



The interior Community Center doors are being stained and finished. Please avoid touching or coming in contact with them.

Please save the dates for **Philoptochos Autumn Food Fair cooking**. Dolmathes are now being prepared, too.

- 600 chicken rolls on Thursday, September 15 from 10am-finish.
- Baking and packaging 2,000 koulourakia on Thursday, September 22 from 10am-finish.
- Preparing 1,000 homemade, hand rolled, meatless dolmathes on Tuesday, September 27 from 2pm-finish.

Please join in the fun! Thank you for your help!
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*"He said to them:
"Go into the world and
proclaim the gospel
to every creature."
— Mark 16:15*

Walk for Missions 2022

Orthodox Clergy Brotherhood of Greater Pittsburgh

Sponsored

WALK FOR MISSIONS

will benefit current mission work in Guatemala

Sunday, October 9

Registration Noon – Walk Begins at 1 PM

South Park Children's Playground Shelter

Located at the intersection of
Corrigan Drive and Brownsville Road
South Park Township, PA 15129

Funds raised will support the ongoing efforts to grow the Church in Guatemala. Money will go towards building a new seminary, training future clergy, and healing the sick through the work done at our medical clinic.



PHILOPTOCHOS AUTUMN FOOD FAIR

and
YiaYia Joan's Treasures & Market

at
HOLY CROSS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
Community Center
123 Gilkeson Road, Mt. Lebanon
(across from the Galleria)

Wednesday, October 5 &
Thursday, October 6, 2022
11:30 am – 7:30 pm

Featuring GREEK favorites including Moussaka, Tiropita, Spanakopita, Pastitsio, rice pudding, soups and much more!
Bake Sale featuring delicious Greek pastries, pies, cakes, cookies and a variety of breads.
Inside seating...so come rain or shine! Elevator available!!
NO PHONE OR ONLINE ORDERING
All proceeds benefit the philanthropic efforts of the Holy Cross Ladies Philoptochos Society.
Cash/for Credit Cards accepted





Feast Day Celebration and New Sign Ribbon Cutting



Sunday, September 25

HOLY CROSS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
presents the 8th annual

MEMORIAL GOLF OUTING

MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2022

South Hills Country Club
4305 Brownsville Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15236



PRICING

\$190/golfer or \$760/foursome*:
Includes entry fee, green fee,
lunch, and dinner

Dinner only, \$70/person

SCRAMBLE FORMAT

Skills prizes:
Mens/Seniors/Women

First place team prizes:
Men/Women/Seniors/Mixed

ORDER OF EVENTS

10:30 AM: Registration

11 AM: Sit-down lunch

12:30 PM: Shotgun start

5-6 PM: Cocktail reception
(cash bar)

6 PM: Dinner/silent auction

Driving range open all day

UNDERWRITER OPPORTUNITIES

\$500: Beverage, skill prize,
driving range, putting green,
printing, website, or
live auction underwriter

\$750: Dessert underwriter

\$800: Golf gift bag underwriter

\$1,000: Lunch underwriter

\$1,250: Co-dinner underwriter

\$1,500: Golf cart underwriter

\$2,500: Dinner underwriter

For more information, please contact:
Nick Gagianas, 724-312-1100 or Manny Politis, 412-759-4659

PAYMENT & REGISTRATION

To pay & register by mail,
mail this form with payment to:

Holy Cross Greek Orthodox Church
Att. Golf Outing
123 Gilkeson Road,
Pittsburgh, PA 15228

Make checks payable to:
Holy Cross Greek Orthodox Church
Please mark "Golf Outing"
in the memo line

Golfer name/s:

Phone:

Email:

To register and pay online,
please visit:

www.holycrosspgh.org

Follow the link near the
bottom of the page labeled
"8th Annual Golf Outing"

**In case of inclement weather or
unforeseen circumstances, golfers will be
provided a pass for a future tee time.*



PRESENT "REMEMBER SEPTEMBER"

"HRIPSIME'S AGONY, ATHENA'S MOURNING, AND RACHEL'S HEARTBREAK"
A CENTENNIAL MEMORIAL OF THE MARTYRS OF THE CHRISTIAN GENOCIDE IN ASIA MINOR, THE PONTUS, ANATOLIA (1915-1922),
AND THE JEWISH MARTYRS OF THE HOLOCAUST

SEPTEMBER 11 - 25, 2022

FOR DETAILS: PAHELLENICFOUNDATION.ORG/REMEMBERSEPTEMBER

The Greek Nationality Room Committee, The Armenian Nationality Room Committee
Classrooms without Borders

The American Hellenic Foundation of Western PA and The European Art Center of Greece
are coming together in September 2022 to commemorate the darkest chapters of humanity's 20th century history:
The Christian Genocide in Anatolia, the Pontus, and Asia Minor, and the Holocaust.

Sunday September 11, 2022 7 PM "HRIPSIME'S AGONY, ATHENA'S MOURNING, AND RACHEL'S HEARTBREAK"
Genocide in Asia Minor and Anatolia and the "Final Solution's" Inspiration Formal Opening of the Program: The Christian Genocide in Anatolia, the Pontus, and Asia Minor ~ 1915-1923 Christian Genocide as the Prelude to the Holocaust

Monday September 12, 2022 7 PM "TETRAODEON TRIBUTE TO THE NEOMARTYRS OF ASIA MINOR"
A musical/hymnologic commemoration of the Greeks in Anatolia and Asia Minor who were slaughtered in the Christian Genocide
Presented by members of the Byzantine Choir of the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of Pittsburgh

Tuesday September 13, 2022 7 PM In-Person Event ETTY: WRITING AS RESISTANCE
As the world closes in around her during WWII, Etty digs deep into her soul to root out hatred and bitterness, and finds a freedom within herself that is unshakeable. Using only Etty Hillesum's words, the play presents one woman's struggle to sustain humanity in the face of brutality.
Adapted from the diaries of Etty Hillesum and performed by Susan Stein. Directed by Austin Pendleton.

Wednesday September 14, 2022 7 PM "A PRISONER OF WAR'S STORY" STRATIS DOUKAS
For the first time ever, the story will be presented in its English translation. Stratis Doukas is one of Greece's most renowned 20th century poets and authors.

Thursday September 15, 2022 3 PM "The Students of Umberto Primo" The film will be viewable on-demand following registration
A post-film discussion with director Alessandra Maioletti & Executive Producer Diane Boulanger Moderated by Avi Ben Hur
The beautifully filmed docudrama, "The Students of Umberto Primo", brings to life the stories of nine young Jewish students studying at the Italian school, Umberto Primo, in Thessaloniki, Greece, during the time of Nazi occupation.

Friday September 16, 2022 7 PM "EXPERIENCES AND CREATIONS: VAGGELIS ANETOPOULOS"
The Greek Nationality together with the European Art Center of Greece (EUARCE) will present the life and experiences of Vaggelis Anetopoulos, Greece's 20th century ceramic and pottery revivalists. Anetopoulos was a refugee of the Christian Genocide in Asia Minor.

Saturday September 17, 2022 3 PM PROGRAM The Armenian Nationality Room will be hosting an oral history/Genocide testimony and memory event in collaboration with the University of Southern California Shoah Foundation.

7 PM MEMORIES OF ASIA MINOR IN POEM Winning entries in response to an international poetry competition on the theme will be presented; this competition is a collaboration between the European Art Center of Greece (EUARCE) and the American Hellenic Foundation of Western Pennsylvania.

Sunday September 18, 2022 7 PM "HRIPSIME'S AGONY, ATHENA'S MOURNING, AND RACHEL'S HEARTBREAK"
A Musical commemoration of and tribute to martyrs of Christian Genocide in Anatolia, the Pontus and Asia Minor, and Jews in the Holocaust
Musical ensembles representing the Jewish Community of Western PA, the Armenian and the Greek Communities of Western PA will come together, inspired by memorial poetry, to offer a tribute and memorial to the martyrs of the darkest chapters of humanity's 20th century history.

Sunday September 25, 2022 5 PM "Mapping Migration, Learning from Oral History: Ottoman Greek Immigration to Western Pennsylvania"
A Lecture-Presentation by Dr. Yiorgo Topalidis, Ph.D. Interim Associate Director Samuel Proctor Oral History Project University of Florida
Until now, little was known about Greeks in the Ottoman Empire who migrated to America as immigrants prior to the Christian Genocide as well as those who were refugees to America during, and following this dark chapter in the history of Greeks. Dr. Topalidis' groundbreaking research has tracked these migrations to America. His lecture-presentation reveals those who settled in the greater Western PA region. *This event is being hosted by the Greek Nationality Room of the Nationality Rooms and Intercultural Exchange Programs at the University of Pittsburgh, the American Hellenic Foundation of Western PA, and the European Art Center of Greece (EUARCE)*

Sunday September 25, 2022 7 PM "The Builders from Asia Minor" A short documentary about the immigrants and refugees from Asia Minor, the Pontus, and Anatolia who helped shape the Greek-American communities of the Tri-State area.
With hymns dedicated to the Neomartyrs of Asia Minor presented by members of the Byzantine Choir of the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of Pittsburgh.

For more information, please contact us at contact@pahellenicfoundation.org

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SUNDAY, AUGUST 28, 2022

The reading is from St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians 9:2-12 Brethren, you are the seal of my apostleship in the Lord. This is my defense to those who would examine me. Do we not have the right to our food and drink? Do we not have the right to be accompanied by a wife, as the other apostles and the brothers of the Lord and Cephas? Or is it only Barnabas and I who have no right to refrain from working for a living? Who serves as a soldier at his own expense? Who plants a vineyard without eating any of its fruit? Who tends a flock without getting some of the milk? Do I say this on human authority? Does not the law say the same? For it is written in the law of Moses, "You shall not muzzle an ox when it is treading out the grain." Is it for oxen that God is concerned? Does he not speak entirely for our sake? It was written for our sake, because the plowman should plow in hope and the thresher thresh in hope of a share in the crop. If we have sown spiritual good among you, is it too much if we reap your material benefits? If others share this rightful claim upon you, do not we still more? Nevertheless, we have not made use of this right, but we endure anything rather than put an obstacle in the way of the gospel of Christ.

The Gospel According to Matthew 18:23-35 The Lord said this parable: "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his servants. When he began the reckoning, one was brought to him who owed him ten thousand talents; and as he could not pay, his lord ordered him to be sold, with his wife and children and all that he had, and payment to be made. So the servant fell on his knees, imploring him, 'Lord, have patience with me, and I will pay you everything.' And out of pity for him the lord of that servant released him and forgave him the debt. But that same servant, as he went out, came upon one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred denarii; and seizing him by the throat he said, 'Pay what you owe.' So his fellow servant fell down and besought him, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you.' He refused and went and put him in prison till he should pay the debt. When his fellow servants saw what had taken place, they were greatly distressed, and they went and reported to their lord all that had taken place. Then his lord summoned him and said to him, 'You wicked servant! I forgave you all that debt because you besought me; and should not you have had mercy on your fellow servant, as I had mercy on you?' And in anger his lord delivered him to the torturers, till he should pay all his debt. So also my heavenly Father will do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother from your heart."

Live streaming from Holy Cross: <https://www.holycrosspgh.org/church-live-stream>

Memorials : †Ron Cywinski 40 days

†Roberta Condos 18 years

THIS WEEK:

Monday, August 29

Beheading of St. John the Baptist

8:15am 9:30am Orthros/Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, August 30

Wednesday, August 31

Thursday, September 1

Ecclesiastical New Year

8:15am 9:30am Orthros/Divine Liturgy

Friday, September 2

Saturday, September 3

NO Vespers/Wedding

Coffee Hour is sponsored by
Cynthia & Martin Kostehik
and Donna Staub



CHURCH SCHOOL BEGINS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
SEE YOU THERE!!!