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Herman the Wonderworker of Alaska & First Saint of America

December 13

Reading



Saint Herman (his name is a variant of Germanus) was born near Moscow in 1756. In his youth he became a monk, first at the Saint Sergius Hermitage near Saint Petersburg on the Gulf of Finland; while he dwelt there, the most holy Mother of God appeared to him, healing him of a grave malady. Afterwards he entered Valaam Monastery on Valiant Island in Lake Ladoga; he often withdrew into the wilderness to pray for days at a time. In 1794, answering a call for missionaries to preach the Gospel to the Aleuts, he came to the New World with the first Orthodox mission to Alaska. He settled on Spruce Island, which he called New Valaam, and here he persevered, even in the face of many grievous afflictions mostly at the hands of his own countrymen in the loving service of God and of his neighbour. Besides his many toils for the sake of the Aleuts, he subdued his flesh with great asceticism, wearing chains, sleeping little, fasting and praying much. He brought many people to Christ by the example of his life, his teaching, and his kindness and sanctity, and was granted the grace of working miracles and of prophetic insight. Since he was not a priest, Angels descended at Theophany to bless the waters in the bay; Saint Herman used this holy water to heal the sick. Because of his unwearying missionary labours, which were crowned by God with the salvation of countless souls, he is called the Enlightener of the Aleuts, and has likewise been renowned as a wonderworker since his repose in 1837.

HOMEBOUND/NURSING HOME PARISHIONERS

Below is a list of our Homebound/Nursing Home members. Drop them a card or note to let them know Holy Trinity and its members are thinking of them. They will appreciate it!

First	Last	Church	Facility	Address	City	State	Zip
Clara	Fakelis	ST H	Altercare of Nobles Pond	7006 Fulton Dr NW	Canton	OH	44718
Lisa	(Cotopolis) Ferencz	ST H	Bethany Nursing Home	626 - 34th St NW	Canton	OH	44709
Mary	Nash	HT	Bethany Nursing Home	626 - 34th St NW	Canton	OH	44709
George & Nikki	Marinakis	ST George	Laurels of Massillon	2000 Sherman Cir NE	Massillon	OH	44646
Georgia	Kirman	HT	McKinley Health Care Center	800 Market Ave N	Canton	OH	44702
Jim	Nash	HT	Rose Lane Nursing & Rehabilitation	5425 High Mill Ave NW	Massillon	OH	44646
Vanthia	Olmstead	ST H	The Danbury	181 Applegrove St NE Apt. 320	North Canton	OH	44720
Diane	Foradas	ST H	The Inn at Belden Village	3927 - 38th St NW	Canton	OH	44718
Anna	Kieselat	HT	The Inn at Belden Village	3927 - 38th St NW	Canton	OH	44718
Joann	Rath	HT	The Inn at Belden Village	3927 - 38th St NW	Canton	OH	44718
Bessie	Vlahos	ST H	The Inn at Belden Village	3927 - 38th St NW	Canton	OH	44718
Ann	Thomas	HT	The Inn at Whitewood Village	3146 Whitewood St NW Rm 106	North Canton	OH	44720
Stevie	Abraham	ST H	The Regency	4515 22nd St NW	Canton	OH	44708
Paula	Macris	ST H	The Regency	4515 22nd St NW	Canton	OH	44708
Betty	Tsangeos	ST H	Windsor Nursing Home	1454 East Maple St NW	North Canton	OH	44720
Barb	Amanatides	HT		299 Ainsworth Ave	Columbus	OH	43230
Kathryn	Costi	HT		7490 Ayrshire Ave NE	Canton	OH	44721
Esther	Cross	HT		1120 15th St NW Apt 207	Canton	OH	44703
Eleni	Fotiadis	HT		1875 Hollythorne Rd NE	Canton	OH	44721
Bertha	Macrides	HT		1454 New England Dr SE	North Canton	OH	44720
Jim	Margaritakis	HT		5659 Strausser St NW	N Canton	OH	44720

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Organizations of Holy Trinity Church

Altar Boys - John Steed
Athletic Director - Chris Macrides
Care Ministry - John Bellas
Choir - Joyce Spanakis
Dance Troupe - Jimmy Amentas**, Sr. Dance**
Rachel & Nicole Israel, **Jr. Dance**
Daughters of Penelope - Joanna Volas**, President**
GOYA - Diana Kuty and Dee Dee Amentas
HOPE - Mary Ann Rundo
JOY - Marissa Giavasis and Elena Kandis and Georgia Mullaney
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Sunday School - Kelly Antoniades
Young At Heart Club - Karen Kotanides**, President**
Youth Director - Dina Grunder

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From the desk of Fr. Nick...



My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,



THIS IS THE DAY THAT THE LORD HAS MADE! LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD IN IT!

This is it! It is the last month of 2025. What is it about hearing that it is the last chance for something that makes us go crazy? We might pass by an item in the store and never think twice about it, but if someone tells us that it is the "last" one, we might give it a second look.

"Last chance" makes the option seem different because we might not get another opportunity for it again. It feels like we get like this in December, because there is no time left in the year. We have run out of Christmas shopping time, preparing for family time or even time for making good on our New Year's Resolutions. Many people make our last minute donations to our churches or other worthy organizations in December, because we want the tax break during the year. There are so many "lasts" in December.

But, I think that this mentality of trying to "fit it all in before it's over" is likely the result of not deliberately orienting our lives properly towards Christ. A life, oriented towards Christ, places virtuous disciplines as the normal way of traversing through every day. The disciplines of prayer, fasting and being generous with our time and money for others become the backbone of each of our 24 hours.

So, if that is the case, how do we get to the place where we are running out of time at the end of the year? It is because we have allowed other things to take precedence over our life in Christ. The Thanksgiving season gives way to the Christmas Season, and we have lists of things to take care of. Unfortunately, prayer is normally not on that list. Fasting is normally not on that list. Being more giving with our time and money is not normally on that list either.

We run around, trying to prepare for our relatives and friends coming to dinner and at the same time we have the most precious Visitor coming to this earth to save us. Do we make preparations for Him to come?

Now, I'm not saying that we should neglect our relatives and friends and important fellowship during this time. But somewhere in this commercialized craziness shouldn't we be setting time aside to prepare our hearts and souls for Christ to make His home there? How can we do that if we don't make that a priority?

This is bigger than simply coming to church, and coming to more services. We need to do that, of course. But, at this special time of the year, don't we go out of our way to make extra preparations for our company and feasts and parties? All of those are important endeavors, for sure. But if we do all of that, it seems only fair that we should make extra preparations for Christ as well at this special time of the year, doesn't it?

Think of it as the "last chance" to make good on our spiritual goals for 2025. "Last call!!!" I mean, it really isn't our last call… God willing, we will have many more chances to make our lives closer to Christ. But, if it works in marketing, then let's give it a whirl. Besides, we can assume all we want, that this isn't our "last call", but the reality is that we really don't know. (I'm not a gloom and doom guy, but that is the truth.)

This month, December of 2025, there will be more opportunities to come to Church. There will be more opportunities to fast on different levels (a lighter fast until December 12 and more strict after that). There will be more opportunities to offer our time and money to help those in need. Please, do not ignore these!

May we all have peace in our hearts and kindness on our lips at this wonderful time! *God bless you all!*

+Fr. Nicholas M. Halkias
Proistamenos

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES



	Wedding Date	Years
Steve & Angie Zoumberakis	12/25/1972	53
Keith & Barbara Mottas	12/29/1973	52
Paul & Anna Wakely	12/29/1973	52
Nicholas & Barbara Lambrou	12/28/2003	22
Mark & Gianna Helmick	12/9/2017	8
Evan & Eliana Monnot	12/28/2024	1

THANK YOU'S

Thank you to the Koraes Ladies and everyone who helped and donated items for the 1-Year Memorial for Despina Zantopulos. Your support was appreciated!



The Zantopulos Family



Thank you to the Ladies of Koraes who helped and donated pastries for the 40-Day Memorial for George Rafailedes, Jr. and to the church family for all of your support. ~Connie Rafailedes

A heartfelt thank you to the Koraes Ladies for their generosity, time and loving support, and to everyone who contributed items in memory of our beloved members of the Anastas, Cazantzes, and Klide families. Your thoughtfulness and care are deeply appreciated.



Warmest regards, The Anastas, Cazantzes, and Klide Families



Thanks to our Holy Trinity church family for bringing pastries for mom's 3-year memorial and to Koraes Ladies for all your help.

~Love you all, The Kotanides family

Thank you to the Koraes Ladies and everyone who helped and donated food items for the 10-Year Memorial for my husband, Nick Sandru. Everyone's special thoughts, prayers and support at this time are greatly appreciated. ~Julie Sandru & Family





Dear Holy Trinity Family: On behalf of the Albanis family, we thank everyone who joined the 40-Day memorial service in memory of my mom, Anastasia Albanis. My mom was a woman of great faith. We all cherished our time as parishioners at Holy Trinity in the 80s-early 2000s. While my parents (and Pete) moved to Naples, FL, we all continue to remember our Holy Trinity (and northeast OH) family today and all have wonderful memories together with so many of you. Thank you to all who made her memorial a very special one within the church and afterwards. While I wasn't there in person, I saw it on the livestream. May God continue to bless you always, and thank you for everything you did for my mom and for your care, prayers, and thoughts for our family. Stay in touch!

Love, Chris Albanis (and Vlasios, Pete and our entire family)

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

		Month	Day
Kyle	Jordanides	12	1
Ariana	Kiriakou	12	1
Athena	Kiriakou	12	1
Sophia	Kiriakou	12	1
Lucas	Wesdemiotis	12	2
Steven	Dimos	12	3
Melissa	Giavasis	12	4
Ellen	Romeo	12	4
Kristina	Koinoglou	12	5
Nick	Aslanides	12	6
Paula	Giamourides	12	6
Christopher	Karasarides	12	6
Andrew	Rundo	12	6
Rick	Pitinii	12	8
Nicholas	Spanakis	12	8
Rosario	Moscariello	12	9
Joseph	Spino	12	9
Karyn	Macrides	12	10
Katie	Scrimo	12	10
Angie	Zoumberakis	12	10
Ted	Durbin	12	15
Rita	Kalorides	12	15
Alexander	Stern	12	15
Emmanuel	Colon	12	16
Nicholas	Steed	12	16
Dennis	Ellenberger	12	17
Larry	Beyes	12	19
Ariana	Giavasis	12	19
Angela	Dimos	12	20
Samuel	Michailides	12	20
Eleni	Miller	12	20
Anastasia	Simionides	12	20
Finley	Helmick	12	21
Ava	Rocco	12	21
Maria	Skyllas	12	21
Eugene	Cazantzes	12	22
Joseph	Manolas	12	22
Chris	Gonzales	12	24
Helen	Tsarwhas	12	24
Theodore	Dunn	12	25
Ted	Lombardi	12	25
Joyce	Spanakis	12	25
Amanda	Memmer	12	27
Christina	Pantelides	12	27
Jonathan	Theiss	12	27
Steve	Armatas	12	28



Melanie	McCauley	12	28
Betty	Karipides	12	29
Allison	Rath	12	29
Kostandinos	Jordanides	12	30
Alexa	Zantopulos	12	31

Order of AHEPA

Canton 59

100th Anniversary Celebration

January 17, 2026

Raintree Golf and Event Center

5:30 PM – 6:30 PM Cocktails

Music provided by Nikolai Rogich

Dinner, Program and Dancing to Follow

Music provided by TA FILARKIA

Join us for this wonderful milestone celebration of one of AHEPA's oldest chapters. Bring your memories and stories to share with all.

Tickets are $75.00 per person.

For tickets contact:

John Karipides 330 283-0113

John Regas 330 409-3668

Paul Koskovich 330 327-4079

Bill Zantopulos 330 284-9586

Gus Athans 330 412-0708

Message From DEACON MICHAEL ...



The Eastern Orthodox Church views Christmas as a mystery celebrating the Son of God becoming human, an event that fulfills prophecy and demonstrates God's love. The celebration, known as the Nativity of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. The primary belief is the incarnation, the eternal Son of God was born as a human child, Jesus Christ. This is considered a "mystery" of God becoming flesh, as mentioned in the Gospel of John: "The Word became flesh".

Christmas is a celebration of "God with us, highlighting His love for all people and His desire to be in communion with them. Heaven and earth join in celebration, wise men and shepherds welcome Him, angels and humans sing with joy. "God is with us." My family and I: We wish everyone, Merry Christmas.

Deacon Michael

Deacon Michael

CATERING NEWS

MERRY CHRISTMAS ONE AND ALL!!!

George and I want to wish you all a very Merry, Blessed, Safe, and Joyful Christmas!



May God bless our Holy Trinity families!

Reminder:

When using the dishwasher, always check to be sure the detergent & sanitizer buckets have product in them.



HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

George & Paula

Catering by George

330 704-0752





From Our Parish Council President

"What Have You Gotten Me Into?"

After a particularly contentious or bruising parish council, executive committee meeting, or general assembly I like to ask Julie Sandru this question, generally accompanied with fake anguish and an exaggerated theatrical pose.

For our newer members who may not know the backstory, I've known Julie since first grade, always have admired her, but being quite the nerd, never made a connection until a high school reunion in 2018 (she forbids me to reveal what year this commemorates). Living in Maryland at the time where I retired following a career as a Navy Nurse, and follow-on civilian program management gigs, I had already decided to retire for good and began making weekly journeys to Ohio to reconnect, ultimately deciding to pull up stakes and move back to Ohio to be with Julie. She gently invited me to attend Church services with her, no pressure; Orthodoxy was a big deal to her. I was immediately smitten during my first Divine Liturgy with the sights, sound, fragrances and various accoutrement. In relatively short order I converted (Fr. Nick's first at Holy Trinity!) In 2019 I was asked fill a vacancy in the parish council due in part to my background (picture here someone laughing and reeling in a fish). I foolishly thought, "Why not, how hard can it be?" I'll just show up and do what I can and get my Holy Trinity sea-legs and la-la-la. Then in a moment of weakness the parish council made me their president (hint: no one else wanted it) and so here we are.

I think I first asked her this question shortly after becoming president. A well-respected parishioner invited me to lunch, seeking to learn more about my background and experience, getting to know me, etc. I've had similar meetings in the past with new clients and was confident I could make a good impression. As we started our meal, the parishioner said "Well, to be honest, when I heard you were elected president, I said, 'Is this the best we can do?'" I responded something like "You can do a lot better but no one else wanted the job." This was not going to be easy.

Julie, what have you gotten me into?

As we prepare our hearts to receive Christ in this Nativity Season, I now realize that my journey to Holy Trinity and Orthodox Christianity was really all about preparing my heart to receive Christ in a very fundamental and profound way. I always knew God existed; how can one work among the sick or be a parent or tend to a garden and not believe? But what I really needed to hear was that I needed to become a better person in so many ways; more Christ-like. It's hard and I know I have a long way to go. I have to bite my tongue and strive to feel compassion for those that dislike me and unfairly criticize; more lessons in humility and patience. I'm not sure I'll ever get there but I continue to pray and work at it.

And so, I wish you all the best as you prepare for Christmas, and ask for your prayers to help me prepare to receive Him.



Daniel J. Speece, RN, MSN

YOUNG AT HEART CLUB

DECEMBER 2025

'YOUNG AT HEART'
HOLY TRINITY SENIORS CLUB

WISHING EVERYONE
A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS
&
HEALTHY & HAPPY NEW YEAR



Melanie McCauley





COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS

This year, Holy Trinity is delighted to participate in the Adopt-A-Family program once again, Layers of Hope, and the Mitten Tree.

The **Adopt-A-Family Program** helps to make the holidays special for some families that need assistance. Holy Trinity has adopted 4 large families again to provide joy this Christmas season. Here is how it works:

1. Pick a tag off of the tree
2. Purchase a gift that is listed on the tag (age and sex will be indicated)
3. Wrap your gift and attach the gift tag from the tree to the package
4. Do NOT wrap Gift Cards!
5. **ALL GIFTS must be into the church by Sunday, December 7th.**

PLEASE NOTE: ANY GIFTS RECEIVED AFTER DECEMBER 7TH CANNOT BE DELIVERED TO THE FAMILIES!

We are very pleased to partner with the REFUGE OF HOPE MINISTRIES located in Canton again this year under the name of **Layers of Hope, collecting new and gently used coats.** Collection includes new coats, lightly used clean coats, sweatshirts, and jackets. The donation box is located under the coat racks in the main hallway **through December 10, 2025**. Let's fill this with lots of love!



"Nearly 5,000 children and adults benefited from the Mitten Tree Program last year."

We will again be providing **new hats, gloves, scarves, and mittens** to pass out to those in need. This tree is found near the East Entrance for the placement of these items. We filled this tree with wonderful gifts last year and hope to help provide warm mittens, hats, gloves and scarves for all ages again this year. **All items must be on the mitten tree by December 15, 2025.**

Monetary Donations may also be made by check to A Community Christmas of Stark County Inc. and given to the Church Office. Thank you so much, Holy Trinity parishioners, for your generous support!



FINANCIAL MATTERS



Please have all 2025 Stewardship paid before December 31, 2025 to appear on your tax statement for 2025!

"God loves a cheerful giver"
2 Corinthians 9:7b

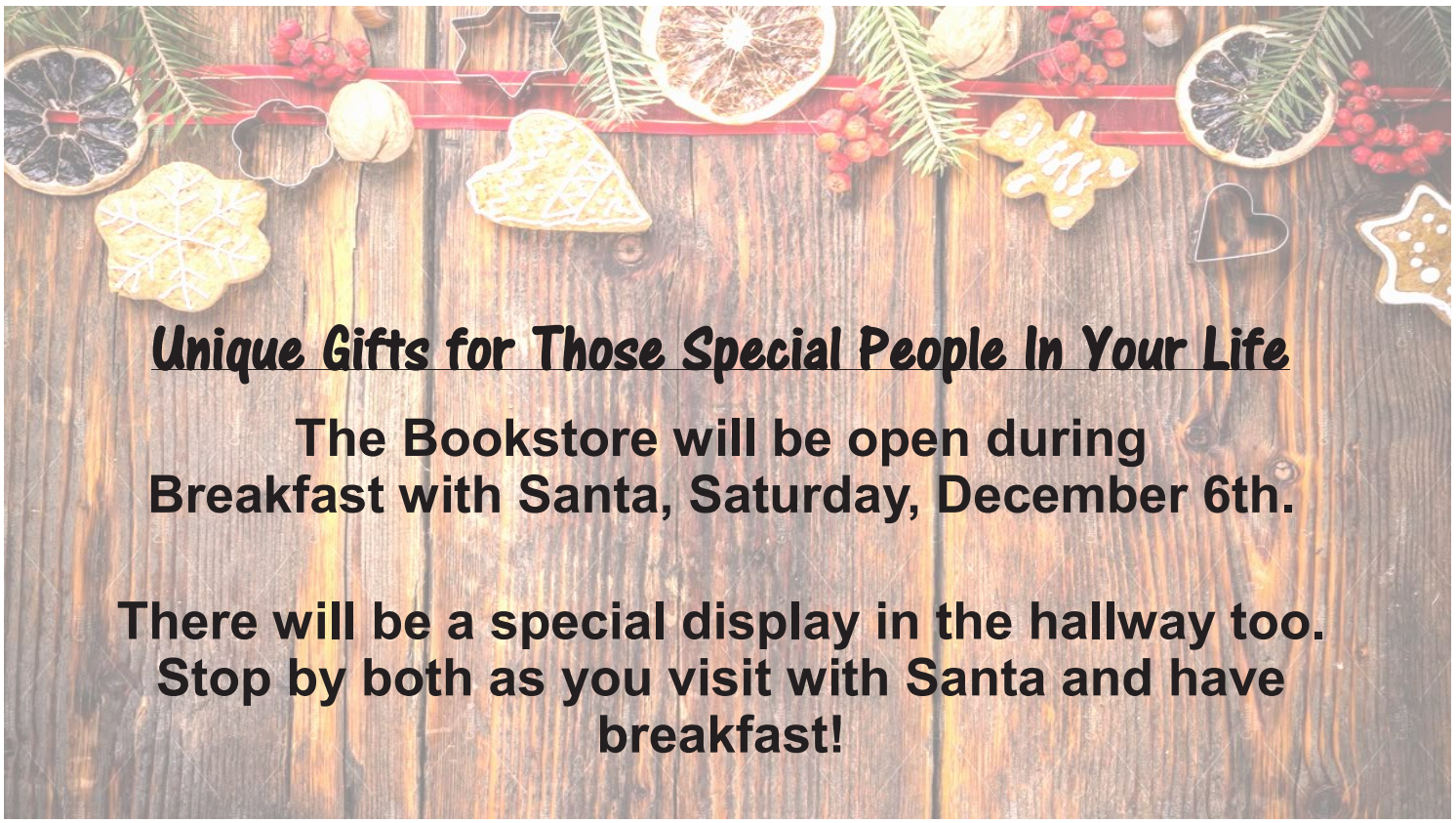
2025 OPERATING BUDGET**

As of October 31, 2025

Stewardship Received	$234,147.00
Other Income	$119,467.00
Total Income	$353,614.00
Total Expenses	$416,229.00
Deficit	($62,615.00)

***The daily cost to run our church is approximately $1,100 per day*

AGAPE BOOKSTORE



GOYA NEWS

2026 GOYA BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

HOLY TRINITY IS EXCITED TO HOST THE METROPOLIS OF PITTSBURG GOYA TOURNAMENT ON JANUARY 16-18, 2026. PLEASE SUPPORT OUR GOYANS BY PLACING AN AD IN OUR TOURNAMENT PROGRAM BOOK

PROGRAM ADS

$100 full page
$50 half page
$25 patron ad (names listed on donor page)

Please email all information for the half page and full page ads including photos to Deanne Semertsidis at ruby7loh@yahoo.com. Checks can be made out to HTGOC with GOYA in the memo. All information needs to be sent by December 19th.

NAME_____

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____ I WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE A PATRON AD

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INFORMATION AND WORDING OF YOUR AD:

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Check or money can be dropped off to the church office.
Please make checks out to HTGOC with GOYA in the memo.

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church

Presents

"Away in a Manger"

Christmas Pageant - Performed by the Sunday School Students

Directed by Presbytera, AC Halkias

Wednesday, December 24th following 5:00 PM Vespers

Join us for the Christmas story and songs!





BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

& Holiday Pastry Sale

Saturday, December 6th 9 am - 12 pm

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church
4705 Fairhaven Ave. NW, Canton 44709

Children (10 & under) $10.00 Adults (11 & up) - $15.00

(Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage, Bagels, Danish)

Fun activities for children!

Photos w/Santa – Cookie Decorating

Delicious Greek Pastry and Cookie Sale

GlenOak High School Drifters & Notables will be performing at 10:30 AM

Proceeds benefit Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church

Pre-Sale tickets available on-line at htgoc.net and in church office (330) 494-8770

DECEMBER 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Nov 30	Dec 1	2	3	4	5	6
Andrew the First Called Apostle 10:30 AM 40-Day Church Blessing 11:00 AM Bookstore Holiday Open House with Coffee Hour 11:30 AM Sunday School Meeting 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM GOYA Basketball Practice		6:00 PM Ladies Exercise	11:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM GOYA Basketball Practice	St. Barbara 8:30 AM Orthros 9:30 AM Liturgy 5:45 PM - 7:30 PM GOYA Sr. Girls Basketball 7:00 PM Koraes Board Meeting 7:30 PM Young Adult Basketball	Set Up for Breakfast with Santa St. Savas the Sanctified 8:30 AM Orthros 9:30 AM Liturgy	Holiday Pastry Sale 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Breakfast with Santa 9:00 AM St. Nicholas Day Services @ St. Haralambos - Orthros at 9AM followed by Liturgy
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
11:30 AM Koraes Community Christmas Lunch 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM GOYA Basketball Practice		6:00 PM Executive Board 6:00 PM Ladies Exercise	OFFICE CLOSED - Lori Vacation 11:00 AM Bible Study 6:00 PM Paraklesis 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM GOYA Basketball Practice	5:45 PM - 7:30 PM GOYA Sr. Girls Basketball 7:30 PM Young Adult Basketball	St. Spyridion 8:30 AM Orthros 9:30 AM Liturgy	St. Herman of Alaska 8:30 AM Orthros 9:30 AM Liturgy
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
11:00 AM 30-Yr. Memorial & Coffee Hour - Mihali Stamatelopoulos 11:30 AM 3-Yr. Memorial - Nicole Tatarides 25-Yr. Memorial - George Tatarides with a Coffee Hour 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM GOYA Basketball Practice		6:00 PM Ladies Exercise 6:00 PM Parish Council	9:00 AM Holy Unction 11:00 AM Bible Study 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM Food Pantry 6:00 PM Paraklesis 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM GOYA Basketball Practice	5:45 PM - 7:30 PM GOYA Sr. Girls Basketball 7:30 PM Young Adult Basketball		
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
11:00 AM 1-Year Memorial - Art Amentas 11:00 AM 1-Yr Memorial - George Macrides 11:30 AM Sunday School Christmas Carols & Coffee Hour 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM GOYA Basketball Practice			9:00 AM Royal Hours 11:30 AM - 4:00 PM Office Closed - 1/2 Day 5:00 PM Vesperal Liturgy with Pageant to Follow	CHRISTMAS - OFFICE CLOSED Nativity of Christ 8:30 AM Orthros 9:30 AM Liturgy	OFFICE CLOSED - VACATION	St. Stephen 8:30 AM Orthros 9:30 AM Liturgy
28	29	30	31	Jan 1	2	3
11:00 AM 20-Yr. Memorial Merle Amanatides & Despina Amanatides (39 Yrs) Memorial & Coffee Hour 11:00 AM 3-Yr Memorial & Coffee Hour - Mary Pappas 11:00 AM Trisagion - Helen Liolios and Akrieve Bellas (20 Yrs) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM GOYA Basketball Practice			11:30 AM - 4:00 PM New Year's Eve - Office Closed 1/2 Day 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM Circumcision of Christ/Divine Liturgy of St. Basil	OFFICE CLOSED		

Be sure to check the weekly bulletin for any changes to these dates and times or the online calendar at www.htgoc.net, click on “Calendar of Events”.



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