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NOVEMBER 28, 2021

13th Sunday of St. Luke

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When you write your will or update it, won't you please remember Saint Sophia Cathedral? Such a gift will live forever as our church ministers to our spiritual needs. It's an investment in the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Memorials

Among the spirits of the righteous perfected in faith, give rest,

Pamela Edwards (1 year)

Panayiotis Pelargos

Serafimoula Pelargos

Despina Pelargos

Eraclis Hadjidamianou

Thecla Hadjidamianou

Sophia Koneiza

Evagoras Christodoulou

Jenny Doumak

Helene Ballas (5 years)

Steven Roumeliotis

(23 years)

Despina Kounelias Palmeri

(40 days)

Athanasios Kounelias

Vasiliki Kounelias

Ioannis Kounelias

Despina Kounelias

Christos Alevras

Despina Alevras

Yioula Koumides (40 days)

ALTAR CANDLES

Offered in loving memory of Panayiotis Pelargos, Serafimoula Pelargos, Despina Pelargos, Eraclis Hadjidamianou, Thecla Hadjidamianou, Sophia Koneiza, Evagoras Christodoulou, and Jenny Doumak by the Emmanuel Pelargos family.

ALTAR TABLE CANDLES

In memory of Pamela Edwards by her daughter and son in law, Virginia and Brent Noyes and family.

SOLEA CANDLES

Offered in loving memory of Despina Kounelias Palmeri by the Kounelias-Brous Family.



DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE

SEE'S CANDY SALE

This winter we will once again be raising funds to help the Penelope Centers for Domestic Violence and the Penelopean Day Care Center in Athens, Greece.

It's that time of year when the world falls in love....time to be thankful for all we have and getting ready for the Christmas Season. The Daughters of Penelope will be selling See's Candy in the hall foyer after church during coffee hour. We will have the small Merry Boxes for \$7.00 each, and one pound boxes of Nuts and Chews or Assorted Chocolates for \$24.00 each. They make wonderful gifts or just something yummy to keep in your house! Please stop by the table and pick up your favorite chocolates. We can accept cash or checks (no credit cards). Sale started November 21. We will sell each week until all the candy is gone. Thank you!



Sunday, December 12



St. Sophia Christmas Bake Sale

Baklava, Melomakarona,
Kourambiedes, Koulourakia,
Galaktoboureko and more!



Pre-Order Available!
Must be made by 12/07/21
Contact Eleni **310-420-8374**

PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE ST. SOPHIA DANCE PROGRAM

SAINT SOPHIA RESIDENCES FOR LEASE

Lovely and spacious

2 bedroom/2 bath and 3 bedroom/2 bath

Apartments are now available at the beautifully maintained building located directly behind

Saint Sophia Cathedral at

1425 South Mariposa Avenue Los Angeles

If you are 55 or older and an Orthodox Christian, come check out these apartments while they are still available and join a friendly Orthodox community!

2 bedroom/2 bath-\$1400 3 bedroom/2 bath-\$1800 Please call Louis Pappas 310-902-0852



AHEPA & D. O. P.
Hesperia #152 and Alkandre #43

*Cordially invite you
To join us for*

Our Annual Christmas Party

To benefit

***The Penelope House and Penelope's Place
For Abused Women and Children
Bring an Unwrapped Gift from the Items needed***

Sunday, December 5, 2021 Luncheon, 12:00 P.M.

***Saint Sophia's Huffington Center
Maria Maniatakos Pavilion
1324 S. Normandie Ave
Los Angeles CA***

Reservations by December 1, 2021 \$45.00 per Person

*Make checks payable to: DOP Alkandre Chapter#43
Mail to: Mary Kezios, 10409 Casanes Avenue, Downey CA 90241
Or Call
Mary Kezios: 1-562-923-7110 or Virginia Noyes: 1-818-434-4024*

*Family and friends are welcome
Seating is limited, please make your reservations early*

ITEMS NEEDED

***Wal-Mart gift cards, telephone cards,
tooth paste, toothbrushes, mouthwash, deodorant, soaps
shampoo, wash clothes brushes, lotions & creams, in travel sizes.
They also need monetary donations***

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PHILOPTOCHOS NEWS

CANNED FOOD DRIVE – Philoptochos is sponsoring a Christmas canned food drive in partnership with St. Thomas’s parish next door, to support the families of our Byzantine-Latino community. Please bring canned or boxed food of all types to Saint Sophia to be collected on Sunday, December 19th. We will have collection boxes and areas for bags in entry area of the Huffington Center. Keep an eye on the weekly bulletin for updates and information. Please bring whatever you can to help those experiencing food insecurity in our greater community!

POINSETTIA DELIVERY FOR SHUT-INS - On Sunday, December 19th, we will deliver a Christmas poinsettia to our community members who are not able to leave their homes and/or come to church. If you know someone (elderly or ill) who is at home and needs some Christmas cheer this season, please give us their name at: ssphiloptochos@gmail.com or call (323) 737-2424 x204



SUNDAY SCHOOL



Sunday School classes meet every week unless otherwise noted. Regular Schedule classes start upon dismissal during Holy Communion until 12:00 noon. Please check the Essentials and Herald for schedule changes.

Upcoming dates:

Sunday 12/5/21 Regular Schedule - Pageant rehearsal immediately following class in the Cathedral

Sunday 12/12/21 No Class - Annual Christmas Pageant in church following the Divine Liturgy

Sunday 12/19/21 Regular Schedule

Sunday 12/26/21 No classes - Enjoy the holiday break

Sunday 1/2/2022 No classes - Enjoy the holiday break

Following the holidays, Sunday School classroom instruction will resume on January 9, 2022. If you have any questions about the Sunday School program or are interested in volunteering, please email Eleni Yokasa at stsophiasundayschool@gmail.com.

Mission Statement:
Keep, Practice and Proclaim the Orthodox Christian Faith

1. Sanctify and Enhance the Life of the Faithful
2. Proclaim and Teach the Gospel of Jesus Christ

Orthodox Calendar

NOVEMBER 2021

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	✝ 3	4	✝ 5	6
		Bible Study via Zoom 11 am				
7	8	9	✝ 10	11	🍇 12	13
7 th Sunday of St. Luke 9:00 am Orthros 9:45am Memorials 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	Synaxis of the Archangel Michael & the other Bodiless Powers 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy Vespers at St. Nectarios in Covina	No Bible Studies St. Nectarios of Aegina the Wonderworker at St. Nectarios in Covina		Veterans Day Holiday Campus Closed		John Chrysostom, Archbishop Constantinople 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy
14	🐟 15	🐟 16	✝ 17	🐟 18	✝ 19	🐟 20
8 th Sunday of St. Luke 9:00 am Orthros 9:45am Memorials 10:00 am Divine Liturgy		Bible Study via Zoom 11 am				
🐟 21	🐟 22	🐟 23	🍇 24	🐟 25	✝ 26	🐟 27
The Entrance of Theotokos in the Temple 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy		Bible Study via Zoom 11 am		Thanksgiving Holiday Campus Closed	Thanksgiving Holiday Campus Closed	
🐟 28	🐟 29	🐟 30				
13 th Sunday of St. Luke 9:00 am Orthros 9:45am Memorials 10:00 am Divine Liturgy		Andrew the First-Called Apostle 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy No Bible Studies				
		Strict Fast ✝	Fish Allowed 🐟	Wine and Oil Allowed 🍇	Dairy, Eggs, and Fish Allowed 🥚	Fast Free