



Weekly Bulletin

Greek Orthodox Cathedral
of the Annunciation

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Sunday, March 3 | Sunday of the Prodigal Son

Quadratus the Martyr & his Companions, Anastasia of Alexandria, Michael Mauroudes the New-Martyr

Next Week's Memorials

40 Day Memorial for Nickolaos Dragoumaniotis
1 Year Memorial for Georgia Coclin
1 Year Memorial for Despo (Despina) Lamas
1 Year Memorial for Michael Snider
5 Year Memorial for Demetrios Costarides

Spring Parish Assembly 2024

Sunday, March 17, 2024, Virtual Meeting to be held via Zoom following the Divine Liturgy at 12:30 pm.
Registration Deadline – 5:00 pm Friday, March 15, 2024. Click [HERE](#) to Register.

Eligibility to Vote:

Your stewardship obligations for 2023 must have been paid in full; Stewardship pledge or payment for 2024 must be received. New members must have been in good standing for at least three months.

Saturday of Souls

There are times of the year when we commemorate all those who have departed this life. During these services, we commemorate the names of the DEPARTED and while we may not be able to attend the services, this [LINK](#) will give us the opportunity to submit those names. Please note that once your names have been offered, they will be commemorated at all Saturday of Soul services, which will take place on March 9, 16 & 23.

"Sharing Our Daily Bread"

March 2024 is one of the months of the year with five Sundays, and thus, we call upon the faithful to "Share their Daily Bread", by purchasing Gift Cards in \$25 increments from Kroger, Walmart, or QuikTrip. Click [HERE](#) to donate. We appreciate your generous offerings to those in need. Thank you!

AHEPA Centennial Album

These albums will be distributed in Carlos Hall following Divine Liturgy on March 10 & 17.

Saturday of Service

Please join us for Saturday of Service on April 13. Please see the flyer for more information and sign up [HERE](#).

Philoptochos 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 promoting, encouraging, and advancing 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 foremost, as well as academic achievement and involvement in the church and community. Students who have not previously received the scholarship are encouraged to apply. Applications are available on the Cathedral Website. The deadline to submit the application is Friday, April 19, 2024. Please contact Anthea Economy if you have questions (antheaeconomy@westminster.net). All information is held in strict confidence.

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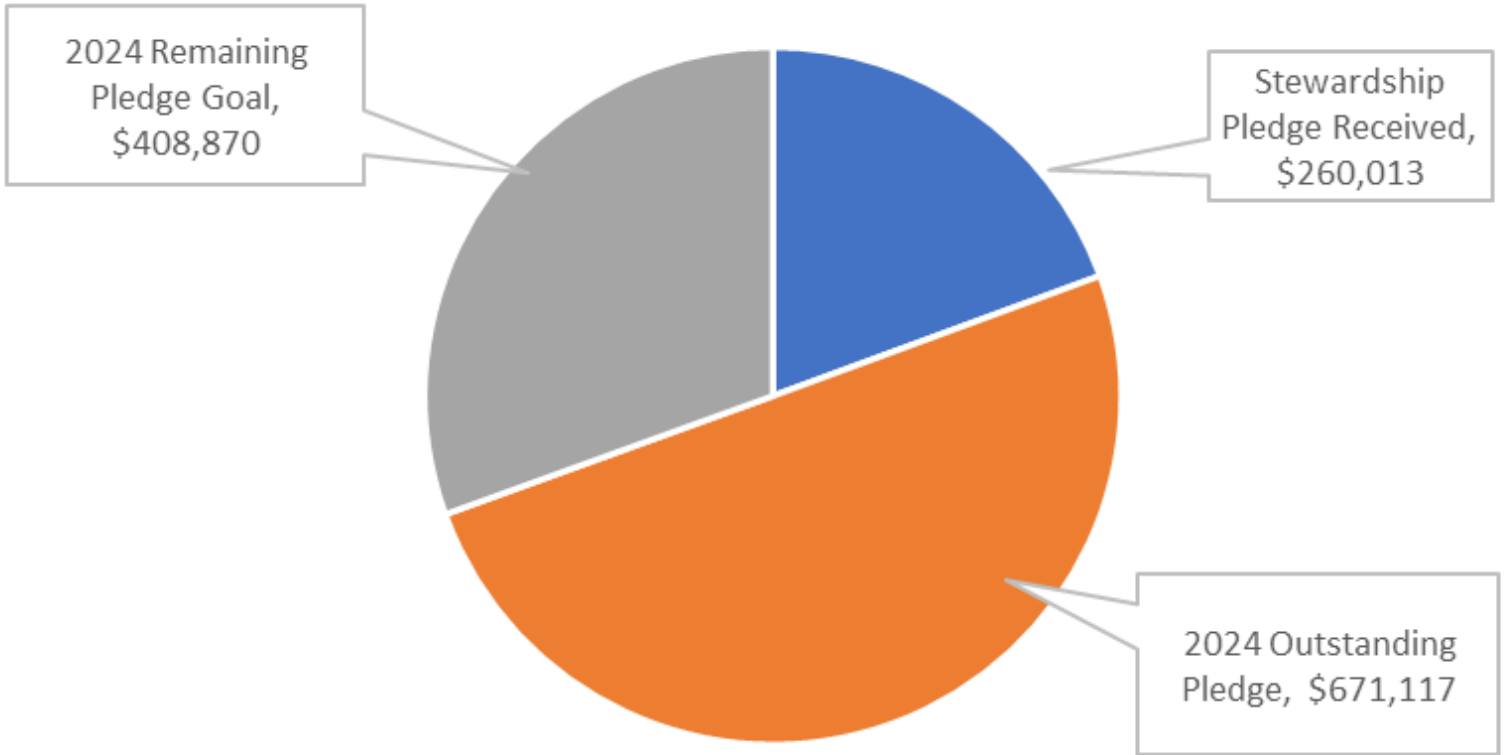


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Stewardship

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

2024 Pledges Stewardship Goal - \$1,360,000



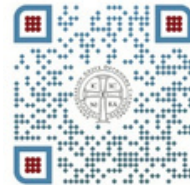
Support our Cathedral



Text "ATLGOC"
to 73256



See a member of
Parish Council



Scan this QR Code

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

March 10

Sunday School following the Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sunday School Presentations continue...

March 17th 6th, 7th & 8th Grades

March 31st 9th, 10th, 11th & 12th Grades

Upcoming Events

March 22nd 1st Heretismi Service (PreK-2nd Grade)

March 24th Sunday of Orthodoxy Procession
followed by 30 minute classes

March 29th 2nd Heretismi Service (3rd -5th Grades)

March 31st Sights & Sounds Displays in Carlos Hall



<p>DUALY ACCREDITED:</p> <p>SACS/COC cognia</p>	<p>INTERNATIONALLY DIVERSE COMMUNITY</p>	<p>Small CLASS SIZES 16-18 STUDENTS</p>	<p>STATE-OF-THE-ART Science Lab</p>	<p>AFTER SCHOOL Clubs Including: Ballet, Robotics, Word Play, Lego Club, Chess</p>
<p>Our Mission: Centered in Christ, Children and Community</p>	<p>162 STUDENTS 25 COUNTRIES</p> <p>Preschool & K-8</p>	<p>IOWA STANDARDIZED Test Scores</p>	<p>House System mixing K-8 students in community, mentorship & competition</p>	
<p>LOWEST Tuition in ATLANTA</p> <p>\$4,000 for Preschool; \$9,350 for K-5; \$14,450 for 6th-8th</p>	<p>Competitive SPORTS</p> <p>MAAC LEAGUE: BASKETBALL, SOCCER & VOLLEYBALL</p> <p>Spartan Soccer teams reign champions for 3rd consecutive year!</p>	<p>IN THE TOP 14% NATIONALLY (2023)</p>	<p>IN-HOUSE & EXTERNAL Field Trips</p> <p>STEM Bus; Fernbank & Teller Science Museum</p>	

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HOPE & JOY

March 10

"Not Heinz 57, But the same number of ingredients" ...Holy Chrism

GOYA

March 10

GOYA Board Meeting following Sunday School

Summer Camp

"KinderCamp is filling up.

Our Cathedral's Summer Day Camp
will be held for two weeks:

June 3rd - 7th and June 10th - 14th

Click [HERE](#) to register!

The Atlanta Velonaki Group (Little Needle) Group

Monthly meetings every 2nd Thursday 1-2 pm

Where: Cathedral Kafonion

If interested call Vicki Kipreos at 678-314-3002

Vicki.kipreos63@gmail.com

Next Meeting: March 21, 2024

SPORTS MANIA
SUMMER CAMPS

@ANUNCIATION DAY SCHOOL
2500 CLAIRMONT RD, ATLANTA, GA 30329

MAY 28TH-MAY 31ST
JUNE 17TH-JUNE 21ST
JUNE 24TH-JUNE 28TH

WWW.SPORTMANIACAMPS.COM

Golden Group



The new date for our March Luncheon is Thursday, March 14, at 10:30 am in Kartos Ballroom. Philoptochos Society is our host for this month's luncheon. Our speaker, a representative of the FBI, will lead an informative session on the many scams that target seniors. The Federal Trade Commission reports that Americans lost more than \$10 billion to fraud in 2023. Please join us to learn how to protect yourself from becoming a victim of fraud.

Golden Group will host the Pot Luck Lenten Luncheon in Carlos Hall for our church community following the Holy Unction Service on Monday, March 18. Please bring a Lenten dish, to share, that will serve at least four people.



FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION & GREEK INDEPENDENCE DAY

Please join us for Great Vespers celebrating the Feast of the Annunciation on Monday, March 25th, 2024, at 4:00 PM in the Cathedral. After Vespers, you are invited to the Kartos Ballroom at 5:00 PM for a delightful program presented by the Afternoon Greek School Students, ADS Greek Language Program Middle School Students, and a wonderful dance performance by the Annunciation Dance Ministry. A delicious dinner, sponsored by AHEPA and ATHENS PIZZA, will follow the event.



RSVP BY MARCH 20TH
danceministry@atlgoc.org

Spring into Philoptochos Membership

Renewing your membership equals renewal of many lives!

To complete your membership form & offer a donation online click [HERE](#).

FRAPPE AND KOULOURAKIA!

Sunday, March 17, 2024, in Carlos Hall, following the Divine Liturgy.

All proceeds to benefit the Annunciation Afternoon Greek School Program

YOU'RE INVITED TO A DOCUMENTARY DOUBLE FEATURE

Amphilochios
SAINT OF PATMOS

SACRED ALASKA

TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 7:00P - TICKETS @ TARAATLANTA.COM
345 CHESHIRE BRIDGE RD NE, ATLANTA



Philoptochos Diaper Drive

Help us Make a Difference in Tiny Lives!



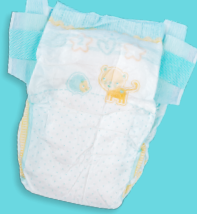
Join us in supporting families in need by participating in our Diaper Drive. Your contribution can make a significant impact on the well-being of these little ones.

Ways you can help!

Drop off your donation of size 4, 5, or 6 Diapers in the Carlos Hall, beginning Sunday, March 10th OR

Place an order from the [AMAZON Wishlist](#) and the order will be delivered for you!

For Questions please email Joanna Snider at joannasnider56@gmail.com



JOIN THE ANNUNCIATION CATHEDRAL PARISH FAMILY FOR
Wednesday Nite Life
Lenten Speaker Series

Join us Wednesday evenings during Great Lent after Presanctified Liturgy for a Lenten meal and talk



ELIZABETH THOMAS
MARCH 20



HIS GRACE BISHOP NEOFITOS
MARCH 27



SCOTT DAVENPORT
APRIL 3



GEORGE DEMACOPOULOS
APRIL 10



MICHAEL KAPLANIS
APRIL 17



GRIGORIOS KARAKOSTAS
APRIL 24

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT THE CATHEDRAL WEBSITE: ATLGOC.ORG



HELP FILL THE NEED

Donate blood! American Red Cross

Greek Orthodox Cathedral Blood Drive

Monday, March 18, 2024
10m to 3pm

Hellenic Community Center- Kartos Ballroom

For an appointment, please visit redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor code: **GOCATL**; Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).



Scan for appointment

Give 3/1 to 3/24 for \$10 e-gift card for pet supplies and chance at \$3K gift card! rcblood.org/pets

1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | RedCrossBlood.org | Download the Blood Donor App

ANNUNCIATION GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL
SAINT PHOTINI OUTREACH MINISTRY
CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS!!

The best gift a person can give to another is their "Time". Come offer a few hours on Saturday, April 13th to volunteer at one of the great organizations listed below! There is opportunity for all age groups, including some family-friendly choices! Volunteer registration is now available on [SignUp Genius](#) on our Annunciation Cathedral's website (www.atlgoc.org). If you have any questions on Saturday of Service, please contact vickieklemis@gmail.com.

Volunteers will meet at the Cathedral at 8am on April 13th for Breakfast and after, depart for your assignments.

<p>HELPING MAMAS (9AM-12NOON) 4487 Park Drive, Suite A1 Norcross GA 30093 www.helpingmamas.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No. Volunteers: 15 spots Age Limit: 8 years up Waiver: Yes (Adult & Child - included on link) Help inventory & organize donations, sort clothing & baby supplies Warehouse, dress for weather; closed-toe shoe <p>NOTE: Direct link on SignUp Genius will take you to HM's site.</p>	<p>OPEN HAND ATLANTA (9am-12noon) 181 Armour Drive, NE Atlanta, GA 30324 OpenHandAtlanta.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No. Volunteers: 16 spots - Market Basket Packing (10 spots) - 3 Delivery Routes (3 drivers/1 passenger each) Age Limit: 13 years up Waiver: Yes (Adult & Child; complete onsite) Packing meals for delivery OR Deliver meals Warehouse, walk-in cooler; bring coat & thin gloves; masks (for warmth, not required) <p>NOTE: Direct link on SignUp Genius will take you to OHA's site.</p>
<p>NICHOLAS HOUSE (10AM-1PM) 830 Boulevard SE Atlanta, GA 30312 https://nicholashouse.org/</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No. of Volunteers: 10 spots Age Limit: 9 years up & group accompanied by adult Waiver: No Organize donations; indoor game play with children 6 months to teenagers; welcome to bring your games 	<p>HOPE LODGE (9:00AM-11AM) American Cancer Society Richard M. Schulze Family Foundation 1552 Shoup Court Decatur, GA 30033</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No. Volunteers: 8-10 spots Age Limit: 14 years up Waiver: No Prepare & serve lite breakfast; visit with patients & caregivers; clean kitchen Mask required during visit
<p>FODAC (10am-12:30pm) 4900 Lewis Rd, Stone Mountain, GA 30083 www.FODAC.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No. Volunteers: 10-25 spots Age Limit: 14 years up (consent form from Parent) Waiver: Yes Cleaning, stocking, staffing at Thrift Store Dress: Jeans, tennis shoes, light jacket 	<p>We look forward to your participation! Make it a fun day with family and friends! Know that YOU are making an impact by helping those less fortunate! Make it a GREAT DAY of SERVICE!!</p>

Ecclesiastical Calendar

Sunday, March 10 <i>Meatfare Sunday</i>	Orthros followed by Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral	8:00 am
Wednesday, March 13	Orthros followed by Divine Liturgy in the Metropolis Chapel	8:15 am
Saturday, March 16 <i>2nd Saturday of Souls</i>	Orthros followed by Divine Liturgy at St. Barbara's Chapel	8:30 am
Sunday, March 17 <i>St. Alexios Cheesefare Sunday</i>	Orthros followed by Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral Forgiveness Vespers in the Cathedral	8:00 am 6:00 pm

Events & Activities

Sunday, March 10	College Luncheon following Divine Liturgy in the Kafenion YAL Brunch following Divine Liturgy Pickleball in the Gym	4:00 pm
Monday, March 11	Golden Group Board Meeting in the Conference Room Seniors @ Play in the Gym ADS Board Meeting Atlanta Greek Festival Executive Committee	10:30 am 11:00 am 6:00 pm 7:00 pm
Tuesday, March 12	GOOFS Coffee & Doughnuts in the Kafenion Golden Group Trip to Monastery Clergy Brotherhood Meeting in the Boardroom Parish Council Meeting	9:00 am 11:00 am 6:30 pm
Wednesday, March 13	Mahjong and Games in the Kafenion Wednesday Nite Life Pickleball in the Gym Road to Orthodoxy	10:00 am 6:00 pm 6:00 pm 7:00 pm
Thursday, March 14	Golden Group Luncheon in the Ballroom YAL Burgers & Brews at Flight Club	10:30 am 7:00 pm
Sunday, March 17	Parish Assembly via Zoom Pickleball in the Gym	12:30 pm 4:00 pm

Youth

Sunday, March 10	Sunday School following by the Prayer of Thanksgiving HOPE & JOY in the Cathedral following Sunday School GOYA Board Meeting in the Conference Room following Sunday School	
Monday, March 11	No Annunciation Day School - Parent/Teacher Conferences Annunciation Afternoon Greek School	4:30 pm
Tuesday, March 12	Annunciation Day School ADS Golf/MAAC League at Steel Canyon ADS Flag Football Game vs. Arbor Montessori at Howard	8:00 am 3:45 pm 4:30 pm
Wednesday, March 13	Annunciation Day School Annunciation Afternoon Greek School	8:00 am 4:30 pm
Thursday, March 14	Annunciation Day School ADS Girls Soccer Game at Atlanta Academy	8:00 am 4:30 pm
Friday, March 15	Annunciation Day School	8:00 am
Sunday, March 17	Sunday School following the Prayer of Thanksgiving GOYA Meeting in Carlos Hall	5:00 pm