



ASCENSION
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
FAIRVIEW, NEW JERSEY



To DONATE to the ASCENSION CHURCH click here

The LIGHT of the ASCENSION
Το Φως της Θείας Αναλήψεως



February 8, 2026

**Today we commemorate
Sunday of the Prodigal Son**

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

LIGHT a CANDLE and SAY a PRAYER - click here



WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday, February 8, 2026

Sunday of the Prodigal Son

([click here](#))

8:30 – 11:30 a.m. Orthros, D. Liturgy

Coffee is served by the Philoptochos

Tuesday, February 10, 2026

Haralambos Hieromartyr

([click here](#))

9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Orthros, D. Liturgy

6:00 p.m. Paraklesis & Bible Study

Wednesday, February 11, 2026

Blaise the Hieromartyr of Sebastia

9:00 a. m. -11:00 a.m. Orthros D. Liturgy

4:30 – 6:15 p.m. Greek School

5:00 p.m. PTO Meeting

6:00 p.m. School Board Meeting

Friday, February 13, 2026

4:30 – 6:30 p.m. Greek School

6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Hope & Joy

Saturday, February 14, 2026

1st Saturday of Souls

9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Orthros, D. Liturgy

Sunday, February 15, 2026

Judgment Sunday (Meatfare Sunday)

[\(click here\)](#)

8:30 – 11:30 a.m. Orthros, D. Liturgy,
Coffee is served by the Board

Κυριακή 8 Φεβρουαρίου 2026

ΙΖ' Λουκᾶ (τοῦ Ἀσώτου)

[\(click here\)](#)

8:30 – 11:30 π.μ. Ὁρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία
Ο καφές σερβίρεται από την Φιλόπρωχο

Τρίτη 10 Φεβρουαρίου 2026

Χαράλαμπος Ιερομάρτυς

[\(click here\)](#)

9:00 – 11:00 π.μ. Ὁρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία
6:00 μ.μ. Παράκληση, Μελέτη Αγίας Γραφής

Τετάρτη 11 Φεβρουαρίου 2026

Ἱερομάρτυρος Βλασίου, Ἀρχιεπισκόπου Σεβαστείας

9:00 π.μ.-11:00 π.μ. Ὁρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία,

4:30 – 6:15 μ.μ. Ἑλληνικό Σχολεῖο

5:00 μ.μ. Συνεδρίαση του ΠΤΟ

6:00 μ.μ. Συνεδρίαση της Σχολικῆς Επιτροπῆς

Παρασκευή 13 Φεβρουαρίου 2026

4:30 – 6:30 μ.μ. Ἑλληνικό Σχολεῖο

6:30 – 7:30 μ.μ. Hope & Joy

Σάββατο 14 Φεβρουαρίου 2026

Α' Ψυχοσάββατο

9:00 – 11:00 π.μ. Ὁρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία

Κυριακή 15 Φεβρουαρίου 2026

Κυριακή τῆς Ἀπόκρεω

[\(click here\)](#)

8:30 – 11:30 π.μ. Ὁρθρος, Θεία Λειτουργία
Ο καφές σερβίρεται από το Συμβούλιο

PARISH COUNCIL 2026



Congratulation to our 2026 Parish Council Board.

Executive Board

Michael Siderias, President

Christos Kanakis, 1st Vice President

Ioanna (Gianoula) Georgiadis, 2nd Vice President

Speros Lakkas, Treasurer

Mihaelos Mihalos, Assistant Treasurer

Christina Ioannides, Recording Secretary

Flourentzos Toumazou, Corresponding Secretary

Members

Nikki (Androniki)Antoniou

David Cabej

Peter A. Frangiskou

Athena Giannaros

Emmanuel Hatzakis

Stelios Kyprianou

George Lapiotis

Martha Liosatos

Panagiotis Sardis

Stelios Socratous

Pauline Tasigiannis



February 12 / Tsiknopempti

February 13 / Hope & Joy



MΝΗΜΟΣΥΝΑ - MEMORIAL SERVICES

Κυριακή 8 Φεβρουαρίου 2026
Sunday, February 8, 2026

40 ημέρες: Δωροθέα Περίδη
40 days: Dorothy Perides
6 μήνες: Βενετία Ψιμούλη
6 months: Venetia Psimoulis
8 χρόνια: Όλγα Μίχαλου
8 years: Olga Mihalos

Ο καφές προσφέρεται από την οικογένειες Περίδη, Ψιμούλη και Μίχαλου που τελούν μνημόσυνο εις μνήμην των κεκοιμημένων.
The coffee is offered by the Perides, Psimoulis and Mihalos families that have the Memorial Services.

ASCENSION PTO NEWSLETTER

JANUARY
2026

TAVERNA NIGHT

Happy New Year to our Ascension families!
Our 20th annual Taverna Night is fast approaching on Saturday, February 7, 2026. Please join us for a night of good food, music, drinks and supporting our PTO! Please see the attached flyer for details.

To sign up and volunteer, click here:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094EA9A82FA4F9C16-47094228-taverna#/>

For monetary donations, click here:
<https://www.clover.com/pay-widgets/4abe9ec5-6426-48fb-8334-aa5d09742b65>

Help us succeed and help our Greek school thrive!
We thank you for your continued support!



PTO NEWS

Christmas Kalanda Fundraiser

On Sunday, December 21, the PTO hosted the annual Christmas Caroling of the Greek School. The students along with Father Christos, Principal Kiria Baltzis, Choir Director Erasmia, some teachers & parents went to various local Greek owned businesses to sing the traditional Greek Christmas Kalanda.

The students enjoyed lots of goodies and treats from each stop and enjoyed riding on the bus. It was a fantastic day of fun, friendship and traditions. The day ended with dinner at the Boulevard Diner where everyone was treated to a delicious meal.

The PTO would like to thank River View Diner, 3 Star Bagels, Brownstone Pancake Factory, Tenafly Classic Diner, Athens Bakery, Sparta Eats, Greycliff Catering, Candlewyck Diner, Mythos Taverna, Beacon Diner & the Boulevard Diner for their generous donations and for letting our children continue the beautiful Greek Tradition of singing Kalanda.

CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE

Thank you to all the volunteers who donated, baked, and helped us prep our bake sale platters! Thank you to everyone who purchased a platter. As a result, we sold out and you helped make our Christmas bake sale a success once again!



SPECIAL THANKS

We'd also like to extend a special thank you to the following people/establishments in helping our 2025-2026 school year be a success:

- Circle Pizza - for providing pizza for our children every Friday before Greek Dance
- Giorgos Takardakis Painting Company - for painting the community center
- Hughie Martin - for helping to make improvements to our school classrooms and community center

FALL EVENTS

This fall the PTO sponsored a number of activities for our children which they enjoyed:

- Pumpkin Picking at Demarest Farms
- Gifts for the fall given at the OXI day program
- Winter Wonderland at Van Saun Park in Paramus
- Christmas Kalanda to various businesses
- Gifts to teachers and students for our Christmas program and Santa visiting
- David Movie at AMC Theater in Wayne

We look forward to many more fun events in the spring!



GREEK DANCE

We are also very excited to announce that Greek dance is back and the children performed at our 73rd annual Church dance on November 21st. The PTO sponsored our children to perform and we'd like to extend our thanks to their instructor, John Theodorou for a job well done!



REMINDERS

- January 30 - Three Hierarchs Program
- February 7- Taverna Night at 7:30 pm
- February 13- HOPE & JOY

CONTACT US

Have questions? E-mail us:

ascensionfairviewpto@gmail.com

or for sign-ups and other news, click here:

<https://linktr.ee/AscensionGreekSchool>

ASCENSION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

101 Anderson Ave, Fairview NJ 07022

TSIKNOPEMPTI CELEBRATION

Hosted by the Parish Council

Come join us to celebrate our traditional

Tsiknopempti!

Thursday, February 12, 2026

6:30 TO 10:00 PM

At the Ascension Community Center



Adults \$40.00 - Children 12-18 \$20 - Children under 12 free

Food, complimentary wine, coffee and desserts will be served.

Music by Vasili Psofakis

Reservations: Please RSVP by Monday, February 9th

Church Office: 201-945-6448

Martha Liosatos: 551-404-7891

Pauline Tasigiannis: 201-281-2740

****All proceeds will benefit the Ascension Church Operating Account****

Ascension Greek Orthodox Church

101 Anderson Ave, Fairview NJ 07022

Ψυχοσάββατο Saturday of Souls



1st Saturday of Souls - February 14, 2026

2nd Saturday of Souls - February 21, 2026

3rd Saturday of Souls - February 28, 2026

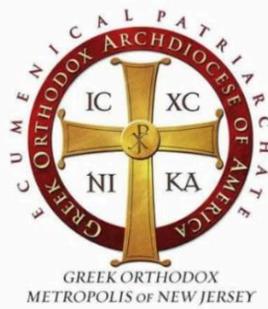
9:00 a.m. Orthros, D. Liturgy

11:00 a.m. Memorial Service

**To order Koliva, please call the
church office # 201 945 6448**



May The Memory of Our Loved Ones Be Eternal



MDF 2026

February 13-16

Sheraton Philadelphia Downtown

- Friday Night Opening Ceremonies
- Dance & Choir competition Saturday & Sunday
- Saturday Night Glendi featuring Kalomira and the Marcantonis Band
- Sunday Hierarchical Divine Liturgy
- Sunday Night Awards Banquet



Register now!

Praise God with timbrel and dance!
Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν τυμπάνῳ καὶ χορῶ!
Psalm 150:4



Philoptochos

Please see flyer with information about a program sponsored by National Philoptochos regarding an upcoming Caregiver Support Zoom meeting, for anyone interested.



ALTAR SERVER RETREAT

Saturday, February 21, 2026 at 12 Noon

**St. Athanasios Greek Orthodox Church
51 Paramus Rd, Paramus, NJ 07652**

Acolytes are invited to serve during Saturday of
Souls Liturgy at 9:30am. Retreat with His
Eminence, Metropolitan Apostolos will begin at
Noon, followed by a Lenten Lunch.



For questions, contact Fr. Symeon
frsymeon@nj.goarch.org



Register here!

St. Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church
of Jersey City warmly invites you
to our festive

Apokritiko Glendi

February 22, 2026

Join us for a night of fun, food, and dancing at

The Graycliff

122 Moonachie Ave.
Moonachie, NJ 07074

Starts at 5PM

Delicious Buffet Style Dinner



Tickets: Adults \$120
Children under 12: \$30

Reserve your table today!

Call Eleni Livos
(862) 248-9751

Lenten Retreat & Luncheon

CONFESSION & TIME

UNDERSTANDING THE SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION AND THE IMPORTANCE OF
LIVING IN THE PRESENT, WHERE THE ETERNAL TOUCHES ORDINARY TIME



Our guest speaker

Fr. Evan Armatas

Father Evan received his Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy from Boston College with an emphasis in Business Management and Christian apologetics in 1991. He earned his Master of Divinity from Holy Cross in 2002 and served as an assistant priest for five years at Saint Catherine Greek Orthodox Church in Greenwood Village before being assigned as St. Spyridon's first full-time priest in August of 2007. From humble beginnings of only six families, today St. Spyridon is a vibrant and growing parish of several hundred families. He is the author of *Toolkit for Spiritual Growth I: Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving, Reclaiming the Great Commission*, and *Toolkit for Spiritual Growth II: Scripture, Confession and Time*.

Friday, March 6, 2026

St. George Greek Orthodox Church

7:00 PM - Salutations to the Virgin Mary

8:00 PM - Introductory Session

Saturday, March 7, 2026

St. George Cultural Center

9:00 - 9:30 AM Doors Open & Book Signing

9:30 - 11:30 AM Session and Q & A

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM Lunch

12:30 - 2:00 PM Session and Q & A

REGISTER ONLINE AT: WWW.STGEORGEAP.ORG

For information call Antonia Lyons • 732-598-4784

ST. GEORGE GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

1033 West Park Avenue, Ocean, NJ



Save the Date!
21
March 2026
 Saint Basil Academy
 Lenten GOYA
 Retreat



Stay tuned for
 registration link
 going live next week!



MEMBERSHIP DUES 2026

MEMBERSHIP DUES / ΕΤΗΣΙΑ ΣΥΝΔΡΟΜΗ

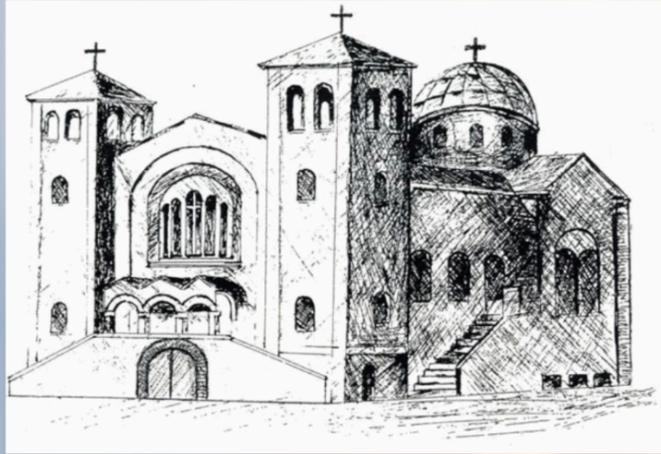
We are grateful for your continued support and loyalty. We kindly remind you January is the time to renew your membership for the year 2026. Your annual membership directly supports the life and mission of our church. May God bless you and your family.

ASCENSION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

Membership 2026

***Please Support Your Church And Pay Your
Membership For 2026.***

God Bless!!



The current Stewardship levels remain as follows

Families: \$ 500

Seniors: \$ 400





METROPOLIS OF
NEW JERSEY

THE GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION
ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΣ ΕΚΚΛΗΣΙΑ ΘΕΙΑΣ ΑΝΑΛΗΨΕΩΣ

REV. CHRISTOS L. PAPPAS
PROTOPRESBYTER



EST 1952

Αγαπητοί Ενορίτες,

Εκ μέρους του Εκκλησιαστικού Συμβουλίου, σας στέλνουμε τις θερμότερες ευχές μας για το Νέο Έτος σε εσάς και τις οικογένειές σας. Προσευχόμαστε η ερχόμενη χρονιά να σας φέρει υγεία, ειρήνη και πολλές ευλογίες.

Ως μέλη της κοινότητας μας, είμαστε βαθιά ευγνώμονες για τη συνεχή πίστη, την αφοσίωση και την υποστήριξή σας. Η συμμετοχή σας παίζει ζωτικό ρόλο στη διατήρηση της ενορίας μας και στην ενίσχυση της εκκλησιαστικής μας κοινότητας.

Μετά από προσεκτική εξέταση και συζήτηση, το Εκκλησιαστικό Συμβούλιο αποφάσισε ότι οι συνδρομές των μελών θα παραμείνουν αμετάβλητες για το έτος 2026. Είμαστε ευγνώμονες για την κατανόησή σας και τη γενναιοδορία σας, που μας επιτρέπουν να καλύπτουμε τις ανάγκες της ενορίας μας χωρίς να προβούμε σε αυξήσεις προς το παρόν.

Οι συνδρομές έχουν ως εξής:

- Οικογένειες: 500 \$
- Ηλικιωμένοι: 400 \$

Οι ετήσιες συνδρομές σας υποστηρίζουν άμεσα τη ζωή της εκκλησίας μας. Αυτά τα κεφάλαια βοηθούν στην κάλυψη βασικών εξόδων της ενορίας, συμπεριλαμβανομένων ενδεικτικά:

- Υποστήριξη κληρικών και προσωπικού της εκκλησίας
- Κοινωνικά έξοδα, συντήρηση και ασφάλιση της εκκλησίας
- Λειτουργικά είδη και μυστηριακές υπηρεσίες
- Προγράμματα θρησκευτικής εκπαίδευσης και διακονίες για νέους
- Ενημέρωση για την κοινότητα, φιλανθρωπίες και εκδηλώσεις της ενορίας
- Διοικητικά και λειτουργικά έξοδα του γραφείου της εκκλησίας

Μέσω της υποστηρίξεώς σας, είμαστε σε θέση να διατηρήσουμε τον ιερό μας χώρο, τις διακονίες μας και να συνεχίσουμε να υπηρετούμε τόσο την ενοριακή μας οικογένεια όσο και την ευρύτερη κοινότητα.

Οι ετήσιες συνδρομές μπορούν να καταβάλλονται στο γραφείο της εκκλησίας από Δευτέρα έως Παρασκευή από τις 9:00 π.μ. έως τις 4:00 μ.μ. ή διαδικτυακά μέσω του παρεχόμενου συνδέσμου ή του κωδικού QR.

Για άλλη μια φορά, σας ευχαριστούμε ειλικρινά για τη συνεχή αφοσίωση και γενναιοδορία σας. Ο Θεός να είναι μαζί σας.



Peter A. Frangiskou

Peter Frangiskou

Parish Council President

Nikki Antoniou

Nikki Antoniou

2nd Vice President

Rev. Christos L. Pappas

Rev. Christos L. Pappas

Protopresbyter



THE GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION
ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΣ ΕΚΚΛΗΣΙΑ ΘΕΙΑΣ ΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΕΩΣ



REV. CHRISTOS L. PAPPAS
PROTOPRESBYTER

Dear Parishioners,

On behalf of the Parish Council, we extend to you and your families our warmest New Year greetings. We pray that the coming year brings you health, peace, and many blessings.

As members of our Ascension Greek Orthodox Church family, we are deeply grateful for your continued faith, loyalty, and support. Your stewardship and commitment play a vital role in sustaining our parish and strengthening our church community.

After thoughtful review and discussion, the Parish Council and General Assembly have agreed that membership dues will remain unchanged for the coming year. We are thankful for your understanding and continued generosity, which allow us to meet the needs of our parish without increasing dues at this time.

The current stewardship levels remain as follows:

- Families: \$500
- Seniors: \$400

Your annual membership dues directly support the life and mission of our church. These funds help cover essential parish expenses, including but not limited to:

- Clergy and church staff support
- Church utilities, maintenance, and insurance
- Liturgical supplies and sacramental services
- Religious education programs and youth ministries
- Community outreach, charitable efforts, and parish events
- Administrative and operational costs of the church office

Through your stewardship, we are able to maintain our sacred space, support our ministries, and continue serving both our parish family and the broader community.

Annual dues may be paid at the church office Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., or online via the provided link or QR code.

Once again, we sincerely thank you for your continued dedication and generosity. May the God of all Peace and Love be with you all!



Peter A. Frangiskou

Peter Frangiskou

Parish Council President

Nikki Antoniou

Nikki Antoniou

2nd Vice President

Rev. Christos L. Pappas

Rev. Christos L. Pappas

Protopresbyter

[Click to PAY Membership DUES HERE](#)



New Parking Donation

Προς τα αγαπητά μέλη της κοινότητας της Θείας Αναλήψεως,

Με ιδιαίτερη αγάπη και εκτίμηση απευθυνόμαστε σε όλους εσάς που με πίστη, αφοσίωση και προσφορά στηρίζετε το έργο της ενορίας μας. Καθώς η κοινότητά μας συνεχίζει να μεγαλώνει, αυξάνονται και οι ανάγκες μας για βασικές υποδομές για την καλύτερη εξυπηρέτηση των μελών και των επισκεπτών μας. Μία από τις μεγαλύτερες ανάγκες μας αυτή τη στιγμή είναι η δημιουργία του καινούριου χώρου στάθμευσης (πάρκινγκ).

Για το σκοπό αυτό αποφασίσαμε να δημιουργήσουμε ένα καινούριο πάρκινγκ του οποίου η κατασκευή μόλις ολοκληρώθηκε. Ο χώρος αυτός ήταν απαραίτητος, καθώς ανταποκρίνεται στις αυξανόμενες ανάγκες της ενορίας μας και προσφέρει ασφάλεια, διευκόλυνση και οργανωμένη πρόσβαση σε όλους.

Εχουμε ξεκινήσει μία μεγάλη προσπάθεια να συγκεντρώσουμε το ποσό των \$250,000 για την εξόφληση της κατασκευής του καινούριου πάρκινγκ στην οδό Henry. Κάθε συνεισφορά, μικρή ή μεγάλη, είναι πολύτιμη και αποτελεί έκφραση αγάπης προς την κοινότητά μας. Μπορείτε να υποστηρίξετε την προσπάθειά μας αυτή:

- Κάνοντας μία εφάπαξ καταβολή
- Κάνοντας μηνιαίες καταβολές
- Γνωστοποιώντας την προσπάθειά μας σε συγγενείς και φίλους
- Προσφέροντας εθελοντική εργασία σε εκδηλώσεις υποστήριξης του έργου μας

Για οποιαδήποτε συνεισφορά επισκεφτείτε την ιστοσελίδα της κοινότητάς μας στο <https://www.ascensionfairview.org> ή επικοινωνήστε με το γραφείο της εκκλησίας μας στο (201) 945 -6448.

Με την υποστήριξή σας μπορούμε να χτίσουμε ένα λαμπρό μέλλον για την κοινότητά μας. Σας ευχαριστούμε για τη διαρκή στήριξή σας και ευχόμαστε ο θεός να ανταποδίδει πολλαπλάσια κάθε σας προσφορά.

Με εκτίμηση και εν Χριστώ αγάπη,

Το Ενοριακό Συμβούλιο

Της Ελληνικής Ορθόδοξης Εκκλησίας της Θείας Αναλήψεως, Fairview, NJ

Help Us Pave the Way to a Growing Community!

Dear Parishioners,

At Ascension Greek Orthodox Church, our mission is to provide a welcoming space where faith, fellowship, and community can flourish. As our congregation continues to grow, so does our need for essential infrastructure to better serve our members and guests. One of the most pressing needs we face is the expansion of our parking lot.

Why This Matters:

With more families, friends, and neighbors joining us each week, our current parking facilities are no longer sufficient. Limited parking creates challenges for elderly parishioners, families with young children, and visitors attending services, events, and community outreach programs. An expanded parking lot will not only ease these challenges but will also make Ascension Church a more accessible and welcoming place for everyone.

Our Goal:

We are seeking to raise \$250,000 to fund the construction of the new parking lot on Henry Street that will provide safe, convenient, and ample parking for our entire community. Your generous donation will help us:

- Accommodate more parishioners and visitors.
- Support future growth of our community programs.
- Enhance the overall experience for everyone who comes through our doors.

How You Can Help:

Every contribution, big or small, makes a difference. You can support this important project by:

- Making a one-time donation.
- Becoming a monthly supporter.
- Sharing this campaign with family and friends.
- Volunteering to help with fundraising events.

To donate, please visit the church website at <https://www.ascensionfairview.org/> or contact the church at (201)-945-6448.

Together, We Can Build a Brighter Future

Your generosity is more than just a gift — it's an investment in the future of our community. With your support, we can continue to make Ascension Church a place where faith and fellowship thrive.

Thank you for being a vital part of our community and for helping us pave the way to a brighter future.

With gratitude and blessings,

The Parish Council
Ascension Greek Orthodox Church, Fairview, NJ

[LIVE STREAM click here](#)

OUR SPIRITUAL LEADER





Greek School

Τρεις Ιεράρχες και Ελληνικά Γράμματα

Την Παρασκευή 30 Ιανουαρίου 2026 το Ελληνικό Σχολείο της Αναλήψεως στο Fairview, NJ είχε την σχολική γιορτή αφιερωμένη στους Τρεις Ιεράρχες και τα Ελληνικά Γράμματα.

Οι μαθητές και οι μαθήτριες του σχολείου, με τη βοήθεια των δασκάλων τους, παρουσίασαν ποιήματα, τραγούδια και θεατρικά δρώμενα, τόσο για τους Τρεις Ιεράρχες όσο και για την Ελληνική Γλώσσα και Λογοτεχνία. Η χορωδία του σχολείου με την μουσικό κ. Βουκελάτου έκαναν ένα αφιέρωμα στον Διονύση Σαββόπουλο.

Κατά τη διάρκεια του προγράμματος αναγνωρίσαμε τους μαθητές μας που με μεγάλη επιτυχία πέρασαν τις εξετάσεις της Ελληνομάθειας και Greek Regents (B2: Θέμης Λαπιώτης, Λεωνίδας Σπυρόπουλος και Λουκάς Σπυρόπουλος, B1: Φοίβος Λαπιώτης, A2: Μαρία Ζαπαντιώτη, A1: Δημήτρης Χατζάκης, Greek Regents: Θέμης Λαπιώτης και Σταύρος

Καλαράκης) καθώς επίσης και τους μαθητές μας Λουκά Σπυρόπουλο, Λεωνίδα Σπυρόπουλο και Μαρία Ζαπαντιώτη που πήραν μέρος στον Διαγωνισμό Ιστορίας της ΑΗΕΡΑ και βγήκαν ΠΡΩΤΟΙ!

Συγχαρητήρια στους μαθητές, εκπαιδευτικούς και γονείς!
Και του χρόνου!

On Friday, January 30, 2026, the Ascension Greek School in Fairview, NJ, held its school celebration dedicated to the Three Hierarchs and Greek Letters Day.

The students of the school, with the guidance of their teachers, presented poems, songs, and theatrical performances dedicated both to the Three Hierarchs and to the Greek language and literature. The school choir, under the direction of the music teacher, Mrs. Voukelatos, presented a tribute to Dionysis Savvopoulos.

During the program, we recognized our students who successfully passed the Greek Language Proficiency (Ellinomatheia) and Greek Regents examinations

(B2: Themis Lapiotis, Leonidas Spyropoulos, and Loukas Spyropoulos,

B1: Phevos Lapiotis,

A2: Maria Zapantioti,

A1: Dimitris Hatzakis,

Greek Regents: Themis Lapiotis and Stavros Kalarakis),

as well as our students Loukas Spyropoulos, Leonidas Spyropoulos, and Maria Zapantioti, who took part in the AHEPA History Tournament and came in FIRST PLACE.

Congratulations to all the students, teachers, and parents!





Konstantinos and Stamatis Polychronis Memorial

Την Κυριακή 1η Φεβρουαρίου, στην εκκλησία μας τελέστηκε αγιασμός για την αρχή του μήνα. Επίσης, τελέστηκε μνημόσυνο εις μνήμην των μεγάλων ευεργετών του Ελληνικού μας Σχολείου, Κωνσταντίνου και Σταμάτη Πολυχρόνη. Παρόντες ήταν η διευθύντρια του σχολείου, δασκάλες, μέλη του ΠΤΟ, της Σχολικής Επιτροπής και του Συμβουλίου της εκκλησίας.

On Sunday, February 1st, our church held the Agiasmos service for the beginning of the month. We also had a memorial service in memory of the great benefactors of our Greek School, Konstantinos and Stamatis Polychronis. Present were the Greek School principal, teachers, members of the PTO, the School Board, and the Parish Council.





Ascension Philoptochos

The Ascension Philoptochos of Fairview, NJ held their annual Vasilopita Luncheon this past Sunday with everyone having a wonderful time of fellowship. All proceeds will benefit the Saint Basil Academy in Garrison, NY, and the Youth and Young Adult programs of the Archdiocese and Metropolises. We thank our parishioners and friends for coming out in the inclement weather to support this event. Father Christos Pappas with his melodic voice sang the New Year Kalanta and cut the Vasilopita. Our cantor, Mr. Efthymios Chrysikos was the lucky winner of the Vasilopita coin.

A special "thank you" to the ladies of our Philoptochos who worked hard and organized the event.

We also wish to thank the Beacon Diner for catering our delicious lunch and Athens Bakery for donating our Vasilopitas.

We wish a Happy and blessed New Year to all. Καλή χρονιά σε όλους!



Rev. Christos L. Pappas
Protopresbyter

office: 201-945-6448
cell: 201-707-4737
fatherchristos@yahoo.com

Maria Tsesmeli
Office Administrator
office: 201-945-6448

Office hours:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday
Wednesday, Friday
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

info@ascensionfairview.org

We would like to thank the following families and organizations who have donated to our Parking Lot Campaign. We have raised \$34,667.77 to date, out of \$250,000. Please consider donating and help us “Pave the Way to Our Growing Community”!

ANASTASIOU POLYXENI
ANDEREGG EVANGELIA
ANDRIOPOULOS SYLVIA
ANTONIOU MINAS & NIKKI
BALTZIS BASIL & DIMITRA
CALLIAS PANTELIS & EUGENIA
COCOROS ANGELIKI
CONDOS, GEORGE
CONSTANTINIDES MARIOS & ELENI
DIAMANTOPOULOS NICK & VICKY
DIAMANTOPOULOS THEODORE
DIMATOS KATERINA
DOUROS MARIA AGATHA
DRIVAS ROSALEA
FR. CHRISTOS PAPPAS & PRESBYTERA MARIA
FRANGISKOU, PETER & AGNE
GIANNAROS, JAMES & ATHENA
GARGAS ANGIE
GIANNAROS JAMES & ATHENA
HAJIYEROU ANDREAS
HATZAKIS EMMANUEL & PARASKEVI
THE HELLENIC WOMEN'S CLUB
IOANNIDES CHRISTINA
KANAKIS CHRISTOS
KAOUSIAS NIKI
KIOURETZIS NIKOLAOS & YIOTA
KONTOLIOS STELIOS & THEMMY
LEKKAS EKATERINI & ANDREAS
LIOSATOS JERRY & MARTHA
MIHAELOS, MIHALOS
DR. JAMES & MRS. MELIS

PAPADOPOULOS ANNELAINE
PAPAMARKOS ANTHONY & DIANE
PERALTA CARLOS
PILITSIS HARRY V
ASCENSION GREEK SCHOOL PTO 2024-25
SHOREMAS MICHAEL B.
STEFANAKIS ALEXANDER
SIDERIAS, MICHAEL & DESPINA
SOCRATOUS STELIOS & ELENI
SPYROPOULOS CONSTANTINE & ASIMINA
STEFANAKIS ALEXANDER
STEFANAKIS CHRYSTALIA
TASIGIANNIS ANASTASIOU POLYXENI
TOMARAS KONSTANTINOS & EVANGELIA
ZAFIRAKOPOULOS STELLA & GEORGE

ASCENSION GREEK SCHOOL
LinkTree – Click here

FOLLOW US on social media



VISIT our WEBSITE

Ascension Greek Orthodox Church | 101 Anderson Avenue | Fairview, NJ 07022 US

[Unsubscribe](#) | [Update Profile](#) | [Constant Contact Data Notice](#)