

CURRENT ACTIVITIES

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The next Parish Council Meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 9, 2018** at 7:00 p.m. All members of the Annunciation Greek Orthodox Cathedral in-good-standing are welcome to attend all parish council meetings.

NAVIGATING SOCIAL MEDIA AND TEEN RELATIONSHIPS

A workshop for students in grades 9-12 and adults.

September 18, 2018, 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Annunciation Cathedral Complex



One in 4 teens say social media has a mostly negative effect because it can harm relationships.

Workshop includes conversations by Columbus teens about achieving balance with technology in their lives. This interactive workshop includes the positives and the pressures of social media in teens' lives. Get the tools and strategies to bring balance into YOUR life.

Also in this Workshop:

- Identify the warning signs of unhealthy peer and dating relationships
- Utilize strategies for managing high risk situations

Presenters: Caitlin Tully, Training and Development Supervisor at The Center for Family Safety and Healing; Jean Sullenberger, Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor (MA, LPCC) Adagio Counseling Services, LLC; Rev. Fr. Dean Kokanos, The Presentation of Christ (Ypapanti), Pittsburgh, PA

Sponsored by Annunciation Philoptochos

RSVP is not required, however a courtesy response to Evangeline Baron at eabaroness@gmail.com would be appreciated to help us plan accordingly. Thank you.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

For all those planning to pilgrimage to Jerusalem next year, please join us Tuesday, September 25th in the Social Hall at 7:00 p.m. for a meeting. At this meeting you will receive a finalized itinerary, pricing, and terms/conditions. If you would like to reserve a spot, please bring a copy of your Passport's main page (color copy) and checkbook for payment. As we have discussed, the cost will be just below \$3,000. Many have expressed interest in the trip, so if you would like to participate please make every effort to be present at this meeting! Space is limited!

50 PLUS ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER

The 50 Plus Group will meet in the Social Hall at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, September 25, 2018 for their Annual Spaghetti Dinner. More information to follow.

WELCOMING TO THE ANNUNCIATION GREEK ORTHODOX CATHEDRAL

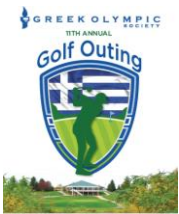


Hawaii's Myrrh-Streaming Iveron Icon - Tuesday, October 2, 2018, Paraklesis Service 6:30 PM, Followed by anointing with Holy Myrrh from the Icon

From thy Holy Icon, O Lady Theotokos, blessed myrrh has flowed abundantly. Thou hast thereby consoled those, in exile, faithful unto thee, and hast enlighten the unbelievers by thy Son's light. Therefore O Lady, with tears we bow down to thee. Be merciful to us in the hour of judgment.

Lest having received thy mercy we be punished as those who have been contemptuous of it. But grant us through thy prayers to bring forth spiritual fruit, and save our souls" - Troparion to the Iveron Icon, Tone 7. For more information please contact the church office at 614-224-9020.

11th ANNUAL GREEK OLYMPIC SOCIETY GOLF OUTING



Please join us on Sunday, September 30, 2018, at Indian Springs Golf Club, 11111 St. Rt. 161, Mechanicsburg, OH 43044 (Carpooling meeting point at Honey Dipped Diner on Kenny Road). Shotgun starts at 2:00 p.m. and is open to everyone. The \$75 players fee includes: Round of golf, cart fee, sleeve of golf balls, drink tickets, BBQ Rib lunch (prepared by Mario), and awards afterwards. Many prizes for participants! A few laughs and an

afternoon of FUN and FELLOWSHIP. Make your reservation now! Contact Dean Adamantidis at 614-774-9245 or email deanadamant@yahoo.com. Thanks to our "Scouts" for setting up this event.

BIBLE STUDY- OCTOBER 4, 2018, 11:00 A.M. – 12:30 P.M. EVERY THURSDAY

Beginning October 4, 2018, 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. every Thursday – Youth Room. We will begin with "The Prison Epistles" Only \$13.00. Please let Terry Morgan know if you want to purchase a book. terrymorgie@yahoo.com

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2018 at 7:00 P.M.

Within your lifetime, this could be one of the most important events for you to attend! On Thursday, October 18th, at our Cathedral's Social Hall, a one-half hour class on Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) will be presented by the American Red Cross. This event is sponsored by the Greek Olympic Society at no cost to you. Within that 30 minutes, you will learn how to perform CPR. Yes, you could save someone's life with what you learn that evening. The Red Cross will need to know how many people to prepare for so please make your reservation by calling the church office at 614-224-9020 or send an e-mail to dennymardas@yahoo.com.

ANNUNCIATION AKRON GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH - AKRON IKARIAN GLENDI

Saturday, October 20, 2018 - 8:00pm, 129 S. Union St. Akron, Ohio. Music by Stigma, Featuring Ikarian Violin by Peter Karnavas. Tickets - \$20 (children 10 & under free). Appetizer buffet included, cash bar available. Tickets available at the door! Want tickets in advance? Call Paula @ 330-714-6803 or Email Lia - lspithas@gmail.com

CURRENT SUNDAY SACK LUNCH SCHEDULE:

October 7 (Anyone Available) November 11 (Anyone Available)
October 14 (Sunday School) November 18 (Sunday School)

CULTURAL EXHIBIT

This museum type exhibit displays folk wedding costumes from all over Greece. A folklore exhibit of costumes on mannequins was prepared for the Festival and will remain in the library (first door to the left past the Bookstore). Please stop by during Social Hour.

CELEBRATING GOD’S CREATION

**First Class on Creation
Care Begins TODAY
September 16!**

Go to our Website at
CelebratingGodsCreation.com



To restore the planet we need a spiritual worldview, which brings frugality and simplicity, humility and respect. We must constantly be aware of the impact of our actions on all of creation. We must direct our focus away from what we want to what the planet needs. We must choose to care for creation; otherwise, we do not really care about anything at all.
—Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew



**+DEMETRIOS
Archbishop of America**

“You have created all things in wisdom, and by Your all-powerful word, You organized the whole cosmos.’ Thus, we encourage every parish and individual to heed this message by developing programs to assist our communities in becoming better stewards of creation. “

“In this way the Church continuously declares that man is destined not to exercise power over creation as if he were the owner of it, but to act as its steward, cultivating it in love and referring it in thankfulness with respect and reverence to its Creator.”

First Adult Orthodox Catechism Class on Creation Care starts TODAY Sunday, September 16 after Holy Communion in Room 207. This is the first of six classes that will focus on creation care. Check the calendar below for future dates.



Calendar:
Adult Orthodox Catechism Classes on Creation Care after Holy Communion in Rm 207:

Sep 16, Oct 28, Nov 4, Dec 2,
Mar 24, May 26

Dec 16 Dog/Cat Christmas Treat Sale

**For more information contact Presvytera Evangeline Baron, Helen Rankin or Diane Chakalis*