

THE BASILIAN

MARCH 2021

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OUR JOURNEY TO PASCHA! 2021		
SUNDAYS	THEMES / GOSPEL READING	HOW TO PARTICIPATE:
Fast - Free Week FEBRUARY 21st	<p><i>TRIODION WEEKS</i></p> <p>Publican and the Pharisee Epistle: 2 Timothy 3:10-15 Gospel: Luke 18:10-14</p>	Show compassion on the poor and distressed. Trust in God, not yourself and ask for His help before every task this week.
Normal Fast Week FEBRUARY 28th	<p>The Prodigal Son Returns! Epistle: 1 Corinthians 6:12-20 Gospel: Luke 15:11-32</p>	Schedule a Confession. Every morning say, "Today I will be humble." Use up/freeze meats this week.
Meatfare MARCH 7th FAREWELL TO MEAT TODAY	<p>The Last Judgement Epistle: 1 Corinthians 8:8-9:2 Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46</p>	Pray facing East this week. Christ is returning from the East and we wait for Him! Use up/freeze dairy this week.
Cheesefare MARCH 14th FAREWELL TO CHEESE TODAY	<p>Adam and Eve are cast from Paradise! <i>FORGIVENESS SUNDAY</i> Epistle: Romans 13:11-14:4 Gospel: Matthew 6:14-21</p>	Ask each other for forgiveness each evening this week before bed.
1st Sunday of Lent MARCH 21st	<p><i>GREAT LENT BEGINS WITH FORGIVENESS VESPERS</i></p> <p>SUNDAY of ORTHODOXY Epistle: Hebrews 11:24-26, 32-12:2 Gospel: John 1:43-51</p>	Bring an icon to church for a procession.
2nd Sunday of Lent MARCH 28th	<p>ST GREGORY PALAMAS Epistle: Hebrews 1:10-2:3 Gospel: Mark 2:1-12</p>	Bring a prayer rope to be blessed today! Use it and pray the Jesus Prayer each day this week.
3rd Sunday of Lent APRIL 4th	<p>VENERATION OF THE HOLY CROSS <i>HALF WAY TO PASCHA!</i> Epistle: Hebrews 4:14-5:6 Gospel: Mark 8:34-9:1</p>	Wear your cross to church and kiss the cross each morning with a bow!
4th Sunday of Lent APRIL 11th	<p>ST JOHN of the LADDER Epistle: Hebrews 6:13-20 Gospel: Mark 9:17-31</p>	Every time you climb stairs this week ask St. John to help you reach Paradise with the sign of the cross!
5th Sunday of Lent APRIL 18th	<p>ST MARY of EGYPT Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14 Gospel: Mark 10:32-45</p>	Ask the Theotokos to offer you and the world pure thoughts and ideas this week.
FLOWERY (PALM) SUNDAY! APRIL 25th GREAT WEEK BEGINS	<p><i>GREAT AND HOLY WEEK</i></p> <p>ENTRY OF OUR LORD INTO JERUSALEM Epistle: Philippians 4:4-9 Gospel: John 12:1-18</p>	Place your palm branches and pussywillows behind an icon at home and in your car!
GREAT AND HOLY FRIDAY APRIL 30th	<p>GREAT AND HOLY FRIDAY <i>JESUS DIES ON THE CROSS</i> CHECK WITH YOUR PARISH FOR ROYAL HOURS AND VESPERS SCHEDULE</p>	Refrain from TV, Internet & Phones to honor Christ's Death.
FEAST OF FEASTS! MAY 2nd NO FASTING!	<p><i>BRIGHT WEEK</i></p> <p>HOLY PASCHA! (CHRIST IS RISEN!) Epistle: Acts 1:1-8 Gospel: John 1:1-17</p>	Greet everyone with "CHRIST IS RISEN!" & say it before good morning and goodnight!

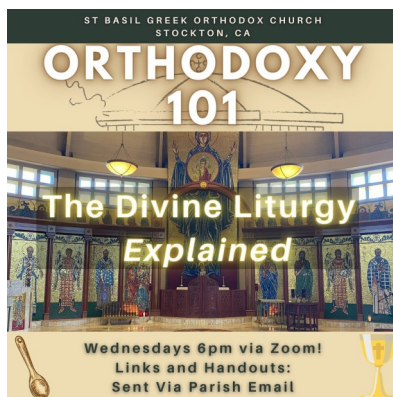
St. Basil Adult Faith Ministries for 2021

These ministries are open to all, Orthodox and non-Orthodox alike, and are meant to help us grow in our faith and love for Jesus Christ and to experience more fully and profoundly, His love, peace and purpose for our lives! These ministries will be offered only via Zoom at this time. A link to the Zoom meeting will be e-mailed in advance. For those who can't watch these classes live, we will record the sessions and post them on our St. Basil YouTube page. Our parish e-mail blast will be the primary way of communicating any announcements and links regarding the ministries listed below. If you are not on our parish e-mail blast list and wish to be added, please send your e-mail addresses with your request to be added to: office@gosaintbasil.org

Orthodoxy 101—*The Significance of the Divine Liturgy*—

Meets weekly via Zoom on Wednesday nights

6:00pm-7:00pm

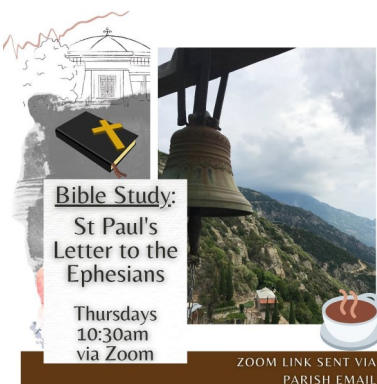


The Divine Liturgy is the main corporate worship service of the Orthodox Church and yet many are unfamiliar with its beauty, depth, symbolism and meaning. This class will explore the historical, spiritual and structural elements of the Liturgy and why all of these items matter to us today. For any questions regarding this ministry, and to be added to the official list of this ministry, please contact Fr. Panagiotis Sotiras at: frsotiras@gosaintbasil.org

Bible Study—St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews

Meets weekly via Zoom on Thursday mornings

10:30am-11:30am



Growing closer to Christ and experiencing His love, peace and joy is very much connected to the study and application of the Holy Scriptures. Towards that end, this class will reflect on St. Paul's letter to the Hebrews, with the purpose of applying the eternal truths found in his writing to our modern context and life. For any questions regarding this ministry, and to be added to the official list of this ministry, please contact Fr. Panagiotis Sotiras at: frsotiras@gosaintbasil.org

ST BASIL FAMILY LENTEN PSALM CHALLENGE



Dear Faithful and Friends of St. Basil's,

As we begin the Lenten season on March 15th, we're seeking 60 prayer volunteers to join our St. Basil Family Lenten Psalm Challenge!

Sign up for a 'Stasis' (section) and every night throughout Lent the entire Book of Psalms will be read / prayed by our community. Invite your family and friends to sign up!

How will we do this?

1) Sign up for a 'Stasis' (section) below.

Click Here to sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4DA8A822A4F4C43-lenten>

and Download PDF of Psalm Book [Here](#)

2) Starting Monday, March 15th, at whichever time is convenient, each person will read/pray their respective 'Stasis' (section) on their own.

Every following day you will read the next 'Stasis' (section) in consecutive numerical order. For example, if on Monday March 15th you read Stasis #3, then on Tuesday March 16th you will read Stasis #4, and so on. (reference the sign up list from the link above)

3) Before and after reading, make the sign of the cross and say, "Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Now and ever and unto the ages of ages. Amen."

4) Remember that as you are reading your 'Stasis' (section), 59 other people are praying alongside you as well!

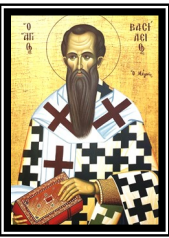
5) Revisit the SignUpGenius link to reference which 'Stasis' (section) you started from.

There is NO live stream or Zoom call to join. Instead, each person will read in the comfort of their own home (typically in the evening). Ends April 23rd (The 40th and last day of Lent).

We want to thank you all for becoming part of the challenge and we wish you all a very blessed and beautiful Lent and Pascha!

Questions? Contact Matthew: mjouthas@gosaintbasil.org

Available Slot	
Stasis #1 (First Kathisma: 1st Stasis) Psalms 1-3	Sign Up
Stasis #2 (First Kathisma: 2nd Stasis) Psalms 4-6	Sign Up
Stasis #3 (First Kathisma: 3rd Stasis) Psalms 7-9	Sign Up



YOUTH CENTER | Matthew Jouthas | Pastoral Assistant

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March Meetings				
Day	Group	Time	Group	Time
Tue 03/09	Hope/JOY	3:30pm	Jr. GOYA	4:35pm
Tue 03/23	Hope/JOY	3:30pm	Jr. GOYA	4:35pm

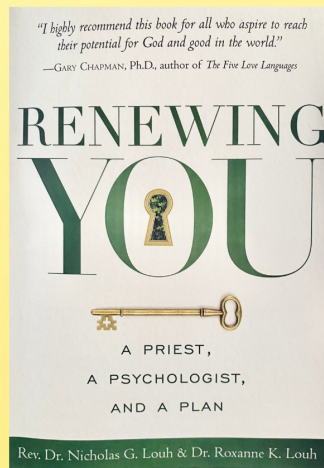
St Basil Greek Orthodox Church Stockton, CA
Young Adults and Adulting in Orthodoxy
(Those in their 20's & 30's)

'Renewing You'

Lenten Book Club

Thursdays
Via Zoom
7pm-8pm
(Link in Email)

March 4th
March 18th
April 1st
April 15th
May 6th



Together
We'll Explore:

- 'Make Faith Your Foundation'
- 'Remodel Your Mind'
- 'Find Victory Over Your Vices'
- 'Turn Trials into Triumphs'
- 'Tend to Yourself'
- 'Make Over Your Marriage'
- 'Equip Your Children'
- 'Share Your Light'





Family Wellness Ministry

A Ministry of the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of San Francisco Dedicated to Families

It's completely FREE!

Join us this spring as couples of all ages join us for three workshops that will focus on integrating cutting edge marriage research with the cutting edge of the Word of God. Reflections from the Parable of the Prodigal Son will allow us to see how the Journey of Marriage fits beautifully into the Lenten Journey. The theme of “coming home” will guide us toward the authentic love of God, the authentic self, and the authentic marriage that connects from the heart.



METROPOLIS OF SAN FRANCISCO MARRIAGE WORKSHOPS

“COMING HOME TO A BETTER MARRIAGE”

UNDERSTANDING & MOVING THROUGH CONFLICT WITH COMMUNICATION THAT CONNECTS

This series will integrate cutting edge marriage research with the cutting edge of the Word of God. Reflections from the Parable of the Prodigal Son will allow us to see how the Journey of Marriage fits beautifully into the Lenten Journey. The theme of “coming home” will guide us toward the authentic love of God, the authentic self, and the authentic marriage that connects from the heart.

MARCH 11 “HOW COUPLES STAY CONNECTED”

We all are created for connection, nonetheless our current communication patterns often lead us into conflict and disconnection. Insights into our ‘attachment styles’ and authentic connection with God will be offered to help us find our path ‘back home’ to our own heart and meaningful connection in our marriage.



PRESENTERS:

GEORGE PAPAGEORGE - LMFT
Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist
Director of Family Wellness Ministry



FR. VASILI HILLHOUSE - MDiv
M.A Marriage Studies

APRIL 8

“ONE FIGHT, TWO WINNERS”

Many avoid conflict believing it leads to negative results. Others engage at resolving conflict only to get angry, frustrated, feeling rejected and criticized. Proverbs 12:18 tells us that reckless words pierce like a sword, but the tongue of the wise brings healing. “One Fight, Two Winners” invites us to respond to conflict with wisdom as we discover that conflict done well offers opportunities for true intimacy, understanding, and connection.



PRESENTER:

FR. TOM TSAGALAKIS - MDiv, LMFT
Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist

MAY 13

“STOP THE INSANITY”

Attempting to resolve conflict using the same methods while looking for a different outcome is a classic example for the definition of insanity. In part 3 of this series you will learn some practical tips on how to engage conflict in different, and healthy ways, as well as learn how perspective taking can be the catalyst in helping you create deeper connections and positive changes in your marriage.



PRESENTER:

FR. TIMOTHY PAVLATOS
MDiv, LMFT, CCTP
Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist,
Certified Clinical Trauma Professional



REGISTRATION & INFORMATION:
WWW.GOSFYOUTH.ORG
WWW.FAMILYWELLNESSMINISTRY.ORG

THURSDAYS
6:30PM PST



STEWARDSHIP

EVERY PORTION MATTERS

Once upon a time, a festival was to be held in a certain village. To ensure there would be enough wine for the celebration, each member of the village agreed to pour one bottle of his best wine into a large cask. "If I fill my bottle with water," reasoned one villager, "the dilution will be so slight, who will notice?" But when the feast and time for merrymaking commenced, and the cask was tapped, nothing but water poured forth. Every member in the village had reasoned alike: "My portion will not be missed!"



Friendly Reminder > 2021 PLEDGE CARDS

Stewardship pledge cards are still available. Please call Eleni in the church office who can mail one to you. With prayerful consideration, please submit your 2021 pledge card by mail and/or email.

Email: Office@gosaintbasil.org

Church Office: 209-478-7564

Yours in Christ,
Lisa Kapogiannis

PC Member / Stewardship Chair

lkapogiannis@yahoo.com

2021 Goal	\$ 410,000.00
Pledged to Date:	\$ 140,890.00
Paid to Date:	\$ 31,206.66



Lenten Prayer of St. Ephrem the Syrian

O Lord and Master of my life!

Take from me the spirit of sloth,
faint-heartedness, lust of power, and idle talk.

But give rather the spirit of chastity,
humility, patience, and love to Thy servant.

Yea, Lord and King! Grant me to see my own errors
and not to judge my brother,
for Thou art blessed unto ages of ages. Amen.

The Spanos Family hosts the
Annual Philoptochos Makaronatha
In memory of Alex & Faye Spanos
SUNDAY, MARCH 7

Meatfare Pasta Lunch

(no cost)

DRIVE THRU

Delicious pasta with meat sauce
salad, bread & dessert

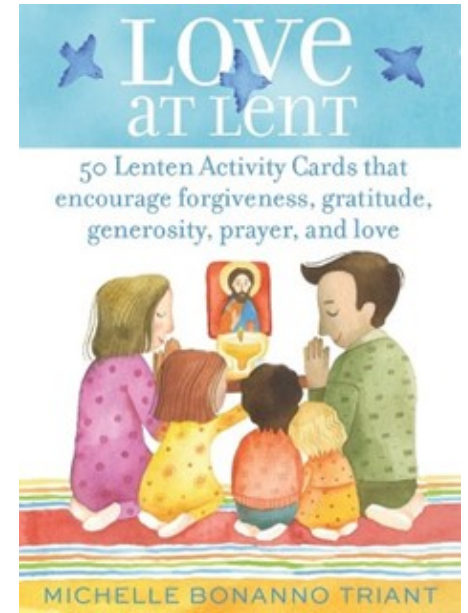
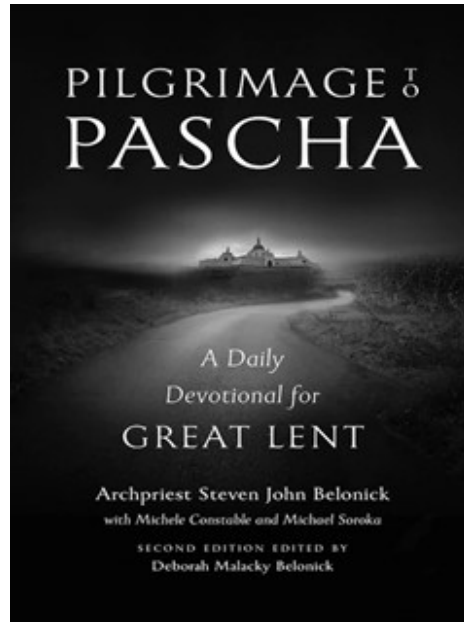
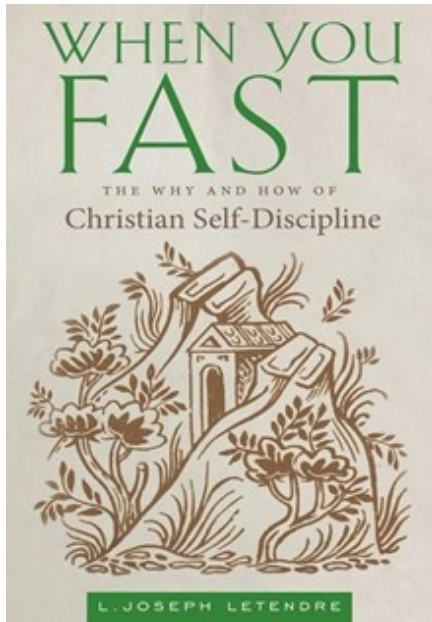
PICK-UP TIMES

11:30 - 1:30pm



preorder required call 209-478-7564,
by wednesday, march 3 – before 4:00pm

BOOKSTORE



As we approach Great Lent, I am excited to share a few new items available through our parish bookstore for individuals and families. I have preordered 6 copies of **LOVE AT LENT** which is a Lenten project for the whole family created by Presbytera Michelle Bonanno Triantis. She is the wife of our former lay assistant. The bundle includes a colorful, joyful box filled with 50 activity cards designed to help young ones grow in their faith. As a parent herself, the project was created for parents to easily build mindfulness and intention into our Lenten journeys with a focus on gratitude, kindness, prayerfulness and almsgiving.

There are two new books available for purchase: **When You Fast-The Why and How of Christian Self-Discipline** by Joseph Letendre. Another book is: **Pilgrimage to Pascha – A Daily Devotional for Great Lent** by Archbishop Steven J Belonick with Michele Constable and Michael Soroka. In addition to these books, I always recommend **Great Lent: Journey to Pascha** a classic by the late Fr. Alexander Schmemmann.

You may want to consider participating in the **St. Basil Family Lenten Psalm Challenge** coordinated by our Pastoral Assistant Matthew Jouthas. Contact Matthew if you have not already received a link via email, Facebook or Instagram to sign up and pray the Psalms together as a church family. There are many resources for Great Lent to support you in reflection, study and almsgiving during your Lenten Journey. You may always seek guidance from Fr. Pete, Matthew Jouthas or myself for any suggestions or recommendations to assist you in reflection, study and almsgiving during Great Lent.

While I have been in social refuge during the pandemic, many parishioners have reached out to me for assistance in obtaining books, religious items or icons. I have ordered items and had them mailed directly to their homes in the spirit of social distancing. Please do not hesitate to contact me to reserve an item already purchased and/or to order any books or icons to assist you in growing in your faith. Contact me by email: patriciamanuse@gmail.com or text/call me at (209) 337-5401.

My Orthodox Notebook

"My Orthodox Notebook" is an opportunity for a brief reflection during our day. It is an email and attachment (link to the blog site) that provides a short quote, reflection, and resources as footnotes. It is updated every Wednesday and Friday.



To be added to the email list, contact:

mjouthas@gosaintbasil.org

The quote will be from either Holy Scripture, Writings of the Saints, hymnography/prayers, or information/history of the Church with a short reflection with resources noted for further reading (if desired).

Please bookmark the link to the blog site:

<https://myorthodoxnotebook.blogspot.com/>

It is my hope and prayer that through the intercessions of the Theotokos, the Ever-Virgin Mary and the guidance of the Holy Spirit that this is and continues to be something enjoyable, that inspires discussion in the home, and is edifying.

In Christ,

Matthew Jouthas | Pastoral Assistant
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Preparing Your Family for Great Lent

Prerecorded Webinar / Watch on Demand



Great Lent is the Church's 40-day period of preparation for its greatest feast—the Resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. It is the annual period that calls us back to God—a time of reflection and repentance. While no two families ready themselves during Great Lent exactly alike, there are time-tested spiritual disciplines the Church prescribes in order to direct our senses to God's presence. In "Preparing Your Family for Great Lent," Fr. Evan Armatas, Elissa Bjeletich talk with Melissa Tsongranis in an engaging discussion that offers parents practical ways to make Great Lent a transformative family experience. May your Lenten journey be blessed—one arriving at a glorious Pascha!

SOURCE: <https://www.goarch.org/-/preparing-your-family-for-great-lent>

MISSION IN ALBANIA

Dear Brothers and Sisters at St. Basil's,

Glory to God! With the help and love from so many loving people we have raised the funds for the new playground equipment at the Children's Home of Hope. We met this week with Metropolitan Nikola, the director Marinela, and the representative of the equipment company. He helped us develop a plan that would meet the needs of all the children, ages 5 to 14. We may have to do things in phases, but very quickly, maybe in the next month or so we will have the new playground installed depending on the weather. The fundraising will remain open until the end of the month and we welcome further donations towards our needs for sand and fencing.



I am continuing to work on Caring for Creation. We received a donation of 200 baby pine trees which the youth group in Gjinar will plant in a mountain region in Gjinar where there was a forest fire. Francine Katherine Wong is from Fiji and a new convert to Orthodoxy. She founded the Green Vlore Project which has planted 25,000 trees in Albanian so far. She is helping us to kick off our Caring for Creation Initiative.



www.ocmc.org > Support Missions

With love in Christ Our Lord,
Anastasia Pamela Barksdale, MDiv
OCMC Missionary and
Executive Director of the Spirit of Love Foundation



LITURGICAL COLORS IN THE CHURCH



The Orthodox Church traditionally uses different colors to mark the seasons of the liturgical year, certain feast days and other observances. The colors of clergy vestments, altar coverings and cloths on icon stands (proskynetaria) will often change to offer a visual clue of the season or the feast day.

As Fr. Jon Magoulias writes, “the Greek Orthodox Church has no formal order determining colors for various feast days. Common practice, however, has defined the following colors.” (*The Priest as Liturgist*, Greek Orthodox Metropolis of San Francisco, 2010, p. 20). In the list that he offers, you can see some of the variations and how the principle of “dark” or “bright” is being applied:

- **Gold** or **white** for feast days of the Lord (red may be worn for the Resurrection)
- **Blue** for feast days of the Theotokos
- **Red** or **gold** for feast days of the martyrs
- **Green** or **gold** for Palm Sunday, Pentecost, Monday of the Holy Spirit, the Elevation of the Holy Cross and the Veneration of the Holy Cross
- **Purple** for Lenten services (purple should not be worn on Sundays of Great Lent)

Many people attach symbolic meanings to the colors being used. In these cases, it’s best to consider the feast or season and its themes or persons and then consider what the color wants us to remember. Consider how green is used. For Palm Sunday, we can see a connection to the branches brought by the crowds. For the other feasts where green is often worn, we can see a connection to themes of “life-giving”: the life-giving Cross, the lush themes in the hymns of Pentecost, etc. But we can also see why red could be worn for the feasts of the Cross and Pentecost (or even the feasts of the martyrs): the shedding of blood, the tongues of fire. Purple is worn during Great Lent to denote the season’s penitential character. However, even during Great Lent, Sundays are still celebrations of the Resurrection, so bright colors are worn instead of purple. Some parishes switch between purple and bright (usually gold) coverings on the altar table and proskynetaria during Lent on the weekends. White is a paschal color, associated with themes of baptism, light and joy. This joy is present in all the feasts of Christ. But red is also appropriate for Pascha as it is a color of royalty, given its richness and boldness. In icons, the Theotokos is usually dressed in blue. Thus, blue vestments are usually worn on her feasts. Blue is also often worn on Theophany, reminding us of the blessing of the waters.

SOURCE: <https://www.goarch.org/-/liturgical-colors-in-the-church>

SAINT BASIL GIVING



With prayerful consideration, ways to give are now by mail and/or PayPal. Thank you.

https://www.paypal.com/donate?hosted_button_id=V77MQMLLQDJCS

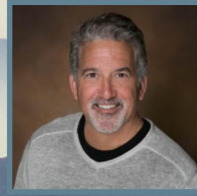
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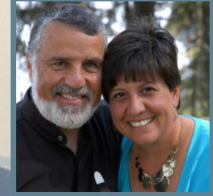
Mental Health Matters

A Conversation about Stress, Anxiety, and Mental Health

featuring our professional mental health speakers



George Papageorge



Rev. Fr. Tom Tsagalakis



Angela Colville



Rev. Fr. Timothy Pavlatos

Thursdays at 6:30PM
Jan 28 • Feb 11 • Feb 25 • Mar 11

The speaking series will be presented on Zoom

SATURDAY OF SOULS



(Psychosavato)



On the 3 Saturdays of the Souls before & during Great Lent, prayers will be offered for the departed. Please write the first names of the departed persons for whom you wish prayers to be offered and bring or mail this form to the church, or email. Fr. Panagiotis will commemorate the names at each Saturday service.

ST. BASIL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

Applications for the 2021 Scholarships will be available via email through the Church Office that began Monday, February 22, 2021.

There will be a brief training and Q&A Session via Zoom at 2:00 pm March 7 (Meat Fare Sunday). Instructions on how to join the Zoom call will be in the application packet, and also the church bulletin.

If you have questions, please contact Scholarship Committee Co-Chairs:

Kathy Walkowiec

kwalk3@sbcglobal.net

George Chimiklis

gchimiklis@yahoo.com

2021 SACRAMENTS OF ST. BASIL

40 DAY BLESSING

Alexander Manuse, son of Karina Manuse

BAPTISM/CHRISMATION

n/a

WEDDING

n/a

FUNERAL Eternal be their memory

FEBRUARY

Poliniki Paul Tsirelas

Tasia Paraskevas

Jaye "Nonna" Zurflueh

MEMORIAL

Helen Fotinos

Nick Kosta

Lefty & Gus Fotinos

Athanasios Karelis

DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE SPARTA #18

It's time to celebrate March 25th with a bit of Bingo!

(see flyer on next page)

Join the Daughters of Penelope Sparta Chapter #18 on **Thursday March 25th at 6:30pm** (Pacific Standard Time) for an evening of fun playing Bingo in celebration of the 200th Anniversary of Greek Independence.

Prizes will be won and fun will be shared among family and friends.

\$10.00 per card or \$25.00 for 3 cards.

Payments and email address must be provided prior to receiving Bingo cards.

Here are your options:

Zelle transfer to 209-814-7364 / **Venmo** to @Stephanie-Leles / **PayPal** karapanos@netzero.net

OR

Mail check to Chapter Treasurer Stephanie Leles at 1223 Pyrenees Ct., Tracy CA 95304.

Make checks payable to: DOP Sparta #18

All payments must be received by March 23rd

Once payment is verified, each player will receive the Zoom link and their Bingo cards via email.

All are welcome across the United States and Canada for a chance to see each other, play a few rounds, win some fantastic prizes and even enjoy a favorite glass of wine while playing and yelling Zito Ellada and Bingo!

Virtual BINGO night

In celebration of the
200th anniversary of Greek Independence Day

Hosted by Daughters of Penelope Sparta #18

March 25 at 6:30 pm pst



1 card for \$10
3 cards for \$25

Bingo cards and zoom link will be emailed to you

Proceeds to benefit:



Contact: Maria@karapanos.net
(209) 559-5101

Sincerely,
Sophoula

ST BASIL 2021 STEWARDS

Alexander, Dean & Ruth	Kuchulis, CW & Dena
Aliferis, Spilios & Georgia	Laios, Anastasios
Allison, Angeliki	Leonidou, Alexandra
Anagnos, Angelo & Olympia	Louis, Michael & Beth
Anagnos, Popi	Lucas, Harriet
Argiros, Jim	Mandarakas, Litsa
Bandy, Buck & Mary Carroll	Manolatos, Helen
Bittner, Katherine	Marcopoulos, Ernie & Josie
Bravos, Jim & Mary	Mariani, Angela
Carademos, Ted	Mariani, Gary & Deana
Chiarchianis, Stphen & Jodie	Panagopoulos, Bill & JoAnne
Clifford, Emily	Papadimatos, Lenna
Cook, Shalen & Anastasia	Papadogiannis, Dimetra
Craig, Michael & Stephanie	Pappas, John & Paula
Dominquez, Joseph	Pascarella, Don & Cynthia
Dubois, Robert & Rola	Pascut, George
Economou, Lex & Lindsey	Poulllos, Dean & Marie
Emery, Jessica	Prucyk, Bob & Katherine
Enescu, Gabriel	Robinson, Jim & Evie
Everly, Fred & Katie	Ruhl, Barry & Alexis
Facaros, Steve & Mary	Sola, John & Evette
Filios, Bill & Susan	Sopp, Ernest
Fulton, Ray & Anastasia	Sotiras, Fr. Panagiotis & Pres. Angie
Galas, George & Kathleen	Spanos, Thomas
Galas, John	Stamos, Bill & Maria
Garner, Aaron & Helen	Tsirelas, Eraclis & Marianthe
Geralis, Mono	Valenzuela, Juan & Kelly
Graham, Stella	Vasiliou, Donna
Heinrich, Willie & Sylvia	Veziris, Rodama
Jochimsen, Ken & Maria	Vicijan, Miro & Nada
Jouthas, Matthew	Von Trachtenberg, David & Camille
Jouthas, Themis & Sandy	Walkowicz, Kathy
Kandris, Tasso & Gertie	Wolf, Carla
Kapalanis, George & Kathy	Xanttopulos, Ethel
Kapogiannis, Mark & Lisa	Xanttopulos, Ethel
Karapanos, Dimitri & Maria	Xenos, Bobbe
Keigly, Alan & Angelina	
Kluve, John & Elaine	
Koutsoulis, Nasi & Katie	
Ksidakis, Dessie	

“...THE GREATEST OF THESE IS LOVE.”

The Stewardship of Time, Talent, and Treasure

Thank You to all Parishioners who have communicated / submitted their 2021 pledge. Your Giving is a testimony of your dedication to your own spiritual growth and the spreading of our beloved Orthodox Faith. Your commitment enables our St. Basil Parish to grow her ministries and carry on her mission to Bring People Closer to God!

March 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
		6:00pm Orthodoxy 101	10:30am Bible Study 7:00PM Young Adult Lenten Book Club	10:30am Bible Study Mental Health Matters Series, 6:30pm Marriage Workshop, 6:30pm	6:00pm Salutations to the Theotokos	Saturday of the Souls 8:30am Orthros 9:30am Divine Liturgy
Meatfare Sunday 8:15am Orthros 9:30am Divine Liturgy 12:30pm Sun. School Makaronatha Drive-thru Event	8	9	10	11	12	13
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