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Assumption Of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Greek Orthodox Church
Long Beach, CA



Worship Services
Regular Schedule
Orthros 8:45 AM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM
NOTE: Sunday Divine Liturgy starts at 10:00AM year-round.
See enclosed calendar for dates and times of other services this month.



MARCH & APRIL
2019

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Greek Orthodox Church

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Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Confidential Stewardship Commitment Card

Family Last Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Husband (or Individual over 18)

Wife (or Individual over 18)

Children & Birthdate

Name: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Occupation: _____

In gratitude of God's Blessings I/we commit the following amount of \$ _____ for the year of 20 _____

☐ Monthly (12 Payments a Year) ☐ Quarterly (4 Payments a Year) ☐ Semiannually (2 Payments a Year) ☐ Annually

Please check the following:

☐ 1. Check: Mail/In person

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Tan Chrysanthé
Tan Terpsi
Tavlarides Angelo & Mary
Terzis Constantinos & Susanna
Toumasis Kyriaky
Triantos Dina
Triantos Tasia
Tsalikis Maria
Tsegaye Kibread & Saliem
Tsimerekis Anna
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Vlachos Dino, Helen
Vlahakis Katherine
Watkins Evangelia
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Zarifes Angie
Zoolakis Anthony & Kari
Zoumberakis Stelios & Stacie

Announcements

BAPTISMS

1/25/19

Evangelia Peregrini

Proud Parents: John & Kristen Peregrini

Godmother: Maria Russo

Congratulations



March & April Prosforo

March's prosforo is donated by Ronnea Santamarina & Nikki Vorris


April's prosforo is donated by Mary Lambros. Thank you. If you would like to donate the Prosforo please call the office.



Pledged Categories:	Total: 183 Cards
\$1 - \$100	20 cards
\$101 - \$500	66 cards
\$501 - \$1,000	54 cards
\$1,001 - \$3,000	36 cards
\$3,001 - \$10,000	3 cards
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HOLY WEEK AND EASTER FLOWERS

With your help, Katy Georgedes will adorn our church. Flowers needed for Palm Sunday, Nymphios, Crucifixion, and Resurrection icons. Also, for the Epitaphios (Christ's tomb), and Easter lilies to decorate the Church for Easter. Thank you for your generosity.




ΚΑΘΑΡΑ ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ




ΓιορτάΖΟΥΜΕ
τα ΚΟΥΛΟΥΜΑ

Clean Monday PotLuck

Monday March 11
6:00 pm
Church Hall



Assumption Long Beach



Congratulations to Assumption FDF dancers, teachers and parents! GO LONG BEACH!

March is here and spring is around the corner. Along with that, Lent will begin. We will be celebrating Koulouma on March 11th. Here we will be sharing our Lenten meal for Clean Monday but also share in fellowship as we prepare ourselves for Pascha! Please join us on this special day!

Our membership luncheon Masquerade was a big success. Thank you to Lia Kakaris and her committee for once again bringing a spectacular afternoon of Philoptochos ladies and men together. It is wonderful to see that a number of new women have committed themselves to being a part of Philoptochos. If you have not turned in your 2019 membership, NOW IS THE TIME TO DO IT! This year again, our goal is to continue our membership growth by having EVERY WOMAN AND MAN at Assumption become a Philoptochos member. Please see Lia Kakaris, Philoptochos membership chair with your membership. Let's do it this year! Let's make it happen!

With your help Philoptochos has added The Women's Shelter of Long to its outreach list. I was fortunate to visit the agency along with Kathy Bastas and Lia Kakaris. The directors are anxious to visit with us and speak with our community on signs of domestic violence. Be on the lookout for more information.

Our baking team will be baking our delicious tsourekia on Friday April 19th. We will be selling the bread for \$15 per loaf. The bread will go on sale on Palm Sunday April 21st after Divine Liturgy. If you would like to place an order please call the church office or contact Kathy Bastas at 657-464-0596. Don't miss out on Easter Bread.

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 5th Kid's n Cancer Agape Celebration of Love, Newport Beach Country Club.

Philoptochos board elections. If you are interested in being a part of this dynamic group of women, please let us know. We welcome you!

May the promise of Pascha fill you with renewed faith, hope and joy—and may all of these continue to bless your life and through the year.

Kali Sarakosti

Your Sister in Christ
Karen Fic, President



GOYA Presents: Good Friday Luminaries (Lambathes)



Let's light our path around the church with the names of
Our loved ones who have passed on and
Our wishes for the health of our family and friends.

Our Goyans will personalize each candle-lit bag (lambatha) with:

† In the Memory of... OR

† For the Health of...

The bags will be lined around the church along the path of the Epitaphio.

Each bag costs \$5.00. Orders can be placed in two ways, either:

† Visit our display table after church on Sunday or

† Write the names on the form below and mail with a check payable to

Assumption Goya to: Kristina Simitian

19601 Summer Grove Lane, Hunt. Bch., CA 92648

(Please Only: Names of ONE family or TWO people, per bag. Thank you)

Ordered by:
Phone #:
In Memory of/To the Health of: (Circle One)
Family Name:
OR
Person #1:
Person #2:
Paid by: Cash/Check No.:

Ordered by:
Phone #:
In Memory of/To the Health of: (Circle One)
Family Name:
OR
Person #1:
Person #2:
Paid by: Cash/Check No.:

If you need more than 2 bags, simply write out the information on a separate piece of paper.

Panagia's Stewardship Family as of February 15, 2019

Ala Elisara	Georgiadou Vicki & Ajit Shahani	Manos Dr. Andy & Pamela
Ala George	Georgopoulos Anthony	Mantikas Nick & Katherine
Ala Lisa	Georgoulis George & Anna	Marinow Atanas
Alvertos Yanni & Georgia	Giannoulis Anastasia	Markouizos George & Argyro
Andrikos John	Hadjimarkos Nick & Stemma	Markouizos Karolos & Georgia
Argyros Dionisios & Irini	Halfhill Cathi	Markouizos Markella
Argyros Phil & Amy	Hallock Rod & Shirley	Markouizos Nektarios & Lisa
Bacol Penny	Hennig Vickie	Matty Dave & Barbara
Bacol Pete & Rea	Herron Craig & Diana	McMillan James & Angela
Bacol Sina	Hourigan Joseph & Nickie	Mentas Ann
Bastas Nikos & Kathy	Jordanides Dr. Dennis & Giselle	Mentas James & Patricia
Beckas Spiro & Eleni	Jordanides Tim & Eleftheria	Mentzelos George & Christina
Berovinos Michael & Kimberly	Jovicic Goran & Alexandria	Michel David & Vasiliki
Berovinos Tony & Bobbie	June Rod & Paraskevi	Milonas Dina
Bisbikis Toula & Argyroula	Kakaris Telis & Lia	Moreno Russ & Stephanie
Bratkic Jure & Demetra	Kalatzis Apostolos	Morgan Valerie
Brillakis Gus & Nicki	Kallins George & Bettina	Nicolaou Alex & Reese
Camaras Dean & Nicole	Karanikas Panagiotos & Helen	Papadakis Christina
Chelekis Louis & Vicki	Karapoulos Family	Papadakis Michael & Janel
Chizhov Svetlana	Karatzis Spiros & Julia	Papadopoulos Evangelos & Lorraine
Choullis Manolis & Sotiria	Karpouzis Dimitrios & Natalya	Papas Tasos & Georgia
Chrysanthis Alex & Vaso	Karthas Nicholas	Papoulias Thanasis & Sophia
Clair Robert & Nicky	Kastanas Vasilis & Paris	Pappas Constantina
Coats Marilyne	Kiousis Spiro & Katerina	Pappas Mark & Shari
Colazas Xenophon & Mila	Kohnert Walt & Yolanda	Pappas Victor & Christina
Colikas Michael	Kontaxis Michael	Parra Rick & Nicole
Cook Jeffrey & Suzan	Kontes Nick & Christina	Patsios Spiro & Melva
Cornwell Carlyle & Demetra	Kontokanis Dimitris & Maria	Paulos Mary
Coroneus John & Xanthipe	Kootsikis Coula	Paulos Nicholas
Cottgias Manuel	Korakis Michael	Phillips Crystal
Cyprus Brett & Jane & family	Koromelas John & Tina	Platis James & Kay
Dame Danae	Kostallas Tony & Cathy	Pliaconis Michael & Maria
Deneff Peter & Diane	Kouris Gregory & Patricia	Raptis Maria
Deralas Dean	Kourtis Costa & Cecilia	Reed Richard & Kyriaki
Desalernos Stephen & Stefanie	Kral Michael & Lisa	Richards Constance
Dimas Michael & Maria	Krantz Robert & Tricia	Richards Dean & Dorothy
Dolas Chris	Krebenios Anastasia	Richards Michael
Dolas Jim & Camille	Krebenios Nick & Georgia	Santamarina Jose & Ronnea
Donlou Gordon & Maria	Kyriakos Spiros & Lainie	Schwarzbach Theodore & Anastasia
Edwards Nickolas & Pamela	Lambros Mary	Sehremelis Andy & Leslie
Exacoustos Stella	Lamrakis Catherine	Sharkoff Donald & Anna
Falley Zoe	Liarakos George & Dezi	Shweiri Cathy & George
Fattaleh Saba & Diana	Liarakos John & Athanasia	Simitian Richard & Anna
Ferguson Robert & Fotini	Liarakos Voula	Siouris Chris & Panayota
Fic Karen	Lilis Tina, Anagia, Chris	Skarzenski Joseph & Gitana Deneff
Flynn Matthew	Lofton Max & Mary	Sotiriou Peter & Vasiliki
Fourtounis Peter & Joanna	Loizides George & Rodoula	Soultanakis Trudith
Futris William & Mary	Makas Diane	Soupos Tom & Bobbie
Gabriel Sam & Kathy	Makridis Gus & Gene	Stapakis Steve & Joanne
Galanis Jerry & Marian	Mamo Tirusew	Stathis Robert & Josefa
Georgedes Katy	Mangoutas John & Barbara	Stavros Andy & Amber
	Maniatogiannis Loukas & Stacy	



The Assumption Greek School Proudly Presents Its Annual Greek Independence Day Luncheon & Poems

Sunday, March 24

in the Cultural Center following church







Join us for an afternoon of hearing our children recite poems in honor of Greek Independence Day along with a delicious meal.

For more info, contact Tasia Triantos (562) 650-5763

 Like us on Facebook "Assumption Greek School"

PASCHA is approaching – April 28th ... A time of renewal, celebration and tradition....

Tsourekia, Koulourakia, Kourabiedes and beautiful red eggs!

Don't have enough time to bake these traditional sweets?? Leave it up to the awesome and talented ladies of Philoptochos; we will do it for you!

Pre orders are now being accepted by calling Voula at the church office 562.494.8929 or Karen Fic 562.416.5565



Tsourekia =\$15.00 (available April 21, Palm Sunday)



Koulourakia = \$8.00 – 1 dozen



Kourambiedes = \$12.00 – 1 dozen

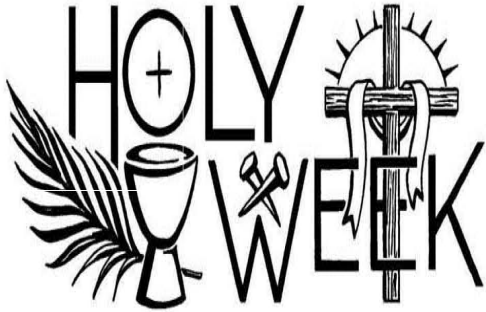


Red Eggs = \$7.00 - 1 dozen (orders only)

Remember to place your order (we sell out quickly) and prepay to avoid long lines on April 21st. Thank you for your continued support.

Assumption Philoptochos wishes all a Kalo Pascha kai Kali Anastasi

JOURNEY THROUGH



Please join us in the Betty Reckas Center for our annual preparation for Holy Week and Palm Cross folding.

FRIDAY, APRIL 19
6:00 P.M.

*Lenten Meal will be served

*Activities and Crafts for ALL ages

RSVP to Elizabeth Syrengelas

(818) 618-3549

elizabethsyrengelas@gmail.com

GOYA BASKETBALL 2019

Practice every Friday 5:00 - 10:00pm starting
January 4 through April 12.

Home Games

Saturday, 3/2/2019 10:30 am - 4:00 pm vs. St. Basil

Sunday, 3/3/2019 1:30 pm - 7:00 pm vs. St. Nicholas

Saturday, 3/9/2019 10:30 am - 4:00 pm vs. St. Anthony

Sunday, 3/17/2019 1:30 pm - 7:00 pm vs. St. Sophia

Away Games

Sunday, 3/10/2019 1:30 pm - 7:00 pm at St. George

Sunday, 3/24/2019 1:30 pm - 7:00 pm at St. Katherine

Sunday, 3/31/2019 1:30 pm - 7:00 pm at St. John

Playoff games

Sat. 4/6/2019 10:00 am - 8:00 pm Quarter-finals day 1

Sun. 4/6/2019 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm Quarter-finals day 2

Sat. 4/13/2019 10:00 am - 8:00 pm Semi-finals

(this will probably end up being at St. Sophia)

Sun. 4/14/2019 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm Finals

(this will probably end up being at Assumption)

Little Lambs

We have been having so much fun with our littlest Orthodox Christians in Panagia's Little Lambs. Each week we sing songs and the children have chosen their favorite songs over the year. One very popular song is "When I Build My House"...so we actually build a house. The children had so much fun painting and decorating a little toy playhouse. Now, they love playing in it! We are gearing up for Lent and Easter, as we just finished fun lessons based on Epiphany and Love for Valentine's Day. Coming up is our annual Easter Egg hunt. Details to follow. Please join us weekly on Wednesdays @10:30 in the Sunday School classroom. For more information contact Elizabeth Syrengelas, elizabethsyrengelas@gmail.com

Sunday School

What a treat it is to see so many Students in Sunday School. They have been learning so much, from lessons on The Three Hierarchs, Bible verses about Love, Icons in Church and in real life, to lessons on the Liturgy. On April 19 @6:00 is the Annual Holy Week Retreat and Palm Cross making in the church hall. Activities for all ages are planned and a Lenten dinner will be served. Please rsvp to Elizabeth Syrengelas: elizabethsyrengelas@gmail.com or (818)618-3549. Also keep in mind that the end of the year celebration and last day of Sunday School will be held on Sunday, May 5. More details to follow.

Greek School

Congratulation to all our students for another amazing year at FDF!

Paint Night

Paint Night is March 9th. All proceeds benefit the church Iconography. No tickets will be sold at the door.

Independence Day Event & Poems

Greek Independence Day Luncheon will be held on Sunday, March 24th after church.

Καλό Πάσχα!

No class – April 24th

Please join us for Holy Unction at 3pm

*Many new and exciting things happening with Greek School.
Follow us on Facebook (Assumption Greek School).*

What a wonderful start to 2019! First of all, our dance program and community came together to celebrate the success of our dancers on January 26th at our Oli Mazi Dinner Dance. The evening was filled with love as we watched beautiful performances by all our dance groups and fought for amazing prizes in our Silent Auction and Opportunity Raffle. I would like to send a special thank you to all our parents, to our directors, and to the AGDCAS Board for your donation of time, talents, and treasures to make this event possible. I thank you immensely and am very proud to be working with such amazing individuals!

For our Diakonia project this year, our dance program donated to the Orange County Alzheimers Association and will be performing at the Sunrise Senior Living Center in La Palma. Our community outreach projects remind us of how blessed we are and how we need to extend our blessings to those in need. A huge thank you to Melva Patsios and Giselle Jordanidis for spearheading our Diakonia project this year!

Most importantly, our dance program participated in this year's FDF 2019 in Ontario, CA during the President's Day Holiday. Our dancers and directors, with the love and support of their families and friends, showcased beautiful suites of dances and represented our parish on and off the stage with pride, grace, and dignity.

This year's FDF theme was STAND- to remind us that we STAND together, as a family and as a community, with Christ. FDF highlights include:

Dancers and participants first gathered to complete a community Diakonia Project. Together, we packaged 43,000 meals for "Rise Against Hunger." With the help of Philoptochos and all the communities, this goal was accomplished before the opening ceremonies even started.

- **Ta Patriotakia** performed beautifully in the exhibition Division 3 category and danced with our Metropolitan. We see a bright future ahead for these talented little dancers!!

Mikra Asteria impressed us with their performances from Rethymno, Crete and the island of Kythira. They received Second Place in the Advanced Primary category.

- **Ta Angeloudakia** superbly performed dances from the islands of Kalymnos and Sifnos. They received Second Place in the Advanced Junior category.

Junior Olympians amazed us with dance suites from the islands of Naxos and Limnos in the Intermediate category. They faced tough competition, and made us proud as they came together to entertain the crowd and impress everyone who watched.

- **Nea Ellas** gave outstanding dance presentations from the villages of Nea Vyssa, Thrace and Vamvakofito, Serres, Macedonia. They won Costume Award for their exquisite Nea Vyssa costume, which was the talk amongst the judges and Second Place in the Senior category.

- **The Olympian Dancers** showcased two beautiful suites from the villages of Ethia and Mohos in Iraklion, Crete. They were awarded First Place in the Advanced Senior category.

Nicoletta Koulos received the Dean S. Phillips Memorial Scholarship and **Olga Alvertos** received the Jim Papangelin Memorial Scholarship. Congratulations to two very successful young women!

If you would like to watch any of the performances, you can go to YouTube and search for the FDF Live channel or you may also visit the gkaridakis channel. George Karidakis graciously recorded all of the Assumption performances during the weekend for us all to enjoy. Thank you to George!!

Our appreciation to our Assumption community for your love and support. Glory be to God for this dance ministry! Congratulations to all the dancers, parents, and directors for another successful dance weekend- though the accolades are welcome, the memories that are created are the true rewards of the weekend!

Wishing you all a blessed 2019,
Stacie Zoumberakis, President AGDCAS

Ο τέταρτος μήνας του πολιτικού έτους, με διάρκεια 30 ημέρες. Αρχικά ήταν ο δεύτερος μήνας του δεκάμηνου Ρωμαϊκού ημερολογίου με την ονομασία Aprilis και πήρε το όνομά του από το λατινικό ρήμα *aperire*, που σημαίνει ανοίγω, γιατί το μήνα αυτό ανοίγουν, ανθίζουν τα λουλούδια. Ο Νέρων θέλησε να μετονομάσει τον Απρίλιο σε Νερώνιο, ύστερα από μια αποτυχημένη απόπειρα δολοφονίας του το 65 μ.Χ, αλλά η ονομασία αυτή δεν επικράτησε.

Στην Αρχαία Ρώμη ο μήνας ήταν αφιερωμένος σε δύο θεούς, την Αφροδίτη και τον Απόλλωνα. Οι Ρωμαίοι γιόρταζαν:

Την 1η Απριλίου τα Βενεράλια, προς τιμήν της θεάς της αγάπης και της ομορφιάς Βένους, της Αφροδίτης των Αρχαίων Ελλήνων.

Από τις 4 έως τις 10 Απριλίου τα Μεγαλήσια, προς τιμή της θεάς Κυβέλης, με μουσικούς και γυμνικούς αγώνες.

Στις 21 Απριλίου τα Παλίλια, ποιμενική γιορτή προς τιμή της θεάς Εστίας. Οι βοσκοί κρατούσαν κλαδιά δάφνης και ράντιζαν με νερό το έδαφος, ενώ άναβαν φωτιές με άχυρα και πηδούσαν τρεις φορές πάνω από αυτές για να εξαγνιστούν. Η γιορτή αυτή διατηρήθηκε μέχρι το 787 μ.Χ, οπότε καταργήθηκε με απόφαση της Ζ' Οικουμενικής Συνόδου. Το έθιμο με τις φωτιές κρατά έως σήμερα.

Στις 22 Απριλίου γιόρταζαν με κρασσοκατανύξεις τα Βινάλια Πριόρα (Vinalia Priora), δηλαδή τα Πρώτα Οινοφόρια.

Στις 28 Απριλίου ξεκινούσαν τα Φλοράλια (Floralia), τα ρωμαϊκά Ανθεστήρια, προς τιμή της Flora, θεάς της βλάστησης και της άνοιξης.

Στο αρχαίο Αττικό ημερολόγιο ο Μάρτιος αντιστοιχούσε με το δεύτερο δεκαπενθήμερο του μήνα Ελαφηβολιώνα και το πρώτο δεκαπενθήμερο του μήνα Μουνυχιώνα. Το διάστημα αυτό στην Αθήνα γιορτάζονταν τα:

Γαλάξια, προς τιμή της Ρέας.

Ελαφηβόλια, προς τιμή της θεάς Αρτέμιδας.

Μουνίχια, προς τιμή της Θεάς Αρτέμιδας.

Δελφίνια, προς τιμή του Απόλλωνα και της Αρτέμιδας.

Λαογραφία:

Ο Απρίλης με τον Μάη είναι οι μήνες των λουλουδιών («Ο Απρίλης με τα λούλουδα και ο Μάης με τα ρόδα»). Η βροχή του Απρίλη θεωρείται από τους γεωργούς πολύ ευεργετική («Αν κάνει ο Μάρτης δυο νερά και ο Απρίλης άλλο ένα, χαρά σ' εκείνο το ζευγά που 'χει πολλά σπαρμένα»). Στη Θράκη το βρόχινο νερό της πρωταπριλιάς θεωρείται θεραπευτικό. Παλαιότερα το μάζευαν σε μπουκάλι και το έδιναν στους αρρώστους.

Ο Απρίλης αποκαλείται στις διάφορες ντοπιολαλιές:

Γρίλλης, δηλαδή γκρινιάρης, γιατί συνήθως τελείωναν τα γεωργικά αποθέματα από τις προηγούμενες συγκομιδές κι άρχιζαν οι γκρίνιες στην οικογένεια.

Τιναχτοκοφινίδης ή Τιναχτοκοφινίτης, επειδή καθαρίζονταν τα κοφίνια για να καθαριστούν.

Ξεροκοφινάς, γιατί τελείωναν πάντα οι φτωχές συγκομιδές των γεωργών.

Αηγιωργίτης ή Αηγιωργάτης, λόγω της μεγάλης χριστιανικής εορτής του Αγίου Γεωργίου (23 Απριλίου).

Λαμπριάτης, λόγω του Ορθόδοξου Χριστιανικού Πάσχα ή Λαμπρής, που επισυμβαίνει συνήθως τον Απρίλιο.

Τριανταφυλλάς, επειδή τον Απρίλιο ανθίζουν οι τριανταφυλλιές.

Κάθε χρόνο την Πρωταπριλιά αναβιώνει το έθιμο με τα αθώα ψέματα και αστεία, που είναι κοινό για όλους σχεδόν τους λαούς.

In the year of the Lord - March 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursda	Friday	Saturday
					¹ Crab Feed Dinner 7pm GOYA B-ball 6pm - 10pm	² + Saturday of Souls 9am Goya B-ball (home) Vs St. Basil
³ + Judgment Sunday Orthros 8:45 am Liturgy 10 am General Assembly Sunday School Goya B-ball (home) vs St. Nicholas	⁴	⁵	⁶ Panagia's Little Lambs 10:30 am - 11:30 am Greek School 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	⁷	⁸ GOYA B-ball 6pm - 10pm	⁹ + Saturday of Souls 9am Greek school Paint Night 5pm Goya B-ball (hm) Vs St. Anthony
¹⁰ + Forgiveness Sunday Orthros 8:45 am Liturgy 10am FDF Recognition Sunday School Goya B-ball (away) vs St. George	¹¹ Clean Monday Compline Service & Koulouma 6 pm Great Lent starts	¹²	¹³ + Pre-sanctified Liturgy 10am Panagia's Little Lambs 10:30 am - 11:30 am Greek School 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	¹⁴	¹⁵ + Α' Χαιρετισμοί 1st Salutation 7pm GOYA B-ball 6pm - 10pm	¹⁶ + Saturday of Souls 9am
¹⁷ + Sunday of Orthodoxy Orthros 8:45 am Liturgy 10 am Sunday School Goya B-ball (home) vs St. Sophia	¹⁸	¹⁹ P. C. Meeting 7:00 pm	²⁰ + Pre-sanctified Liturgy 10am Panagia's Little Lambs 10:30 am - 11:30 am Greek School 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	²¹	²² + Β' Χαιρετισμοί 2nd Salutation 7pm GOYA B-ball 6pm - 10pm	²³
²⁴ + Sunday of St. Gregory Palamas Orthros 8:45 am, Liturgy 10am - Greek school Independence Day - Goya B-ball (away) vs St. Katherine	²⁵ + Annunciation of the Theotokos Orthros & Divine Liturgy 9am	²⁶	²⁷ + Pre-sanctified Liturgy 10am Panagia's Little Lambs 10:30 am - 11:30 am Greek School 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	²⁸	²⁹ + Γ' Χαιρετισμοί 3rd Salutation 7pm GOYA B-ball 6pm - 10pm	³⁰
³¹ + Sunday of Holy Cross Orthros 8:45 am, Liturgy 10am Goya B-ball (away) vs St. John						

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesd	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	¹	²	³ + Pre- sanctified Liturgy 10am Panagia's Little Lambs 10:30 am - 11:30 am Greek School 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	⁴	⁵ + Δ' Χαιρετισμοί 4th Salutation 7pm GOYA B-ball 6pm - 10pm	⁶ Goya B-ball Quarter-finals Day 1
⁷ + Sunday of St. John Climacus Orthros 8:45 am, Liturgy 10am Sunday School Goya B-ball Quarter-finals	⁸	⁹	¹⁰ + Pre- sanctified Liturgy 10am Panagia's Little Lambs 10:30 am - 11:30 am Greek School 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	¹¹	¹² + Ακάθιστος Ύμνος Akathist Hymn GOYA B-ball 6pm - 10pm	¹³ Goya B-ball Semi-finals
¹⁴ + Sunday of St. Mary of Egypt Orthros 8:45 am, Liturgy 10am Sunday School Goya B-ball Finals (home)	¹⁵	¹⁶ P. C. Meeting 7:00 pm	¹⁷ + Pre- sanctified Liturgy 10am Panagia's Little Lambs 10:30 am - 11:30 am Greek School 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	¹⁸	¹⁹ Holy Week Retreat 6:00 pm Philoptochos: Baking tsourekia	²⁰ + Του Λαζάρου Lazarus Saturday Orthros & D. Liturgy 9 am
²¹ + Των Βαῦτων Palm Sunday Orthros 8:45am Liturgy 10 am Luncheon sponsored by DOP	²² M. ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ Holy Monday	²³ M. ΤΡΙΤΗ Holy Tuesday Τὸν 10 Παρθένων	²⁴ M. ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ Holy Wednesday + Μέγα Ευχέλαιον Sacrament of Holy Unction 3 pm	²⁵ M. ΠΕΜΠΤΗ Holy Thursday + Ο Μυστικός Δείπνος Liturgy of St. Basil 9:00 am + Service of the Passion 7 pm Philoptochos: Dying red eggs after the morning service	²⁶ M. ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗ Holy Friday + Τα Άγια Πάθη Του Κυρίου Reading of the Royal Hours 1:00 pm (Αποκαθήλωσις) Descent from the Cross 2:30pm (Επιτάφιος) Lamentations Service 7 pm	²⁷ M. ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ Holy Saturday + Η Ταφή του Κυρίου Liturgy of St. Basil 9:00 am The Canon 11:15 pm + Resurrection Service and Liturgy 12 midnight “Supper” to follow
²⁸ + ΤΟ ΑΓΙΟΝ ΠΑΣΧΑ EASTER SUNDAY Agape Service 11:00 am	²⁹ + Great Martyr George Orthros 9:15 am D. Liturgy 10 am St. George Downey Office closed	³⁰				