

5TH SUNDAY OF LUKE
CHURCH OF ST. GEORGE IN LYDDA;
ACEPSIMAS OF PERSIA



TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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SUNDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

ORTHROS 8:15AM; DIVINE LITURGY 9:30AM

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THESE HYMNS ARE SUNG BY THE COMMUNITY WITH THE CHANTERS
DURING AND AFTER THE SMALL ENTRANCE

Hymn

Ότε κατήλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἡ Ζωὴ ἡ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν ἄδην ἐνέκρωσας τῇ ἀστραπῇ τῆς Θεότητος, ὅτε δὲ καὶ τοὺς τεθνεῶτας ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων ἀνέστησας, πᾶσαι αἱ Δυνάμεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων ἐκραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

Ote katilthes pros ton thanaton, i Zoi i athavatos, tote ton athin enekrosas ti astrapi tis theotitos, Ote the ke tus tethneotas ek ton katahthonion anestisas, pase e thinamis ton epuranion ekragazon zoothota Christe o Theos imon thoxa si.

When You descended to the realm of death You as life immortal rendered to Hades a mortal blow by Your all radiant divinity. And when You from infernal depths and the darkness below did raise the dead all the hosts of heaven's powers did proclaim and cry out O life-giving Christ and Our God we give glory

Hymn of the Martyrs

Οἱ Μάρτυρές σου Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἀθλήσει αὐτῶν, στεφάνους ἐκομίσαντο τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν· σχόντες γὰρ τὴν ἰσχύν σου, τοὺς τυράννους καθείλον, ἔθραυσαν καὶ δαιμόνων, τὰ ἀνίσχυρα θράση. Αὐτῶν ταῖς ἰκεσίαις, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Thy Martyrs, O Lord, in their courageous contest for Thee received as the prize the crown of incorruption and life from Thee, our immortal God. For since they possessed Thy strength, they cast down the tyrants and wholly destroyed the demons' strengthless presumption. O Christ God, by their prayers, save our souls since Thou art merciful

Hymn of St. George of Lydda

Ὡς τῶν αἰχμαλώτων ἐλευθερωτῆς, καὶ τῶν πτωχῶν ὑπεραπιστῆς, ἀσθενούντων ἰατρός, βασιλέων ὑπέρμαχος, Τροπαιοφόρε Μεγαλομάρτυς Γεώργιε, πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Liberator of captives, defender of the poor, physician of the sick, and champion of kings, O trophy-bearer, Great Martyr George, intercede with Christ God that our souls be saved.

Hymn of Transfiguration

Μετεμορφώθης ἐν τῷ ὄρει Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, δείξας τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου τὴν δόξαν σου, καθὼς ἠδύνατο, Λάμπρον καὶ ἡμῖν τοῖς ἀμαρτωλοῖς, τό φῶς σου τό αἰδίων, πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, φωτοδότα δόξα σοι.

Metemorfothis en to ori, Christe o Theos, dixas tis mathites Sou tin doxan Sou, kathos idynando 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. Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, O Thou Bestower of light, glory to Thee

Kontakion

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε, μὴ παρίδης, ἀμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθὴ, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἰκεσίαν, ἡ προστατεύουσα ἀεὶ, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.

A protection of Christians unshameable, Intercessor to our Holy Maker, unwavering, reject not, the prayerful cries of those who are in sin. Instead, come to us, for you are good; Your loving help bring unto us, Who are crying in faith to you: Hasten to intercede and speed now to supplicate, As a protection for all time, Theotokos, for those who honor you.

These HYMNS are sung by the community with the chanters during and after the small entrance during and after the small entrance

Music assists the development of the perception of spiritual life. The soul becomes refined. It begins to understand spiritual music as well. -St. Barsamaphius of Optina

When You Descended - Οτε Κατίλθες

Apolitikion Tone 2 - Ηχος 'B

G. Anastasiou



Ο - τε κα - τήλ - θες πρόστον θά - να - τον ή ζω - ή ή α
O - te ka - til - thes pros ton tha - na - ton i zo - i i a -
When You des - cen - ded to the realm of death You as life - im -



7
θά - να - τος τό - τε τον Α - δην ε - νέ - κρω - σας τή α - στρα -
tha - na - tos to - te ton A - thin e - ne - kro - sas ti a - stra -
mor - tal, ren - dered to Ha - des a mor - tal blow by Your all



14
πή τής Θε - ό - τη - τος Ο - τε - δέ και τους τε - θνε -
pi tis The - o - ti - tos O - te - the ke tous te - thne -
ra - dient di - vi - ni - ty And when You from in - fer - nal



19
ώ - τας εκ των κα - τα - χθο - νί - ων ά - νέ - στη - σας πά - σαι αί Δυ -
o - tas ek ton ka - ta - htho - ni - on a - ne - sti - sas pa - se e Thi -
depths - and the dark - ness be - low - did raise - the dead all the hosts of



25
νά - μεις των έ - που - ρα - νί - ων έ - κραύ - γα - ζον. Ζω - ο - δό - τα Χρι -
na - mis ton e - pou - ra - ni - on e - krav - ga - zon. Zo - o - tho - ta Hri -
hea - ven's po - wers did pro - claim - and - cry out. O - life giv - ing



30
στέ, ο Θε - ός ή - μών, δό - ξά Σοι.
ste, o The - os i - mon tho - xa Si.
Christ and our God we give glo - ry.

THE HOLY MARTYRS ACEPSIMAS, JOSEPH, AETHALAS

November 3

Apolytikion

Fourth Mode

"Be quick to anticipate"

Intonation: #10

Allegro $\text{♩} = 150$

Οι μάρτυρές σου Κύριε



THE CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH OF SAINT GEORGE IN LYDDA

November 3

Apolytikion

Fourth Mode

Intonation: #10

Allegro ♩=150

Ὡς τῶν αἰχμαλώτων



Lib - er - a - tor of cap - tives, de - fend - er of the poor, phy -



si - cian of the sick, and cham - pion of kings, O tro - phy -



bear - er, Great Mar - tyr George, in - ter - cede with Christ God



that our souls be saved.

Apolytikion of the Transfiguration

F Gm F C F Bb

Με-τε-μορ-φώ-θης ἐν τῷ ὄ-ρει, Χρι-στέ-ο Θε-ός, δεί-ξας τοῖς μα-θη-
 Me-te-mor-fo-this en to o-ri, Chri-ste-o The-os, di-xas tis ma-thi-

9 F C F Gm C F C F

ταις - Σου τὴν δό-ξαν Σου, κα-θὼς ἡ-δύ-ναν-το. Λάμ-ψον καὶ ἡ-μῖν τοῖς ἀ-μαρ-τω-
 tes - su tin do-xan Su, ka-thos i-dy-nan-do. Lam-pson ke i-min tis a-mar-to-

16 Gm F C Bb C F Bb F Gm F Dm

λοῖς τό φῶς Σου τό ἀ-ἰ-δι-ον, πρε-σβεί-αις τῆς Θε-ο-τό-κου. Φω-τα-δό-τα,
 lis to fos-Su to-a-i-di-on, pre-swi-es tis The-o-to-ku. Fo-to-do-ta,

24 Bb C F

δό-ξα - Σοι.
 do-xa - Si.

Apolytikion of the Transfiguration

English

When O Christ - our - God Thou was trans - figured on the moun - tain. Thou didst re -

8

veal Thy glo - ry to Thy di - sci - ples in pro - por - tion - as - they could bear - it.

15

Let Thine ev - er - las - ting - light - also en - light - en us - sin - ers.

21

Through the in - ter - ces - sions of the The - o - to kos, O Thou Be - stow - er of light, glo -

26

ry to Thee.

A Protection of Christians

2nd Tone

E F G
A pro - tec - tion of Chris - tians un -
-sham - - - a - ble, in ter - ces - sor to
F E
our Ho - ly Ma - ker un - wav - er - ing,
F G
re - - - ject not the prayer - ful cries
C G
of those who are in sin. In - stead,
come to us, for you are good; your lov -
-ing help bring un - to us, who are cry -
E D
-ing in faith _____ to you: has - - - ten _____
E D
to in - ter - cede _____ and speed _____ now _____
E G
to sup - pli - cate, _____ as a pro - tec -
E
- tion for all time, The - o - to - kos, for
F G
those who ho - nor you. _____
rit.

St. Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians 11:31-33; 12:1-9

Prokeimenon. Mode 2

Psalm 117.14,18

The Lord is my strength and my song.

Verse: The Lord has chastened me sorely.

The reading is from St. Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians 11:31-33; 12:1-9

Brethren, the God and Father of the Lord Jesus, he who is blessed for ever, knows that I do not lie. At Damascus, the governor under King Aretas guarded the city of Damascus in order to seize me, but I was let down in a basket through a window in the wall, and escaped his hands.

I must boast; there is nothing to be gained by it, but I will go on to visions and revelations of the Lord. I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven -- whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows. And I know that this man was caught up into Paradise -- whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows -- and he heard things that cannot be told, which man may not utter. On behalf of this man I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. Though if I wish to boast, I shall not be a fool, for I shall be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think more of me than he sees in me or hears from me. And to keep me from being too elated by the abundance of revelations, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan, to harass me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I besought the Lord about this, that it should leave me; but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." I will all the more gladly boast of my weaknesses, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

Προκείμενον. Ἦχος β'

ΨΑΛΜΟΙ 117.14,18

Ἰσχύς μου καὶ ὕμνησις μου ὁ Κύριος.

Στίχ. Παιδεύων ἐπαιδευσέ με ὁ Κύριος.

Πρὸς Κορινθίους β' 11:31-33, 12:1-9 τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

Ἀδελφοί, Ὁ θεὸς καὶ πατὴρ τοῦ κυρίου Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ οἶδεν, ὁ ὢν εὐλογητὸς εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας, ὅτι οὐ ψεύδομαι. Ἐν Δαμασκῷ ὁ ἐθνάρχης Ἀρέτα τοῦ βασιλέως ἐφρούρει τὴν Δαμασκηνῶν πόλιν, πιάσαι με θέλων· καὶ διὰ θυρίδος ἐν σαργάνῃ ἐχαλάσθην διὰ τοῦ τείχους καὶ ἐξέφυγον τὰς χεῖρας αὐτοῦ. Καυχᾶσθαι δὴ οὐ συμφέρει μοι· ἐλεύσομαι γὰρ εἰς ὀπτασίας καὶ ἀποκαλύψεις κυρίου. Οἶδα ἄνθρωπον ἐν Χριστῷ πρὸ ἐτῶν δεκατεσσάρων - εἴτε ἐν σώματι οὐκ οἶδα· εἴτε ἐκτὸς τοῦ σώματος οὐκ οἶδα· ὁ θεὸς οἶδεν - ἀρπαγέντα τὸν τοιοῦτον ἕως τρίτου οὐρανοῦ. Καὶ οἶδα τὸν τοιοῦτον ἄνθρωπον - εἴτε ἐν σώματι, εἴτε ἐκτὸς τοῦ σώματος, οὐκ οἶδα· ὁ θεὸς οἶδεν - ὅτι ἠρπάγη εἰς τὸν παράδεισον, καὶ ἤκουσεν ἄρρητα ῥήματα, ἃ οὐκ ἐξὸν ἀνθρώπῳ λαλῆσαι. Ὑπὲρ τοῦ τοιοῦτου καυχῆσομαι· ὑπὲρ δὲ ἑαυτοῦ οὐ καυχῆσομαι, εἰ μὴ ἐν ταῖς ἀσθενείαις μου· ἐὰν γὰρ θελήσω καυχῆσασθαι, οὐκ ἔσομαι ἄφρων· ἀλήθειαν γὰρ ἔρω· φεῖδομαι δὲ, μὴ τις εἰς ἐμὲ λογισθῆται ὑπὲρ ὃ βλέπει με, ἢ ἀκούει τι ἐξ ἐμοῦ. Καὶ τῇ ὑπερβολῇ τῶν ἀποκαλύψεων ἵνα μὴ ὑπεραίρωμαι, ἐδόθη μοι σκόλοψ τῇ σαρκί, ἄγγελος Σατᾶν, ἵνα με κολαφίσῃ, ἵνα μὴ ὑπεραίρωμαι. Ὑπὲρ τούτου τρις τὸν κύριον παρεκάλεσα ἵνα ἀποστῆ ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Καὶ εἶρηκέν μοι, Ἀρκεῖ σοι ἡ χάρις μου· ἡ γὰρ δύναμις μου ἐν ἀσθενείᾳ τελειοῦται. Ἥδιστα οὖν μᾶλλον καυχῆσομαι ἐν ταῖς ἀσθενείαις μου, ἵνα ἐπισκηνώσῃ ἐπ' ἐμὲ ἡ δύναμις τοῦ Χριστοῦ.

The Gospel According to Luke 16:19-31

The Lord said, "There was a rich man, who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, full of sores, who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table; moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried; and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes, and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus in his bosom. And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy upon me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in anguish in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.' And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.' But Abraham said, 'They have Moses, and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if some one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' He said to them, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced if some one should rise from the dead.'"

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος· ἄνθρωπος δέ τις ἦν πλούσιος, καὶ ἐνεδιδύσκετο πορφύραν καὶ βύσσον εὐφραινόμενος καθ' ἡμέραν λαμπρῶς. πτωχὸς δέ τις ἦν ὀνόματι Λάζαρος, ὃς ἐβέβλητο πρὸς τὸν πυλῶνα αὐτοῦ ἠλκωμένος καὶ ἐπιθυμῶν χορτασθῆναι ἀπὸ τῶν ψιγίων τῶν πιπτόντων ἀπὸ τῆς τραπέζης τοῦ πλουσίου· ἀλλὰ καὶ οἱ κύνες ἐρχόμενοι ἀπέλειχον τὰ ἔλκη αὐτοῦ. ἐγένετο δὲ ἀποθανεῖν τὸν πτωχὸν καὶ ἀπενεχθῆναι αὐτὸν ὑπὸ τῶν ἀγγέλων εἰς τὸν κόλπον Ἀβραάμ· ἀπέθανε δὲ καὶ ὁ πλούσιος καὶ ἐτάφη. καὶ ἐν τῷ ἄδη ἐπάρας τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς αὐτοῦ, ὑπάρχων ἐν βασάνοις, ὄρᾳ τὸν Ἀβραάμ ἀπὸ μακρόθεν καὶ Λάζαρον ἐν τοῖς κόλποις αὐτοῦ. καὶ αὐτὸς φωνήσας εἶπε· πάτερ Ἀβραάμ, ἐλέησόν με καὶ πέμψον Λάζαρον ἵνα βάψῃ τὸ ἄκρον τοῦ δακτύλου αὐτοῦ ὕδατος καὶ καταψύξῃ τὴν γλῶσσάν μου, ὅτι ὀδυνῶμαι ἐν τῇ φλογὶ ταύτῃ. εἶπε δὲ Ἀβραάμ· τέκνον, μνήσθητι ὅτι ἀπέλαβες σὺ τὰ ἀγαθὰ σου ἐν τῇ ζωῇ σου, καὶ Λάζαρος ὁμοίως τὰ κακά· νῦν δὲ ὧδε παρακαλεῖται, σὺ δὲ ὀδυνᾷσαι· καὶ ἐπὶ πᾶσι τούτοις μεταξὺ ἡμῶν καὶ ὑμῶν χάσμα μέγα ἐστήρικται, ὅπως οἱ θέλοντες διαβῆναι ἔνθεν πρὸς ὑμᾶς μὴ δύνωνται, μηδὲ οἱ ἐκεῖθεν πρὸς ἡμᾶς διαπερῶσιν. εἶπε δέ· ἐρωτῶ οὖν σε, πάτερ, ἵνα πέμψῃς αὐτὸν εἰς τὸν οἶκον τοῦ πατρός μου· ἔχω γὰρ πέντε ἀδελφούς· ὅπως διαμαρτύρηται αὐτοῖς, ἵνα μὴ καὶ αὐτοὶ ἔλθωσιν εἰς τὸν τόπον τοῦτον τῆς βασάνου. λέγει αὐτῷ Ἀβραάμ· ἔχουσι Μωϋσέα καὶ τοὺς προφήτας· ἀκουσάτωσαν αὐτῶν. ὁ δὲ εἶπεν· οὐχί, πάτερ Ἀβραάμ, ἀλλ' ἐάν τις ἀπὸ νεκρῶν πορευθῆ πρὸς αὐτούς, μετανοήσουσιν. εἶπε δὲ αὐτῷ· εἰ Μωϋσέως καὶ τῶν προφητῶν οὐκ ἀκούουσιν, οὐδὲ ἐάν τις ἐκ νεκρῶν ἀναστῆ πεισθήσονται.

Community First! Village Volunteering

4 ways to help: Make Food, Donate Food, Serve Food or Donate funds



When: Mon. Nov. 11th 5-7pm

Sign up by 11/7: What is CFV?



Matt 25:35 For I was hungry and you gave Me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave Me something drink, I was a stranger and you took Me in,

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY CONFESSION

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY CONFESSION IS OFFERED BY APPOINTMENT ONLY TO ALLOW YOU THE NECESSARY TIME FOR THE COMPLETE CONFESSION. TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT PLEASE CALL FR. VASILEIOS AT 512-574-1972 OR FR. GEORGE AT 512-507-9897

“HE IS ALWAYS WRESTLING IN PRAYER FOR YOU...” (COLOSSIANS 4:12)

PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN OUR ARMED FORCES

Chaplain Ahmad Athanasios Williams , SSGT Jennifer D. Atkinson, COL Dave Romine, CPT James Alfaro, MAJ Timothy Ullman, Col. Chris Chase, SPC Mindy Keys, SPC Andrew Bentzel, MAJ Scot Thornhill, CPT Christopher Gilbert, Major Alexander Stathos, 1st LT Angela Bahlatzis, MIDN 1/C Joseph Barone, LCDR Thomas Uhl, Lt. Lance Shannon, CPT Raphael Regalado, SSG George Graman , SSG Rebeca Najib, TSGT Trevor Soto

“THE PRAYER OF A RIGHTEOUS PERSON IS POWERFUL AND EFFECTIVE” (JAMES 5:16)

PRAYERS FOR HEALTH

Fr. Ted, Prsb. Aspazia, Prsb. Vasiliki, Sophia, Michael, Ioanna, John Garwood, Luke Garwood, Andrew Garwood, Kara Hardy, Cara, George, Panagiota, Demetra Anna Georgantonis-Keah, Gayla Easley, Jacob, Patricia, Jack, Michelle, Marc, Evan Wilson, Hank Wilson, Vasiliki, Sophia, Rob, Beth, Anirban, Stephen, Jill Gentry, Alexander, Jacob, Carl (Gregory) Forsberg, Becca, Chris, Glory, Bryce, Savanna, Addison, Dina, Manny, Oakley Grace, Giuseppe, Romano, Costa, Joyce, Daymon, Maria, Ann, George, Bill, Steve, Mamdouha Atiyah, Judi, Eleni, Amanda, Khouria Mary, Jaxson Cash, Terry, Kathie, Sunny, Scott, Michael, Paulette, Kathryn, John, Jamie, Greg, Connie, Julie, Matthew, George, Stella, Haralambos

PRAYER FOR CATECHUMEN

O Lord our God, who dwellest on high and regardest the humble, who has sent forth as the salvation of the race of men Thine only-begotten Son and God, our Lord Jesus Christ: Look down upon Thy servants the Catechumens, who have bowed their necks before Thee; make them worthy in due season of the laver of regeneration, the forgiveness of sins and the robe of incorruption. Unite them to Thy holy, catholic and apostolic Church, and number them with Thine elect flock: That with us they may glorify Thine all-honorable and majestic name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

Rachael Adamson, Winston Cooke, Kelby, Jamison, Geoffrey, May Marshall, Colleen Bayer, Hugo Teran, Astraya, Tasha Adams, Heather Marshall, Jacob Spevak, Richard Runde,

Please allow the children and the teachers of our Sunday School to take communion first so they can go to their classes.

FAMILY Turkey
BINGO
Night



November 16, 2024
 Door opens at 4:00PM
 Bingo begins 4:30pm

Parishioners-Families-Friends
Prizes
 gift cards; holiday pies; turkeys

ADMISSION includes 4 cards; dauber; food & beverage
 \$20 ADULTS
 \$10 CHILDREN 12& UP
 children under 12yrs free admission

ALL PROCEEDS TOWARDS OUR YOUTH MINISTRIES

Beginning November 15, 2024

JOIN US AS WE PRAY THE PSALTER FOR THE NATIVITY LENT!
INFO & REGISTRATION:
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“Rizes” Showcase
 Hellenic Dance Festival
25 JAN 2025

Hosted By: **ΕΠΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΗ**
 ST. DEMETRIOS | FORT WORTH, TX

Join us for a friendly Greek dance showcase / competition & get back in touch with your “rizes” (roots). Show off your kefi & skills as we gather Greek Orthodox parish dance groups for this nostalgic event & fellowship.

LOCATION
 St. Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church
 2020 NW 21st St, Fort Worth, TX, 76164

\$50 Full Day Registration (All Inclusive)
\$30 Spectator/ Glendi Entry (Includes Dinner & Glendi)

- ▶ **TEAM CHECK IN** 9:00 AM
- ▶ **ORTHODOX FAITH SESSION** 10:00 AM
- ▶ **COMPETITION/ PERFORMANCES** 12:00 - 5:00 PM
- ▶ **VESPERS/ DINNER/ GLENDI** 5:30 PM

Schedule subject to change

METROPOLIS OF DENVER
YAL SNOW CONFERENCE 2025



“Seeking God’s Presence in the Heights”
January 9-12, 2025 | Breckenridge, CO | Beaver Run Resort

The Metropolis of Denver is hosting the 3rd annual YAL Snow Conference for young adults ages 18-35 in Breckenridge, CO. The conference will be held at Beaver Run Resort from January 9-12, 2025. Registration will open in early October. Follow us on Instagram or scan the QR code below for the most up to date information. We hope to see you there!

Registration includes:

- Meals
- Transportation
- Service Project
- Workshops
- Speakers
- Tubing
- Glendi

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If you are interested in donating to help offset registration costs for attendees, please scan the QR code.

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DUE OCT 27 POINSETTIA FUNDRAISER

NOV CLOTHING & TOILETRY DRIVE

NOV 10, 17 GOYA BASKETBALL PRACTICES

DEC 8, 15 GOYA BASKETBALL PRACTICES

NOV 22 FRIENDSGIVING

DEC 7 DISCUSSION WITH DEACON

DEC 21 CHRISTMAS ON THE STREETS

FEB 14-17 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

****DETAILS WILL BE EMAILED OUT THROUGH OUR GOYA REALM GROUP SO BE SURE YOU'RE SIGNED UP!**

NO PRIOR EXPERIENCE
NEEDED. ALL ARE
WELCOME!

GOYA BASKETBALL



**PARENT
INFO
MEETING**

**OCT 7
8PM, ZOOM**

*Link will be sent
out via GOYA in
Realm



**10 PRACTICES TOTAL:
NOV 10, 17
DEC 8, 15
JAN 5, 12, 19, 26
FEB 2, 9
AT WESTRIDGE MIDDLE
SCHOOL FROM 12:30-2:30**



**FEB 14-17: TOURNAMENT
IN KANSAS CITY, MO**

TYKES

HOPE

JOY

Saturday, November 9th, 2024

Time: 2pm-4pm

Location: Vic and Hilary Daniello's Home
1030 Hidden Hills Dr.
Dripping Springs, Texas 78620

**Obstacle Course
Event**

We need you to bring
snacks, and help with set
up and clean up.

We will be
using the
obstacle
course to
show the
struggles of
fasting.

We would like to invite the GOYANs
and any parents to come and help out
with this Event. If you are able to help
with set up, please arrive at 1pm. If
you have any questions, please feel
free to email Michelle Leara at
michelleleara@gmail.com or Chelsea
Fox at chelseaifox@gmail.com

Women's Prayer Ministry

Our next prayer offering will be
November 15 - January 7

We invite you to share a meaningful journey
to Bethlehem with us as we pray through the book
**Let All Creation Rejoice: Reflections for Advent, the
Nativity, and Epiphany** by Fr. Stavros N.

Akrotirianakis. Through daily writings that include
scripture, a short reflection, and a prayer, we will
prepare ourselves to receive the JOY of Christ's
birth, God's greatest gift. It will change your heart!

We are ordering books, so please contact us via
email at womensprayer@transfiguration.org or
text 713-398-5058 by November 4, if you want one
or have questions (estimated cost is \$15).

If you are unable to purchase a book at this
time but would like to join us, we have a few
donated copies, so please let us know.

We look forward to praying with you!



**LET THE BIDDING
BEGIN!!!!**

**OUR ONLINE GALA SILENT
AUCTION is ON!**

[https://
www.32auctions.com/TGOC
-2024](https://www.32auctions.com/TGOC-2024)

Transfiguration 39th Gala Silent Auction

Silent auction 'Transfiguration 39th Gala Silent Auction' hosted online at 32auctions.

From a vacationing home that sleeps 20 just hours from Austin to a beautiful purse, visit the link above and place your bid.

And keep checking as we are still adding items. All bidding happens online so even if you are not attending the Gala you have the same chances of winning. All bidding ends at 10pm on the night of the gala, Saturday, November 2.

This is a great way to contribute to our Gala fundraiser, if you can't attend this fun event in person.

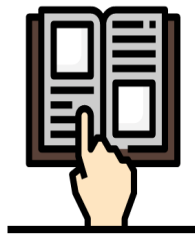
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Assembly**

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Through the Parish
Professional Directory



The directory is intended to help parishioners find and support your business or professional talents.

Please reach out to directory@transfiguration.org with any questions

Our Church
Our Spiritual Home

STEWARDSHIP
MINISTRY



Detailed Year To Date Giving Statements were emailed last week.

Please take note of the commitments (pledges) made for Stewardship and/or the Building Campaigns. This is found at the **BOTTOM** of the last page of the statement. Your total pledge, your contributions to date towards that pledge, and any remaining balance will be listed.

If you notice any discrepancy in your giving, your pledges, or your remaining balance, please contact Yanna Petty in the church office. You may respond directly to the email or you may call the office at 512-329-6363.

If you notice that your automatic deductions have not been taken, please check your Realm Account. Go to your **GIVING TAB**, and click on **SCHEDULED**. If you have set up any recurring payment/s, they will be listed there. If this page is blank, you have not set up any recurring payment. Most recurring payments need to be entered each year, unless you did not enter an End Date. However, most people will put an **END DATE** for the end of the year.

If you would like any help reviewing your Realm Account, setting up a Recurring Payment, setting up a Realm Account or Pledge, please see Anthony Rosario (Stewardship@Transfiguration.org) or Rachelle Stamas-Hareng (rstamash@gmail.com) who will be happy to meet with you individually to go through the process, or to walk you through the process on the phone.



Support Mission Priests this October



October is SAMP month and we need Orthodox Faithful like you to offer prayerful support that will make their ministries, that transform the lives of thousands, possible!

Scan and give online

www.ocmc.org/SAMP2024



SUPPORT A MISSION PRIEST



Anthony J. Rosario
Stewardship Chair, Parish Council
Transfiguration Greek Orthodox Church
cell: 630.823.6268
email: stewardship@transfiguration.org

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GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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Dow
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Services & Activities for next Week

Wednesday, November 6 Paraklesis 5:30pm Potluck 7pm Orthodoxy 101 BookClub 7:30pm

Thursday, November 7 Vespers at **Holy Archangels** 4pm Dinner 4:30pm Vigil 6pm

Men's Fellowship (Mt. Tabor Hall) 6pm

Friday, November 8 Synaxis of the Archangels at **Holy Archangels** Hours 8:30am

Hierarchical Liturgy 9am Lunch 11am

Saturday, November 9 St. Nektarios Orthros 9am D. Liturgy 10am

Tyke/HOPE/JOY Obstacle course at the Daniello's house

(Dripping Springs) 2pm

Vespers 3pm



**PHILOPTOCHOS
NEWS**



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL OUR
NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

**EFFIE AMBROSE
DIANA ANGELO
YANNA PETTY**

**Happy
Birthday**



Thursday, November 7

*MENS
FELLOWSHIP*

Potluck 6pm
Discussion to follow

Mt. Tabor Hall

**Thank you to last week's Luncheon
Sponsors:**

RUDY'S

Jones (Captain), Holtsinger

**Thank you to
our Coffee Hour
Sponsors:**

*Johnson (Captain), Kanelos,
Langostino, Kapetanakis,*

**Thank you to our Luncheon
Sponsors:**

PHILOPTOCHOS

Thank you to last week's ushers:

*Mike Kinslow (PCM)
Rachelle Hareng (PCM)
Jackie Edwardson, Angeliki
Cavazos*

Thank you to today's ushers:

*Christaki Christou (PCM)
Anthony Rosario (PCM)
Mark & Gail Saenz, Michael Dindio
Jack Gatlin*

Next week's ushers are:

*George Gianakopoulos (PCM)
Melissa Constantinides (PCM)
Katie Kish, Rod & Effi Ambrose*