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MAY 8, 2022

Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearing Women

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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,

Nick Bissias (2 years)

Elaine Alexakis Kitros (1 year)

Coula Bonorris (19 years)

Aleck Edwards II

Mary Selimos (2 years)

Eleni Batsakis (2 years)

Peter Selimos (1 year)

Eleni Sambatakos (40 day)

Yiorgos Sambatakos

ALTAR CANDLES

Offered in loving memory Nick Bissias by his daughters Elaine and Diane Bissias.

ALTAR TABLE CANDLES

Offered in loving memory of Coula Bonorris by son and daughter-in-law Jim and Lucy Bonorris.

PERPETUAL CANDLES

Offered in memory of Aleck Edwards by Brent and Virginia Noyes, and family.

COFFEE HOUR

Offered in loving memory of Mary Selimos, Peter Selimos and Eleni Batsakis by Ted, Perry, Kimon Batsakis and families, and Tina Venetos and family.

BIBLE STUDIES

Join us every Tuesday morning (11am) for online Bible studies. An email will be sent out with login information.

Not able to attend Tuesday morning's Bible Study with Father John? Have no worry! We will now begin to archive the meetings and offer them for the benefit of all our beloved church family. Expect an email every Tuesday with a link to watch the recordings. If you are not receiving our weekly emails, make sure to sign up:

<https://stsophia.us4.list-manage.com/subscribe?u=05212a9d99d6591e24e582cff&id=1da80c474c>

PHILOPTOCHOS VIP

THURSDAY MAY 19, 2022

SENIOR CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

We are pleased to announce that we'll be honoring Christina and Magdy Guirguis as VIP Philoptohos Senior Citizens of the Year 2022. Plan to attend this special day.

Please join us for a very special luncheon and program that will take place at the Saint Sophia Maniatakos Fellowship Hall at 11:30am. Chairperson of the event is Jayne Poullos and co-chair is Karla Gregg.

Please contact Mary Kezios at (562)923-7110 or Karla Gregg at (253)224-3705 for reservations. Donation is \$20.00

In His Service

Mary Morrison, President

**THE HOLY LAND 2022
WITH FATHER JOHN**



WE HAVE NEW DATES!

December 10th - 20th

Father John is going to Israel!!

We would like to get an idea of the number of pilgrims who want to join.

PLEASE EMAIL YOUR INTEREST TO
JESSICA: SECRETARY@SAINTSOPHIA.ORG
OR
MARIA: BALTAZZI@SOJOURN-INTL.COM

More details to come...





SAINT SOPHIA PHILOPTOCHOS SOCIETY

Mother's Day Luncheon & Fashion Show

HONORING 2022 MOTHER OF THE YEAR

Olga Lilia Jordan

SATURDAY, MAY 7, 2022

RECEPTION AT 11 O'CLOCK ~ LUNCHEON AT NOON
SAINT SOPHIA HUFFINGTON CENTER
MANIATAKOS FELLOWSHIP HALL

Invitations will be mailed in early April.
For questions and information, please contact Karen Sarames
818-438-2362 or ssphiloptochos@gmail.com
Online Reservations at www.stsophiaphiloptochos.org

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

LA GREEK FEST 2022

We have tentatively scheduled the weekend of October 7-9 for our LA Greek Fest '22. The viability of the fest depends on the following factors.

1. Dependable volunteers (with job descriptions) to work in designed areas. Volunteers must be workers not indulging in free food and drink. The fest is a fundraising event for Saint Sophia Cathedral. In addition, it is also a way to highlight our Orthodox Faith and Greek Culture.
2. The Fest is not a personal party for volunteers. It is a dedicated service to our church. Expenses cannot supersede income.
3. When volunteers make a commitment to work, it is important for them to show up and honor their commitment.

The LA Greek Fest is a major church and city cultural event. Let's put our "best foot forward". Thank you so very much for caring and working the LA Greek Fest '22





FROM YOUTUBE TO YOU

BEE-TREAT!

SAINT PAUL'S GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH



MAY 14, 2022

BeeTreat (9:30AM - 5:30PM)

Youth Track: 6th-12th grade

Adult Track: clergy, parents, young adults, and youth workers

Young Adult Event (7PM)
anyone 18 and older

TO REGISTER:

y2am.org/beetreats
It's free!

Address: 4949 Alton Parkway, Irvine, CA 92604

Led by:

STEVE CHRISTOFOROU - Host of "Be the Bee"
and the **BEETREAT TEAM**

"Be the Bee" is a weekly YouTube series exploring how we can focus on what is good and beautiful in our lives. Visit youtube.com/y2am to learn more!






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
3. Add to the Number of the Faithful through Outreach and Evangelism

Orthodox Calendar

MAY 2022

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 Thomas Sunday 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	2	3 11 am Bible Studies via Zoom	 4	5	 6	7 ✝
8 Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearing Women 9:00 am Orthros 9:45 am Memorials 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	9	10 11 am Bible Studies via Zoom	 11	12	 13	14
15 Sunday of the Paralytic 9:00 am Orthros 9:45 am Memorials 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	16	17 11 am Bible Studies via Zoom	 18	19	 20	21 Equal-to-the-Apostles Saint Constantine and Helen 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy
22 Sunday of the Samaritan Woman 9:00 am Orthros 9:45 am Memorials 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	23	24 11 am Bible Studies via Zoom	 25	26	 27	28
29 Sunday of the Blind Man 9:00 am Orthros 9:45 am Memorials 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	30 Memorial Day Campus Closed	31 11 am Bible Studies via Zoom	26	27	28	29
	31	Strict Fast ✝	Fish Allowed 	Wine and Oil Allowed 	Dairy, Eggs, and Fish Allowed 	Fast Free