

## Memorials & Trisagia

### June 3

- 1-year Memorial for His Eminence Metropolitan Iakovos of Blessed Memory  
40-day Memorial for Helen Kiriakos, mother of Athena (Larry) Earhart and Karen Kiriakos  
40-day Memorial for Stella Paladino, mother of Kathy Palladino and James Palladino  
1-year Memorial for Labib Rabie, son of Wedad Khamis and brother of Samia Rabie  
1-year Memorial for Mihail Tzianos, husband of Ourania Tzianos, father of Dimitrios (Tracey) Tzianos  
2-year Memorial for Agni Kariagnnis, wife of Harry Karagiannis, mother of Tim (Jill), Steve (Krisanthe), John, Mike (Kate)

### June 10

- 12-year Memorial for V. Rev. Fr. Gerasimos Annas  
4-year Memorial for Haralabos Pelekanos, husband of Fani Pelekanos and father of Alexandra (Roger) Heffner and George (Cathy) Pelekanos  
24-year Memorial for Panagiotis Harizopoulos, husband of Despo Harizopoulos, father of Gus (Maria) Harizopoulos, Danny Harizopoulos and Agnes Stief  
30-year Memorial for Dr. Nikita Stergen, husband of Despina Stergen, father of Nicholas (Despo) Stergen and Frances (Jim) Hoekel  
Memorial for the Departed Members of the Hellenic Spirit Foundation

### June 17

- Memorial for the Reposed Hierarchs of the Russian Church Abroad  
1-year Memorial for Judith Klarr, mother of Fr. Josef von Klarr  
13-year Memorial for Erifili Hatzidakis, mother of Sofia Evangelopoulos  
30-year Memorial for Efstathios Hatzidakis, father of Sofia Evangelopoulos

### July 1

- 1-year Memorial for Evangelia Halastanis, mother of Panagiota Christakis, Vasiliki (Brian) Zapf, and Demetri (Brenda) Halastanis

### July 8

- 1-year Memorial for Litsa (Eleftheria) Beys, mother of Vicki (Jim) Palmer, Demi Beys, and Sam (Gretchen) Beys  
7-year Trisagion for Gregory Marcus Pappas, husband of Patricia Pappas, father of Pete (Eleni) Pappas and Teresa (Tim) Willyard

### August 5

- 6-year Memorial for Vasiliki Kolivakis, mother of Aleka (Larry) Karagiannis and Irene (Chris) Tsoubanos



## In Our Prayers

Nora (Elaine) Bangert, Athanasios (Tom) Dubis, Seraphima Henderson, Thekla (Rebecca) Kagaris, Dean Kases, Janie Kyramarios, Michael Labis, Christopher Martin (Alexandra Martin's grandson), George and Janice (Ioanna) Paradissis, Despina Zeris.

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### **Αναστάσιμον Τῶν Ἁγίων.**

Ἦχος δ΄.

Τῶν ἐν ὄλῳ τῷ κόσμῳ Μαρτύρων σου,  
ὡς πορφύραν καὶ βύσσον τὰ αἵματα, ἡ  
Ἐκκλησία σου στολισαμένη, δι' αὐτῶν  
βοᾷ σοι· Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, τῷ λαῷ σου τοὺς  
οἰκτιρμούς σου κατὰπεμψον, εἰρήνην τῇ  
πολιτείᾳ σου δώρησαι, καὶ ταῖς ψυχαῖς  
ἡμῶν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

### **Apolytikion for the Saints.**

Mode 4.

Your Church is arrayed in the holy blood of Your Martyrs who witnessed throughout the world, as though in purple and fine linen. Through them she cries to You, Christ our God, "Send down to Your people Your tender love, grant peace from above to Your commonwealth, and to our souls Your great mercy."

### **Welcome to the Assumption Greek Orthodox Church.**

We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today. It is our hope that your visit here will bring you many blessings from God and that you will visit with us again soon.

Please join us for coffee hour in the Church Hall.

## Sunday of All Saints

### ***Epistle Reading: St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews 11:33-40; 12:1-2***

Brethren, all the saints through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, received promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Some were tortured, refusing to accept release, that they might rise again to a better life. Others suffered mocking and scourging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were tempted, they were killed with the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, ill-treated - of whom the world was not worthy - wandering over deserts and mountains and in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, though well attested by their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had foreseen something better for us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect. Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

### ***Gospel Reading: Matthew 10:32-33; 37-38; 19:27-30***

The Lord said to his disciples, "Every one who acknowledges me before men, I also will acknowledge before my Father who is in heaven; but whoever denies me before men, I also will deny him before my Father who is in heaven. He who loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and he who loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and he who does not take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me." Then Peter said in reply, "Lo, we have left everything and followed you. What then shall we have?" Jesus said to them, "Truly, I say to you, in the new world, when the Son of man shall sit on his glorious throne, you who have followed me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And every one who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or lands, for my name's sake, will receive a hundredfold, and inherit eternal life. But many that are first will be last, and the last first."



## Announcements

**Courtyard Pavers:** We are creating a new courtyard in front of the Church. Engraved pavers are available to commemorate our families or memorialize our deceased loved ones. If you would like to donate toward this endeavor, please contact Tony Tharenos or Diane Sieckmann at 314-966-2255.

**Consecration Album:** If you had an advertisement in the Consecration Album, please pick up your copy of the book from Diane Sieckmann.

**Air Conditioner:** We purchased at badly needed new air conditioner for the Sunday School Hallway. The cost was \$39,200.00. We have had many generous donations but still have a balance of \$13,100.00. Donations to help pay for it are greatly appreciated. Please send donation to Assumption Greek Orthodox Church with "Sunday School air conditioner" in the memo.

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***No one can have God for his Father, who does not have the Church for his mother.***

- St. Cyprian of Carthage

## Calendar of Events

- Sunday, June 3: **Sunday of All Saints**  
Martyrs Loukillianos, Paula and their 4 Infants  
8:30 am Orthros  
9:45 am Divine Liturgy
- Monday, June 4: **Apostles Fast Begins**  
Patriarch Metrophanes; Sts. Mary & Martha
- Tuesday, June 5: Hieromartyr Dorotheos; Ten Martyrs of Egypt - (Fast)  
6:30 pm Vespers  
No Bible Study
- Wednesday, June 6: Righteous Hilarion the New; Wonderworker Attalos - (Fast)  
2:00 pm Kafenio
- Thursday, June 7: St. Theodotos of Ankyra; Martyr Zenaida - (Fast)  
9:00 am Orthros  
10:00 am Divine Liturgy
- Friday, June 8: Transposition of Relics; St. Theodore the Commander - (Fast)  
11:00 am - 2:00 pm Friday Luncheon
- Saturday, June 9: St. Cyril, Archbishop of Alexandria - (Fast)  
11:00 am YAL Bike Trip  
5:00 pm Great Vespers at All Saints of North America Orthodox Church, Maryland Heights - No Great Vespers at the Assumption Church
- Sunday, June 10: Sts. Alexander & Antonina; Righteous Theophanes - (Fast)  
8:30 am Orthros  
9:45 am Divine Liturgy  
12:00 pm Philoptochos Meeting  
12:00 pm IOCC Meeting in Parish Council Room

## **June 3 - Lucillian of Byzantium, 4 martyred Youths and Paula the Virgin**

Formerly a priest of the idols near Nicomedia, the Saint came to the Christian Faith in his old age; this was during the reign of Aurelian (270-275). Lucillian was brought before Silvan the Count; when he refused to return to the service of the idols, his jaw was broken, he was beaten with rods, and hanged upside down, then imprisoned with four Christian children, Claudius, Hypatius, Paul, and Dionysius. All of them were brought out again before Silvan, and remaining constant in their faith, were cast into a raging furnace. Preserved unharmed, they were sent to Byzantium, where the children were beheaded, and Lucillian was crucified. The virgin Paula, a Christian, buried their holy relics. For this, she was taken before the Count, and refusing to sacrifice to the idols, was stripped naked and mercilessly thrashed; after other torments, she was beheaded, in 270. There was a church in their honor in Constantinople.

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