



Weekly Bulletin

Greek Orthodox Cathedral of
the Annunciation

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Sunday, April 17 | Palm Sunday

Symeon the Holy Martyr, Bishop of Persepolis, and those with him
Makarios, Bishop of Corinth; Agapetos of Rome; Hadrian the New-Martyr
Donnan, Abbot of Eigg, and the Monk-Martyrs with him

- Reminder - Holy Unction is not permitted to be taken home. If you are unable to attend Holy Unction service, you may ask the Priest to anoint you on another day of Holy Week. Click [HERE](#) to read Holy Unction Protocol No. 03/17.

Holy Week Offerings



Pascha
Offering



Donate
Flowers for
the
Epitaphion



Click [HERE](#) to make an offering for Great Lent and Holy Week.

Honor the Memory of Loved One with A Luminary
Today is the deadline to order luminaries.

THE CATHEDRAL CLERGY & STAFF WISH EVERYONE A
BLESSED HOLY WEEK AND PASCHA!!!

Καλή Ανάσταση!

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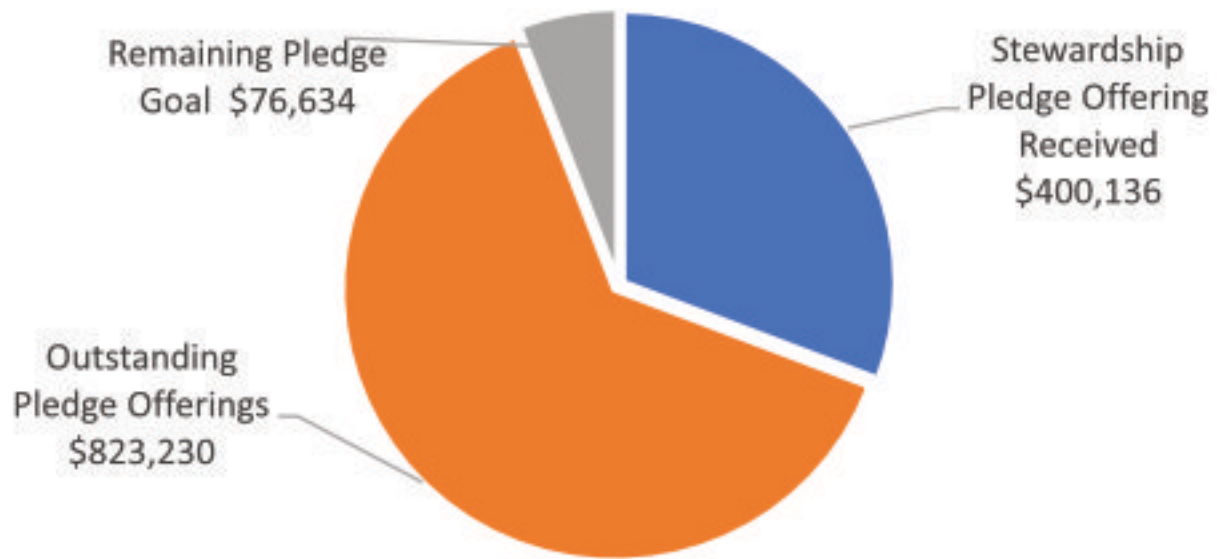
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Stewardship

We want to thank you for your continued support of the Cathedral during this difficult time. We are still one community, worshipping and praying together.

2022 Pledges Stewardship Goal - \$1,300,000

2022 Pledges Received - \$1,223,366



Support our Cathedral



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See a member of
Parish Council



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Or visit us at atlgoc.org to light candles and submit names for prayers, manage your online giving, make a quick donation, and more.

Ministries

Service to others for the glory of God

"Church Ministry", refers to any person, persons, program or organization of the Church, who or which, alone and together, labors in love to accomplish the work of God's Holy Church here on earth.

Sunday School

**Please make sure students go to their classrooms immediately following the Prayer of Thanksgiving.*

April 17th

Palm Sunday remain in the Divine Liturgy with your family - No Sunday School

April 24th

PASCHA - AGAPE Service remain with your family - No Sunday School

May 1st

Regular Class Schedule

HOPE & JOY

May 15th

Traveling with Matthias

GOYA

April 23rd

Church Clean-up/Preparation for Easter

PHILOPTOCHOS SCHOLARSHIPS

Our Philoptochos Ypapanti Chapter is offering three \$2000 scholarships for the 2022-23 academic year: Anna Mae Livaditis Memorial, Olga Biehler Memorial, and Philoptochos scholarships. These scholarships are dedicated to promote, encourage, and advance education and are limited to high school seniors and undergraduate college students who are members of the Cathedral. The scholarships are awarded based on financial need foremost as well as academic achievement and involvement in the church & community. Students who have not previously received the scholarship are encouraged to apply. Applications are available on the Cathedral Website. The deadline to submit the application is Friday, May 13, 2022. Please contact Claire Gilmore if you have questions gilmore11@comcast.net

Annunciation Day School

Would you like a free way to reduce your tax liability every year? The Apogee State Tax Credit program can help! It's an easy and fast way for YOU to decide how our state spends your tax dollars.

This Georgia State tax credit program allows you to redirect your state taxes to a private school of your choice (ADS) and in turn, receive a tax credit and/or reduction in your state taxes owed. Annunciation Day School receives these funds to use for student scholarships. It's a win-win! Your participation costs **NO EXTRA MONEY OUT OF YOUR POCKET!**

If you are single, you can redirect up to \$1,000 of your state taxes and if married, up to \$2,500. There's even a greater benefit if you own an LLC or S-Corp as you can deduct up to \$10,000 in state income taxes owed.

Signing up takes less than 3 minutes!
Visit www.apogee123.org and choose Annunciation Day School as your school recipient.

We would like to thank and acknowledge the following parishioners who have participated in the scholarship program to date:

Costa Panos/Realty Associates of Atlanta, Solon & Marianna Patterson, Mark & Dimitra Moraitakis, Stephen & Maria Chininis, Jimmy & Toula Kostopoulos, Manuel & Deidre Chaknis, James Burk and Helen Panos, Nicholas Grivas, Chris & Pattie Arapoglou, Jimmy Nakos, George & Eleny Katsoudas, Dr. Bruce & Meredith Beau, Eric & Amanda Kocefes-Russo, Dr. Andrew & Vicky Soulimiotis, Drs. Greg & Christine Esper, Taso Costarides, Stephen & Gabriela Lucas, Kosta & Carolyn Bozzuto

SACRAMENT OF HOLY CONFESSION

Holy Confession will be heard on the following days leading up to Pascha (Easter):

Palm Sunday Evening (4/17)
Holy Monday Evening (4/18)
Holy Tuesday Evening (4/19)

or by appointment by contacting either
Fr. Paul at frpaulk@atlhoc.org

or

Fr. Christos at frchristos@atlhoc.org

For preparation for Holy Confession
please refer to www.atlhoc.org/sacraments
and then select Confession.

HONOR THE MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE
WITH A LUMINARY

Sponsored by GOYA

Luminaries will light our procession of the Epitaphion on Great & Holy Friday Evening. During the procession, these luminaries will be arranged in alphabetical order by last name along our path.

Additionally, during the Great & Holy Friday service, the Clergy will remember your loved ones in prayer.

\$6.00 donation per luminary

www.atlhoc.org/holy-week-store

Please complete the online form no later than
Sunday, April 17th.

Thank you for your support of GOYA!



ANNUNCIATION DAY SCHOOL



Preschool - 8th Grade

Centered in Christ, Children and Community

Enroll your child at ADS this fall!

Parishioners in good standing receive 5% off tuition.
Call 404-565-2850 to check on available seats or sign
up to be on our Spartan wait list.

Gifts for Great Lent & Holy Week

Items needed during Great Lent and Holy Week which can be donated in memory or for the health of a loved one:

Please note: If an item is already selected the donation will be applied to items needed.

| Items | Suggested Donations |
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| Decorations of Icon of the Virgin Mary for Heretismi (5) | \$150 each |
| Decorations of Icon of the Annunciation (March 25) | \$200 |
| Artoclasia for Vespers for the Annunciation (March 24) | \$100- Donated |
| Artoclasia for the Feast of the Annunciation (March 25) | \$100 Donated |
| Decorations of Icon of the Annunciation for the Icon Screen | \$1,500- Donated |
| Daffodils of Sunday of Holy Cross | \$750- Donated |
| Prosporon | \$10 each |
| Wine for Holy Communion, case of 6 | \$180 per-case- Donated |
| Olive Oil used in the Altar (4) | \$250 |
| Charcoal | \$75- Donated |
| Incense | \$100 Donated |
| Rose Water (4) | \$50- Donated |
| Candles for Altar Boys | \$300 |
| Safety Cups for Holy Friday and Easter Sunday | \$300 |
| Floral Arch over Royal Gates | \$250 Donated |
| Decorations of Icon of Saturday of Lazarus | \$150 Donated |
| Palms (Fans & Strips for making Crosses) | \$750 Donated |
| Decorations of Icon of Palm Sunday | \$150- Donated |
| Decorations of Icon of Nymphios (3 days) | \$150 per day |
| Decorations of Icon of Mystical Supper | \$150- Donated |
| Supplies for Holy Unction (Olive Oil, Rose Oil, flour) | \$100- Donated |
| 7 Candles for Holy Unction Bowl | \$25 Donated |
| Candles on the Cross of Christ (Thursday and Friday) | \$100- Donated |
| Candles for Holy Thursday Night (12) | \$150- Donated |
| Wreath that hangs from Cross (1) | \$200- Donated |
| Other Wreaths around base of Cross (2) | \$100 each Donated |
| Decorations of Icon of the Crucifixion | \$150- Donated |
| Candles for Epitaphion (4) | \$50 each- Donated |
| Rose Petals | \$35 Donated |
| Tulle for covering of Epitaphios cloth | \$50 Donated |
| Decorations of Icon of Epitaphios | \$150 Donated |
| Bay Leaves | \$50- Donated |
| Decorations of Icon of Resurrection (2) | \$150 each- Donated |
| Decorated Easter candles for Clergy (3) | \$100 each |
| Eggs and Dye | \$300 |
| Tulle Bags & Ribbon for Red Eggs | \$200- Donated |
| Lilies | \$35 each |
| 500 Chocolate Easter Bunnies | \$300 Donated |

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Ecclesiastical Calendar

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| Sunday, April 17 <i>Palm Sunday</i> | Orthros in the Cathedral 1 st Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral 2 nd Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral 1 st Nymphios Service in the Cathedral | 6:45 am 8:00 am 9:30 am 6:30 pm |
| Monday, April 18 <i>Holy Monday</i> | 9 th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Cathedral 2 nd Nymphios Service in the Cathedral | 8:30 am 6:30 pm |
| Tuesday, April 19 <i>Holy Tuesday</i> | 9 th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Cathedral 3 rd Nymphios Service in the Cathedral | 8:30 am 6:30 pm |
| Wednesday, April 20 <i>Holy Wednesday</i> | 9 th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Cathedral Holy Unction in the Cathedral Nyptiras Service in the Cathedral | 8:30 am 2:00 pm 6:30 pm |
| Thursday, April 21 <i>Holy Thursday</i> | Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil in the Cathedral The Holy Passion (12 Gospels) | 6:30 am 6:00 pm |
| Friday, April 22 <i>Great & Holy Friday</i> | Great & Royal Hours in the Cathedral Vespers & Apokatheosis in the Cathedral Epitaphios Service in the Cathedral | 9:00 am 3:00 pm 6:30 pm |
| Saturday, April 23 <i>Great & Holy Saturday</i> | Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil in the Cathedral Resurrection of Our Lord in the Cathedral | 9:00 am 11:00 pm |
| Sunday, April 24 <i>Great & Holy Pascha of Our Lord</i> | Agape Vespers in the Cathedral | 11:00 am |

Events & Activities

No Meetings During Holy Week

*The Metropolis Office will be closed Holy Wednesday at noon through Bright Monday
The Cathedral Office will be closed Great & Holy Friday through Bright Monday.*

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| Sunday, April 17 | No Sunday School | |
| Monday, April 18 | Annunciation Day School Annunciation Afternoon Greek School | 8:00 am |
| Tuesday, April 19 | Annunciation Day School | 8:00 am |
| Wednesday, April 20 | Annunciation Day School Annunciation Day School Attends Pre-Sanctified Annunciation Afternoon Greek School | 8:00 am 9:00 am |
| Thursday, April 21 | Annunciation Day School ADS vs Atlanta Girls School on Soccer Field | 8:00 am 4:00 pm |
| Friday, April 22 | No Annunciation Day School - Great & Holy Friday Observed | |
| Saturday, April 23 | GOYA Church Clean-up/Preparation for Easter | 11:00 am |
| Sunday, April 24 | No Sunday School | |