



Greek Orthodox
Metropolis Church of
New Jersey



Ascension Greek
Orthodox Church
Fairview, NJ

ASCENSION
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
FAIRVIEW, NEW JERSEY



The LIGHT of the ASCENSION
Το Φως της Θείας Αναλήψεως



April 2, 2023

Today we commemorate Sunday of St. Mary of Egypt

- [Epistle Reading \(click here\)](#)
- [Gospel Reading \(click here\)](#)

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday

April 2, 2023

**Sunday of
St. Mary of Egypt
(click here)**

**Saint Savvas
en kalymno
(click here)**

8:30am-11:30 a.m.

**Orthros, Divine Liturgy
Coffee is served by
the Philoptochos**

**1:00 p.m. General
Assembly Meeting**

**10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Catechism Easter Retreat**

***6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Vespers for Contrition***

Tuesday

April 4, 2023

6:00 p.m.

Great Compline

Wednesday

April 5, 2023

4:30 p.m.- 6:30 p.m.

Greek School

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Presanctified Liturgy

Friday

April 7, 2023

4:30 p.m.– 6:30 p.m.

Greek School

5:30 p.m.—6:30 p.m.

Presanctified Divine Liturgy

for Greek School

Saturday

April 8, 2023

Saturday of Lazarus

[\(click here\)](#)

9:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.

Orthros, D.Liturgy

Preparation for the

Palm Crosses

Sunday

April 9, 2023

Palm Sunday

[\(click here\)](#)

Orthros, Divine Liturgy

Bakaliaros Lunch

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Service of Bridegroom

[\(click here\)](#)

Κυριακή

2 Απριλίου, 2023

Ε΄ Νηστειών

Μαρίας Αιγυπτίας

[\(click here\)](#)

Όσιος Σάββας

εν Καλύμνω

[\(Click here\)](#)

8:30 πμ - 11:30 π.μ.

Όρθρος, Θ. Λειτουργία

Ο καφές σερβίρεται από

την Φιλόπτωχο

1:00 μ.μ.

Γενική Συνέλευση

10:00 π.μ. - 3:00 μ.μ.

Easter Retreat

Κατηχητικού

6:00 μ.μ. - 7:00 μ.μ.

Κατανυκτικός Εσπερινός

Τρίτη

4 Απριλίου, 2023

6:00 μ.μ.

Μέγα Απόδειπνο

Τετάρτη
5 Απριλίου, 2023
4:30 μ.μ. – 6:30 μ.μ.
Ελληνικό Σχολείο
6:00 μ.μ. – 7: 30 μ.μ.
Προηγιασμένη
Θεία Λειτουργία

Παρασκευή
7 Απριλίου, 2023
4:30 μ.μ. – 6:30 μ.μ.
Ελληνικό Σχολείο
5:30 μ.μ. – 6:30 μ.μ.
Προηγιασμένη
Θεία Λειτουργία
για το Ελληνικό Σχολείο

Σάββατο
8 Απριλίου, 2023
Σάββατο του Λαζάρου
(click here)
9:00 π.μ. – 11:00 π.μ.
Όρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία
Κατασκευή Σταυρών

Κυριακή
9 Απριλίου, 2023
Των Βαΐων
(click here)
8:30 πμ - 11:30 π.μ.
Όρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία
Γεύμα με τον Βακαλάο
7:00 μ.μ. – 9:00 μ.μ.
Ακολουθία του Νυμφίου

LIVE STREAM [click here](#)

LIGHT a CANDLE and SAY a PRAYER [click here](#)

OUR SPIRITUAL LEADER



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Μυστήρια - SACRAMENTS

Memorial Services

April 2, 2023
1 year:
Evangelia Eleftheriou

*Coffee is offered by the
Eleftheriou & Raftopoulos Families
that have the Memorial Service*

Baptism

April 1, 2021
1:30 PM

Mr. & Mrs. Matthew Ulrich

ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 2, 2023
Catechism
Easter Retreat
10 am - 3 pm

April 9, 2023
Palm Sunday
Bakaliaro Luncheon
Fundraiser 12 p.m.

April 30, 2023
Greek Independence Day
Parade, New York

Palm Sunday

BAKALIARO LUNCHEON

April 9, 2023 – 9 Απριλίου, 2023
Ascension Greek Orthodox Church, Fairview NJ
Immediately Following the Divine Liturgy



COME JOIN US FOR BAKALIARO & SCORDALIA!

ΜΠΑΚΑΛΙΑΡΟ ΜΕ ΣΚΟΡΔΑΛΙΑ!

Beets, Gigantes, Wine, Soda, Coffee & Desserts Included
Ziti with tomato sauce will be available for the children-FREE

Donation: \$25

TAKE OUT

LARGE ORDERS OF 10 OR MORE (packaged in trays)
REQUIRE ADVANCE NOTICE BY CALLING THE
CHURCH OFFICE @ 201 945 6448

Καλό Πάσχα

GOYA

ASCENSION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
FAIRVIEW, NJ

TSOUREKI SALE

**GOYA
fundraiser**



**GOYA
fundraiser**

PRE-ORDER

BAKED BY THE SISTERS AT AGIA SKEPI
PLACE ORDER BY APRIL 1, 2023



small tsoureki (braided) \$18
large tsoureki (round) \$23

PICK-UP DATES APRIL 7, 8, 9, 2023

Make Check Payable to Ascension GOYA or Venmo (@Ascensiongoya)
Any questions contact Christina Papas (201) 658-2766

CLICK HERE TO Pre-ORDER ONLINE

OR

**Print the Pre-order form below
and bring to the church office with payment**

PRINT ORDER FORM HERE



Niki Sideris 28th Annual Walk and Spring Festival

Saturday, May 13th (Rain or Shine)

Registration begins at 9:00 am.

Walk promptly starts at 11:00 am

**Location: Ronald McDonald House New York
405 East 73rd Street, New York, NY 10021**

Registration Fee: \$30.00 per participant

Entertainment & Food included

T-shirts will be available (while supplies last)

Event concludes at 2:00 pm

For further information please call 212-639-0218

or Email: skatechis@rmh-newyork.org

**Join Us & Walk With Us To Support
The Mission of Ronald McDonald House New York
www.rmh-newyork.org/2023greekwalk**



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**ASCENSION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH PTO
FAIRVIEW, NJ**

EASTER LAMBADES SALE



**SUNDAYS AFTER
CHURCH**



3/26, 4/2 AND 4/9

AND DURING

GREEK SCHOOL



\$20 EACH



**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR
GREEK SCHOOL**







SAVE THE DATE



***2023 Greek Orthodox Metropolis of New Jersey
Clergy Laity Assembly & Philoptochos Convention
and Clergy Laity Grand Banquet***

Monday, May 15, 2023

***Updated Location:
The Venetian
Garfield, NJ***

More information will be forthcoming.



GREEK ORTHODOX METROPOLIS OF NEW JERSEY

ΙΕΡΑ ΜΗΤΡΟΠΟΛΙΣ ΝΕΑΣ ΙΕΡΣΕΗΣ

March 8, 2023

To the Very Reverend and Reverend Clergy
Esteemed Members of the Parish Councils and Philoptochos Sisterhood
Devout Orthodox Faithful of the
Greek Orthodox Communities of the Northern New Jersey Region of the
Sacred Metropolis of New Jersey

My beloved in the Lord,

On behalf of His Eminence Archbishop Elpidophoros of America, I joyfully announce that the 2023 Greek Orthodox Metropolis of New Jersey Clergy-Laity Assembly, Philoptochos Convention & Grand Banquet will take place on **Monday, May 15, 2023**, at "The Venetian" located at 546 River Drive in Garfield, New Jersey. Following the tradition of the Sacred Metropolis of New Jersey, faithful Orthodox Christians from the Greek Orthodox Communities of the *Northern New Jersey Region* will be honored for their selfless service to the ministries of their local parishes.

1. The cost for the 2023 Clergy Laity Grand Banquet for all Guests is **\$125.00**.
2. The cost of \$125.00 for each of the 8 Honorees (Community, Parish Council, Philoptochos, GOYA, Greek Education Teacher, Choir Member/Psalti, a Youth Worker, and the Senior Steward in person by age) is to be underwritten by the respective Parish. The attached fillable form with **All the names of the Honorees must be sent to frphilotheos@nj.goarch.org by Friday, April 21, 2023**.
3. Parishes are to complete the attached Form for pre-arranged banquet seating, which will also indicate the total number of Banquet Attendees from each parish. The Banquet will be seating tables of 12.
4. All payments for the Banquet are to be collected by the Parish. Each parish is to then send one check to the Metropolis for the total amount payable to the *Greek Orthodox Metropolis of New Jersey*, along with the completed Banquet Form, **no later than Monday, May 1, 2023**. Banquet Forms that are received without the accompanying payment will not be processed.
5. Please be reminded that the Clergy Laity Grand Banquet is open, once again, to all who wish to join us in expressing our gratitude to those who have served the local Parishes for many years. We anticipate that each Parish will be represented by as many parishioners, family, friends, and supporters as possible. Therefore, please make the appropriate announcements to your beloved faithful.

6. In addition, this year there will also be a Commemorative Journal Album. All information is included in the attached document. I ask that you please forward this information to all your parish ministry leaders, all your parishioners and local business owners encouraging them to support your parish Honorees and our Metropolis by placing an ad in the Commemorative Journal. **All ads must be received by Friday, April 21, 2023.**

Conveying to you the paternal love and blessings of His Eminence and praying that almighty God blesses you and your families with a most blessed and spiritual Holy and Great Lent, I remain



At the Direction of the Archbishop,

Archim. Christof. Oikonomidis

+ Archimandrite Christoforos Oikonomidis
Chancellor

IONIAN VILLAGE 2023



GLYFA, GREECE

IV NEXT: JUNE 2 – JUNE 13
SESSION ONE: JUNE 19 – JULY 8
SESSION TWO: JULY 19 – AUGUST 7

REGISTRATION OPENS JANUARY 21ST AT 12 NOON EST



WWW.IONIANVILLAGE.ORG



Registration for the Ionian Village Summer Camp is now open!

Click on registration link to sign-up
<https://www.ionianvillage.org/register>

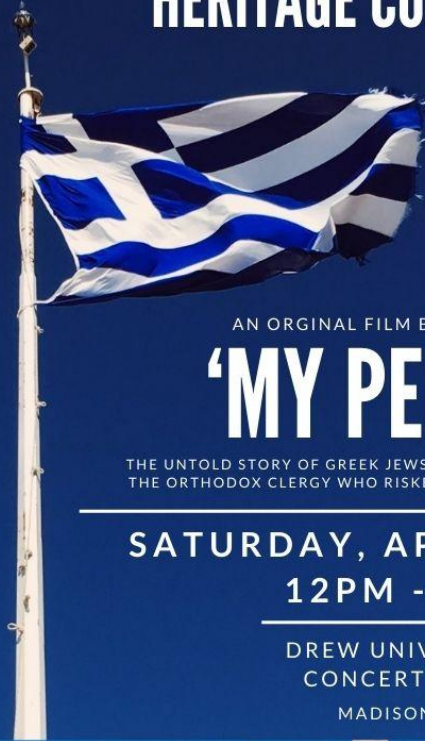


~ COURAGE TO RESIST ~

TO COMMEMORATE GREEK INDEPENDENCE DAY

THE NJ HELLENIC HERITAGE COMMISSION

PRESENTS:



AN ORIGINAL FILM BY ANNA REZAN

'MY PEOPLE'

THE UNTOLD STORY OF GREEK JEWS DURING THE HOLOCAUST AND
THE ORTHODOX CLERGY WHO RISKED EVERYTHING TO SAVE THEM

SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2023
12PM - 3PM

DREW UNIVERSITY
CONCERT HALL
MADISON, NJ

PROGRAM

12:00

- Networking Reception
- Tribute to Greek Independence
- Pericles Scholarship Awards
- Cultural Dance/Performances
-

1:00

- 'My People' - Anna Rezan
- Q&A



INVITED GUESTS

- Bishop Apostolos of Medeia
- Consul General of Greece,
Konstantinos Konstantinou
- Consul General of Cyprus,
Michalis Firillas
- NJ Secretary of State,
Tahesha Way

For further information, contact
Zenon@Christodoulou.net





Father, Forgive Them

(Luke 23:34)

Great Compline
Followed with a Meal and Discussion

Led by His Grace
Bishop Apostolos of Medeia

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 : 6:30 PM
Greek Orthodox Metropolis of New Jersey
215 E. Grove St. Westfield, NJ 07090

Scan Here to Register



COMMUNITY NEWS











On Sunday March 26, our Greek School, the beacon of the Greek Language and the Ark of our Cultural Heritage, presented a fantastic religious and patriotic program for the celebration of the "Annunciation (Ευαγγελισμός) of the Theotokos" and the "Anniversary of the Greek Revolution of 1821!" Congratulations to all our Teachers, Principal, School Board and PTO! The Program included a video, plays, poems, songs by our school choir and two dancers by 4th & 5th Grades, and 7th, 8th and 9th Grades. Indeed a fantastic program that thrilled the parents and the attendees!





On March 25, 2023, our Greek School and GOYA participated in parade and reception hosted by the Hellenic Civic Club in Fort Lee.





On March 17, 2023, the parish Oratorical Festival took place after church services. Congratulations to Athansios Georgiou who placed first for the seniors and Xanthi Georgiou who placed first for the juniors. Both advance to the district Oratorical Festival at St. George in Piscataway on April 1st. Good luck!!



If you would like to volunteer in one of our youth ministries, you must comply with the **Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America Policies for the Safety of Children and Youth**

For more information and to register to be a youth worker, contact:

Evelyn Tsugranis
Parish Youth Safety Administrator
youthsafetyascension@gmail.com
201-658-1801

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