

**SAINT NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX SHRINE CHURCH  
FLUSHING, NEW YORK**



*Sunday April 28, 2024*

*Palm Sunday/Κυριακή τῶν Βαΐων*

*Protopresbyter Fr. Paul Palesty, Pastor · Economos Aristidis Garinis*

*Presbyter Alexandros Douvres*

**Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἦχος α΄.**

Τὴν κοινὴν Ἀνάστασιν πρὸ τοῦ σοῦ Πάθους πιστούμενος, ἐκ νεκρῶν ἤγειρας τὸν Λάζαρον, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός· ὅθεν καὶ ἡμεῖς ὡς οἱ Παῖδες, τὰ τῆς νίκης σύμβολα φέροντες, σοὶ τῷ Νικητῇ τοῦ θανάτου βοῶμεν· Ὡσαννὰ ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις, εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος, ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου.

**Ἔτερον. Ἦχος δ΄.**

Συνταφέντες σοι διὰ τοῦ Βαπτίσματος, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, τῆς ἀθανάτου ζωῆς ἠξιώθημεν τῇ Ἀναστάσει σου, καὶ ἀνυμνοῦντες κρᾶζομεν· Ὡσαννὰ ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις, εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος, ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου.

**Κοντάκιον. Ἦχος πλ. β΄.**

Τῷ θρόνῳ ἐν οὐρανῷ, τῷ πάλῳ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, ἐποχοῦμενος Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, τῶν Ἀγγέλων τὴν αἶνεσιν, καὶ τῶν Παίδων ἀνύμνησιν προσεδέξω βοῶντων σοι· Εὐλογημένος εἶ ὁ ἐρχόμενος, τὸν Ἀδὰμ ἀνακαλέσασθαι

**Apolytikion. Tone 1.**

To confirm the general resurrection before Your Passion, You resurrected Lazarus from the dead, O Christ our God. Therefore imitating the children, carrying the symbols of victory, we cry out to You the Victor over death: "Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are You, the One, who comes in the name of the Lord."

**Another. Tone 4.**

We were buried with You through Baptism, O Christ our God, and thus by Your Resurrection we have been granted immortal life, and extolling You we cry aloud, "Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are You, the One who comes in the name of the Lord."

**Kontakion. Tone. Pl. 2.**

In heaven upon the throne, on earth upon the colt, \* You were carried, O Christ our God; \* and the praise of the Angels, and the hymns of the children, You received as they cried to You, \* "Blessed are You, the One, who is coming to call Adam back again."

**Τὸ Ανάγνωσμα: Φιλ 4:4-9**

Ἀδελφοί, χαίρετε ἐν Κυρίῳ πάντοτε· πάλιν ἐρῶ, χαίρετε. τὸ ἐπιεικὲς ὑμῶν γνωσθήτω πᾶσιν ἀνθρώποις. ὁ Κύριος ἐγγύς. μηδὲν μεριμνᾶτε, ἀλλ' ἐν παντὶ τῇ προσευχῇ καὶ τῇ δεήσει μετὰ εὐχαριστίας τὰ αἰτήματα ὑμῶν γνωρίζεσθω πρὸς τὸν Θεόν. καὶ ἡ εἰρήνη τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡ ὑπερέχουσα πάντα νοῦν φρουρήσει τὰς καρδίας ὑμῶν καὶ τὰ νοήματα ὑμῶν ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ. Τὸ λοιπόν, ἀδελφοί, ὅσα ἐστὶν ἀληθῆ, ὅσα σεμνά, ὅσα δίκαια, ὅσα ἀγνά, ὅσα προσφιλή, ὅσα εὐφημα, εἴ τις ἀρετὴ καὶ εἴ τις ἔπαινος, ταῦτα λογίζεσθε· ἅ καὶ ἐμάθετε καὶ παραλάβετε καὶ ἠκούσατε καὶ εἶδετε ἐν ἐμοί, ταῦτα πράσσετε· καὶ ὁ Θεὸς τῆς εἰρήνης ἔσται μεθ' ὑμῶν.

### Epistle Lesson: Phil. 4:4-9

Brethren, rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let all men know your forbearance. The Lord is at hand. Have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which passes all understanding, will keep your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, do; and the God of peace will be with you.

### Εὐαγγέλιον: Ιω ιβ' 1-18

Πρὸ ἑξ ἡμερῶν τοῦ πάσχα ἦλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἰς Βηθανίαν, ὅπου ἦν Λάζαρος ὁ τεθνηκώς, ὃν ἤγειρεν ἐκ νεκρῶν. ἐποίησαν οὖν αὐτῷ δεῖπνον ἐκεῖ, καὶ ἡ Μάρθα διηκόνει· ὁ δὲ Λάζαρος εἰς ἦν τῶν ἀνακειμένων σὺν αὐτῷ. ἡ οὖν Μαρία, λαβοῦσα λίτραν μύρου νάρδου πιστικῆς πολυτίμου, ἤλειψε τοὺς πόδας τοῦ Ἰησοῦ καὶ ἐξέμαξε ταῖς θριξίν αὐτῆς τοὺς πόδας αὐτοῦ· ἡ δὲ οἰκία ἐπληρώθη ἐκ τῆς ὀσμῆς τοῦ μύρου. λέγει οὖν εἰς ἐκ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ, Ἰούδας Σίμωνος Ἰσκαριώτης, ὁ μέλλων αὐτὸν παραδιδόναι· διατί τοῦτο τὸ μύρον οὐκ ἐπράθη τριακοσίων δηναρίων καὶ ἐδόθη πτωχοῖς; εἶπε δὲ τοῦτο οὐχ ὅτι περὶ τῶν πτωχῶν ἔμελεν αὐτῷ, ἀλλ' ὅτι κλέπτῃς ἦν, καὶ τὸ γλωσσόκομον εἶχε καὶ τὰ βαλλόμενα ἐβάσταζεν. εἶπεν οὖν ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ἄφες αὐτῆν, εἰς τὴν ἡμέραν τοῦ ἐνταφιασμοῦ μου τετήρηκεν αὐτό. τοὺς πτωχοὺς γὰρ πάντοτε ἔχετε μεθ' ἑαυτῶν, ἐμὲ δὲ οὐ πάντοτε ἔχετε. Ἔγνω οὖν ὄχλος πολὺς ἐκ τῶν Ἰουδαίων ὅτι ἐκεῖ ἐστὶ, καὶ ἦλθον οὐ διὰ τὸν Ἰησοῦν μόνον, ἀλλ' ἵνα καὶ τὸν Λάζαρον ἴδωσιν ὃν ἤγειρεν ἐκ νεκρῶν. ἐβουλεύσαντο δὲ οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς ἵνα καὶ τὸν Λάζαρον ἀποκτείνωσιν, ὅτι πολλοὶ δι' αὐτὸν ὑπήγον τῶν Ἰουδαίων καὶ ἐπίστευον εἰς τὸν Ἰησοῦν. Τῇ ἐπαύριον ὄχλος πολὺς ὁ ἐλθὼν εἰς τὴν ἑορτήν, ἀκούσαντες ὅτι ἔρχεται Ἰησοῦς εἰς Ἱεροσόλυμα, ἔλαβον τὰ βαῖα τῶν φοινίκων καὶ ἐξῆλθον εἰς ὑπάντησιν αὐτῷ, καὶ ἔκραζον· ὡσαννά, εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου, ὁ βασιλεὺς τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ. εὐρῶν δὲ ὁ Ἰησοῦς ὀνάριον ἐκάθισεν ἐπ' αὐτό, καθὼς ἐστὶ γεγραμμένον· μὴ φοβοῦ, θύγατερ Σιών· ἰδοὺ ὁ βασιλεὺς σου ἔρχεται καθήμενος ἐπὶ πῶλον ὄνου. Ταῦτα δὲ οὐκ ἔγνωσαν οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ τὸ πρῶτον, ἀλλ' ὅτε ἐδοξάσθη ὁ Ἰησοῦς, τότε ἐμνήσθησαν ὅτι ταῦτα ἦν ἐπ' αὐτῷ γεγραμμένα, καὶ ταῦτα ἐποίησαν αὐτῷ. Ἐμαρτύρει οὖν ὁ ὄχλος ὁ ὢν μετ' αὐτοῦ ὅτε τὸν Λάζαρον ἐφώνησεν ἐκ τοῦ μνημείου καὶ ἤγειρεν αὐτὸν ἐκ νεκρῶν. διὰ τοῦτο καὶ ὑπήντησεν αὐτῷ ὁ ὄχλος, ὅτι ἤκουσαν τοῦτο αὐτὸν πεποιθέναι τὸ σημεῖον.

### Gospel: Jn. 12:1-18

Six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, where Lazarus was, whom Jesus had raised from the dead. There they made him a supper; Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at table with him. Mary took a pound of costly ointment of pure nard and anointed the feet of Jesus and wiped his feet with her hair; and the house was filled with the fragrance of the ointment. But Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, one of his disciples (he who was to betray him), said, "Why was this ointment not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor?" This he said, not that he cared for the poor but because he was a thief, and as he had the money box he used to take what was put into it. Jesus said, "Let her alone, let her keep it for the day of my burial.



## Gospel: Jn. 12:1-18

The poor you always have with you, but you do not always have me." When the great crowd of the Jews learned that he was there, they came, not only on account of Jesus but also to see Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. So the chief priests planned to put Lazarus also to death, because on account of him many of the Jews were going away and believing in Jesus. The next day a great crowd who had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" And Jesus found a young donkey and sat upon it; as it is written, "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!" His disciples did not understand this at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that this had been written of him and had been done to him. The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead bore witness. The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign.

# "TAKE UP YOUR CROSS AND FOLLOW ME"

ST. NICHOLAS JOY  
HOLY FRIDAY  
RETREAT

MAY 3 - 11AM  
Grades 2-4

Participants will:

- Meet for craft and discussion
- Picnic lunch outside (weather permitting)
- Help prepare Pascha candles
- Attend Αποκαθήλων service - 3pm  
(Descent from the Cross)

\*Children must bring their  
own bagged lunch (nut free)

\*Children will have reserved  
seating in church



ST NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX SHRINE CHURCH



## Myrophores

**Holy Friday, May 3RD**

**Holy Saturday, May 4TH**

WE ARE LOOKING FOR 7TH, 8TH, 9TH, 10TH,  
11TH, 12TH GRADE GIRLS TO PARTICIPATE IN  
THIS YEARS HOLY FRIDAY AND HOLY SATURDAY  
SERVICES AS MYRRHBEARERS.

**Sign up <https://bit.ly/SNFYOUTH>**

For more information call/ text  
Olga Dakis 917-584-0978

# HOLY WEEK AND PASCHAL SERVICES 2024

- 28 PALM SUNDAY *Orthros 5:45 am.*  
*\*1<sup>st</sup> D. Liturgy 6:45 am.*  
*\*2<sup>nd</sup> D. Liturgy 9:00 am.*  
*\*3<sup>rd</sup> D. Liturgy 10:15 am.*  
SERVICE OF THE NYMPHIOS 7:00p.m.
- 29 HOLY MONDAY *Pre-Sanctified Liturgy 7:30a.m.*  
SERVICE OF THE NYMPHIOS 7:00 p.m.
- 30 HOLY TUESDAY *Pre-Sanctified Liturgy 7:30 a.m.*  
SERVICE OF THE NYMPHIOS 7:00 p.m.
- MAY
- 1 HOLY WEDNESDAY *Pre-Sanctified Liturgy 7:30a.m.*  
HOLY UNCTION 3:00 p.m. and 7:00p.m.
- 2 HOLY THURSDAY MORNING  
*\*1<sup>st</sup> D. Liturgy 6:00 a.m.*  
*\*2<sup>nd</sup> D. Liturgy 8:00 a.m.*  
*(Holy Communion will be administered only at the appropriate time at each Liturgy)*  
THE SERVICE OF THE HOLY PASSION 6:45 p.m.
- 3 HOLY FRIDAY *Royal Hours 8:30 a.m.*  
*Descent from Cross 3:00 p.m.*  
*Trisagion for departed 6:00 p.m.,*  
THE LAMENTATIONS AND PROCESSION OF THE EPITAPHIOS 7:30 pm.
- 4 HOLY SATURDAY *\*1<sup>ST</sup> Liturgy 6:00 am. (main sanctuary)*  
*\*2<sup>nd</sup> Liturgy 7:00 a.m. (Sarantakos Hall)*  
*\*3<sup>rd</sup> Liturgy 8:15 a.m. (Main Sanctuary)*  
*(Holy Communion will be administered only at the appropriate time at each Liturgy)*  
PASCHA VIGIL 11:00 pm. and RESURRECTION 12:00 midnight
- 5 SUN. HOLY PASCHA *Resurrection Liturgy 12:30a.m.*  
AGAPE SERVICE 10:30a.m.
- 6 MON. ST. GEORGE THE GREAT- MARTYR *Orthros 7:30a.m. Liturgy 8:30a.m.*
- 7 TUE. SS. RAPHAEL, NICHOLAS and IRENE *Orthros 7:30a.m. Liturgy 8:30a.m.*
- 8 WED. ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST *Orthros 7:30a.m. Liturgy 8:30a.m.*
- 10 FRI. THE LIFE-GIVING FOUNTAIN *Orthros 7:30a.m. Liturgy 8:30a.m.*

# ΕΟΡΤΟΛΟΓΙΟΝ ΜΕΓΑΛΗΣ ΕΒΔΟΜΑΔΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΠΑΣΧΑ 2024

## 28 ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΩΝ ΒΑΙΩΝ

Ορθρος 5·45π.μ.

Α΄ Θ. Λειτουργία 6·45 π.μ.

Β΄ Θ. Λειτουργία 9·00 π.μ.

Γ΄ Θ. Λειτουργία 10 15 π.μ.

### Η ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΝΥΜΦΙΟΥ 7·00 μ.μ.

## 29 ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ

ΠΡΟΗΓΙΑΣΜΕΝΗ Θ. ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 7·30 π.μ.

ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΝΥΜΦΙΟΥ 7·00 μ.μ.

## 30 ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΡΙΤΗ

ΠΡΟΗΓΙΑΣΜΕΝΗ Θ. ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 7·30 π.μ.

ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΝΥΜΦΙΟΥ 7·00 μ.μ.

## ΜΑΙΟΥ

## 1 ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ

ΠΡΟΗΓΙΑΣΜΕΝΗ Θ. ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 7·30 π.μ.

ΤΟ ΑΓΙΟΝ ΕΥΧΕΛΑΙΟΝ 3·00 π.μ.

ΤΟ ΑΓΙΟΝ ΕΥΧΕΛΑΙΟΝ 7·00 μ.μ.

## 2 ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΠΕΜΠΤΗ

Α΄ Θ. Λειτουργία (κύριος ναός) 6·00 π.μ.

Β΄ Θ. Λειτουργία 8·00 π.μ.

(Η Θεία Κοινωνία θα προσφέρεται μόνον στην καθιερωμένη ώρα εκάστης Θείας Λειτουργίας)

### ΤΑ ΑΓΙΑ ΠΑΘΗ καί ΔΩΔΕΚΑ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΑ 6·45 μ.μ.

## 3 ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗ

ΑΙ ΜΕΓΑΛΑΙ ΩΡΑΙ 8·30 π.μ.

Η ΑΠΟΚΑΘΗΛΩΣΙΣ 3·00 μ.μ.

ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΝ ΥΠΕΡ ΤΩΝ ΤΕΘΝΕΟΤΩΝ ΕΠΙ ΤΟΥ ΕΠΙΤΑΦΙΟΥ 6·00 μ.μ.

ΕΠΙΤΑΦΙΟΣ ΘΡΗΝΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΠΕΡΙΦΟΡΑ ΤΟΥ ΕΠΙΤΑΦΙΟΥ 7·30 μ.μ.

## 4 ΜΕΓΑ ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟΝ

Α΄ Θ. Λειτουργία 6·00 π.μ. (κύριος ναός)

Β΄ Θ. Λειτουργία 7·00 π.μ. (αίθουσα)

Γ΄ Θ. Λειτουργία 8·15 π.μ. (κύριος ναός)

(Η Θεία Κοινωνία θα προσφέρεται μόνον στην καθιερωμένη ώρα εκάστης Θείας Λειτουργίας)

ΠΑΝΝΥΧΙΣ 11·00 μ.μ. καί ΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΙΣ 12·00 π.μ.

## 5 ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟ ΑΓΙΟΝ ΠΑΣΧΑ

Θ. Λειτουργία Αναστάσεως 12·30 π.μ.

Εσπερινός Αγάπης 10·30 π.μ.

## 6 ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΜΕΓΑΛΟΜΑΡΤΥΡΟΣ ΓΕΩΡΓΙΟΥ

Ορθρος 7·30 π.μ. Θ. Λειτουργία 8·30π.μ

## 7 ΤΡΙΤΗ ΑΓΙΩΝ ΡΑΦΑΗΛ, ΝΙΚΟΛΑΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΕΙΡΗΝΗΣ

Ορθρος 7·30 π.μ. Θ. Λειτουργία 8·30 π.μ.

## 8 ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΣΤΟΥ ΙΩΑΝΝΟΥ ΘΕΟΛΟΓΟΥ

Ορθρος 7·30 π.μ. Θ. Λειτουργία 8·30 π.μ.

## 21 ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗ ΖΩΟΔΟΧΟΥ ΠΗΓΗΣ

Ορθρος 7·30 π.μ. Θ. Λειτουργία 8·30 π.μ.

## Announcements

**ST. NICHOLAS LADIES PHILOPTOCHOS  
MAY 2, 2024**

**HOLY THURSDAY - DYEING EGGS**  
*We need volunteers to help, with the eggs.*

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**IF YOU ARE AVAILABLE**  
*join us at Sarantakos Hall*  
**9:30 - 2:00 pm**

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*\*Do you need service hours?  
Are your retired and looking for  
something to do?*

*Please call the church office, as we are always  
looking for volunteers to help with  
light office work and  
community mailings.*

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*Παρακαλούμε καλέστε το γραφείο της  
εκκλησίας, καθώς αναζητούμε πάντα  
εθελοντές για να βοηθήσουν με ελαφριές  
εργασίες γραφείου και αποστολές στην  
κοινότητα.  
(718) 357-4200*

*Are you receiving our  
Email notifications  
announcements and alerts?  
If not, please contact the  
church office at:  
(718) 357-4200*

*Or*

*Email us at:  
info@stnicholasflushing.org*

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MAY 24-26, 2024  
SUFFOLK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
JOIN OUR COMMUNITY FOR A  
WEEKEND OF FAITH, HELLENISM  
AND COMPETITION. SPORTS  
WILL INCLUDE BASKETBALL,  
TRACK, SWIMMING, SOCCER  
VOLLEYBALL AND MORE!  
EARLY REGISTRATION IS \$75 IF  
REGISTERED BY APRIL 7TH  
REGISTRATION LINK  
FOR INFORMATION AND TICKET PURCHASES  
PLEASE CALL 914-402-3388  
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## **SENIORS GROUP**

*if you are interested in joining our senior group,  
they meet twice a week  
Monday and Wednesday  
11:30am - 2:00pm  
For more information  
please contact the Church Office  
718 357 4200*

*Be sure to visit our  
Anthony I. Crassides  
Philokalia' Bookstore!  
Open after each Liturgy  
Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm*

Dear Parishioners,

We would ask that you please

**REMAIN IN**  
your pew for communion and dismissal,  
until called upon by our ushers.

Thank you for your  
understanding and cooperation.



  
**SAINT NICHOLAS** Flushing, New York  
**GREEK ORTHODOX SHRINE CHURCH**

March, 2024

Dear Saint Nicholas Steward,

Stewardship is rooted in the scripture, recognizing that we, as individuals, are not owners of our lives but rather are stewards or managers. Stewardship, quite simply, is acknowledging that everything we have and everything we are, is a gift from God, and to be grateful and generous with those gifts.

I am sure that you are aware that what you see here extends beyond Sunday morning. The Saint Nicholas Shrine Church community is prodigious, with our schools, ministries, and activities. Our worship life together, the fellowship that we experience, and the ways that we are encouraged to grow in our walk with Jesus do not happen by accident. They are planned and prepared by leadership and staff who are deeply committed to our becoming who God is calling us to be. The ministry and mission of our church take place because of the spiritual and financial gifts that our stewards choose to offer. These are the resources that fuel our mission.

Our building structure is beginning to show its age as it is now over fifty-years old. Necessary repairs to the roof, pointing, and the sanctuary dome have shifted to the forefront. Please consider investing financially in our Saint Nicholas community in a way that you have never done before. The practice of stewardship is a spiritual discipline and a beautiful way to grow in our faith. There is joy to be found in practicing generosity, and it begins with simple steps and the commitment to contribute.

• *Consider being a day sponsor who will aid in covering the daily expense of our church for a day (\$4,200 or more):*

*or*

• *Assess your giving as a percentage of your annual adjusted gross income and consider increasing your gift by whatever percentage seems appropriate and right for you and your family.*

*or*

• *Consider being a family who will increase their annual giving by \$1,000 or more.*

We ask that you thoroughly examine the enclosed 2024 stewardship sponsor a day appeal. By doing so you enable our parish of Saint Nicholas Shrine Church to continue the mission and ministries. It can be mailed back to the church but would be more meaningful if brought back in person.

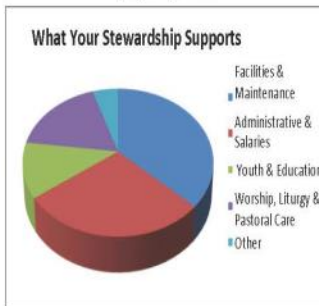
With sincere gratitude and appreciation,

†Fr. Paul C. Palesty  
Protopresbyter

Peter J. Valasiadis  
Stewardship Chair

**YOUR STEWARDSHIP ALLOWS OUR  
MINISTRIES TO CONTINUE AND GROW**

**Our Annual Budget is  
\$1,550,000**



FACILITIES AND MAINTENANCE	\$578,181	37%
ADMINISTRATIVE AND SALARIES	\$437,752	28%
YOUTH AND EDUCATION	\$179,664	12%
WORSHIP, LITURGY & PASTORAL CARE	\$270,365	18%
OTHER	\$79,405	5%

**YEARLY STEWARDSHIP OPTIONS**

It costs \$4,200 a day to offer the ministries of the St. Nicholas Shrine Church- Flushing, N.Y.

Please consider sponsoring a day or more as your stewardship gift.

(That's a gift of \$11.50 a day or \$350 a month)

Sponsor 1/2 a day for \$2100  
or  
1/4 of a day for \$1050.

**DONOR INFORMATION**

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please Tell us About your Family.

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Email \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name/Age \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name/Age \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name/Age \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU  
FOR YOUR SPONSORSHIP**

- \$4,200 - ONE Day Sponsor
- \$2,100 - 1/2 Day Sponsor
- \$1,050 - 1/4 Day Sponsor
- \$500 - Minimum Sponsor

**PAYMENT INFORMATION & OPTIONS**

CREDIT CARD \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

Charge my card in:

Full \_\_\_\_\_ Quarterly \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK in the amount of  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

*Please make check payable to:  
St Nicholas Shrine Church*

*Complete this card and mail to:  
St Nicholas Shrine Church  
196-10 Northern Blvd. Flushing, N.Y. 11358*

It would be most meaningful if it was brought back to the church in person.

If you have any questions,  
please contact the church office at:  
718 357-4200.

How would you like to Participate?

BEAUTIFICATION

MAINTENANCE

VOLUNTEER  
 OFFICE WORK

YOUTH MINISTRY



Please scan the above QR code if you wish to make a donation with your credit card



## ΠΛΗΡΟΦΟΡΙΕΣ ΔΩΡΗΤΩΝ

Όνοματεπώνυμο \_\_\_\_\_

Διεύθυνση \_\_\_\_\_

Πόλη \_\_\_\_\_ Παλιτίειας \_\_\_\_\_ Τ.Κ. \_\_\_\_\_

Ηλεκτρονική Διεύθυνση \_\_\_\_\_

Κινητό Τηλέφωνο \_\_\_\_\_

Υπογραφή \_\_\_\_\_

Ημερομηνία \_\_\_\_\_

### ΣΑΣ ΕΥΧΑΡΙΣΤΟΥΜΕ ΓΙΑ ΤΗΝ ΥΠΟΣΤΗΡΙΞΗ ΣΑΣ

- \$4,200 - Χορηγός ΜΙΑΣ ημέρας
- \$2,100 - Χορηγός 1/2 ημέρας
- \$1,050 - Χορηγός 1/4 ημέρας
- \$500 - Ελάχιστος Χορηγός

### Πληροφορίες και επιλογές πληρωμής

Πιστωτική κάρτα \_\_\_\_\_

Ημερομηνία λήξης \_\_\_\_\_ Κωδικός ασφαλείας \_\_\_\_\_

Χρέωση της κάρτας μου:

Πάρος \_\_\_\_\_ Τρίμηνο \_\_\_\_\_ Μηνιαίο \_\_\_\_\_

Μπορείτε να δώσετε μια ελάχιστη συνεισφορά \$500.

Επισυνάπτεται ΗΠΙΤΑΓΗ στο ποσό των \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Κάντε την επιταγή πληρωτέα στην εκκλησία:

St. Nicholas Shrine Church

Συμπληρώστε αυτήν την κάρτα και στείλτε

παραδοσμενάς στη διεύθυνση:

St. Nicholas Shrine Church

196-10 Northern Boulevard

Flushing, NY 11358

Εάν έχετε οποιαδήποτε ερωτήσεις,  
επικοινωνήστε με το γραφείο της εκκλησίας στο:  
718 357-4200

Πείτε μας για την οικογένειά σας.

Όνομα Συζύγου \_\_\_\_\_

Κινητό Τηλέφωνο Συζύγου \_\_\_\_\_

Email Συζύγου \_\_\_\_\_

Όνομα παιδιού / Ηλικία \_\_\_\_\_

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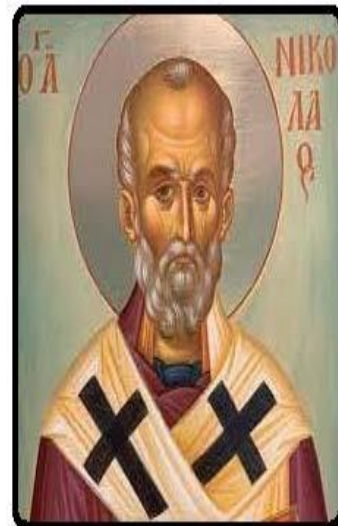
Πώς θα θέλατε να Συμμετάσχετε  
στην ευωνορία μας

- Καλλωπισμός
- Συντήρηση
- Εθελοντής στο γραφείο
- Διακονία Νεολαίας



Σαρώστε τον παραπάνω κωδικό QR εάν  
θέλετε να κάνετε μια δωρεά με την  
πιστωτική σας κάρτα.

## 2024 STEWARDSHIP APPEAL



Ελληνική Ορθόδοξη Εκκλησία  
Αγίου Νικολάου

St. Nicholas Shrine Church  
Flushing N.Y.



**SAINT NICHOLAS** Flushing, New York  
**GREEK ORTHODOX SHRINE CHURCH**

**PASCHAL CARD 2024**

Dear Parishioner:

*Pascha is the central feast of the Holy Orthodox Church in which we are summoned to embrace and greet one another in the light of the Joyous Resurrection of our Lord and Savior. In the spirit of this Joy, the St. Nicholas Parish is preparing a community Paschal Card, in order to provide you with the opportunity to participate in this expression of Love and Joy.*

*The St. Nicholas community Paschal Card:*

- 1. Is a beautiful religious Card of Byzantine design.*
- 2. Contains the names of all those in the parish (including friends of the parish) who wish to have their names included.*
- 3. The card is sent to over 1,800 families and friends on our church mailing list.*
- 4. Saves you the time, expense and effort of mailing numerous individual cards to all your friends within the parish.*

*We hope that your name and that of your family can be included. Thank you for your support and generosity.*

*Yours in Christ,  
Fr. Paul C. Palesty  
Pastor*

*Paschal Card Committee,  
Niki Sakarellos and Christina Siroky*

TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CARD, PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW:  
ΓΙΑ ΝΑ ΣΥΜΜΕΤΑΣΧΕΤΕ ΑΠΛΟΣ ΣΥΜΠΛΗΡΩΣΕΤΕ ΤΟ ΠΑΡΑΚΑΤΩ ΑΠΟΚΟΜΜΑ

- 1) PRINT YOUR FAMILY NAME(S) OR NAME OF BUSINESS AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR IN THE CARD.  
ΓΡΑΨΤΕ ΤΟ ΟΝΟΜΑ ΣΑΣ ΟΠΩΣ ΘΕΛΑΤΕ ΝΑ ΤΥΠΩΘΗ ΣΤΗΝ ΚΑΡΤΑ.

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TELEPHONE #		E-MAIL ADDRESS		
HOME ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP

- 2) PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHECK FOR YOUR DONATION PAYABLE TO: ST NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

\$25 \_\_\_\_\_ \$50 \_\_\_\_\_ \$75 \_\_\_\_\_ \$100 \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

- 3) PLEASE ENCLOSE YOUR CHECK WITH THIS FORM IN THE RETURN ENVELOPE PROVIDED BY April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024.  
4) ΤΑΧΥΔΡΟΜΗΣΕΤΕ ΑΥΤΟ ΤΟ ΑΠΟΚΟΜΜΑ ΠΡΙΝ ΤΙΣ 21 Απριλίου, 2024.

For any questions please call Niki Sakarellos at (917) 501-2888. Thank You!

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Telephone: (718) 357-4200 Fax: (718) 357-5692 [www.StNicholasFlushing.org](http://www.StNicholasFlushing.org) [info@stnicholasflushing.org](mailto:info@stnicholasflushing.org)



**SAINT NICHOLAS** Flushing, New York  
**GREEK ORTHODOX SHRINE CHURCH**

**ΠΑΣΧΑΛΙΝΗ ΚΑΡΤΑ 2024**

Αγαπητοί Ενορίτες,

Το Πάσχα είναι η σπουδαιότερη εορτή της Αγίας Ορθοδόξου Εκκλησίας μας και καλούμεθα όλοι να αγκαλιαστούμε στο φώς της χαρούμενης Αναστάσεως του Κυρίου και Σωτήρος ημών. Με το πνεύμα της Χαράς μας αυτής, η κοινότης του Αγίου Νικολάου προγραμματίζει μία Πασχαλινή κάρτα για να σας δώσει την ευκαιρία να συμμετάσχετε στην έκφραση αυτής της Αγάπης και Χαράς μας.

Η Πασχαλινή κάρτα της κοινότητας

1. Είναι μια ωραία Βυζαντινή θρησκευτική Κάρτα
2. Συμπεριλαμβάνει τα ονόματα όλων των ενοριτών και φίλων της κοινότητας που επιθυμούν να συμμετάσχουν.
3. Η κάρτα θα σταλεί σε άνω από 1,800 οικογένειες και φίλους που έχουν εγγραφεί στον κατάλογο της εκκλησίας μας.
4. Ούτως, θα απαλλαγείτε από τον χρόνο, κόπο και έξοδο που απαιτείται να τις στείλετε ιδιαίτερας.

Ευχόμεθα να συμπεριληφθεί το όνομα της οικογενείας σας.  
Σας ευχαριστούμε για την υποστήριξη και γενναιοδωρία σας.

Εν Χριστώ,

π. Παύλος Χ. Παλαιστίδης  
Ιερατικός Προϊστάμενος

Νίκη Σακαρέλλος και Χριστίνα Σιρόζη  
Υπεύθυνες Πασχαλινής Κάρτας

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GREEK



FESTIVAL



MAY 16TH-19TH

2024



FOOD MENU

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RAFFLE TICKETS

THURS, MAY 16TH

6PM - 10PM

FRI, MAY 17TH

6PM - 11PM

SATURDAY, MAY 18TH

2PM - 11PM

SUNDAY, MAY 19TH

NOON - 9PM

1974 - ΔΕΝ ΞΕΧΝΩ  
NEVER FORGET



CYPRUS 2024

ENJOY  
GREEK/CYPRIOT CUISINE,  
SOUVLAKI, GYRO, SHEFTALIES,  
HALLOUMI AND MORE  
LOUKOUMADES, PASTRIES,  
GREEK MUSIC, FLEX MARKET  
RAFFLE PRIZES  
RIDES AND GAMES  
CHURCH TOURS

ST. NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH  
196-10 NORTHERN BLVD  
FLUSHING, NY 11358  
718-357-4200  
www.stnicholasflushing.org

**52<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL GREEK FESTIVAL**  
**May 16<sup>th</sup> – May 19<sup>th</sup> 2024**

***FESTIVAL SPONSORSHIP CONTRACT***

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**\$250.00:** ***FESTIVAL FRIEND SPONSOR***  
(YOUR NAME OR BUSINESS WILL BE DISPLAYED ON THE SPONSOR LIST)

**\$500.00:** ***FESTIVAL FOOD BOOTH SPONSOR***  
(YOUR NAME OR BUSINESS WILL BE DISPLAYED OVER THE FESTIVAL BOOTH OF YOUR CHOICE AND WILL BE DISPLAYED ON THE SPONSOR LIST)

**\$550.00** ***FESTIVAL BANNER SPONSOR*** (must supply own banner 2' x 6')

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**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-MAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$250 FESTIVAL FRIEND SPONSOR**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$500 FESTIVAL BOOTH SPONSOR** \_\_\_\_\_ **DISPLAY LOCATION**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$550 FESTIVAL BANNER SPONSOR**

**METHOD OF PAYMENT- PLEASE CHECK ONE**

CASH \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK \_\_\_\_\_  
CHECK- PAYABLE TO ST. NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

CREDIT CARD \_\_\_\_\_ (visit www.stnicholasflushing.org or call church office to make payment)

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL KAREN KALKANIS AT (917) 584-2322

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

*St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church*  
*52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Festival*  
*And*  
*Flea Market*

*May 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, and 19<sup>th</sup> 2024*

Help the Philoptochos have its best Flea Market ever!  
Cleaning your attic or garage this Spring?  
Getting rid of all those items that have  
been cluttering your house for years?

Please bring your treasures to the Church,  
preferably the week of the Festival.

Please drop off gently used and cleaned items starting MAY 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024.  
Please drop off at the Sarantakos Hall of the Michelis Cultural Center ONLY,  
located in the Northern Boulevard Parking lot.

*Items will NOT BE ACCEPTED by the church office*

**PLEASE VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME THAT WEEKEND!  
HELP THE CHURCH HAVE ITS BEST  
FESTIVAL AND FLEA MARKET EVER!**

*NO USED CLOTHING, NON-WORKING ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES OR BOOKS*





  
**SAINT NICHOLAS** Flushing, New York  
**GREEK ORTHODOX SHRINE CHURCH**

**Festival 2024**  
**May 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>**

Dear Parishioners:

We invite you to help defray the expenses of our Festival by becoming a Festival Sponsor of our three-day Festival to be held THURSDAY MAY 16<sup>th</sup> through SUNDAY MAY 19<sup>th</sup>, on our Church grounds. Previous festivals have attracted tens of thousands of area residents to sample and enjoy Greek Food, Folk Dancing, and learn about Greek Heritage.

With you, we can concentrate our efforts on making our annual major fundraiser the best ever. We need to be successful to carry on the vital operations of our beloved Church. The #1 moneymaker in the festival is the Souvlaki stand, however, the biggest expense in the festival is the Souvlaki. If we could reduce our Souvlaki expenses, our profits would be greater.

*Please donate the funds to purchase some of the necessary food items or supplies.  
If you prefer to donate merchandise, please contact the Church Office at 718.357.4200.*

1 CASE OF GYRO/SOUVLAKI	\$50
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Please drop off the form below OR mail this letter along with your contribution to the Church Office.

Please note on the envelope: ATTENTION FESTIVAL COMMITTEE.

With God's Blessing.

Rev. Fr. Paul Palesty  
Pastor

Festival Committee

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address City State Zip

Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check No. \_\_\_\_\_

*If you would like to use a credit card please visit [www.stnicholasflushing.org](http://www.stnicholasflushing.org)  
Please use the general donation option and note where you would like your donation applied to.*



April 19, 2024

Dear Parishioners,

In preparation of its annual festival, the Greek Orthodox Shrine Church of St. Nicholas has prepared a raffle with 135 exciting prizes! Enclosed, you will find a sample of the raffle ticket with the prizes. We ask that you kindly support our church by purchasing three tickets. With the funds generated from our annual raffle, and with the generous contributions of its members, St Nicholas Church provides many ministry and social programs for its members, as well as for the community.

Examples of such programs include those for youth/teenagers' sports (travel league basketball, special-needs basketball, travel league soccer, "Olympics"); Social Programs for the youth (JOY), and teenagers (Jr. GOYA & GOYA); Choir; Altar Boy program; the Women's Philoptochos Society (works on meeting the needs of our church, its members and the local needy); the Men's League (aid the church and help feed the hungry by donating meals to families in need); informational & emotional support program for families of Children with Special Needs; Little Angel's Mommy & Me Program (for infants and toddlers); a Senior Citizen's Group that meets 3x a week; Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of America.

In addition, St. Nicholas Church reaches out to the community by visiting the sick in the hospital, visiting nursing homes, holiday caroling at nursing homes, hosting an annual Thanksgiving Food Drive & Delivery to needy families in our community and surrounding communities, as well as an annual Christmas Drive serving these same communities. St. Nicholas Church participates in Coat Drives, Blood Drives, Book Drives, the Ronald-McDonald-Walk- A-Thon, Community Clean-Ups, Community Projects, Educational Scholarships, etc. Support is given to local and national charities and institutions such as the American Cancer Society, Memorial Sloan Kettering Children's Cancer Fund, Ronald McDonald, Guide Dog Foundation, American Red Cross, Local Welfare Emergencies, St. Michaels Home for the Aged, National Children's Cardiac Fund, St. Basil's Academy, Foreign Missions Projects, and many more. St. Nicholas Church supports 4 schools, 60 ministries, over 30 organizations, and over 1,800 families.

**This year's festival dates are May 16th - May 19th, 2024.** This year we are celebrating the Fifty-Second Festival Year. We would all want our beloved Parish to reap the best success on such a milestone year.

Raffle tickets can be purchased on our website, [www.stnicholasflushing.org](http://www.stnicholasflushing.org), through PayPal by scanning the QR code located on the raffle, at the church office or by contacting one of our Raffle Chairpersons (see below). Please see the information on the opposite side of this letter regarding the prizes that will be given to the top five raffle ticket sellers. Thank you, in advance, for your generosity and please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns.

Faithfully yours,

Father Paul C. Palesty  
Pastor

Mike Haralambous  
Parish Council President

Raffle Committee:

Tina Metis  
Raffle Co-Chairperson

Thalia Misthos  
Raffle Co-Chairperson

Andy Tsiolas  
Raffle Co-Chairperson

Olga Dakis  
Raffle Co-Chairperson



# St. Nicholas, Flushing Annual Festival May 16-19, 2024

*THIS IS OUR 52<sup>ND</sup> FESTIVAL!*

*VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME AND TALENTS TO MAKE  
THIS OUR GREATEST FESTIVAL TO DATE!*

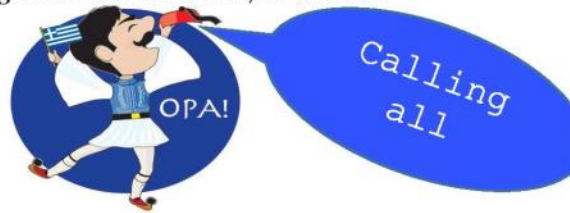
Every one of us can help in our own way. As Stewards of St. Nicholas Church we should all make an effort to give of our time and/or talents.



Scan me to sign up for  
the Souvlaki Booth



Scan me to sign up for  
Salad making



## Time and Talents

**I would like to volunteer my time and help in the following areas.**

<input type="checkbox"/> Wherever needed	<input type="checkbox"/> Electrical	<input type="checkbox"/> Salads
<input type="checkbox"/> Church Tours	<input type="checkbox"/> Games	<input type="checkbox"/> Seafood
<input type="checkbox"/> Clean-Up	<input type="checkbox"/> Kitchen Help	<input type="checkbox"/> Security
<input type="checkbox"/> Cooking	<input type="checkbox"/> Painting	<input type="checkbox"/> Set-Up
<input type="checkbox"/> Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Deliveries	<input type="checkbox"/> Signs
<input type="checkbox"/> Decorations	<input type="checkbox"/> Post Festival Clean-Up	<input type="checkbox"/> Flea Market
<input type="checkbox"/> Souvlaki	<input type="checkbox"/> Cypriot Corner	

**FULL NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COMPLETE ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**AGE: UNDER 18** \_\_\_\_\_ **OVER 18** \_\_\_\_\_

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE AT 718.357.4200.**

**PLEASE MAIL OR BRING THIS FORM TO THE CHURCH OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, SO THAT THE FESTIVAL COMMITTEE CAN PLAN ACCORDINGLY.**

## TOP PRIZES

# ST. NICHOLAS

## GREEK ORTHODOX SHRINE CHURCH OF FLUSHING 2024 FESTIVAL RAFFLE

### FESTIVAL DATES:

Thurs., May 16th (6:00 - 10:00 p.m.)  
Fri., May 17th (6:00 - 11:00 p.m.)  
Sat., May 18th (2:00 - 11:00 p.m.)  
& Sun., May 19th (noon - 9:00 p.m.)



Please Join Us for:  
Greek Food \* Cypriot Food \* Souvlaki/Gyro \* Pastries  
\* Loukoumades \* Flea Market \* Gift Vendors  
\* Music \* Greek Dancing \* Games

TICKETS: \$100 - MAY BE PURCHASED @ [stnicholasflushing.org](http://stnicholasflushing.org)  
\* 1 Free Bonus Ticket w/ the Purchase of 6, 2 Free Bonus Tx w/ the Purchase of 10, 5 Free Bonus Tx w/ the Purchase of 20;  
Tx must be in the SAME NAME \*

or by contacting Olga Dakis @ 917.584.0978,  
Tina Metis @ 646.753.0981, Thalia Mithos @ 917.751.2888,  
or Andy Tsiolas @ 516.286.2395

Winner need not be present to win - Drawing 5/19/24

Prizes not claimed within 60 days of the drawing will be forfeited

## TOP PRIZES

- \$20,000 Cash  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- \$10,000 Cash  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- \$10,000 Cash  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- Antigua, Hammock Cove Resort & Spa, 10 nights, 3 rms dbl occupancy, luxury waterview villa accommodations & \$750 Cash  
Elite Island Resorts & St. Nicholas
- Palm Linn Resort & Spa, 10 nights, 3 rms dbl occupancy, private island accommodations & \$750 Cash  
Elite Island Resorts & St. Nicholas
- Panama, Boquete - Los Establos Boutique Inn, 10 nights, 3 rms dbl occupancy, luxury scenic accommodations & \$750 Cash  
Elite Island Resorts & St. Nicholas
- Antigua, The Verandah Resort & Spa, 10 nights, 3 rms dbl occupancy, suite accommodations & \$750 Cash  
Elite Island Resorts & St. Nicholas
- Antigua, St. James Club & Villas, 10 nights, 3 rms dbl occupancy, premium accommodations & \$750 Cash  
Elite Island Resorts & St. Nicholas
- Barbados, The Club Resort & Spa, 10 nights, 3 rms dbl occupancy, suite accommodations & \$750 Cash  
Elite Island Resorts & St. Nicholas
- Fendi Aqua 42mm Stainless Steel Automatic Diver Watch  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- Louis Vuitton Trolley Pouch on a Chain  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- Van Cleef & Arpels Sweet Alambra Caribbean Pendant  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- Gucci Ophidia GG Bag  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- Samung 29" TV - Q6C Series QLED 4K UHD Smart Tizen  
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- Ray-Ban 6mm Sunglasses & Valentino Men's Leather Card Case  
John and Joanne Iannozzi
- Gucci Men's Black Card Case w/ GG Detail  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- Amazon \$250 GC  
Harry and Christina Yarakis
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Harry and Christina Yarakis
- Cigar Humidor with high end Cigars & Glenlivet Scotch  
Andy Tsolas
- Douglaston Golf Course - Round of Golf w/ Cart for 4  
Tara and Peter Metis
- To Staki Too Laki Restaurant \$200 GC & Godiva Tower of Chocolates  
To Staki Too Laki Restaurant & The Pastalis Family
- Laterna Esiatorio \$200 GC & Godiva Tower of Chocolates  
Laterna Esiatorio & The Pastalis Family
- Taverna Kyklades Restaurant \$200 GC & Cleve Anni Tequila  
Taverna Kyklades Restaurant & The Dakis Family
- Amazon \$200 GC  
Argyio, Corina, Taso and Theodora Diakoutaris
- LAGOS  
Harry and Roxa Siderakis
- Amazon \$200 GC & Trattoria 35 Restaurant \$100 GC  
The Mesouroulis Family & Tzimbou 35 Restaurant
- Americana Manhattan \$300 GC  
The Pastalis Family
- Azusa Taverna Astoria \$200 GC & French Workshop Artisan Bakery \$100 GC  
Azusa Taverna & French Workshop Artisan Bakery
- Andrew Bellucci's Pizzeria \$200 GC & Martha's Country Bakery \$100 GC  
Matthew and Olga Katalis & Martha's Country Bakery
- Butcher Bar Restaurant \$200 GC & Martha's Country Bakery \$100 GC  
Matthew and Olga Katalis & Martha's Country Bakery
- Four Seasons Florist \$150 GC & Greek Islands Restaurant \$150 GC  
Four Seasons Florist & Greek Islands Restaurant
- Molyvos Restaurant "Dinner for Two" GC & French Workshop Artisan Bakery \$100 GC  
Molyvos Restaurant - The Livanos Family & The French Workshop Artisan Bakery
- Shogun Women's Mountain Bicycle  
Robert Bicycles
- TonyBros Local Honey - 3 jars, Honeycomb pot dispenser with tea and treat w/ & Michael Aram Frame  
Troy and Debbie Prarakis
- Burberry 55mm Women's Sunglasses & Galatia Moda Salon \$50 GC  
Peter and Peggy Simeonidis & Galatia Moda Salon
- Nordstrom \$200 GC & Don Julio Primavera Tequila  
Timothy & Maria Tegenidis and Shop & Go Wine and Spirits of Masspeth
- Beauty Bar Salon & Spa GC - haircut & style, full lash lift, and full make up application  
Beauty Bar Salon & Spa and Pina Artistry
- Bloomingtons \$250 GC  
Harry & Niki Iannozzi
- Bloomingtons \$250 GC  
St. Nicholas William Spyropoulos School PTA
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- Greek Family Kitchen \$250 GC  
Greek Family Kitchen, The Karfalis Family
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- Il Bacco Ristorante Italiano \$150 GC & French Workshop Artisan Bakery \$100 GC  
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- Kontokosta Winery \$250 GC  
St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Shrine Church
- KYMA Restaurant \$250 GC  
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- Limani Restaurant \$250 GC  
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- Mythos Greek Restaurant \$150 GC & Aphrodite's Sweets \$100 GC  
Mythos Authentic Greek Cuisine Restaurant & Aphrodite's Sweets
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- Riva Salon \$250 GC  
Robert and Maria Grillo
- Saks Fifth Avenue \$250 GC  
George and Anna Xenikias
- Godiva - Tower of Chocolates & North Shore Diner "Dinner for Two" GC  
The Pastalis Family & North Shore Diner

# ST. NICHOLAS LADIES PHILOPTOCHOS SCHOLARSHIP 2024

In order to be eligible you must be:

- High School Graduating senior of the Greek Orthodox faith
- Family is a member of the parish of St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church, Flushing NY
- Excelled in Philanthropic works during high school career

- The Application
- 2 letters of recommendation
- 250-word essay

*Due by May 31, 2024*

The application can be found on our website

[www.stnicholasphiloptochos.org](http://www.stnicholasphiloptochos.org)

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email*

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**CLASS OF 2024**

### HOLY WEEK SERVICE BOOKS

The Services of Holy Week and Pascha must be the most expressive in poetry and hymnology of all in the church. To make the services of Holy Week and Pascha become more meaningful we are making available the Holy Week and Easter Service Book.

You may purchase your copy from the narthex during Holy Week or the bookstore.

ENCLOSED WITH THIS BULLETIN you will find a special envelope to accept your love offering to the Church during this holy season. You may mail the envelope or bring it to the Church at one of the Services. As the Lord offers Himself for our salvation, let us also reflect on our giving to His Body the Holy Church.

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***THROUGHOUT HOLY WEEK, PLEASE FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS OF THE USHERS AND COOPERATE WITH THEM AS THEY ARE SERVING YOU AND ARE CONCERNED ABOUT YOUR SAFETY.***

***ΠΑΡΑΚΑΛΕΙΣΤΕ ΝΑ ΣΕΒΕΣΘΕ ΤΙΣ ΟΔΗΓΙΕΣ ΤΩΝ ΕΠΙΤΡΟΠΩΝ ΚΑΤΑ ΤΗΝ ΔΙΑΡΚΕΙΑΝ ΤΩΝ ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΩΝ ΤΗΣ ΑΓΙΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΜΕΓΑΛΗΣ ΕΒΔΟΜΑΔΟΣ. ΟΙ ΕΠΙΤΡΟΠΟΙ ΚΑΙ ΣΥΜΒΟΥΛΟΙ ΦΡΟΝΤΙΖΟΥΝ ΓΙΑ ΤΗΝ ΑΣΦΑΛΕΙΑ ΟΛΩΝ.***

### ITEMS NEEDED FOR HOLY WEEK

How best to remember our loved ones who have passed on in faith and in hope or the Resurrection than with donating one of the items needed for Holy Week or Pascha in their memory.

*These items are:*

*Oil for vigil lamps*

*Flower decoration of Nymphios Icon (\$150)*

*Oil and candles for Holy Unction Service (\$150)*

*Flower arrangement for foot of Cross (\$150)*

*Flower decoration Icon on Iconostasion: (\$250 each)*

*Christ*

*Theotokos*

*St. Nicholas*

*St. John the Baptist*

*Candles for Crucified Christ (\$60)*

*Candles for Twelve Gospels (\$120)*

*Candles for Epitaphios (\$20 each)*

Please call the church office to arrange your intentions.

### READERS FOR AGAPE SERVICE

One of the moving services of Pascha is the Service of Agape. At this service we proclaim the Good News of Christ's Resurrection to the world by reading the Gospel in various languages. If you read a foreign language other than Greek and English, please call the Church Office to indicate your interest to participate.

### VISITATION OF BEDRIDDEN

If you have someone who is bedridden and unable to attend services at the church, please call the Church Office. The priests will want to visit and administer Holy Communion and Holy Unction.

***HOLY UNCTION WILL NOT BE PACKAGED TO LAYMEN.***

Εάν έχετε ασθενή στό νοσοκομείο ή κατόικον περιορισμένον, παρακαλείσθε νά πληροφορήσετε τό γραφείο τής Εκκλησίας όπως τούς επισκεφθεί ένας από τούς Ιερείς μας.