



We will have the 40 Day Memorial for our beloved Petros Misetzis on Sunday, June 30th.  
Please keep his soul, and his family in your prayers.  
May his memory be eternal.

**GLIMPSES INTO THE GALA**

Another wonderful Gala is being planned to celebrate the 28th Anniversary of Transfiguration Greek Orthodox Church. What a blessing!  
The next meeting is THIS COMING THURSDAY, JUNE 20<sup>th</sup> at the KOUNTOUPIS HOME – 14909 Spillman Ranch Loop  
HAPPY HOUR 6:00PM. MEETING 6:30PM.  
Attendance at any meeting or Happy Hour does NOT commit you to being a worker.  
Mark your calendar!: 28th Anniversary Gala: Saturday, November 2, 2013 at the Austin Country Club

**SAVE THE DATE FOR THE 16TH ANNUAL TGOC GOLF TOURNAMENT! !**

This year's tournament will be held on **MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2013**  
At the Live Oak Gold Club in Lakeway. This tournament is open to all levels of golfing talent.  
Men and women are invited to participate. So plan to join the fun of "Greek Golf Day"!

**Operation Lace Up!**

FOCUS (Fellowship of Orthodox Christians United to Serve) North America is undertaking a very exciting project named Operation Lace Up. 3300 pairs of shoes will be distributed to homeless youth in Austin, identified in conjunction with AISD. The goal of the program is to ensure that all school-age children have comfortable, properly-fitting shoes and are able to attend school.  
FOCUS needs 28-50 Volunteers to sort and distribute these shoes. Some of this work could be done by anyone, and some of it will require people to have their own transportation.  
If you are interested in helping with this worthy project, either by being the point person or to help with the sorting and distribution of the shoes, please contact the church office.

**Thank you to today's Coffee Hour Sponsors:  
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**Thank you last week's Luncheon Sponsors:  
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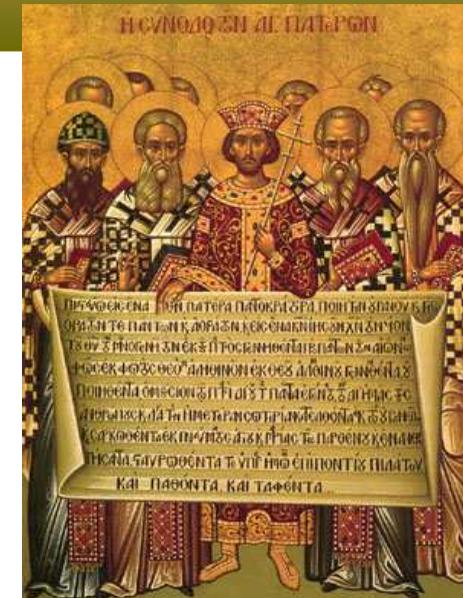
**Next Week's Coffee Hour Sponsors:  
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**Thank you to today's ushers:  
Judy Eagle, Chrissie Spiropoulos, Brian Holland**

**Thank you to last week's ushers:  
Tom Gouris,  
Dan & Gigi Appling,  
Dr. Jerry Burks**

**Next week's ushers are:  
Mary Georgantonis, Brian Holland, Paul Petrogeorge, Allen Wynn**

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SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE  
ORTHROS 8:15AM; DIVINE LITURGY 9:30AM

**Reverend Fr. Vasileios Flegas, Proistamenos**  
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**Hymn for the Great Feast of the Ascension**

Ἀνελήφθης ἐν δόξῃ Χριστέ ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν χαροποιήσας τοὺς μαθητὰς τῇ ἐπαγγελίᾳ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος βεβαιωθέν των αὐτῶν διὰ τῆς εὐλογίας ὅτι Σὺ εἶ ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ ὁ λυτρωτὴς τοῦ κόσμου.

“Thou has ascended in glory, O Christ our God, and gladdened Thy disciples with the promise of the Holy Spirit; and they were assured by the blessing that Thou art the Son of God and Redeemer of the world.”

**Resurrection Hymn (2<sup>nd</sup> Plagal Tone)**

Ἀγγελικαὶ Δυνάμεις ἐπὶ τὸ μνήμᾳ σου, καὶ οἱ φυλάσσοντες ἀπενεκρώθησαν, καὶ ἴστατο Μαρία ἐν τῷ τάφῳ, ζητοῦσα τὸ ἀχραντὸν σου σῶμα. Ἐσκύλευσας τὸν Ἄδην, μὴ πειρασθεὶς ὑπ' αὐτοῦ, ὑπήνησας τῇ Παρθένῳ, δωροῦμενος τὴν ζωὴν, ὁ ἀναστάς ἐκ των νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

“When the angelic powers appeared at your tomb and those who guarded You became as though dead, and standing by Your sepulchre was Mary seeking Your pure and sacred body.

For You did vanquish Hades and uncorrupted by its touch You came unto the virgin woman, bestowing the gift of life O You who rose from the dead. Lord we give glory to You.

**Hymn for the Holy Fathers of 1<sup>st</sup> Ecumenical Council**

Ὑπερδεδοξασμένους εἶ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν, ὁ φωστήρας ἐπὶ γῆς τοὺς Πατέρας ἡμῶν θεμελιώσας, καὶ δι' αὐτῶν πρὸς τὴν ἀληθινὴν πίστιν, πάντα ἡμᾶς ὁδηγήσας· πολυεύσπλαγχνε, δόξα σοι.

“Most glorified art Thou, O Christ our God, Who has established our Fathers as luminous stars upon the earth, and through them did guide us all to the true Faith. O Most Merciful One, glory be to Thee.”

**Apolitikion of the Transfiguration of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ**

Μετεμορφώθης ἐν τῷ ὄρει Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, δείξας τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου τὴν δόξαν σου, καθὼς ἠδύναντο, Ἄμμυρον καὶ ἡμῖν τοῖς ἀμαρτωλοῖς, τὸ φῶς σου τὸ αἰδίων, πρεσβεΐαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, φωτοδότα δόξα σοι.

“Metemorphosis en to ori, Christe o Theos, dixas tis mathites Sou tin doxan Sou, kathos i dynando. Lampson ke imin tis amartolis to fos Sou to aidion, presvies tis Theotokou Fotodota doxa Si.”

“When O Christ our God Thou wast Transfigured on the mountain Thou didst reveal Thy glory to Thy disciples in proportion as they could bear it. Let Thine everlasting light also enlighten us sinners. By the intercessions of the Theotokos, O Thou Bestower of light, glory to Thee.”

**Kontakion for the Feast of the Ascension**

Τὴν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν πληρώσας οἰκονομίαν, καὶ τὰ ἐπὶ γῆς ἐνώσας τοῖς οὐρανίοις, ἀνελήφθης ἐν δόξῃ, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν, οὐδαμόθεν χωριζόμενος, ἀλλὰ μένων ἀδιάστατος, καὶ βοῶν τοῖς ἀγαπῶσί σε· Ἐγὼ εἶμι μεθ' ὑμῶν, καὶ οὐδεὶς καθ' ὑμῶν.

“When Thou had fulfilled Thy dispensation for our sakes, uniting things on earth with the Heavens, Thou did ascend in glory, O Christ our God, departing not hence, but remaining inseparable from us and crying unto them that love Thee: I am with you, and no one can be against you.”

*Services for this Week*

*Saturday of All Souls:* Saturday, June 22 - Orthros at 9:00am; Divine Liturgy at 10:00am  
*Great Vespers:* Saturday, June 22; 5:00pm

We welcome this morning Nick Kasemeotes, Gift Officer of International Orthodox Christian Charities, who is here to give us a presentation about IOCC and the work they are doing.

**40 Day Blessings!**

We congratulate two families today on the 40 Day Blessings of their babies!

The blessings are for:

- \* Chloe Streetman, daughter of Kyle and Sophie Streetman
- \* Elijah Arges, son of Chris and Allie Arges

We also congratulate Tommy and Jennifer Cokins on the 40 Day Blessing of their baby daughter, Calla. The blessing took place on Saturday, June 15 after Great Vespers.

*May God's face always shine upon them and grant them many years!*

**Feast of the Nativity of St. John the Forerunner**

This year Monday, June 24, Monday of the Holy Spirit, falls on the Feast of the Nativity of St. John the Forerunner.

In keeping with local Austin tradition, where we support one another's parishes on our feast days, Fr. Aidan Wilcoxson, and the community of St. John the Forerunner in Cedar Park, has graciously invited all Orthodox parishes in the area to celebrate their feast with them at their Church location.

Fr. Vasileios will be there to serve with Fr. Aidan.

Please mark your calendars to join Fr. Vasileios at St. John the Forerunner.

The service times for Monday, June 24 will be: Orthros at 7:00am and Divine Liturgy at 9:00am  
St. John the Forerunner Orthodox Church is located at 800 West Park St. in Cedar Park, 78613

**The Liturgy for the Monday of the Holy Spirit that is scheduled on our June calendar has been changed in order for us to join St. John.**

**GOLF** (Greek Orthodox Ladies Fellowship)

We encourage all ladies to join us if you are able on Tuesdays from 10 - 12pm in Mount Tabor Hall.

Kids are always welcome to play while we meet. Mark your calendars! We will pick up where we left off with In Thy Presence on Tuesday, July 9.

Please contact Whitney Papadatos to be added to our email distribution list- wpapadatos@hotmail.com

**VCC SAVE THE DATE!**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR AUG. 5, 6, 7, 8, & 9**

CAMP ST. NICHOLAS, TRANSFIGURATION'S VACATION CHURCH CAMP, WILL BE HELD AT THE CHURCH ON THESE VERY SPECIAL DATES. THE THEME THIS YEAR IS 'HOLY WEEK'. WE ALSO HAVE A FAMILY TRIP PLANNED TO HOLY ARCHANGELS MONASTERY ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 10.

You can make a world of difference  
in the world's **HARSHEST** places.



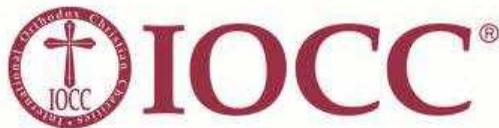
## "YOUR FAITH IN ACTION" A Special Presentation

Sunday, June 16<sup>th</sup> 2013 • After the Divine Liturgy

Transfiguration Greek Orthodox Church  
414 St. Stephen's School Road • Austin, TX

**NICK KASEMEOTES, IOCC GIFT OFFICER,**

will give a brief talk on IOCC's worldwide humanitarian  
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- Responding to the needs of disaster victims
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IOCC, in the spirit of Christ's love, offers emergency relief and development programs to those in need,  
without discrimination, and strengthens the capacity of the Orthodox Church to so respond.

For Paul decided to sail by Ephesus, so that to spend time in Asia might not happen to him; for he was hastening, if it were possible for him, to be in Jerusalem the day of Pentecost. And from Miletos he sent to Ephesus and called to himself the presbyters of the church. And when they came to him, he said to them, "Ye know, from the first day on which I set foot in Asia, how I was with you all the time.

"Be taking heed therefore to yourselves, and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit set you for Himself as bishops, to shepherd the Church of the Lord and God, which He preserved for Himself through His own blood. "For I know this, that after my departure grievous wolves shall enter in among you, not sparing the flock, "and among your own selves men shall rise up, speaking things which have been perverted, to draw away the disciples after themselves. "Wherefore keep on watching, remembering that for three years I ceased not admonishing each one night and day with tears. "And now, brethren, I commend you to God, and to the word of His grace, which is able to build up and to give you an inheritance among all those who have been sanctified. "I desired of no one silver or gold or clothing; "but ye yourselves know that these hands ministered to my needs, and those who were with me. "I showed you by example all things, that so toiling it is needful to help those who are weak, and to remember the words of the Lord Jesus, that He Himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'" And having said these things, he kneeled down and prayed with them all.

Ἐν ταῖς ἡμεραῖς ἐκεῖναις, ἔκρινεν ὁ Παῦλος παραπλευσαι τὴν Ἔφεσον, ὅπως μὴ γένηται αὐτῷ χρονοτριβῆσαι ἐν τῇ Ἀσίᾳ· ἔσπευδεν γάρ, εἰ δυνατόν ἦν αὐτῷ, τὴν ἡμέραν τῆς Πεντηκοστῆς γενέσθαι εἰς Ἱεροσόλυμα. Ἀπὸ δὲ τῆς Μιλήτου πέμψας εἰς Ἔφεσον μετεκαλέσατο τοὺς πρεσβυτέρους τῆς ἐκκλησίας. Ὡς δὲ παρεγένοντο πρὸς αὐτόν, εἶπεν αὐτοῖς, προσέχετε οὖν ἑαυτοῖς καὶ παντὶ τῷ ποιμνίῳ, ἐν ᾧ ὑμᾶς τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον ἔθετο ἐπίσκοπους, ποιμαίνειν τὴν ἐκκλησίαν τοῦ κυρίου καὶ θεοῦ, ἣν περιποιήσατο διὰ τοῦ ἰδίου αἵματος. Ἐγὼ γὰρ οἶδα τοῦτο, ὅτι εἰσελεύσονται μετὰ τὴν ἄφιξίν μου λύκοι βαρεῖς εἰς ὑμᾶς, μὴ φειδόμενοι τοῦ ποιμνίου· καὶ ἐξ ὑμῶν αὐτῶν ἀναστήσονται ἄνδρες λαλοῦντες διεστραμμένα, τοῦ ἀποσπᾶν τοὺς μαθητὰς ὀπίσω αὐτῶν. Διὸ γρηγορεῖτε, μνημονεύοντες ὅτι τριετίαν νύκτα καὶ ἡμέραν οὐκ ἐπαυσάμην μετὰ δακρῶν νοουθετῶν ἕνα ἕκαστον. Καὶ τὰ νῦν παρατίθεμαι ὑμᾶς, ἀδελφοί, τῷ θεῷ καὶ τῷ λόγῳ τῆς χάριτος αὐτοῦ, τῷ δυναμένῳ ἐποικοδομῆσαι, καὶ δοῦναι ὑμῖν κληρονομίαν ἐν τοῖς ἡγιασμένοις πᾶσιν. Ἀργυρίου ἢ χρυσοῦ ἢ ἱματισμοῦ οὐδενὸς ἐπεθύμησα. Αὐτοὶ γινώσκετε ὅτι ταῖς χρεῖαις μου καὶ τοῖς οὖσιν μετὰ ἐμοῦ ὑπηρετήσαν αἱ χεῖρες αὐταί. Πάντα ὑπέδειξα ὑμῖν, ὅτι οὕτως κοπιῶντας δεῖ ἀντιλαμβάνεσθαι τῶν ἀσθενούντων, μνημονεῦειν τε τῶν λόγων τοῦ κυρίου Ἰησοῦ, ὅτι αὐτὸς εἶπεν, Μακάριόν ἐστιν μᾶλλον δίδοναι ἢ λαμβάνειν. Καὶ ταῦτα εἰπὼν, θείς τὰ γόνατα αὐτοῦ, σὺν πᾶσιν αὐτοῖς προσήξατο.

Gospel - St. John 17: 1-13

At that time, Jesus lifted up his eyes to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him power over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they know you the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work which you gave me to do; and now, Father, you glorify me in your own presence with the glory which I had with you before the world was made. "I have manifested your name to the men whom you gave me out of the world; yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you; for I have given them the words which you gave me, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you did send me. I am praying for them; I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are mine; all mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. And now I am no more in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me; I have guarded them, and none of them is lost but the son of perdition, that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you; and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves."

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ὁ Ἰησοῦς, καὶ ἐπήρε τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς αὐτοῦ εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν καὶ εἶπε· πάτερ, ἐλήλυθεν ἡ ὥρα· δόξασόν σου τὸν υἱόν, ἵνα καὶ ὁ υἱός σου δοξάσῃ σε, καθὼς ἔδωκας αὐτῷ ἐξουσίαν πάσης σαρκός, ἵνα πᾶν ὃ δέδωκας αὐτῷ δώσῃ αὐτοῖς ζωὴν αἰώνιον. αὕτη δέ ἐστιν ἡ αἰώνιος ζωή, ἵνα γινώσκωσί σε τὸν μόνον ἀληθινὸν Θεὸν καὶ ὃν ἀπέστειλας Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν. ἐγὼ σε ἐδόξασα ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, τὸ ἔργον ἐτελείωσα ὃ δέδωκάς μοι ἵνα ποιήσω· καὶ νῦν δόξασόν με σύ, πάτερ, παρὰ σεαυτῷ τῆς δόξης ἣν εἶχον πρὸ τοῦ τὸν κόσμον εἶναι παρὰ σοί. Ἐφανέρωσά σου τὸ ὄνομα τοῖς ἀνθρώποις οὓς δέδωκάς μοι ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου. σοὶ ἦσαν καὶ ἐμοὶ αὐτοὺς δέδωκας, καὶ τὸν λόγον σου τετηρήκασι. νῦν ἔγνωκαν ὅτι πάντα ὅσα δέδωκάς μοι παρὰ σοῦ ἐστίν· ὅτι τὰ ῥήματα ἃ δέδωκάς μοι δέδωκα αὐτοῖς, καὶ αὐτοὶ ἔλαβον, καὶ ἔγνωσαν ἀληθῶς ὅτι παρὰ σοῦ ἐξῆλθον, καὶ ἐπίστευσαν ὅτι σύ με ἀπέστειλας. Ἐγὼ περὶ αὐτῶν ἐρωτῶ· οὐ περὶ τοῦ κόσμου ἐρωτῶ, ἀλλὰ περὶ ὧν δέδωκάς μοι, ὅτι σοὶ εἰσι, καὶ τὰ ἐμὰ πάντα σὰ ἐστί καὶ τὰ σὰ ἐμὰ, καὶ δεδόξασμαι ἐν αὐτοῖς. καὶ οὐκέτι εἰμὶ ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ, καὶ οὗτοι ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ εἰσὶ, καὶ ἐγὼ πρὸς σὲ ἔρχομαι. πάτερ ἅγιε, τήρησον αὐτοὺς ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου ᾧ δέδωκάς μοι, ἵνα ὦσιν ἐν καθὼς ἡμεῖς. ὅτε ἤμην μετ' αὐτῶν ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ, ἐγὼ ἐτήρουν αὐτοὺς ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου· οὓς δέδωκάς μοι ἐφύλαξα, καὶ οὐδεὶς ἐξ αὐτῶν ἀπώλετο εἰ μὴ ὁ υἱὸς τῆς ἀπωλείας, ἵνα ἡ γραφὴ πληρωθῇ. νῦν δὲ πρὸς σὲ ἔρχομαι, καὶ ταῦτα λαλῶ ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ ἵνα ἔχωσιν τὴν χαρὰν τὴν ἐμὴν πεπληρωμένην ἐν αὐτοῖς.

**WELCOME VISITORS!**

We welcome all new visitors who worshipped with us this morning. We are pleased to have you with us!  
Please join us next door after service for coffee and fellowship.  
There is material in the entrance of the church regarding ministries and events of Transfiguration.  
We hope that you will return often to worship with us and grow in Christ!

**RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION**

The sacrament of Holy Communion is reserved for only baptized and/or Chrismated Orthodox Christians who have properly prepared by fasting, prayer and confession. The Orthodox Church is not in sacramental communion with any other church outside the Orthodox Christian Faith.

If you are not Orthodox, you are invited with everyone to receive the Antidoron (blessed bread) at the end of service. If you would like information about the Orthodox Church and becoming an Orthodox Christian, please see Fr. Vasileios after services.

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!**

Lord God, bless our fathers, priests, and bishops this day and every day with all good things: good health, joy, love, and peace. Keep them in your care and protect them by your grace.

**PRAYERS FOR HEALTH**

Arlena, Cindy, Philip, Glenna, Euther, Nicole, Michael, the nun Elizabeth, Wanda, John, Lili, Archie, Paul, Michael, Petra, Luke, Matthew, Elizabeth, Cecilia, Venton, John, Julia, Ricky, Wayne, Sarah, Christopher, John, Arsinoi, Konstandinos, Jan, Marie, Chris, MaryAnn, Cliff, Maggie, Lou, Thomas, Kathy, Kathryn, Greg, Bill, Christopher, Steve, Maggie, Nakis, Martha, George, Richard Simeon, Terri, Nicole, Mark, Maria, Madeleine, Nassos, Maria, Amy, Christina, Ana, Dolly, Fr. Ambrose, Vickie, Pat, Bill, Linda, Mindy, Jenny, Rosemary, Fr. Andreas, Emmanuel, Alkmene, Maree, Constanze, Jennifer, Timothy, Andrea, Janis Mae, Andreas, Luke, Zlata, Andrea, Albert, Dorothy, Presbyteria Krissy, Malamo, Larry, Jane, Koula, Boyd, Wilma, Ted, Nicolette, Danae, Alexandra, Fr. Damaskinos, Emmanuel, Eleni, Thomas, Maria, Zoe, Kalliopi, Aikaterini, Garyfalia, Ioannis, Konstantinos, Nikolaos, Evangelia, Carol, Frank, Aikaterini, Eleni, Eirini, Dimitrios, Antigoni, Sharon, Elaine, Georgia, Chrysoula, Michael, Dimitra, Suzanne, Fotini, Kirsten, Yvette, Kimberlin, Alvin, Eric, Alison, Emily, Olga, Angie, Anastasios, Tahseen, Athanasios, Tristen, Damon, Fran, Melanie, Theone, Betty (Mary Elizabeth), Zoe, Gabriel, Themis, Maria, Panayiota, Dmitriy, Kinley, Brandi, Cia, Jimmy, Sybella, David, Anthony, Susan, Jason, Carole, John, Stephanie, Maria, Sophie, Christa, Andrea, Greg, Patricia

**PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN OUR ARMED FORCES:**

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