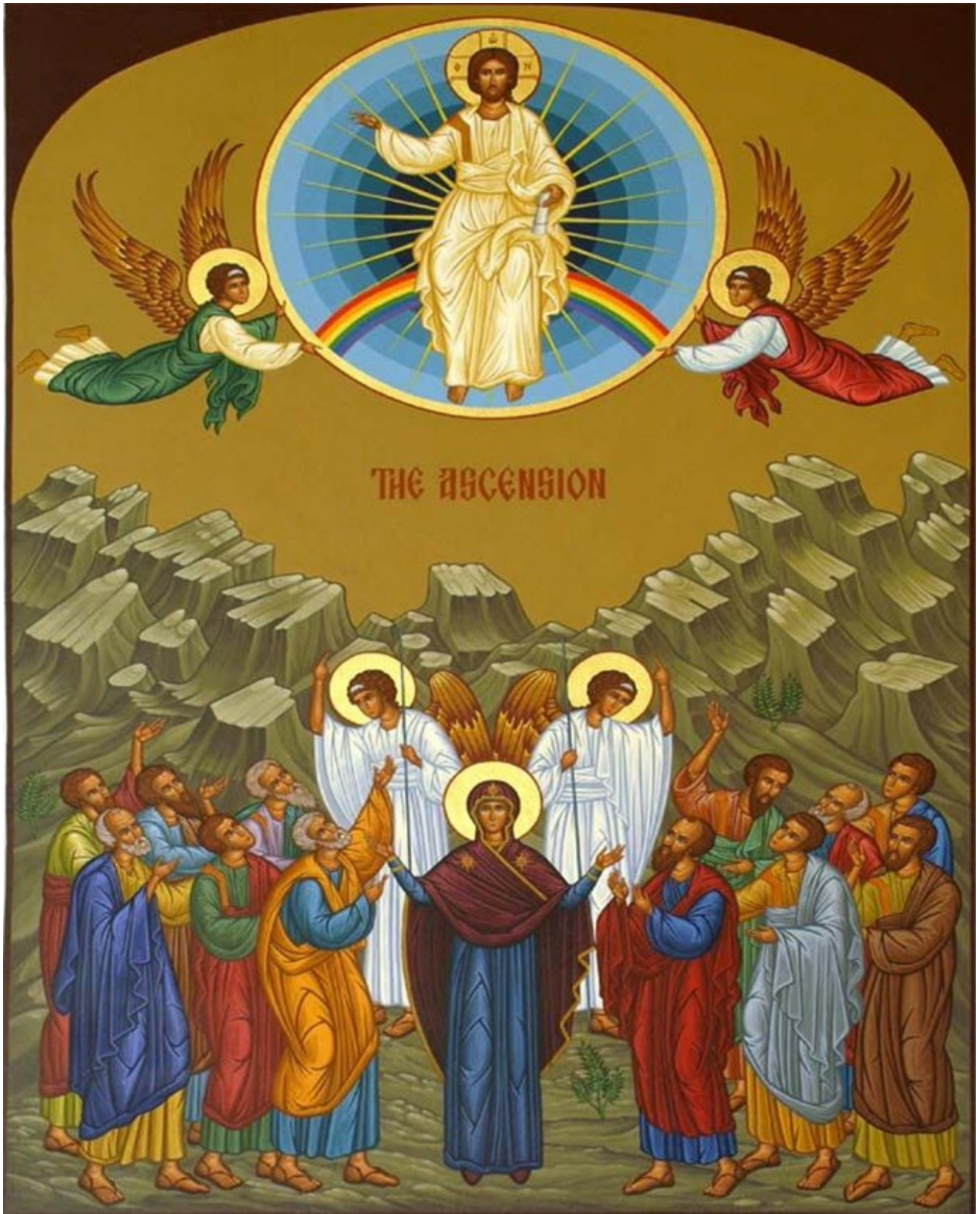


THE ASSUMPTION CONNECTION

May
2023



What's Happening

MAY 2023

Sun	Mo	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

10: Parish Council Meeting

6:15 PM

14: Mothers Day

29: Memorial Day Cemetery Blessings

JUNE 2023

Sun	Mo	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

4: Holy Pentecost

14: Parish Council Meeting

6:15 PM

Prosporon Schedule

May:

- 7: Paraschos, Sam & Sandy
- 14: Pavlis, John & Pat
- 21: Petcou, John & Cheri
- 28: Peters, Jeffrey & Maria

June:

- 4: Photiou, Carol
- 9: Photiou, Lucas & Lori
- 16: Photiou, Maroulla
- 30: Photiou, Christakis

Please make 3 loaves of Prospora and bring them to church by 9:00 am on the morning of the service. Be sure to include your lists of names, both living and deceased, to be read during the Proskimide (Preparation) Service: one list is for those who are living and the other for those who have fallen asleep to the Lord. If you choose not to make Prospora, please send a check to the church for \$20 made payable to "Assumption Greek Orthodox Church" with a note stating it is for Prospora. Be sure to include your list of names. If you have questions, please contact the church office, 810-771-4611.

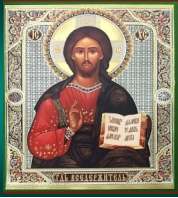
If you would like to add your name or the name of a family member to the prayer list, please contact the church office at 810-771-4611.

Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power As it is working. - James 5:16

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Sandi Chinonis; Maria Chuleas; Stephanos Hatzigeorgiou & Family;
Tessie Komodromos; Afroditi Marks; George & Laura Mersinas;
Sam Paraschos

SUNDAY READERS SCHEDULE	
MAY	JUNE
7 Debra Chinonis	4 Cathy Yeotis
14 John Costa	9 Debra Chinonis
21 Dena Altheide	16 Dena Altheide
28 Nick Kallis	30 John Costa
If you are unable to make your assigned reading date, please contact the church office, 810-771-4611 so we can find a replacement. Thank you!	



FROM FATHER PETER

Christ is Risen!

Back in 2005, while attending Holy Cross, I was asked by Metropolitan Nicholas to spend Holy Week at our sister parish of Annunciation in Muskegon. I was an ordained priest already, and this community had unexpectedly lost its parish priest, Fr. Steven Yankopoulos of blessed memory, only 6 weeks before. It was my first Holy Week and Pascha as a priest, but it required my driving from Boston to Michigan (and back). I realized that I would miss a couple of classes because of the trip back – one of them being a weekly seminar which I always looked forward to.

I emailed the teacher: “Christ is Risen, Father! I am afraid I am going to miss your seminar this week..”, giving him the reason why. His reply was simple, but profound:

“Fr. Peter, Christ is Risen!? And you are still afraid?...”

In this period of Pascha – which we continue until the Ascension, and where we hear the witness of many who saw, who spoke with, and who touched the risen Christ – we focus, rightly so, on Christ’s bodily Resurrection, having “trampled upon death by death” (Troparion of Pascha).

Yet, there is another aspect to the Resurrection that is useful for us to consider. Christ defeated death – reminding us that we already have eternal life (where we decide to spend it, however, is another matter). But the word “fear” makes an appearance throughout Scriptures, and Christ’s direct confrontation of fear that we need to remember. We hear repeatedly in various Gospel accounts, His words, “Do not fear”, and, “Fear not, it is I”. And, especially, “...do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul” (Mt. 10:28).

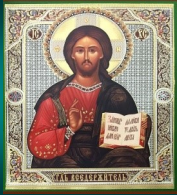
It is not simply death that Christ destroys by His Resurrection, but the fear of death. We are sometimes consumed by fear about the end of our earthly life. But the joy of Pascha is a reminder that all of us have that part of us which survives and lives on, unless we ourselves choose a direction or path in life which condemns us in our entirety, including our soul.

This does not mean we can be “fearless” in every and all things. Some fear and anxiety is part of our lives, and useful to protect us from being careless or taking unnecessary risks. But we cannot allow ourselves to be paralyzed by fear that prevents us from following the path that Christ has set for us. My teacher’s reply was one of simplicity and clarity. It is a reminder that, despite all, Christ has the ultimate victory over all things.

Christ is Risen! And we are still afraid?

Truly He is Risen,

+Fr. Peter



FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL

Christ is Risen!

Alas, spring is here! Spring is a miracle of beauty. Time to rejoice with winter behind us, Spring is a reminder that God is about making new things. A time of rebirth as the world wakes up after going dormant in the winter months.

We have had an extremely very busy new season beginning with welcoming our new Priest, Fr. Peter Bistolarides, whom we are very blessed, privileged, and honored to have Father serve our parish.

We recently completed a 7 week “Friday-Fish Fry” which was extremely successful. Very many thanks to John Hountalas for kick starting the event, along with the plethora of volunteers who assisted. It was a colossal undertaking, a lot of work and preparations before and after. Many thanks to everyone. Plans to resume the Fish Fry for a short period during the fall season are underway.

Also, very many thanks to Mike Potsos for donating the Anastasi dinner. Many blessing to Mike for his generosity.

An update on the Iconography, the dome is completed and will be installed in early May. During the time of installation, Sunday service will be held in the social hall, a slight inconvenience but never the less we will be looking forward and “upward” towards the beautiful dome.

Lastly, on Saturday, June 10th, a “Taste of Greece” event is planned. We need everyone’s support to make this event successful.

Wishing all a blessed holiday, filled with happiness, love and faith.

Susan Kallis - Parish Council President

COFFEE HOUR SPONSORS

We are seeking people to sponsor coffee hour in May & June. If you are interested please see Susan Kallis.

MAY		JUNE	
7TH		4TH	
14TH		11TH	
21ST		18TH	
28TH		25TH	

MONTHLY TREASURER'S REPORT

The GENERAL CHECKING ACCOUNT holds our operating income we receive each month including stewardship, trays and candles, and other donations. Paid out of this account are the operating expenses each month.

The SPECIAL EVENTS ACCOUNT is used to hold income from fundraising events such as Golf Outing, Cash Raffle, other Fundraisers. These funds are released to the General Checking Account once all associated bills are paid for that fundraiser and a final accounting is done. Also included in this account are the monies collected by our Religious Education group for Youth Ministry, monies donated for the Parking Lot Pledge project, and Easter Item Donations.

We currently have 3 Savings accounts for designated purposes – Iconography, Church Investment Savings Fund (Wall Savings) and Property Improvement. We also have an Investment Account for Iconography and an Investment Account for the Church Investment Savings Fund

Any questions regarding the Monthly Treasurer's Report should be directed to the Parish Council President, Treasurer or Co-Treasurer.

OPERATING INCOME MARCH 2023			OPERATING EXPENSES MARCH 2023		
	CURRENT MONTH	YEAR TO DATE		CURRENT MONTH	YEAR TO DATE
Stewardship	\$7,970.00	\$48,022.64	Operating Expenses	\$6,869.90	\$31,349.41
Trays & Candles	\$1,359.00	\$3,806.00	Miscellaneous Expenses*	\$1,715.47	\$3,507.82
Memorial income	\$580.00	\$2,405.00	Fish Fry Expenses	\$16,321.07	\$23,448.05
Miscellaneous Income	\$663.00	\$4,949.11	Maintenance Expenses		\$841.70
Fundraising Income **	\$23,411.01	\$31,249.76			
Total Operating Income	\$33,983.01	\$90,432.51	Total Operating Expenses	\$16,321.07	\$59,146.98
OPERATING GAIN((LOSS) FOR MONTH: \$17,661.94					
OPERATING GAIN/(LOSS) FOR YEAR: \$31,285.53					

*Miscellaneous Expenses include Office, Janitorial, Altar and Kitchen supplies and other expenses not included in the other categories

** Fundraising Income includes Fish Fry and Golf Outing

OTHER INCOME – MARCH 2023		OTHER EXPENSES MARCH 2023	
ICONOGRAPHY DONATIONS	\$1,251	Iconography Expenses	\$0
DONATIONS FOR SCAFFOLDING	\$643	Transfer to Iconography Investment Account	\$0
CHURCH INV SAVINGS FUND – WALL DONATIONS	\$4,971	Wall Savings Expenses	\$0
DONATIONS FOR FISH FRY EXPENSES	\$50	Transfer to Wall Savings Investment Account	\$5,000

We could like to say THANK YOU everyone who has donated to the Iconography Project for the Scaffolding. We are a little over half way to our goal. Keep the donations coming.

ACCOUNT BALANCES AS OF MARCH 31, 2023			
General Checking	\$103,866.77	Church investment Savings Fund – Wall Savings	\$4,879.55
		Church Investment Savings Investment Account	\$140,697.79
Special Events – Consists of: Altar Chair Donations \$250.00 Easter Item Donations \$1,475.00 Parking Lot Savings \$1,376.88 Youth Ministry \$1,012.47 Emergency Funds \$3,000	\$7,114.35	Iconography Savings	\$12,257.66
		Iconography Investment Account	\$72,374.39
		Property Improvement Savings	\$2,579.14

ICONOGRAPHY PROJECT

In 2018 we began our Iconography Project that had a total project cost of approximately \$340,000. Thank you to those who have purchased or committed to purchasing an Icon. To date we have raised approximately \$250,000. Our Iconographer is currently working on the icons for the dome.

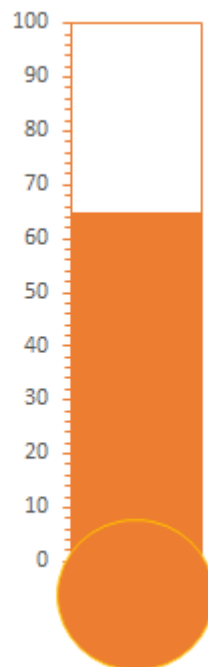
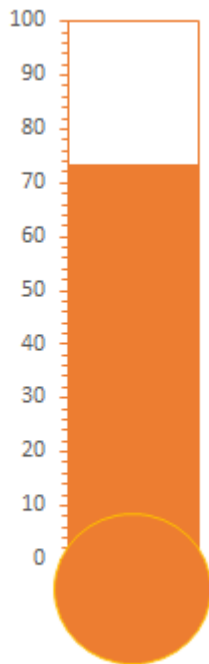
In order to install these icons, we are going to have to rent scaffolding which was not included in the original budget for the project. The cost of the scaffolding is going to be \$21,000. We are asking everyone to consider giving the church a donation for the scaffolding. We would like at least \$200 from each parishioner, however any donation, big or small, will definitely help. Thank you to those that have contributed to that project. To date we have raised \$13,200 towards the scaffolding.

Please send your donations to the church with a notation that it is for the Iconography scaffolding. You can also give your donations to John Hountalas, JoAnne Schultze, or Debra Chinonis in church on Sundays.

There are still Icons available for sale. Please consider purchasing an icon, either by yourself, or with other individuals/families. If you would like to purchase an icon or even just donate a little, please contact John Hountalas at (810) 701-5164.

Thank you for your support of our Assumption Church and the Iconography project.

ICONOGRAPHY PROJECT	SCAFFOLDING PROJECT
GOAL: \$340,000	GOAL: \$21,000
ACHIEVED: \$250,000	ACHIEVED: \$13,650
73.5% OF GOAL	62.9% OF GOAL



Scaffolding Project Donors

Allard, Georgie & Clyde	Hanna, Elias	Panos, Angelo
Altheide, Dena	Hountalas, Dimitri & Brittany	Panos-Lillar, Diana
Anonymous	Hountalas, John & Tasia	Panos, John
Artemas, Rev. Fr. John	Kalatzis, Athena	Potsos, Emmanouil
Bakris, Nicholas	Kondyles, Chryssoula	Red Baron
Batsios, Eftyhia	Kossaras, Dean & Joyce	Richards, Ken & Kathy
Chinonis, Dennis & Debra	Kus, Michael & Alexis	Schultze, JoAnne
Chinonis, Linda	Lauster, Jeff & Chinonis, Nancy	Sirakis, Kosta & Sofia
Christopher, James & Elizabeth	Lowe, Ann	Thornton, Jerry & Demi
Churchills Food & Spirits	Mandelaris, John & Pauline	Woodhaven Senior Community
Clinton, Mike & Kathy	Mavrikos, Ioannis & Aspasia	Wright, Jeff & Kay
Drolet, Mark & Penelopi	Melonakos, Anthony & Paula	

Available Icons of the 12 Prophets for the dome

Jeremiah	Solomon	Isiah- SOLD	Aaron
Elijah- SOLD	Micah	Ezekiel	Joel
Elisha	Daniel- SOLD	Jonah	Hosea
David- SOLD	Habakkuk	Moses- SOLD	Job

Two icons available that have already been installed:

<p>Nativity (left side looking at Altar, left of Baptismal Font)</p> 	<p>Communion of the Apostles (by Bishops Throne)</p> 
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Philoptochos Society - Friends of the Poor!

It has been my pleasurer to serve as the President of our group for the last 6 years. Our ladies have been the best to serve with at our past Chicken Luncheons, Bake Sales and other church functions, including the Fish Frys, The Taste of Greece, and many other church functions.

Our membership continues to drop, we need all our parishioners to continue to support our Philoptochos Ladies Society. This group of women try and continue our philanthropic work in our church and in our community. We do and will continue to support our National Obligations, but we need the support of our Women in our parish. The Ladies of the Philoptochos are the helping hands of our church. Several of us have also volunteered at FISH. Inc and serve at Catholic Charities in the past years.

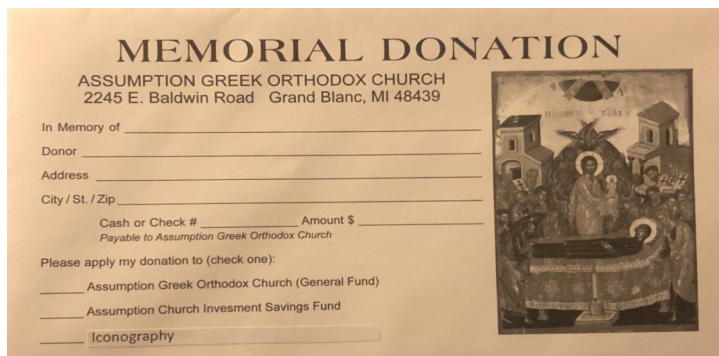
The Election process for 2023-2025 Chapter Board has begun. The Screening Chairman is Diana Lillar. Our elections are a two-step process. First if you are interested in running for a Board position, please give your name to Diana for screening. The primary qualification is that you have been a member of the Philoptochos group for 1 year and up to date on your dues. Secondly, after that election the newly elected Board of Directors will elect the Executive Board, which include President, Vice President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary and Treasurer.

We would appreciate any suggestions from our parishioners to enhance our group. We also would invite any and all ladies to join our group. If you are looking for more information please check out the website at <https://www.philoptochos.org>.

Diana Panos-Lillar
President

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

“Donations made at an Orthodox Funeral service in memory of the departed are typically collected by the church, which then presents the names and final donation amount to the designated surviving family member. Any memorial donation checks not marked “*Assumption Church*” will be distributed for the purpose indicated on the check.



The image shows a 'MEMORIAL DONATION' form for the Assumption Greek Orthodox Church. The form includes fields for 'In Memory of', 'Donor', 'Address', and 'City / St. / Zip'. It also has a section for 'Cash or Check #' and 'Amount \$', with a note 'Payable to Assumption Greek Orthodox Church'. Below this, there is a section 'Please apply my donation to (check one):' with three options: 'Assumption Greek Orthodox Church (General Fund)', 'Assumption Church Investment Savings Fund', and 'Iconography'. To the right of the form is a small icon depicting a religious scene, likely the Assumption of the Virgin Mary.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

Scheduling of Memorial Services

All Memorial Services must be **scheduled through the church office** so that they may be placed on the church calendar.

Koliva

If anyone is in need of Koliva, please contact the church office (810-771-4611) for the names of those available to make it. The standard rate is \$150. **It is the responsibility of the family to arrange for Koliva.**

ASSUMPTION GOC MEMBER POLICY

The current approved policy for Parishioner Status of the Assumption Greek Orthodox Church (AGOC) of Grand Blanc, Michigan is as follows:

Parishioner - Person Baptized and Chrismated according the rites of the Orthodox Church and attending the AGOC.

Parishioner - Member in Good Standing:

- Person in compliance with Section 1 and 2 of Article 18 of the Uniform Parish Regulations of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese.
- Person with an AGOC pledge card on file with a minimum pledge of \$600 per family or \$350 per single and current in pledges for active and preceding year.

In-Active Parishioner - Person not in compliance with requirements for Parishioner or Member in Good Standing as defined above.

Parishioners and In-Active Parishioners can receive all sacraments at AGOC but are required to pay church usage fee.

Any deviations from this policy must be approved by the Parish Priest and Parish Council President and must be presented to them at least one month prior to the proposed sacrament date.

Stewardship Policy - Only cash, check or credit card can be accepted as payment of stewardship. Donations of items or services cannot be accepted for stewardship in lieu of monetary payment.

CHURCH USAGE/HALL RENTAL FEES

(Approved by Parish Council Effective December 4, 2022)

For the Sacraments of Holy Marriage and Holy Baptism

There is no charge for Funeral or Memorial Services.

CHURCH USAGE FEE

<p>Member in good standing of AGOC-Grand Blanc: Person with an AGOC pledge card on file with a minimum pledge of \$600 per family or \$350 per single and current in pledges for active and preceding year</p>	<p>Inactive Parishioner/Non-Member at AGOC-Grand Blanc: See ASSUMPTION GOC MEMBER POLICY on page 8.</p>
<p>No fee for use of the church for sacraments.</p>	<p>\$750 fee for use of the church for Sacraments</p>

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HALL RENTAL FEES

<p>Member in good standing of AGOC-Grand Blanc: Person with an AGOC pledge card on file with a minimum pledge of \$600 per family or \$350 per single and current in pledges for active and preceding year</p>	<p>Inactive Parishioner /Non-Member at AGOC-Grand Blanc:</p>
<p>Friday-Saturday Hall Rental: Flat fee of \$600 for Hall Rental (includes clean-up) If church dishes are used, dishwasher will be supplied at a cost of \$50 (cannot bring own dishwasher)</p>	<p>Flat fee of \$1,100 for Hall Rental (includes clean-up) If church dishes are used, dishwasher will be supplied at a cost of \$50. (cannot bring own dishwasher)</p>
<p>Sunday - Thursday Hall Rental: \$300 minimum for 3 hours - \$100 each additional hour up to a maximum of \$600. Renter is responsible for hall clean-up. No kitchen usage.</p>	

STEWARDSHIP 2023

THANK YOU to the following faithful stewards who have submitted their pledge cards for 2023. Please join them in their support of our Assumption Greek Orthodox Church and submit your pledge card today!

Bistolarides, Rev. Fe. Peter & Pres. Peggy	Hagler, Anna
Allard, Clyde & Georgia	Haglet, Gary & Marian
Altheide, Dena	Heos, Pamela & Brancheau, Jeffrey
Anagnostopoulos, Nick & Anna	Hountalas Family
Artemas, Rev. Fr. John	Iakovidis, Tony & Vicki
Asa, Barbara & Darwin	Kalatzis, Athena
Bakris, Dr. Nicholas	Kallis, Agape
Batsios, Eftyhia & Evangelos	Kallis, Nick
Birtsas, Sandra	Kallis, Penelope
Bistolaridis, Tony & Maria	Kallis, Susan
Bograkos, Tim & Sandy	Kaloydis, John
Bograkos, Vera	Kitsonas, William
Brown Jr, Andrew	Kokkianokos, Peter & Panagiota
Chiavaras, Lucille	Komodromos, Tessie
Chinonis, Dennis & Dr. Debra	Kondyles, Chryssoula
Chinonis, Elias	Kontorousis, Dimitri & Jacqueline
Chinonis, Katie	Kossaras, Dean & Joyce
Chinonis, Linda	Kottalis, Mary
Chinonis, Nancy & Lauster, Jeffrey	Koutrouvidas, John & Nina
Chinonis, Richard	Kus, Michael & Alexis
Christopher, James & Elizabeth	Levas, George & Margot
Clinton, Mike & Kathy	Livieratos-Dobbins, Maria
Costa, John & Laura	Lowe, Ann
Costa, Kyriacos & Vasilias	Mandelaris, John & Pauline
Dalbo, Helen	Manutes, Nicholas & Maria
Daros, Christine	Margaritis, Ioannis & Vicky
Davis-Kirksey, Steve & Linda	Margaritis, Sofia
Demps, Crystal	Martorelli, Matthew & Jill
Falaras, Mary	Martorelli, Michael
Ferich, Andrew & Voula	Mavrikos, Ioannis & Aspasia
Foraker, Walter & Diane	Melonakos, Anthony & Paula
Garceau, Greg & Sia	Menoutes, George

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Michaelou, Sevasti

Neofotistos, John & Julie

Nitson, E

Nitsos, George & Candy

Panos-Lillar, Diana

Panos, Spiridoula

Pappadakis, Anthony & Kandis

Pappadakis, Nikki

Pappas, Dean & Elaine

Paraschos, Sam & Sandra

Pavlis, John & Pat

Photiou, Carol

Photiou, Lucas & Lori

Politis, Rita

Poulos, Eleanor

Poulos, Steve & Martha

Richards, Kenneth & Kathy

Rivette, Matthew & Lori

Schultze, JoAnne

Sirakis, Costa & Sofia

Sirakis, Paraskenos & Athena

Stamatis, Sandra & Thomas †

Steinhoff, Allen & Olga

Steinhoff, Amanda

Steinhoff, Stephanie

Stergiopoulos, Mary

Stergiopoulos, Zoi

Thornton, Jerry & Demitra

Thurber, Chuck & Paula

Thurkill, Stella

Vergos, Dr. Peter & Susie

Vitinaros, Effie & Nick

Walker, Bruce & Kathy

Wright, Jeff & Kay

Yeotis, Catherine

Yeotis, Hon. Thomas & Meg

2023 MEMORIAL DAY CEMETERY BLESSINGS

MONDAY, MAY 29TH

Father Peter will be performing the cemetery blessings in the order and times listed below. Please list the names of your loved ones down below for Father to commemorate at the gravesite.

Sunset Hills Cemetery at 9:00 AM (Section 3 right of Chapel)

G-4413 Flushing Rd., Flint, MI 48504

Crestwood Cemetery at 10:00 AM (Garden of Calvary)

2020 E. Hill Rd., Grand Blanc, MI 48439

Evergreen Cemetery at 11:00 AM (Section 11—3rd block)

G-3415 E. Hill Rd., Grand Blanc, MI 48439

Great Lakes National Cemetery at 1:00 PM

4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI 48442

NAME OF DECEASED—ONOMATA NEKPQN



92ND ANNUAL AHEPA DISTRICT 10

Convention & Greek Gala

Saturday, June 3, 2023

St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church
760 W Wattles Road, Troy, MI 48098

Convention Sessions

8:30 – 9:40 a.m.

Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:40 a.m – 4:30 p.m

Meetings including Lunch

Greek Gala

4:30 – 6:00 p.m.

Cocktails & Hors d'oeuvres with Open Bar

6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Dinner and Presentations

7:30 – 11:00 p.m.

Dancing and Music by Dennis Theodorou

Registration

Convention Registration: \$120.00

(Received on or before May 5)

Convention Late Registration: \$140.00

(Received May 6 – 19)

Greek Gala Only Registration: \$75.00

(Received on or before May 19)

Hotel Information: Marriott Troy, 200 W Big Beaver Road, Troy, MI
Deadline to reserve a room for a special rate is on May 5, 2023 at 5 p.m.



Visit ahepadistrict10.org for more information.
Registration forms can be found on the events page.



Hosted by AHEPA and DOP District #10 Lodges

HOLY WEEK 2023



HOLY WEEK 2023



FLINT AHEPA-DAUGHTERS
SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

The Flint AHEPA/ Daughters Scholarship Foundation will award scholarships to qualified 2023 high school graduates. In order to qualify, the graduate must meet the following criteria:

1. Either the student, or at least one of the parents, grandparents, or legal guardian is a paid member of either Flint AHEPA Chapter #141, or Daughters of Penelope Iris Chapter #242, or a member in good standing of the Assumption Greek Orthodox Church of Flint.
2. The student must be graduating from a Flint area high school, and planning to attend a trade school, college or university upon graduating from high school.
3. The student must have a minimum 2.75 grade point average on a scale of 4.00.
4. The student must submit a completed application and all supporting documents by the deadline of May 1, 2023.

If you are a graduate or anyone else that knows of any graduate that meets the above criteria, please contact John K. Costa directly at (810) 659-5275 or jnlcosta@sbcglobal.net. Scholarship Applications are also available at the church office.



**FLINT AHEPA-DAUGHTERS
SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION**
2245 E Baldwin Rd., Grand Blanc, MI 48439



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application No. _____
(For Office Use)

PART A. To be completed by the student and postmarked by May 1st.
Please print or type

1. Applicant's Name (first) _____ (last) _____ Birth date _____

2. Address(street) _____ (city) _____ (state) _____ (zip) _____

3. Name of Father _____ Mother _____ Guardian _____

4. Father's Occupation _____ Mother's Occupation _____

5. Are you currently employed? If yes, current employer _____
If no, previous employer _____
and years of employment _____

6. Name and address of your high school _____

7. Your grade point average (on a scale of 4.00) _____

8. List special academic recognitions you have received in school and dates received during the past four years. You may attach additional pages.

Must be postmarked by May 1st



FLINT AHEPA-DAUGHTERS
SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION
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PART B. TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PRINCIPAL OR COUNSELOR
(Attachments may be added)

1. Applicant's Name _____
2. Date of graduation _____
3. Course followed _____
4. Grade point average (on a scale of 4.0) _____
5. Number in graduating class _____
6. Class rank _____
7. Academics – recognitions and awards received _____

8. Non-academic participation, recognitions and awards _____

9. Please attach a complete transcript of all school grades and all state or national test results.
10. Summary of any information, including applicant's character, personality, creative abilities, activities and interests that may help us in awarding the applicant this scholarship. _____

Signature and title _____ Date _____

Please return and postmarked by May 1st to:

John K. Costa
AHEPA-Daughters Scholarship
2245 E. Baldwin Rd.
Grand Blanc, MI 48439

Daughters of Penelope

Iris Chapter 242

The Daughters of Penelope would like to thank everyone who comes out and supports our events. Since last August we have been able to make the following contributions to our Assumption Church:

- \$500 Contribution towards new alter boy torches
- \$150 Church Golf Outing Sponsorship
- \$200 Donation from Cash Raffle Ticket Winnings
- \$6,000 Donation to the Church General Fund

Upcoming Events:

- Next Chapter Meeting - Sunday, April 30 following coffee hour.
- 21st Annual Greek Independence Day Parade- Sunday, May 7 at 3:00 pm on Monroe St. in Greek Town. Join us to walk in the parade.
- Food Bank of Eastern Michigan Volunteer Day - Saturday, May 13. Everyone is welcome to come and help.
- Mother's Day Coffee hour hosted by the our chapter - Sunday, May 14.
- AHEPA Educational Foundation Scholarship Brunch - Saturday, May 20 at t St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church in Troy.
- 92nd AHEPA and DOP District 10 Convention and Greek Gala - Saturday, June 3, at St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church in Troy.
- Honoring High School, Trade School, and College Graduates - June date TBD. Please let us know the names of any upcoming graduates.

If you would like to join the Daughters of Penelope, please contact me or any other member. We would love to have you join our sisterhood.

Joanne Dau, President



PROCEDURE FOR RECEIPTS

Due to the rising cost of mailing receipts for every donation received by the church, the Parish Council has established the following procedure for receipts:

When you mail in a donation to the church, or drop it off in the office, a receipt will not be mailed or given to parishioners of Assumption Greek Orthodox Church. Your cancelled check can be used as proof of your payment, as well as the contribution statement you receive from the church at the end of the year. This includes donations for stewardship, iconography, cash raffle, golf outing, memorials, miscellaneous, etc. For credit card charges, please allow 24 hours to process your payment.

If you require a receipt, please contact the church office during normal business hours (Tuesday – Thursday (10:00 AM – 2:00 PM) or see a Parish Council member on Sunday's.

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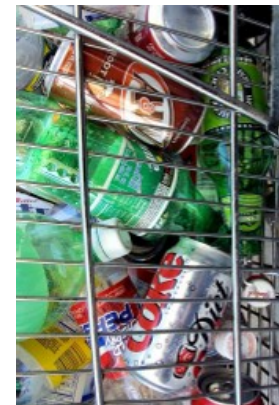
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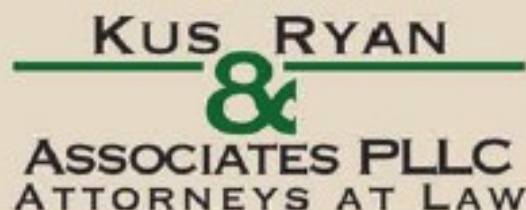
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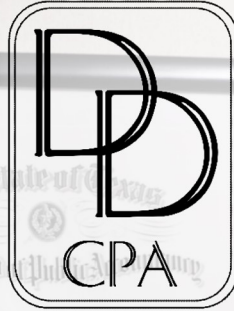


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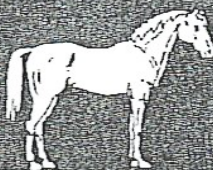
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