

Greek Orthodox Cathedral of the Annunciation

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Sunday, March 31 | Sunday of Orthodoxy

The Holy Hieromartyr Hypatius, Bishop of Gangra, Theophilos the Martyr and those with him Innocent, Enlightener of Siberia & Alaska, Akakios the Confessor

Holy Week Store



Pascha Offering



Donate Flowers for the Epitaphion



Honor the Memory of a loved one

All items needed for Holy Week are in an online Store! Special Gifts for Great Lent and Holy Week, Holy Week books, Luminaries & Epitaphion. Click <u>HERE</u> for more information.

"Sharing Our Daily Bread"
March 2024 is one of the months of the year with five Sundays, and thus, we call upon the faithful to "Share their Daily Bread", by purchasing Gift Cards in \$25 increments from Kroger, Walmart, or QuikTrip. Click HERE to donate. We appreciate your generous offerings to those in need. Thank you!

Saturday of Service

Please join us for Saturday of Service on April 13. Please see the flyer for more information and sign-up HERE.

Philoptochos Scholarships

Our Philoptochos Ypapanti Chapter is offering three \$2000 scholarships for the 2023-24 academic year: Anna Mae Livaditis Memorial, Olga Biehler Memorial, and Philoptochos scholarships. These scholarships are dedicated to promoting, encouraging, and advancing 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 and 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, April 19, 2024. Please contact Anthea Economy if you have questions (antheaeconomy@westminster.net). All information is held in strict confidence.

Parish Contact Information

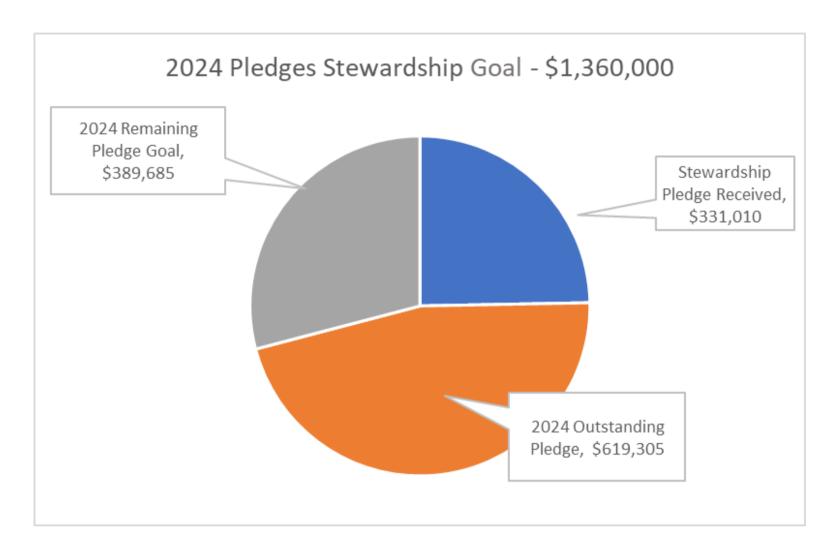
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Stewardship

We want to thank you for your continued support of the Cathedral. We are one community, worshiping and praying together.



Support our Cathedral



Text "ATLGOC" to 73256



See a member of Parish Council



Scan this QR Code

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

Sunday School

April 7th

PreK-5th Grades will participate in the Sunday of the Holy Cross Procession. 6th - 12th Grades will remain in Church to observe the procession. ALL classes will go to the Ballroom for a Special Activity, which will be held for 30 minutes

Heretismi Services Each week, students and teachers will meet in the Bride's Room at 6:15 pm, then sit together in Church. April 5th 6th, 7th & 8th Grades April 12th 9th, 10th, 11th & 12th Grades April 19th ALL Students & Teachers

HOPE & JOY

April 14 "It's three clothes in one!" The Antimensions

GOYA

April 7

GOYA Board Meeting in the Conference Room

Parish Level Oratorical Festival: Rough Drafts are due to our priests TODAY!

The Festival will be held on Sunday, April 14th. If you have not registered, but plan on participating, contact our Festival Chairman NOW Jerry Odenwelder <u>jerry.odenwelder@gmail.com</u> or Susan Marinos SundaySchool@atlgoc.org.

Registration Link:

https://religioused.formstack.com/forms/sjcof_participant

Summer Camp

Our Cathedral's Summer Day Camp Click HERE to register!

Summer Day Camp Staff applications are available through March 31st at

https://www.atlgoc.org/summer-camp. *CITs must have completed 10th Grade to apply. Counselors must have been a CIT before applying to be a counselor.







LOWEST Tuition in ATLANTA

\$4,000 for Preschoo \$9,050 for K-5; \$11,450 for 6th-8th



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IOWA



AnnunciationDaySchool.org



Please join us on Thursday, April 11, in the Kartos Ballroom at 10:30 am for our monthly get together. This month's luncheon is hosted by Cy Hume of A. S. Turners & Son Funeral Home. Fr. Paul will speak about the Veneration of the Holy Cross: The Cross of Christ and the Struggle against Evil.

Golden Group is on the move again. We are traveling to the Diakonia Retreat Center in Salem, South Carolina on Thursday, April 18. We will visit the beautiful Panagia chapel and tour the grounds of the Retreat Center. After our visit we will stop for lunch at an area restaurant. Please park in the lower parking lot and meet in front of the Atrium doors by 9:15 am. Contact Barbara Hall (770-355-1691) to reserve your place.

Transportation cost is \$10 and lunch will be on your own.





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Come and receive the Sacrament of Holy Confession during Great Lent and Holy Week



EVERY FRIDAY EVENING DURING GREAT LENT (4/5, 4/12, 4/19, 4/26)

PALM SUNDAY EVENING APRIL 28

HOLY MONDAY EVENING APRIL 29

HOLY TUESDAY EVENING APRIL 30

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT, PLEASE REACH OUT TO OUR CLERGY AT 404-633-5870

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.

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Decorations of Icon of the Virgin Mary for Heretismi (4)	\$250 each
Decorations of Icon of the Annunciation (March 25)	\$350
Artoclasia for Vespers for the Annunciation (March 24)	\$100
Artoclasia for the Feast of the Annunciation (March 25) Donated	\$100
Decorations of Icon of the Annunciation for the Icon Screen Donated	\$1,500
Daffodils for Sunday of Holy Cross Donated	\$750
Prosphoron	\$10 each
Wine for Holy Communion, case of 6	\$180 per case
Olive Oil used in the Altar (4)	\$250
Charcoal	\$75
Incense	\$100
Rose Water (4)	\$50 each
Candles for Altar Boys	\$300
Safety Cups for Holy Friday and Easter Sunday	\$300
Floral Arch over Royal Gates Donated	\$250
Decorations of Icon of Saturday of Lazarus	\$250
Palms (Fans & Strips for making Crosses)	\$750
Decorations of Icon of Palm Sunday Donated	\$250
Decorations of Icon of Nymphios (3 days)	\$250 per day
Decorations of Icon of Mystical Supper	\$250
Supplies for Holy Unction (Olive Oil, Rose Oil, flour) Donated	\$100
7 Candles for Holy Unction Bowl	\$25
Candles on the Cross of Christ (Thursday and Friday) 4 Services	\$100 per service
Candles for Holy Thursday Night (12)	\$150
Wreath that hangs from Cross (1) Donated	\$200
Other Wreaths around base of Cross (2) Donated	\$150 each
Decorations of Icon of the Crucifixion	\$250
Candles for Epitaphion (4) Donated	\$50 each
Rose Petals	\$35
Tulle for covering of Epitaphios cloth	\$50
Decorations of Icon of Epitaphios Donated	\$250
Bay Leaves	\$50
Decorations of Icon of Resurrection (2)	\$250 each
Decorated Easter candles for Clergy (4)	\$100 each
Eggs and Dye	\$300
Tulle Bags & Ribbon for Red Eggs Donated	\$200
Potted Flowers	\$40 each
Chocolate Easter Bunnies Donated	\$300

To make a donation please visit www.atlgoc.org/holy-week-store

The best gift a person can give to another is their "Time". Come offer a few hours on Saturday, April 13th to volunteer at one of the great organizations listed below! There is opportunity for all age groups, including some family-friendly choices! **Volunteer registration is now available on SignUp Genius on our Annunciation Cathedral's website** (www.atlgoc.org). If you have any questions on Saturday of Service, please contact wickieklemis@gmail.com.

Volunteers will meet at the Cathedral at 8am on April 13th for Breakfast and after, depart for your assignments.

HELPING MAMAS (9AM-12NOON)

4487 Park Drive, Suite A1 | Norcross GA 30093 www.helpingmamas.org

- No. Volunteers: 15 spots
 Age Limit: 8 years up
- · Waiver: Yes (Adult & Child included on link)
- Help inventory & organize donations, sort clothing & baby supplies
- Warehouse, dress for weather; closed-toe shoe

NOTE: Direct link on SignUp Genius will take you to HM's site.

OPEN HAND ATLANTA (9am-12noon)

181 Armour Drive, NE | Atlanta, GA 30324 OpenHandAtlanta.org

- No. Volunteers: 16 spots
 - Market Basket Packing (10 spots)
 - 3 Delivery Routes (3 drivers/1 passenger each)
- Age Limit: 13 years up
- Waiver: Yes (Adult & Child; complete onsite)
- Packing meals for delivery OR Deliver meals
- Warehouse, walk-in cooler; bring coat & thin gloves; masks (for warmth, not required)

NOTE: Direct link on SignUp Genius will take you to OHA's site.

NICHOLAS HOUSE (10AM-1PM)

830 Boulevard SE | Atlanta, GA 30312 https://nicholashouse.org/

- No. of Volunteers: 10 spots
- . Age Limit: 9 years up & group accompanied by adult
- Waiver: No
- Organize donations; indoor game play with children 6 months to teenagers; welcome to bring your games

HOPE LODGE (9:00AM-11AM) American Cancer Society Richard M. Schulze Family Foundation 1552 Shoup Court | Decatur, GA 30033

- No. Volunteers: 8-10 spots
- Age Limit: 14 years up
- Waiver: No
- Prepare & serve lite breakfast; visit with patients & caregivers; clean kitchen
- Mask required during visit

FODAC (10am-12:30pm)

4900 Lewis Rd, Stone Mountain, GA 30083 www.FODAC.org

- No. Volunteers: 10-25 spots
- · Age Limit: 14 years up (consent form from Parent)
- Waiver: Yes
- . Cleaning, stocking, staffing at Thrift Store
- · Dress: Jeans, tennis shoes, light jacket

We look forward to your participation!

Make it a fun day with family and friends!

Know that **YOU are making an impact** by helping those less fortunate!

Make it a GREAT DAY of SERVICE!!

Ecclesiastical Calendar

Sunday, March 31 2nd Sunday of Great Lent	Orthros followed by Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral	8:00 am
Monday, April 1	Great Compline in the Cathedral	6:00 pm
Wednesday, April 3	9th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Metropolis Chapel 9th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy in the Cathedral	8:30 am 5:00 pm
Friday, April 5	3rd Salutations in the Cathedral	6:30 pm
Sunday, April 7 Veneration of the Holy Cross	Orthros followed by Divine Liturgy in the Cathedral	8:00 am

Fr. Christos will be away from the Annunciation Cathedral from Friday, March 29 returning on Friday, April 5.

For all pastoral concerns, please contact Fr. Paul Kaplanis.

Events & Activities

Sunday, March 31	Pickleball in the Gym	4:00 pm
Monday, April 1	Seniors at Play	11:00 am
Tuesday, April 2	GOOFS Coffee & Doughnuts in the Kafenion	9:00 am
Wednesday, April 3	Mahjong and Games in the Kafenion Wednesday Nite Life Speaker following 9th Hour & Pre-Sanctified Liturgy Godparent Seminar via Zoom Pickleball in the Gym	10:00 am 6:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:00 pm
Sunday, April 7	Pickleball in the Gym	4:00 pm

Youth

Sunday, March 31 Sunday School following the Prayer of Thanksgiving

Monday, April 1

Tuesday, April 2

Wednesday, April 3

Thursday, April 4

Friday, April 5

Sunday, April 7



Sunday School following the Prayer of Thanksgiving GOYA Board Meeting in the Conference Room