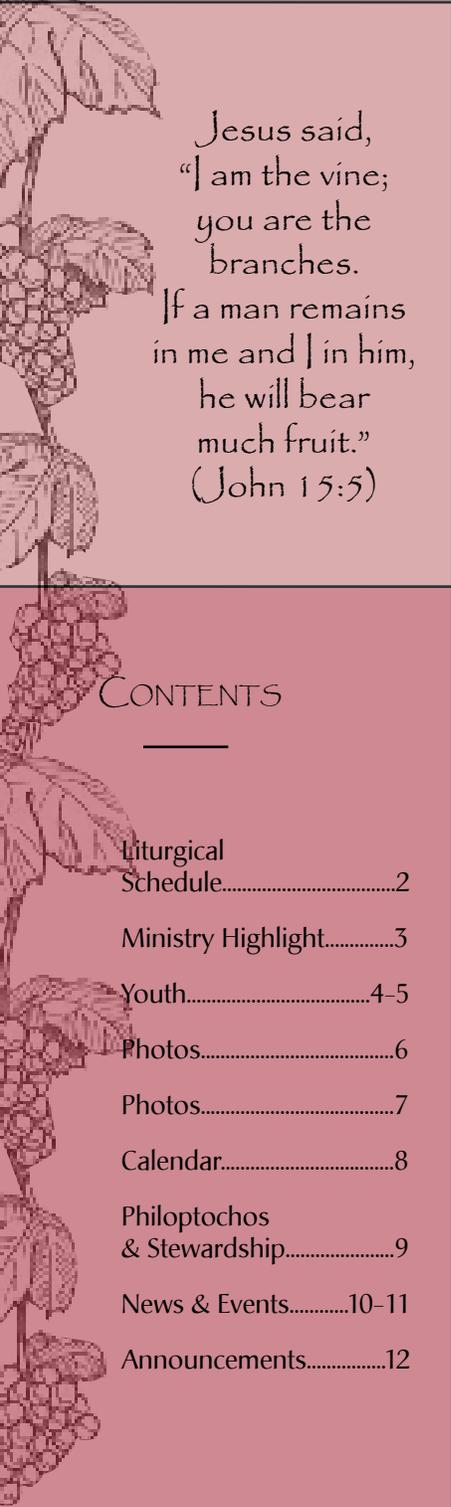


THE VINE

ST. DEMETRIOS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH, 57 BROWN STREET, WESTON, MA 02493



Jesus said,
“I am the vine;
you are the
branches.

If a man remains
in me and I in him,
he will bear
much fruit.”
(John 15:5)

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FR. NICK'S MESSAGE

Corporate Prayer

As we welcome the month of October and the feast of our Patron Saint Demetrios, I share with you a few thoughts about corporate prayer. Why? Because in essence it is the reason we exist as a community of faithful Orthodox Christians. Because without it, a Church becomes a place where we meet but do not remember the reason why. Coming together at Liturgy is more than a duty, it is more than telling God various things He already knows; it is where we worship as one body and confess one faith in the presence of the Lord.

Most who make an effort to pray usually feel they should do more to deepen their prayer life. It often seems as if the seed of prayer we wish to see grow is trampled under-foot, consumed by birds or choked by thorns and weeds before it bears fruit. As a result and over time, we give up on prayer because we have not learned to go further or deeper than the few things we learned as children. Imagine if the language or vocabulary of our infancy is all we have to communicate with those around us!

Although the above may fall short in describing the need for corporate prayer, in essence it is God's desire for us to know Him, to stand before Him as His creation. It is this dialogue that takes place between the **“two or three gathered”** as He tells us at each Divine Liturgy. It is within the Liturgy that we gather to express in unison with a single voice and purpose, words of thanksgiving, petitions and adoration. The Church is that place, the community of faithful that stands before God collectively but also personally to hear His word speaking to us directly and clearly. The wonder and great revelation of the Liturgy, that is to say, corporate prayer, offered to us today is the same offered to women and men of faith during their life on earth. Through our **“coming together,”** we today, as the disciples, apostles, saints and all faithful before us, come to the **“temple gate,”** to be healed and be united in Him who is Life itself. Ultimately, the Liturgy becomes the medium that we as disciples listen attentively to the Master. The Church reminds us to be hearers and bearers of the Word, to love and to be in communion with God and with one another.

The litmus test of all Christians is to ask whether we are on the road of becoming one with Him, becoming members of His Body and members of a Christian Community. Can the corporate experience of praying the Divine Liturgy become the catalyst for a more meaningful prayer life personally and also collectively? It can, it must, if we are to fulfill Christ's mandate of hope and salvation.

Let's work towards this lofty goal by worshipping together, by attending the Divine Liturgy as a unified body and living the Liturgy after the Liturgy each and every day of our lives...

With Love in the Lord,
Fr. Nick

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE OF CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY SERVICES

ORTHOS, 8:30; DIVINE LITURGY, 9:30

OCTOBER 7- 3rd Sunday of Luke

OCTOBER 14- Sunday of the 7th Ecumenical Council

OCTOBER 21- 6th Sunday of Luke

OCTOBER 28- 7th Sunday of Luke

MIDWEEK SERVICES

Thursday October 18- Luke for St. Luke the Evangelist
Orthros & Divine Liturgy, 9 am

Thursday, October 25-Vespers for St. Demetrios
Great Vespers, 4 pm

Friday, October 26- Patronal Feast Day of St. Demetrios
Orthros & Divine Liturgy, 8:30 am

SPECIAL SERMON SERIES ON THE DIVINE LITURGY

Throughout the month of October, we look forward to offering sermons dedicated to teaching about the Divine Liturgy. Fr. Nick, Fr. Vinnie and Fr. Alkiviadis Calivas will offer talks on the true spirit and meaning of the Liturgy and how best we can spiritually and prayerfully experience it.

Following most Sundays, Fr. Calivas will offer a follow up discussion in the boardroom during coffee hour. Grab a cup of coffee and join him for a wonderful discussion!

The boardroom is located across from the church office.

Sunday, October 7, 14, 21, & 28

ST. DEMETRIOS, THE GREAT MARTYR

St. Demetrios is, of course, the patron saint of our beloved church.

Throughout the year we gather together as a Church family and, encouraged by his inspirational

story, we strive to live a Christ centered life, just as he did. Only a small number of saints are called "Great" in our Orthodox Church. Even fewer are known as "Great Martyrs." St. Demetrios is one of those few given this honor and distinction by the Church. While many know about his life, to draw closer to him and what he means to us all, it is important to relive and remember his life. St. Demetrios died for his faith during the violent persecutions of the



Emperor Diocletian in the year 306. Demetrios was a soldier in the Roman Army and was also a skilled orator and leader. More important, he was a Christian in a time when those who believed in Christ were hounded by pagan rulers and killed for their faith. Demetrios was named to a governmental position as consul of Thessalonika, but instead of persecuting Christians there, he preached to them and guided them. It wasn't long before the emperor heard of strong faith and commitment to ministry, and he ordered him arrested and imprisoned. While there, he urged a young christian named Nestor to engage in combat with a famous gladiator who had murdered many a believer in the amphitheater over the years. This time, the gladiator was overwhelmed by the much smaller Nestor, who prayed with St. Demetrios who called upon God for strength in battle. Humiliated over Nestor's spiritual and physical

victory, the emperor soon after ordered Nestor and Demetrios executed. A church was built over the remains of St. Demetrios at Thessalonika and devotion to him spread far and wide. This early church was destroyed by fire in the 7th century and was replaced by another edifice, adorned with Byzantine-style mosaics. Icons of St. Demetrios depict the saint in a number of ways: often as a young soldier with a lance and shield; a victorious soldier upon a horse; as a deacon; and other times as a protector of children. He is profoundly revered in Europe and his feastday is commemorated with great festivity in Thessalonika, where he is considered the patron saint of that city. As his feast approaches on October 26, we pray that the faithful of our parish are inspired by his holy life—his strong faith, compassion, courage and fortitude. A blessed feast to our entire St. Demetrios family!

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT



Join us on October 5 from 6:45-8:45 pm for dinner, a fun activity and a "behind the scenes" special look at our church and liturgical items! RSVP to presnadia@gmail.com

Family First Friday

The family that prays together stays together! Family First Friday (FFF) is a ministry focused on connecting the family to the faith. We know that each individual family is a "little church" and that faith habits and behaviors are taught in the family and reinforced and strengthened through the church. With that in mind, it is the goal of FFF to gather families of all shapes and sizes once a month for fellowship, faith activities, and discussions. FFF meets on the first Friday of every month (unless otherwise noted) from 6:45-8:45pm. We start with a prayer and a fast-friendly pot luck dinner and have activities, projects, and crafts that focus on a religious lesson. FFF is focused on connecting with members of your family. With that in mind, cell phones are left in a basket in the center of the table.



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Hospitality/Fellowship Hour, St. Demetrios Philoptochos
Library, Cindi Dabrowski
Orthodox Life Series, James Skedros
Philoptochos Care Ministries

Hellenic Nursing Home, Pam Brody
Prayer-Shawl, Elaine Ward
Quiltathon, Debbie Morakis
Visitations, Valerie Wiegel

Profsofa Ministry, Christina Booth
Senior Guild, Artemis Martakis
Stewardship, Tom Camp

YOUTH

Altar Service, Chris Kourlos
Basketball, Jack Markis
Church School, Stavroula Gurguliatos
Church School Music Director, Jane Kourtis
GOYA, Fr. Vinnie and Jill Kovatsis
Jr. GOYA, Fr. Vinnie, Renee Vekiarides, Kelly Marks
JOY, Fr. Vinnie, Anastasia Smith
HOPE, Fr. Vinnie

Family First Friday, Pres. Nadia Minucci
Greek Folk Dancing, Margaret Talmers
Greek Language School, Avra Parpos
Young Professionals, Samuel Johnson



We had a great kickoff event in September for Family First Friday and are ready and excited for our October 5th gathering!

Ever wonder what goes on behind the iconostasis? Why does the censer have 12 bells? Why does Father wear those vestments? What do they mean? October's Family First Friday will feature an opportunity to answer some of these questions and more with a "behind the scenes" look at the church, the liturgical items and more. Feel free to ask questions about what you've seen during the Liturgy! RSVP to Pres. Nadia at presnadia@gmail.com as soon as possible so we can prepare enough food!

If you know of any families that would be interested in this ministry, please forward encourage them to come! The best way for us to grow is if you can share how much you and your family love and enjoy this ministry.



CHURCH SCHOOL



Welcome to St Demetrios Church School!

It was wonderful to meet so many of you during the Ministry Fair. If you have not registered your child for classes, please stop by the Church Office for a registration form.

Upcoming Dates:

October 7	No Church School
October 14	Church School Classes; CS Staff Mtg.
October 21	Church School Classes
October 26	Feast Day of St. Demetrios
October 28	Church School Classes

GREEK LANGUAGE & CULTURAL SCHOOL



Our school year began with the Agiasmo service. It was wonderful to welcome back our students and their families, as well as to meet new faces in our classrooms.

We look forward to creating many wonderful memories together.

Let's join together as the new year begins...
We'll share and be kind as we work and play,
Our friendship will grow with each passing day.

Καλή σχολική χρονιά!

ALTAR SERVER MEETING

OCTOBER 19TH

6:30 - 8:30 PM



Join us for pizza and an evening of learning and training. All Altar Servers are expected to attend.

RSVP to Fr. Vinnie
(frvincent@stdemetriosweston.org)
or Chris Kourlos (kourkat1@gmail.com)

HELLENIC COLLEGE HOLY CROSS

fall
OPEN
HOUSE



JOIN US on Saturday, October 13, 2018, for a Fall Open House! Get an exclusive look at our Orthodox Christian college and graduate school of theology, located just minutes from downtown Boston. Tour the campus, attend a mini-class, meet with faculty and staff, and have lunch with members of the Hellenic College Holy Cross community.

Please register by Friday, October 5, 2018.

Register online at
www.hchc.edu/openhouse
 or by phone at 617-850-1345



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2018 | 8:30AM-2PM

GREEK DANCING

Welcome to another terrific year of Greek dancing at St. Demetrios! Greek dancing for grades K-12 and began on September 30th. You can still join! Classes run from 12:00pm-12:30 pm in the middle school classrooms.

The Fall 2018 schedule: **Oct. 14; Oct. 21; Nov. 4; Nov. 18; Dec. 2**

Questions? Contact Margaret Talmers at margaret.e.talmers@gmail.com/617-359-4752 We are looking forward to a wonderful year!



HOPE & JOY

Grades: Pre-K – 5

Join us for our first **HOPE & JOY** event of the year:

WHEN: Saturday, October 27th at 2:30 pm – 4:30pm

THEME: Saints & Angels Christian Halloween Party

COSTUMES: Dress up as your favorite saint or angel.

Take this as an opportunity to teach your children more about their patron saint, or another saint/angel. Costumes encouraged but not required.

PUMPKIN PAINTING: Bring a pumpkin for your child. Recommended for fun, but of course not required. We will have church themed pumpkin decorating/painting. If you like carving pumpkins you are welcome to do that at this event but you will need to supply your own carving tool.

FESTIVE SNACKS AND GAMES: There will be refreshments and games.

An email with full information will be sent out to the HOPE&JOY email list. To add your name to the email list or with any questions please contact Anastasia Tanis Smith 617-834-3690 (cell/text) or Anastasia@Anastasiadesign.com

JR. GOYA

Grades: 6-8

For the month of **September**, Jr. GOYA kicked off with the annual GOYA Car Wash and an event at the Vekiarides home. We played name games, ate pizza, had a cider donut eating competition and had a discussion with Fr. Vinnie. It was a very lovely afternoon. Thank you to the Vekiarides family for opening their house!

Join us in October for MBC Fall Camp during Columbus Day Weekend and apple picking and fun fall festivities on Sunday October 21st from 3-5 pm at Belkin Lookout Farm in Natick.

Jr. GOYA is a ministry for 6-8th graders. To become involved in Jr. GOYA email Renee Vekiarides at rvekiarides@321foundation.org or Kelly Marks at kellymadismarks@gmail.com



HS SENIORS AND COLLEGE STUDENTS NEEDED FOR RESEARCH PROJECT

In celebration of its 60th anniversary,

St. Demetrios is preparing an online, multi-media version of its history. In the next few months we'll be seeking historical information from parishioners and we'll be conducting interviews with long-time church members. We are looking for five HS seniors and/or college students with a serious interest in history or journalism to do interviews and collect materials. The selected students will receive training and equipment. Students will earn a stipend for each assignment completed. Send a brief resume and letter to Dr. Manny Paraschos at the church office by Sept. 28. Access to transportation is essential. For more information contact manoparas@gmail.com.



GOYA

Grades: 9-12



GOYA started off the year with a Friday night activity on September 21st. Pizza, desserts, and games made for a very entertaining evening. With balloon games as well as life size Hungry, Hungry Hippo's, the year started off with a huge success! On Sunday the 23rd, the annual GOYA Carwash took place with about 70 cars washed, the GOYA members were able to raise just over \$1000. In the coming months, GOYA hopes to continue raising money through donations, and put forth a major down payment on the new iconography for St. Demetrios. GOYA made the first contributions for the building of the new church just a few years ago, and the 2018 GOYA group hopes to have the same opportunity through the iconography of our beautiful Church. GOYA looks forward to going to a Corn Maze in October with dates for that event coming soon.

GOYA is a ministry for high school age students, grades 9-12. If you or someone you know are interested in joining, email Fr. Vinnie (frvincent@stdemetriosweston.org) or Jill Kovatsis (ja.k@verizon.net)

Church School Agiasmo 2018



Tou Stavrou and the Senior Guild Luncheon



Greek School Agiasmo



PHOTOS



Welcome Back BBQ & GOYA Car Wash



CALENDAR

OCTOBER 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2 Greek School 4pm-6pm	3	4	5 Family First Friday, 6:45 pm	6
7- 3rd Sunday of Luke	8 Columbus Day- Church Offices Closed	9 Greek School 4pm-6pm	10 Parish Council Meeting, 7 pm	11	12 Fall Wine Tasting, 6:30 pm	13 Agape Prayer Group, 8:30 am
14- Sunday of the 7th Ecumenical Council Church School Church School Staff Meeting Greek Dancing	15	16 Greek School 4pm-6pm	17	18- St. Luke Orthros & Divine Liturgy, 9 am Senior Guild Luncheon	19 Altar Servers Training, 6:30 pm	20 Hellenic Nursing Home, 2 pm Basile Comedy Show, 7 pm
21- 6th Sunday of Luke Church School Jr. GOYA Apple Picking, 3 pm	22	23 Greek School 4pm-6pm	24 Prayer Shawl Ministry, 1 pm	25 Great Vespers for St. Demetrios Vespers Reception	26- St. Demetrios Orthros, 8:30 am Divine Liturgy, 9:00 am Reception following Divine Liturgy	27 Agape Prayer Group, 8:30 am HOPE & JOY Fall Festival 2:30 pm
28- 7th Sunday of Luke Metropolitan Methodios Visiting Church School St. Demetrios Day Luncheon	29	30 Greek School 4pm-6pm	31			

STEWARDSHIP & PHILOPTOCHOS

PHILOPTOCHOS

Dear Philoptochos Members,

Thank you to all the women who attended our Welcome Back Philoptochos Luncheon. It was a great event and kicked off the new year strong.

Basile the comedian will be here at St. Demetrios on October 20th for a comedy show. There are a few tickets left. Contact Pam Brody at brodster52@yahoo.com if you would like to buy a ticket.

October 24th we will celebrate Great Vespers for St. Demetrios. Following vespers there will be a reception. Greek pastries and other desserts are needed for this event. If you would like bake something for this event please see Presbytera Elaine to inform her with what you will be bringing.

Please save the date of November 3rd for a Women's Retreat at Hellenic College Holy Cross. It will be a one day event starting at 9 am and lasting until 3 pm. Presbytera Maria Drossos will be leading the retreat.

With Love in Christ,
Nikki



BASILE GREEK COMEDY SHOW

Saturday, October 20, 2018
Doors open at 7pm • Show begins at 8pm

Saint Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church
57 Brown Street • Weston, MA

Dance to the music of the Taximi Band • Wine & Mezedes

Tickets: \$75 (Limited Seating)

Contact Pam Brody at
(781) 864-5327 or brodster52@yahoo.com



STEWARDSHIP

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT: THE NEED OF THE GIVER TO GIVE

What is stewardship?

The dictionary defines it as “the individual’s responsibility to manage his life and property with proper regard to the rights of others” (Webster’s New Collegiate Dictionary).

The Christian definition of stewardship involves man’s responsibility to God for his time, talents, possessions and self. The faithful and wise steward is the one who knows that his Master has set him in charge of His household and gives him his portion of food at the proper time (Luke 12:42).

Stewardship embraces every area of life. It calls on us to realize that we are not owners of our time and talents. We are stewards, called to manage these gifts for a brief time, always responsible to the God Who entrusts them to us.

Often we give God and His Church a minimum of our time, talents and money. The rest is ours to do as we please. By so doing God remains on the fringe of life and there is no joy in our giving.

Stewardship aims to move God from the fringe to the center of life. It endeavors to do this by implementing the dictum of Jesus: “Where your treasure

is, there will your heart be also.” If we place God first in our lives and invest our treasure in Him, our heart will follow our treasure. Nay more, our lives will overflow with joy.

We do not give because the Church needs money to carry on its work. We do not give because the Church needs a new roof or a new boiler. This approach amounts to nothing but begging. It is simply not proper for God’s church to beg.

We give because we need to give. We give because we need to express to God our gratitude for His countless blessings to us. We give because we need to acknowledge practically in our lives with such concrete things as ourtime, talents and possessions that God does indeed come first; that He deserves the first and the best portion of all that I am and possess.

More important that what the Church needs is the need of the giver to give.

In Christ,

The Stewardship Committee

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENIOR GUILD

Dear Senior Guild Members,

The next meeting of the Senior Guild is on October the 18th, 2018 (St. Luke The Evangelist). We will discuss the Main Event in December. Please contact Artemis Martakis @ (508) 785- 0045 with any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

Artemis Martakis

ST. DEMETRIOS DIRECTORY

As part of our 60th Anniversary activities, we will be publishing an updated membership directory. We will be reaching out to you for confirmation of the accuracy of your contact information (address, phone number, email etc.)

There will also be an opportunity, as in the past, for business and underwriter support. More information will be forthcoming. Feel free to contact Georgia Gefteas with any questions— 781-431-7479

THE FR. MANIKAS LIBRARY

Book of the Month:

A Pilgrim's Guide to the Holy Land by Holy Nativity Convent



This inspired account follows a pilgrim in the footsteps of our Saviour through today's treasured Holy Land. Biblical texts provide a guide for travel according to events in the life of Christ as one visits shrines, monasteries, mountains, and rivers.

We invite you to come and visit the parish library. We are growing thanks to recent donations – check us out. The library is opened every Sunday after Liturgy. However, you are welcomed to visit the library when the Church office is opened. As outlined in the Library Policies and Procedures please fill out both cards and leave the orange card in the metal box. Date is the month and year when you borrow the book. This will help us to keep track of our books.

Remember, this library is for you and your family.



In memory of 2nd Lt. Ian Thomas McVey, USMC
Philoptochos Seeks Donations for Veterans
November to Remember Veterans

"God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."
Psalms 46:1

St. Demetrios Church celebrates its 60th Anniversary this year and has a long history of helping those in need. We ask for your continued support of our November Drive to assist Veterans in need. Your continued generosity with this annual ministry of helping our Veterans is needed more than ever.

The Thanksgiving for Veterans drive provides a complete Thanksgiving meal to a Veteran family.

Veteran Thanksgiving Meal

- 60 turkeys, frozen or fresh
- 300 canned/non-perishable sides: cranberry sauce, squash, vegetables, stuffing, boxed potatoes.

The Operation Housewarming Project provides housewarming baskets to those veterans transitioning to independent living.

Housewarming Baskets: All new – No used items PLEASE

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| • Broom/Dustpan | Mop |
| • Bucket | Toilet brush & holder |
| • Shower curtain | Shower rings |
| • Dishpan | Dish rack/tray |
| • Dish Cloth/Towel | Cleaning sponge |
| • Flashlight/Batteries | Toothpaste |
| • Dish Soap | Liquid hand soap |
| • Bar soap (pkg. of 4) | Paper towels (pkg. of 4) |
| • Toilet paper (pkg. of 4) | Trash container/bags |
| • Bath towel/wash cloths (2 to start) | Laundry detergent |
| • Small bathroom trash container | All purpose cleaner |

Gift cards to local supermarkets and monetary donations to purchase items are also welcome. Checks payable to: St. Demetrios Philoptochos.

Contact: Chris Kourlos: 508.380.8220 or Eugenia Kourlos: 508.735.8866 or kourkat1@gmail.com

Please submit contributions during the social hour by November 18th.

ORTHODOX LIFE

Join us for an Introduction to the Orthodox Faith studying the **"Journey to Fullness"** produced by Ancient Faith Ministries. This is a great opportunity for those who want to learn more about the faith and those who are interested in converting/being Chrismated in the faith. We will look at our Orthodox faith on a basic, elementary level and discuss the aspects of it.



Dates will be forthcoming. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Vinnie at frvincent@stdemetriosweston.org.

WINE TASTING

ST. DEMETRIOS
WESTON
OCTOBER 12,
6:30-9:30 PM
21+ EVENT
\$20 IN
ADVANCE/\$25
AT THE DOOR.

PLEASE CONTACT
DEAN COCLIN
WITH ANY
QUESTIONS.
781-789-8686 OR
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SUNDAY OF THE SEVENTH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL, OCTOBER 14TH

Held in Nicaea, Asia Minor in 787. Under Empress Irene. 367 Bishops were present.

The Iconoclast Controversy

It centered around the use of icons in the Church and the controversy between the iconoclasts and iconophiles. The Iconoclasts were suspicious of religious art; they demanded that the Church rid itself of such art and that it be destroyed or broken (as the term "iconoclast" implies).

The iconophiles believed that icons served to preserve the doctrinal teachings of the Church; they considered icons to be man's dynamic way of expressing the divine through art and beauty. The Iconoclast controversy was a form of Monophysitism: distrust and downgrading of the human side.

The Council's Proclamation

"We define that the holy icons, whether in color, mosaic, or some other material, should be exhibited in the holy churches of God, on the sacred vessels and liturgical vestments, on the walls, furnishings, and in houses and along the roads, namely the icons of our Lord God and Savior Jesus Christ, that of our Lady the Theotokos, those of the venerable angels and those of all saintly people. Whenever these representations are contemplated, they will cause those who look at them to commemorate and love their prototype. We define also that they should be kissed and that they are an object of veneration and honor (timetiki proskynisis), but not of real worship (latreia), which is reserved for Him Who is the subject of our faith and is proper for the divine nature, ... which is in effect transmitted to the prototype; he who venerates the icon, venerated in it the reality for which it stands."



FR NICK AND FR. VINNIE WITH
FR CHRIS METROPULOS
HELLENIC COLLEGE/ HOLY CROSS
VISIT- SEPTEMBER 16TH



ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS

Altar flowers were generously donated by the following parishioners:

September 2: In loving memory of Panos Spiliakos from his family.

September 16: In loving memory of Spiridon Zisis by his loving aunt Eleni Zisis.

September 30: In memory of Eleni Kyriakis, lovingly from her family.

In loving memory of our beloved sister and aunt Alexandra Alagiannis- The Margaritis Family

From Jane Bouyoukas in loving memory of her husband Peter.

WEDDINGS

Myles Amory Sullivan Walker and Alexandra Marie Stavropoulos were united in marriage on Saturday, September 1. Their sponsor was Victoria Stavropoulos.

Fotios William Kourtis and Rachael Elizabeth Apone were united in marriage on Sunday, September 16th. Their sponsor was Anastasia Kurkuvelos.

FUNERALS

James Condos of Ashland, September 18

May their memory be eternal!

BAPTISMS

The daughter of Joe and Stella Nguyen was baptized on Sunday, September 30th and named Lina. The sponsor was Dimitri Kapalis.

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