunciation Cathedral Parish Family for the Service of the Salutations to the Theotokos



MARCH 3, 10, 17
1ST, 2ND, & 3RD SALUTATIONS
6:30 PM

MARCH 24
GREAT VESPERS FOR THE FEAST OF THE
ANNUNCIATION & 4TH SALUTATIONS
6:00 PM

Join us for the service of the Salutations to the Holy Theotokos on Friday evenings during Great Lent!



JOIN THE ANNUNCIATION CATHEDRAL PARISH FAMILY FOR

Wednesday Nite Life Lenten Speaker Series

LENTEN WORDS WITH THE
CATHEDRAL CLERGY AND
PASTORAL ASSISTANTS



REV. FR. CHRISTOS MARS
MARCH 1



REV. FR. PAUL KAPLANIS
MARCH 29



REV. FR. KEN ANTHONY
APRIL 5



MR. THEO MANTZIKOS
MARCH 15

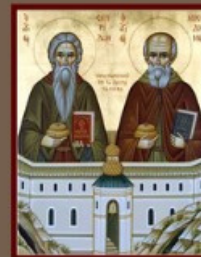
Join us Wednesday evenings during Great Lent after Presanctified Liturgy for a Lenten meal and talk from our clergy and pastoral staff.



MS. SARAH STEWART
MARCH 22

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT THE CATHEDRAL WEBSITE: ATLGOC.ORG

Calling all Prosphora Bakers



Of all the things we can do in life, one of the most essential things is to worship God through offering our prayers and thanksgiving.

Prosphora, which means offering, (Liturgical Bread), is a tangible way we can demonstrate our love for God our creator. We take the elements of the earth He created and form those ingredients into Prosphora and offer them back to Him in the Divine Liturgy. Our Lord consecrates those gifts and returns a portion of them back to us in the Holy Eucharist. The remainder we receive as Holy Antidoron (instead of the Holy Gifts). What a blessed way to participate in the Divine Liturgy!

At this time, we especially need your participation and assistance. Our beloved Cathedral will need approximately 100 Prosphora loaves throughout Great Lent, Holy Week and Pascha. Please consider offering as much as you are able during this Holy Season. You may drop off your Prosphora with the names of your family members, both living and departed, at the Cathedral Offices during the week. Or you may give them to a Parish Council member when you come to worship.

Thank you!

Ecclesiastical Calendar

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| Sunday, March 12 <i>2nd Sunday of Great Lent</i> | Orthros in the Cathedral Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral | 8:00 am 9:30 am |
| Monday, March 13 | Great Compline in the Cathedral | 6:00 pm |
| Wednesday, March 15 | 9th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Metropolis Chapel 9th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Cathedral | 8:30 am 5:00 pm |
| Friday, March 17 <i>St. Alexios</i> | 9th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Cathedral 3rd Salutations in the Cathedral | 8:30 am 6:30 pm |
| Sunday, March 19 <i>Veneration of the Holy Cross</i> | Orthros in the Cathedral Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral | 8:00 am 9:30 am |

Events & Activities

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| Saturday, March 11 | Pickleball in the Gym | 10:00 am |
| Sunday, March 12 | Pickleball in the Gym | 4:00 pm |
| Monday, March 13 | Annunciation Day School Board Meeting in the Conference Room | 7:00 pm |
| Tuesday, March 14 | GOOFS Coffee & Doughnuts in the Kafenion Clergy Brotherhood Meeting in the Boardroom St. Photini Outreach Ministry in the Boardroom Philotochos General Meeting in the Kartos Ballroom | 9:00 am 11:00 am 6:00 pm 7:00 pm |
| Wednesday, March 15 | Mah jong and Games in the Kafenion Wednesday "NITE" Life Class following Pre-Sanctified Liturgy | 10:30 am |
| Saturday, March 18 | Pickleball in the Gym | 10:00 am |
| Sunday, March 19 | Pickleball in the Gym YAL Brunch at Full Vegan following Divine Liturgy | 4:00 pm |

Youth

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| Sunday, March 12 | Sunday School following the Prayer of Thanksgiving HOPE & JOY in the Gym following Sunday School Parish Level St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival following Sunday School | |
| Monday, March 13 | Annunciation Day School Annunciation Afternoon Greek School | 8:00 am 4:30 pm |
| Tuesday, March 14 | Annunciation Day School ADS Soccer vs Cliff Valley on the field | 8:00 am 4:00 pm |
| Wednesday, March 15 | Annunciation Day School Annunciation Afternoon Greek School | 8:00 am 4:30 pm |
| Thursday, March 16 | Annunciation Day School ADS Soccer vs InTown on the field | 8:00 am 4:00 pm |
| Friday, March 17 | Annunciation Day School ADS attends Pre-Sanctified | 8:00 am |
| Saturday, March 18 | Annunciation Day School Spartan 5K Run | 7:30 am |
| Sunday, March 19 | Sunday School following the Prayer of Thanksgiving | |