



## A Word from Father Perry

Christ is in our midst!

There has been quite a bit of adjusting this year. Among these adjustments, I know that many will miss being in person for summer church camp this year. (Quick note: there will be a virtual camp. Learn more at <https://stmaryscamp.com/summer-camp/virtual-camp-2020/>) As we enter into the traditional season for youth summer camp, a memory from a few years ago comes to mind.

A couple of summers ago, I served at Camp St. Paul (CSP) in Litchfield, CT. As you may be familiar, priests from throughout our archdiocese serve a week at camp each summer. Clergy responsibilities include celebrating the services, leading prayers before meals, offering Holy Confession, and facilitating discussions about our faith. The sessions are practical. They typically discuss passages from the bible, church tradition, and contemporary issues.

The theme that year was "Love the Lord your God with all your mind, with all your heart, with all your strength, with all your soul and your neighbor as yourself," (Gospel of Luke). In the first few days of the week, we focused our discussion on the heart. Practically speaking, God invites us to love Him with our whole heart. In other words, our faith is not merely an academic or philosophical exercise. Our love for God flows from the heart.

Our discussion focused on this verse; "My son, give me your heart" (Proverbs 23). We noted that everything in life is God's and that we don't have anything to give to Him that isn't already His. I asked the campers, "If everything is God's, what can we give Him?" The campers made the connection and realized that, above all, God desires us to love Him from our hearts. As Saint John

says in his Epistle, "We love Him (God) because He first loved us."

After we began our discussion, one camper raised his hand. With honesty, He said something profound. "Father, I understand that we should give God our heart. However, I don't always do that." Sometimes we understand our faith in our minds, but we don't always live it out with our hearts.

It was a timely comment by this young man. Earlier that morning, the camp director shared a beautiful prayer that can help in moments like these, "Lord, I believe, help my unbelief." The director made the point that many moments like these will come along on the journey of life. We will have times in which our mind comprehends particular teachings of our faith, but we do not always live it out.

If we experience moments like these, may we also pray, "Lord, I believe, help my unbelief!" Even when it does not come immediately, with God's help our faith can grow in our heart as well. It may take time but try not to be discouraged. Through prayer and repentance our hearts will continue to be opened to God. As we say in every Divine Liturgy, "let us lift up our hearts." Like a rock shaped by the wave of the ocean, consistent participation in the services, especially the Divine Liturgy, leads us on this path of growth. If we believe in our minds, but struggle to love God from our hearts, may we continue to seek Him and ask Him for his help. Someday, our hearts will catch up to that which our minds already believe.

I pray you all have a safe, healthy, and blessed summer. We look forward to seeing you in church soon. God bless and Good Strength! Καλή δύναμη!

Parish Mission Statement:  
"St. George Greek Orthodox Church is a Christ-centered Community that:

- Inspires faith and worship
- Cultivates spiritual growth and fellowship, and
- Encourages benevolence and outreach"

Parish Vision Statement:  
"Ascending together to the fullness of Life."



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## DIGITAL SERVICES

Click one of the links below to stream upcoming services:

### YouTube Channel

<http://www.youtube.com/c/StGeorgeGreekOrthodoxChurchofSaintPaulMN>

### Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/stgeorgestpaul/>

### Digital Service Books

Follow along with the prayers of the services at <http://www.agesinitiatives.com/dcs/public/dcs/dcs.html>

Daily prayers are available at <https://www.goarch.org/chapel/prayers>

### Light a Candle... Say a Prayer

Submit a prayer request or light a candle for an upcoming service at <https://stgeorgestpaul.square.site>.



2020 Holy Week at home



2020 Memorial Day, Roselawn Cemetery

## ATTENDING SERVICES IN PERSON

*Orthros and Divine Liturgy services are held on Saturdays and Sundays (see above for links to live streaming), 8:15am-11:00am. In keeping with Metropolis guidance, attendees are required to sign up in advance for these services and to wear face coverings when entering the building.*

- Sign up for upcoming services using the Signup Genius link found in the online Sunday bulletin each week

OR

- Call Julie in the office at 651.222.6220 during business hours and she will sign up you up, plus any friends or family members

## Registry

### Funerals

June 15  
June 22

Chris Panayoton  
Nancy Lambros

## Memory Eternal

It is with a heavy heart, but with hope in the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, that we share with you the passings of

+John Poulos on June 1, 2020. Click here to read his obituary:  
<https://andersonfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/1087/John-Poulos/obituary.html>

+Chris Panayoton, on June 9, 2020. To read his obituary, click <https://willwerscheid.com/obituary/chris-d-panayoton/>

+Nausica (Nancy) Lambros on June 18, 2020. To read her obituary, click <https://willwerscheid.com/obituary/nausica-nancy-strenglis-lambros/>

## Daily Scripture Readings

For a complete listing of daily reading go to <https://www.goarch.org/chapel/calendar>

Sunday, July 5: Galatians 5:22-26; 6:1-2 | Matthew 8:5-13

Sunday, July 12: Romans 10:1-10 | Matthew 8:28-34; 9:1

Sunday, July 19: Titus 3:8-15 | Matthew 5:14-19

Sunday, July 26: Galatians 3:23-29; 4:1-5 | Matthew 9:27-35

Sunday August 2: Corinthians 1:10-17 | Matthew 14:14-22

Sunday, August 9: Corinthians 3:9-17 | Matthew 14:22-34

Sunday, August 16: Corinthians 4:9-16 | Matthew 17:14-23

Sunday, August 23: Corinthians 9:2-12 | Matthew 18:23-35

Sunday, August 30: Corinthians 15:1-11 | Matthew 19:16-26

## Church Staff and Office Hours

**Church Office Hours**  
**Tues-Fri 9:00am—5:00pm**  
**(Closed Mondays)**

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*Submissions for upcoming issues are due by the 10th of the preceding month.*



### Congratulations!

to Nick & Katherine Boosalis who celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary on June 11.

### Statement from His Eminence Metropolitan Nathanael Regarding the Death of George Floyd and Its Aftermath

On June 1, 2020, Metropolitan Nathanael made a statement regarding the death of George Floyd, the racial injustice that plagues our country, and our responsibility for action as Orthodox Christians. Below is an excerpt; to read the full statement, click [ps://](https://chicago.goarch.org/-/statement-from-his-eminence-metropolitan-nathanael-regarding-the-death-of-george-floyd-and-its-aftermath)

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"I call upon Orthodox Christians in the Holy Metropolis of Chicago to do the hard work that this moment in history demands. Grieve with the victims of injustice, pray for those gripped by hate and fear, protest peacefully against injustice, advocate for the underserved, rebuild destroyed communities and, above all, extend un-

conditional love and mercy. We are all complicit in the s\_\_\_\_\_ring of our neighbor, and we must all repent—transforming our way of seeing, thinking, and acting toward Christ-likeness..."

### Seven Holy Women: An Online Ancient Faith Women's Retreat

Coming in November – details, and registration at [ps://](https://store.ancientfaith.com/seven-holy-women-retreat/)



Thank you to George Kanavati, Demetri Halatsis, Dimitri Kaniamos and Thanasi Contolatis for their June yardwork.

[store.ancientfaith.com/seven-holy-women-retreat/](https://store.ancientfaith.com/seven-holy-women-retreat/).

### FOCUS Minnesota is Open and Busy!

Through the ongoing health crisis and with required changes to daily operations, God has shown us ways to be present, loving, helpful, and giving to those who are s\_\_\_\_\_ring. There has been a steady increase in the number of clients FOCUS serves.

### Stewardship Message

Thank you to all of St George's stewards who have continued to send their stewardship dollars to our wonderful church. We are happy to report that we are ahead of last year through May with \$113,835 having been received by our church.

As you will recall, our year-end goal is \$257,000 and we are making good progress towards that.

Please take care of yourselves and your loved ones through this pandemic.

Yours In Christ,  
Alexis Bighley  
Stewardship Chair

### Red Cross Blood Drive July 31

Hosted by Lexington-Hamline Community Council, a

blood drive will take place in the St. George social hall from 1-7pm on Friday, July 31. To schedule an appointment, go to [red-crossblood.org](https://redcrossblood.org) and enter the event code LexhamCC, or call 1-800-733-2767. Free COVID-19 antibody testing is available to donors.



**We've been blessed...Happy 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday to our Mom and Yiayia on July 18<sup>th</sup>: Mary Ballas Makredes**



May God continue to protect her and grant her many more years of good health and happiness!

With the ongoing Corona Virus concerns, we aren't able to celebrate in person with you all as we had planned. In lieu of our, we ask that you help us celebrate by sending her a card, a text, an email, or call:

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St. Paul, MN 55116  
m.makredes@q.com  
cell: 651.399.0422  
landline: 651.698.1332

With Love and Appreciation,  
*Michael, Margie and Paul*  
*Stephen, Ann, Andrew, Peter and Stephanie*  
*Phyllis, Chris, Mari, Elena and Sophia*



**JOHN PITSAVAS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP  
Guidelines (see application page 7)**

**I. MISSION STATEMENT**

The John Pitsavas Memorial Scholarship is set up to provide the children of St. George Greek Orthodox Church, St. Paul, Minnesota, assistance in their pursuit of education by providing them an opportunity to share and express their Orthodox Christian faith through a written essay. In addition, the Scholarship is meant to motivate active participation in the youth programs and parish life of St. George Greek Orthodox Church.

**II. RULES OF QUALIFICATION**

Grants are available only to children affiliated with the St. George Greek Orthodox Church, St. Paul, Minnesota, provided that the children are attending church and participating in its activities. Eligibility applies to students who have graduated twelfth grade, or those attending a vocational school or an academic institution of higher education seeking to obtain a Bachelor's degree or the equivalent.

**III. STUDENT ELIGIBILITY**

Students interested in participating will be required to write and submit an essay to the scholarship committee on a selected subject related to Orthodox faith.

A one-time grant in the amount of \$1,000.00 will be given to a student with the best essay. This award will be for the Quarter/Semester the student will be attending, provided a copy of their registration is forwarded to the Parish Council.

**IV. COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP**

A committee shall be formed and overseen by the Parish Council to administer the scholarship program. In addition to the Parish Council President and priest, the Committee shall consist of no more than four parishioners in good standing, pursuant to the St. George By-Laws, who do not have a child who is eligible for and seeking scholarship. One of the four parishioner members of the Committee shall be the Youth Director of St. George, if one is employed.

**Directions and Suggestions from the Review Committee**

Mrs. Theologia Pitsavas and the review committee hope that writing this essay will help you articulate your beliefs and examine your spiritual journey and that this will encourage you in the future.

Your essay must be college-worthy in content as well as format. Spend enough time on this!

**FORMAT:** Your paper should be at least 1000 words in length (4-5 pages).

Use 12-point Times New Roman or a similarly-sized font and double space or space-and-a-half the lines.

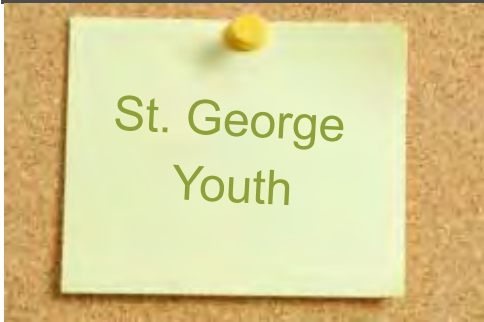
**CONTENT:**

- 1) Keep the **topic** in mind as you develop your paper. Focus on concrete examples from Orthodox writers, the Bible, and the Church Services as well as from your own experience.
- 2) Be sure to **cite your sources** (author, article or book, publishing information, and page number) for the outside information that you use. (Any of the committee members can advise you.)
- 3) To best express your ideas, pay attention to the **structure** of your essay.
  - a. Have an **introduction**, one or two paragraphs, with your **thesis statement** at the end of it. (To make a thesis statement, turn the question into a statement or sentence and add the aspects or the areas of the topic that you will be writing about.)
  - b. Each **body** paragraph needs a **topic sentence** that directs or organizes the ideas in the paragraph. This sentence is related to your thesis and specifies the focus (the aspect or area) of the topic you will discuss and in the paragraph.
  - c. The **conclusion** restates the question you are answering and briefly summarizes your thesis.
- 4) Before turning your essay in, **check it** for correctness in vocabulary, sentences and grammar.

**Have you answered the question?**

Thank you for participating!

Lily Zahariades (Chair), Yodahe Gamada, Joanne Halatsis, Lerah McCullough, Minda Arsenault Pearson



### St. Mary's Virtual Summer Camp

It is our great pleasure to start the rollout of the St. Mary's Camp Program for 2020. As we will be unable to end in person this year, we are putting together a virtual program that will run from **June 28- August 8th**. Camp this year will include a variety of events handled through a few different platforms. We will have activities that can be done at home on your own, events such as sermons that can be livestreamed or watched at your convenience either on your own or with your whole family, and interactive opportunities with your cabin-mates playing games, having discussions and just getting to bond together.

**It is FREE** - there are no charges to participate. This makes it a great opportunity to not only get as much participation as possible from our wonderful returning campers but also a chance to pull in others within our church communities and introduce them to Summer Camp.

Interactive events with specific age groups/ cabins will be done through ZOOM. In order to help us plan for camper numbers, we are **asking you to REGISTER**. This process will take approximately 30 seconds. Registration can be done at any time; however, to get the Zoom links, updates, reminders etc. you will need to be registered. Please do not wait until the last minute to register, to give us time to send the link(s) out to you.

All activities as well as the link for registration will be found at <https://stmaryscamp.com/summer-camp/virtual-camp-2020/>. We are still scheduling our specific events with our staff and clergy so the dates have not been set quite yet but all information will be rolled out on our website.

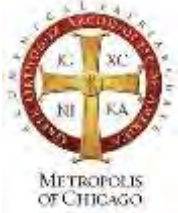
We look forward to another fun camp year with you!  
St. Mary's Camp Task Force



### Graduation 2020

Graduation Sunday was celebrated via Zoom on May 24<sup>th</sup>. Congratulations to our graduating seniors: Jessica Berge, William Chadwick (college), Patricia Corbera, Peter Drivas, Andrew Hagg, Dinah Lampros, Zoe Rylander, Mark Simon, Perry Tortorelis, Evangeline Werger (college).





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## JOHN PITSAVAS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME OF APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_

CHURCH AFFILIATION: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF PARENTS: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL/GRADE, OR COLLEGE YOU ARE ATTENDING:

\_\_\_\_\_

CHURCH/COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### 2020-2021 ESSAY TOPICS (CHOOSE ONE)

- 1) Read these three passages: *Matthew 16:23-27; Mark 8:34-38; Luke 9:23-26*. Our Lord Jesus tells us that if we desire to follow Him, let us deny ourselves and take up our cross daily. What does this mean to you as an Orthodox Christian?
- 2) Read the following passages: *Matthew 8:23-27; Mark 4:36-41; Luke 8:22-25 and Matthew 14:22-33; Mark 6:45-52; John 6:16-21*. How do these events relate to you/us as Orthodox Christians in today's world and how can they encourage and strengthen you/us?

**HOW TO SUBMIT:** please submit application & essay electronically to [office@stgeorgegoc.org](mailto:office@stgeorgegoc.org) no later than **noon July 2, 2020**. (See page 5 for Guidelines and Directions & Suggestions)

**DATE OF SUBMISSION:** \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarships for the 2020-2021 school year: \$1000 for 1st place (John Pitsavas Memorial Scholarship); \$400 for 2nd place (Missions & Benevolence Ministry Scholarship); \$200 for 3rd place (Missions & Benevolence Ministry Scholarship). Winners announced July 19, 2020.



## From the Parish Council President June 10, 2020



Covid-19 has not stopped us from our Mission and Vision as a church. Here are some details and observations.

**Missions & Benevolence:** The committee has met to consider funding and new funding of various mission activities. Recent Loaves and Fishes had 95 people

served; FOCUS meal had 91 people served. The need is great!!!

**Live-Streaming Services:** The services are on-going. We are grateful for the efforts of Nick Kanavati for IT and live-streaming, Richard Kanavati for altar service, ushering, Stephen Kanavati for chanting, and the tremendous effort Fr. has put into leading our worship. The streaming of our services will continue.

**Sunday School/Social Hour:** Thanks to Nick and Stephen Kanavati for continuing to live-stream the Jr. Sr. High Sunday School classes.

**Office support:** Thanks to John Simon Treasurer, Bill Clemons for bookkeeping, Julie Delton for Office work at home and alone at church.

**Safety Committee:** As directed by the Metropolitan, we have a committee to monitor and direct the opening of the church. The committee consists of Fr. for guidance, Wendy Loudas, John McCullough, Yodahe Gamada, Anastasia Mastrogiorgis, and PC President for Parish Council support.

Weekly Metropolis Parish Council Zoom Meetings run by His Eminence have guided us in receiving a Payroll Protection Loan/Grant and for safe opening

of the church. We hope to see you in church soon!!

Alexis Bighley organized the Revenue Enhancement Committee, Tom Lampros Chair, and Expense Guidelines Committee, Phyllis Kapentanakis Chair. Members of each of these committees worked hard to watch and manage our financial resources.

**Lighting Consultant:** The Lighting Consultant has presented a proposal for the sanctuary lighting. More and brighter soon!!!

**Iconography:** Both the Covid-19 lockdown and Mother Theodora's leukemia have delayed the installation of the two panel icons until August.

Parish Council Meetings continue virtually. As we begin to open, the PC members will continue to develop our primary focus, our mission:

St. George Greek Orthodox Church is a Christ-centered community that inspires faith, worship, benevolence, and outreach; and our vision: Ascending together to the fulness of life.

Respectfully submitted,  
Stephen Arsenault, Parish Council President  
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e-mail: arsenault003@gmail.com



# Many Years!

## JULY BIRTHDAYS

Antonio Cervantes, July 24; Evelyn Charnell, July 30; Panagiotis Connolly-Christoforides, July 21; George Dendis, July 6; Marianne Dye, George Eliou, July 28; Louis Ellis, July 8; Mary Georgantones, July 18; Patricia Gounaikis, July 26; Donald Hedervare, Jr., July 31; Elias Hofrenning, July 16; George Kanavati, July 2; Nicholas Kanavati, July 16; Rita Kanavati, July 24; Cassandra Kapetanakis, July 26; Alice Kappos, July 1; Sho Kato, July 9; Dean W. King, July 14; Maria Kontinakis, July 8; Panayoitis Kontinakis, July 15; Eleni Kouzas, July 31; Stella Lake, July 24; Georgia Lucas, July 14; Kharissa Maehren, July 13; Athanasia Maier, July 11; Mary Makredes, July 18; Georgia Mann, July 13; Jackie Matuska, July 19; Andrew McCloud, July 18; Kostandina Negron, July 11; Alexander Nemeth, July 18; Carey Pappas, July 5; Apostolos Poullos, July 24; Thomas Rice, July 20; Pres. Eileen Simon, July 29; Perry Tortorelis, July 25; Louis Trigas, July 13; Connie Tzenis, July 11; Kayla Valek, July 5; Dimitrios Van Cleave, July 23; Lily Zahariades, July 25.

## JULY WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Emmanouel & Alice Kappos, July 4; Kostas & Naomi Tsantir, July 31; Michael & Athena Keifer, July 7; James & Sally Pathos, July 20; Peter & Dana Tountas, July 26; Louis & Mary Ellis, July 18; John & Mary Grant, July 2; John & Raffi Simon, July 3; Brian & Niki Youso, July 24; Eric & Dina Negron, July 10; Savvas & Katerina Nikolaidis, July 16; Scott Gabrik & Rena Sarigianopoulos, July 18; Tom & Andrea Decker, July 28; John & Lerah McCullough, July 20; George & Susan Boles, July 5; Luis & Alexandra Pitsavas Wakely, July 7.

## JULY BAPTISMS/CHRISMATIONS

William Theros, July 3; Sue Gnetz, July 24; Katerina Madson, July 1; Clark Smith, July 1; George Mastrogiorgis, July 9; Anna Mantoles, July 17; Mersina Van Cleave, July 29; Joanna Tzenis, July 17; Michael Keifer, July 12; Keegan Tountas, July 15; Lily Lampros, July 2; Melina Canas, July 22; Taylor Canas, July 19; Evie Jordan, July 23; Michael Berge, July 18; Maria Hatzis, July 4; Panagiotis Connolly-Christoforides, July 6; Dimitra Hatzistamoulos, July 9; Dinos Constantine, July 14; Angelo Speros, July 27.

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## JULY NAMEDAYS

**July 7:** Kyriaki Tirokomos; **July 12:** John McCullough; **July 17:** Marina Antoniou; **July 19:** Lerah McCullough, Minda Pearson; **July 20:** Leonardo Crowther, Louis Ellis, Elias Hofrenning, Louis Trigas; **July 22:** Markella Constantine; **July 25:** Pres. Anna Angelis, Anna Rebecca Simon, Dinah Lampros, Kimberly Gounaikis, Ann Spredon, Anna Pitsavas Wakely; **July 26:** Parry Paraschou, Becka Dokos, Wendy Loudas, Evie Jordan; **July 27:** Paul Loudas; **July 29:** Parker Paraschou.

## AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Caroline Alexis, August 25; Diane Anastos, August 19; Lucy Angelis, August 9; Judy Barbatsis, August 29; Alexis Bighley, August 9; John Bighley, August 18; Susan Boosalis, August 10; Ethan Canas, August 25; Alex Chadwick, August 4; Jose Corbera, August 29; Samantha Crowther, August 20; Scott Drikakis, August 16; Peter Drivas, August 22; Scott Gabrik, August 25; Yodahe Gamada, August 27; Richard Gnetz, August 20; Evie Jordan, August 31; Miriam Jordan, August 1; Dimitrios Kaniamos, August 14; John Lake, August 17; John G. Lambros, August 13; John W. Lambros, August 28; Wendy Loudas, August 5; Andreas Mantoles, August 9; George Mastrogiorgis, August 3; Maud McCullough, August 2; Steven McKinney, August 6; Frank Mortari, August 14; Mariano Negron, August 15; Leo Nemeth, August 19; Parry Paraschou, August 22; Sophia Paraschou, August 1; Sophia Pathos, August 12; Nicholas Petanitis, August 17; Sue Poulos, August 11; Krisandrea Ballas-Rylander, August 9; Lila Simon, August 24; Sophia Stignani, August 22; Dena Tortorelis, August 18; Brian Youso, August 5.

## AUGUST BAPTISMS/CHRISMATIONS

Mary Ellen Arvanitis, August 18; John Speros, August 11; Michelle Berge, August 24; Dimitri Pitsavas, August 26; Maria Kontinakis, August 6; Frank Mortari, August 29; Eleni Christoforides, August 20; Yeoryia Christoforides, August 20; Marianne Dye, August 27; Joanne Creamer, August 1; Dinah Lampros, August 10; Maria McKinney, August 13; Steven McKinney, August 13; Lazaros Christoforides, August 11; Anna Sitorengo, August 27; Artemis Sitorengo, August 27; Leonardo Crowther, August 27; Joseph Zubulake, August 25; Minda Pearson Arsenault, August 21; Stephen Arsenault, August 21; Jackie Matuska, August 21; Dan Matuska, August 21; Scott Matuska, August 21; Katherine Cabieses, August 5; Patricia Corbera, August 5; Jose Corbera, August 5; Sabrina Corbera, August 5; Yodahe Gamada, August 13.

## AUGUST NAMEDAYS

**August 6:** Sotirios Parashos; **August 8:** Jessica Berge, Milam Parashou, Emily Boosalis; **August 14:** Fr. Micah Hirsch; **August 15:** Melina Chadwick, Panorea Contolatis, Mrs. Panorea Contolatis, Miriam Jordan, Panos Delton, Panayoitis Kontinakis, Panayotis Negron, Panagiotis Connolly-Christoforides, Maria Tzenis, Maria McKinney, Blien Mary Kibrom, Panorea Kolas, Maria Andrews, Taylor Mary Canas, Maria Canelake, Fiona Eustathiades, Emily Hattling, Maria Hatzis, Maria Kontinakis, Margery Makredes, Marisa Mortari, Mariano Negron, Maria Paraschou, Marie Paulos, Maria Taratsas, Jackie Matuska, Mary Ellen Arvanitis, Mary Dimitropoulos, Mary Ellis, Mary Faches, Mary Georgantones, Mary Makredes, Peter Boosalis, Peter Tountas, Peter Drivas, Aristeia Kontinakis, Takis Taratsas; **August 16:** Alkiviadis Morellas, Stella Lake, Stella Hofrenning, Angie Kelsey, Stamatios Morellas, Samantha Crowther; **August 17:** Sophia Creamer; **August 20:** Samuel Syvertson, Sam Kantos, Samuel Brandt, Lucius McCullough; **August 26:** Natalie Donnelly; **August 30:** Alek Eidsvold, Alex Chadwick, Alexandria Gounaikis, Alexandros McMahon, Alexander Tsobanakis.

## AUGUST WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Mark & Kalley Johnson, August 19; John & Marina Antoniou, August 16; Athanasios & Panorea Contolatis, August 20; Paul & Wendy Loudas, August 23; Fred Madsen & Katerina Karter, August 27; Mark Flumerfelt & Stephanie George, August 26; John & Carol Alexis, August 31; Vassilios Morellas & Venetia Laganis, August 30; Rob & Lani Hattling, August 19; Tom & Fotini Donnelly, August 22; Gordon & Sandra Thole, August 23; George & Gayra Eliou, August 25; Tom & Patricia Bombolis, August 22; Brad & Loula Valek.

# JULY 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			<b>1**</b> Daytime Bible Study 1:30pm	<b>2</b> †St. John (Maximovitch) of Shanghai Scholarship application deadline 12pm	<b>3</b> Independence Day observed—office closed	<b>4</b> Independence Day Orthros 8:15am Divine Liturgy 9:30am
<b>5</b> †4th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15am (streaming) Divine Liturgy 9:30am (streaming)	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> †St. Kyriaki	<b>8**</b>	<b>9</b> MEOCCA Meeting 12pm	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Orthros 8:15am Divine Liturgy 9:30am
<b>12</b> †5th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15am (streaming) Divine Liturgy 9:30am (streaming)	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Evening Bible Study 7pm	<b>15</b> Tax Day Daytime Bible Study 1:30pm Missions & Benevolence Meeting 6pm	<b>16</b>	<b>17**</b> †St. Marina	<b>18</b> Orthros 8:15am ❖ Divine Liturgy 9:30am ❖
<b>19</b> †Fathers of the 4th Ecumenical Council Orthros 8:15am (streaming) Divine Liturgy 9:30am (streaming)	<b>20</b> †Prophet Elias/Elijah	<b>21</b> Parish Council Meeting 6:30pm	<b>22**</b> St. Mary Magdalene & St. Markella	<b>23</b> †Righteous Hannah	<b>24</b> †St. Christina	<b>25</b> †Dormition of St. Anna Orthros 8:15am ❖ Divine Liturgy 9:30am ❖ Divine Liturgy in Eau Claire, WI 9:30am
<b>26</b> †7th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15am (streaming) Divine Liturgy 9:30am (streaming)	<b>27</b> †St. Panteliemon	<b>28</b> Evening Bible Study 7pm	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Red Cross Blood Drive 1pm	

Due to changes in reopening protocols, calendar events are subject to change; please visit website for updates:  
<http://stgeorgegoc.org/calendar/>

Key: shaded day = Fast Day  
 \* = Dairy Allowed  
 \*\* = Wine/Oil Allowed  
 \*\*\* = Fish Allowed  
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# AUGUST 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat										
						<b>1**</b> †Procession of Holy Cross Dormition Fast begins Paraklesis 6:30pm❖										
<b>2**</b> †8th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15am Divine Liturgy 9:30am	<b>3</b> Loaves & Fishes at St. Matthew's 4:30pm †Paraklesis 6:30pm❖	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Daytime Bible Study 1:30pm †Vespers 6:30pm❖	<b>6***</b> †Transfiguration of our Lord Jesus Christ Orthros 8am❖ Divine Liturgy 9am❖	<b>7</b> †Paraklesis 6:30pm❖	<b>8**</b>										
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<b>16</b> †10th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15am Divine Liturgy 9:30am College Student Blessing 10:30am	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Parish Council Meeting 6:30pm	<b>19</b> Daytime Bible Study 1:30pm	<b>20</b> †Prophet Samuel	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>										
<b>23</b> †11th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15am Divine Liturgy 9:30am	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> Evening Bible Study 7pm	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> †St. Phanourios Glad Tidings Mailing 10am	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> †Beheading of John the Baptist Divine Liturgy in Eau Claire, WI 9:30am										
<b>30</b> †12th Sunday of Matthew Orthros 8:15am Divine Liturgy 9:30am	<b>31</b> †Sash of Theotokos	<div style="border: 1px dashed black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px;"> <b>Coming in September:</b> <table style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>Ecclesiastical New Year</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7-8</td> <td>Labor Day holiday—office closed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8</td> <td>Nativity of Theotokos</td> </tr> <tr> <td>14</td> <td>Elevation of Cross</td> </tr> <tr> <td>20</td> <td>Sunday School begins/Church Picnic</td> </tr> </table> </div>					1	Ecclesiastical New Year	7-8	Labor Day holiday—office closed	8	Nativity of Theotokos	14	Elevation of Cross	20	Sunday School begins/Church Picnic
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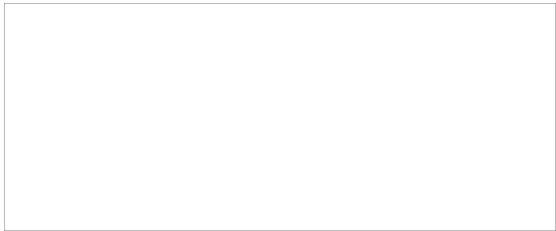
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**UPCOMING SERVICES**  
 (streaming permanently)

Saturday, August 1  
 Procession of Holy Cross  
 Paraklesis 6:30 p.m. ❖

Monday, August 3  
 Paraklesis 6:30 p.m. ❖

Wednesday, August 5  
 Transfiguration of our Lord  
 Vespers 6:30 p.m. ❖

Thursday, August 6  
 Transfiguration of our Lord  
 Orthros 8:00 a.m. ❖  
 Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. ❖

Friday, August 7  
 Paraklesis 6:30 p.m. ❖

Monday, August 10  
 Paraklesis 6:30 p.m. ❖

Wednesday, August 12  
 Paraklesis 6:30 p.m. ❖

Friday, August 14  
 Dormition of Theotokos  
 Vespers at St. Mary's GOC 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 15  
 Dormition of Theotokos  
 Orthros 8:00 a.m.  
 Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m.

❖ Service is tentative

**REGULAR WEEKLY SERVICES**

**Holy Confession:** By Appointment

**Orthros:** Sunday 8:15 am

**Sunday School:** (Sept. - May)  
 following Communion

**Divine Liturgy:** Sunday 9:30 am

