



METROPOLIS OF
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ANNUNCIATION GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL

Very Rev. Archimandrite Nicholas Hughes
Cathedral Dean

PRESBYTER PANTELEIMON MAILLIS
ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Feast Day of St. Haralambos the Holy Martyr

Dearly Beloved Annunciation Cathedral Family,

I am pleased to announce that we are now offering automatic Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) to allow you to contribute to your Stewardship pledge on a monthly basis directly from either your checking or savings account.

By participating in this new program, you will no longer need to mail a check to the Cathedral office or have to remember to bring your stewardship envelope with you to church on Sunday. Rather, your financial institution will automatically send us your monthly contribution from either your checking or savings account the first of every month. Your stewardship pledge will automatically be credited.

There is no cost to you to participate in this program and it is very secure. Your contribution is made by your financial institution only with your authorization. Federal banking regulations assure that only you can change the contribution amount and payment method. What's more, federal consumer safeguard regulations are even more stringent for EFT than when you pay by check, which means that EFT is more secure than conventional checking.

You can change the amount deducted or cancel the automatic deduction at any time by contacting the Cathedral office. In addition, if you have signed up for weekly contribution, you will automatically be changed to monthly contribution for your stewardship pledge.

To register for EFT simply:

1. Complete the enclosed enrollment form.
2. Place your completed form in the provided envelope. If you choose to pay with the checking account option, please enclose a voided check.
3. Mail to the address listed.

I hope you will take advantage of the convenience offered by this new program. Please do not hesitate to contact any Parish Council member if you have any questions or concerns.

Yours in Christ –

John Bizios
Parish Council President



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EFT Authorization Form

I hereby authorize:

(Name of your bank or financial institution)

to make my monthly stewardship payment on my behalf from the checking or savings account listed below and transfer it to the Annunciation Greek Orthodox Cathedral.

CHOOSE ONE:

___ Checking Account Transfer
(Voided check must be attached.)

___ Savings Account Transfer

(Savings Account Number)

I understand that I am in full control of my EFT payment, and if at any time I decide to make any changes or discontinue this service, I need only notify the Cathedral office in writing.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Envelope #: _____ (Note: We will look it up if you don't remember it)

Monthly Payment Amount: \$ _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____