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Celebrating 50 years



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Beloved Parishioners of St. Theodore,

Holy Week and the Great Feast of Easter is fast approaching. Let us glorify God with our prayers and with joy and optimism for Christ's triumphant victory over death. We are all called to attend and participate in the many beautiful services of Holy Week beginning with Palm Sunday and ending with Easter Sunday. So let us prepare ourselves from now for a week dedicated to Christ and His Church by attending as many of the services that we can.

St. Theodore Church invites you to welcome our Lord into Jerusalem by coming to church, receiving your blessed palms and then to participate in the festive Fish Luncheon prepared by our Ladies Philoptochos Society. Let us then follow the Bridegroom Christ on his way to His Crucifixion on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings at 6 p.m. Let us be anointed with the Holy Prayer Oil of Unction on Wednesday evening at 6 p.m. On Thursday evening, we are called to ascend with the Lord to Golgotha bearing with

Him the heavy cross during the procession and the 12 gospel readings. On Good Friday let us witness the taking down of our Lord's precious Body from the Cross at 3 p.m. and then let us gather back at 6 p.m. as we accompany our Lord on his journey into the depths of the earth and preaching to those who were bound there. Let us offer to carry His Body around the outside of the Church as a moving indication that we are following our Lord into His kingdom and yearning to be saved by going under the sepulcher and re-entering into the Church which is our salvation.

On Holy Saturday morning, we will celebrate in anticipation the 1st message of the Resurrection with a moving and bright service of celebration. And then we return near midnight to hear for sure that Christ is Risen. We are called to come and celebrate the triumph and victory of Life over death, with the Resurrection of our Lord. Let us commit to staying for that most beautiful of Liturgies of Easter and receive a blessed egg, upon which we break the long fasting period with our Easter meal with family on Sunday afternoon.

This year is a most special year in that we celebrate our Church's 50th Anniversary. So let us strengthen our beloved community of St. Theodore, with our love and participation in these beautiful services. It will be a great thing to say I was there during the 50th commemoration of Holy Week and Easter at St. Theodore Church.

Finally, we remind everyone to join us in accomplishing our work and ministry to the people of God by becoming a steward of the Church. As a steward it is an honor and a privilege to give assistance in the continuation of the life of this beloved church and to enrich and enhance its history and legacy. Remember to also send in your contribution to Philoptochos for the Epitaphios Flowers. If you haven't assisted in the 50th Anniversary Fundraising Campaign, you may also make a donation between \$1 and \$100 for our efforts to make this year be the best year of celebrating our parish's Golden Jubilee. You are always most welcome and we need your presence and participation in the life of the community as we move forward towards the next 50 years of ministry and growth. The schedule of services for the whole week of Holy Week and Easter is in this month's newsletter. May God bless you and your families through the intercessions of St. Theodore, and all the saints of God.

In Christ's Love,
Father Manuel J. Burdusi, Protopresbyter

CHURCH MINISTRIES MONTHLY NEWS

MEMORIAL SERVICES

On March 5, there was a One-Year Memorial for Dimitra Petropoulos, the dearly departed mother of Sotiri (Evangelia) Petropoulos. May her memory be eternal.

On March 12, we prayed a 40-Day Trisagion for Dimitrios Reditis, who suddenly passed away in Greece. Dimitrios left behind his wife and two children. He is the cousin of Irene Cusimano. We pray that the good Lord give rest to the soul of Dimitrios and comfort and strength to his family. May his memory be eternal.

On March 19, there was a Memorial Service for Annezou (8 Years) & Alexandros Papanicolaou (27 Years), the dearly departed parents of Nick, Xenis, Mihalis, Demetris, Andreas & Photios Papanicolaou. May their memories be eternal.

On March 19, we also prayed the 2 year Memorial Service for the soul of John Chrysostomos Burdusi, the dearly departed father of Father Manuel (Presbytera Malama) and Michael J. Burdusi and the dearly departed grandfather of Nicholas (Julie) and Aristeia and great grandfather to Charlie Burdusi. The family has decided to pray for all four parents/grandparents together - 17 years for LEMONIA Burdusi, 30 years for Haralambos Braimos and 7 years for Aristeia Braimos. May their memories be eternal.

BAPTISMS

On March 25, 2023, Nicholas Maroulis & Dimitra Bekos baptised their daughter, Eleni Theadora. The Godparent is Michalis Bekos. Also, on March 25, 2023, Michael & Christina Walker baptised their son, John Peter. The Godparent is Anna Efthimiadis. Congratulations to all and may God bless you all!

FLOWERS BEFORE CHRIST & PANAGIA

There are opportunities for you to donate flowers before the icons of Christ and Panagia especially during this year of the 50th Anniversary. You are welcome to make a donation in memory of a loved one or for the health of your family. Call the Church office Monday – Thursday between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. so that we can order and pick up the flowers on Friday. As of May 1, the two price categories Roses with carnations are \$80 for both vases and large carnations with mini peruvian lilies are \$50 for both vases.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School classes will be held downstairs in the social hall after Holy Communion. Maria Adamos & Georgia Plangetis are teaching the classes. If any new students would like to attend you can email mnbanis@gmail.com.

BIBLE STUDY TAKES A BREAK

The St. Theodore Bible Study will be stopping for now and will resume again after Easter. Everyone is encouraged to read the Gospel readings of Holy Week from their Holy Week service book. After Easter, we will resume again until the end of June. The link to join the Bible Study is meet.google.com/adh-cguj-cng.

50TH ANNIVERSARY FUNDRAISING PROJECT

There is an easy fund-raising effort that everyone can participate in to help with the many expenses for the Anniversary celebration. Just as a wedding is a very costly but worthy endeavor and memorable event, a Church anniversary also incurs expenses that are not part of the normal budget. We are grateful to be alive for the 50th Anniversary of our Church and help in whatever way we can. There will be 100 envelopes between \$1.00 and \$100.00 dollars for you to make your donation to the Church. If all the envelopes are submitted, \$5000 will be raised. We will do this now and again in the Fall, September – November. There will be expenses to have the Archbishop of America come. There will be several complimentary invitations to the Grand Banquet as well as the tickets of all the past priests who have served the church and the area priests. This along with other special expenses add up. We pray that you have an unforgettable experience this year for our 50th Anniversary. The chart will be updated so that we can achieve 100% participation.

APRIL YOUTH ACTIVITIES

On Sunday, April 2, there will be a visit from the Easter bunny for all the young children, as well as, an Easter Egg Hunt. All families with young children are encouraged to come. In addition, on Friday, April 7, we will be gathering to make palm crosses for Palm Sunday beginning at 6pm. We need as many people to come to help in this large task. In addition, we will be making Lazarakia breads for the children.

Saint Theodore 50th Anniversary Greek Festival (June 16 – June 18) - It's time again to have a festival! Being that it's the 50-year celebration for Saint Theodore, it needs to be exceptional. To achieve this requires the help of everyone so please help in any way you can. For more information, contact the church secretary (Juliana), at (301)552-3540 or you can email office@sttheodores.org if you are interested in helping.

Ελληνικό Φεστιβάλ 50ης Επετείου Αγίου Θεοδώρου (16 Ιουνίου – 18 Ιουνίου) - Ήρθε η ώρα ξανά για ένα φεστιβάλ! Δεδομένου ότι είναι ο εορτασμός των 50 χρόνων του Αγίου Θεοδώρου, πρέπει να είναι κάτι το εξαιρετικό. Για να είναι επιτυχηθείς, απαιτείται η βοήθεια όλων, γι 'αυτό παρακαλώ βοηθήστε με όποιον τρόπο μπορείτε. Για περισσότερες πληροφορίες, επικοινωνήστε με τη γραμματέα της εκκλησίας (Τζουλιάννα), στο (301)552-3540.

April/Απρίλιος 2023

Sunday Κυριακή	Monday Δευτέρα	Tuesday Τρίτη	Wednesday Τετάρτη	Thursday Πέμπτη	Friday Παρασκευή	Saturday Σάββατον
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2 <i>St. Mary of Egypt/ΟΣΙΑ ΜΑΡΙΑ ΑΙΓΥΠΤΙΑΣ</i> Matins & Divine Liturgy/ ΟΡΘΟΣ - ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 8:45/10:15 am Sunday School/ Κατηχητικό σχολείο after communion Easter Egg Hunt	3 Great Compline/ Μεγα Αποδειπνον —6:00pm	4	5 Presanctified Liturgy / ΠΡΟΗΓΙΑΣΜΕΝΩΝ ΔΩΡΩΝ 6:00pm	6	7 Palm making, baking 6pm.	8 Lazarus Saturday/ΤΟΥ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΛΑΖΑΡΟΥ Matins /Divine Liturgy/ ΟΡΘΟΣ - ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 9:00/10:00 am
9 <i>Palm Sunday/ΤΩΝ ΒΑΪΩΝ</i> Matins & Divine Liturgy/ ΟΡΘΟΣ - ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 8:45/10:15 am Palm Sunday Luncheon Matins of Great Monday/ ΟΡΘΟΣ Μ. ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑΣ — 6:00 pm	10 Holy Monday/ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ Matins of Great Tuesday ΟΡΘΟΣ Μ. ΤΡΙΤΗΣ —6:00 pm	11 Holy Tuesday/ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΡΙΤΗ Matins of Great Wednesday/ΟΡΘΟΣ Μ. ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗΣ —6pm	12 Holy Wednesday/ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ Last Presanctified Liturgy / ΠΡΟΗΓΙΑΣΜΕΝΩΝ ΔΩΡΩΝ —10:00 am Holy Unction/ΑΓΙΟΝ ΕΥΧΕΛΑΙΟΝ — 6:00pm	13 Holy Thursday/ ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΠΕΜΠΤΗ Vespereal Liturgy/ ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΗ ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ - 10:00 am Matins of Great Friday/ ΟΡΘΟΣ Μ. ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗΣ 6:00 pm	14 Holy Friday/M. ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗ Royal Hours/ ΜΕΓΑΛΕΣ ΩΡΕΣ — 11:00 a.m. 300 p.m.—Great Vespers/M. ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ Matins of Great Saturday— Epitafios/ΟΡΘΟΣ Μ. ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟΥ - ΕΠΙΤΑΦΙΟΥ - 6:00pm	15 Great & Holy Saturday/ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ Vespereal Liturgy/ ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΗ ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 10:00 am The Resurrection/ Η ΑΓΙΑ ΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΗ— 11:00 pm
16 PASCHA/ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΣΧΑ Vespers of Agape/ ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ ΤΗΣ ΑΓΑΠΗΣ—1:00 pm	17 <i>Renewal Monday</i> Office Closed	18 <i>Renewal Tuesday</i>	19 <i>Renewal Wednesday</i>	20 <i>Renewal Thursday</i>	21 <i>Renewal Friday</i>	22 <i>Renewal Saturday</i>
23 <i>Sunday of Thomas/ ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΘΩΜΑ</i> Matins & Divine Liturgy/ ΟΡΘΟΣ - ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 9:00/10:15 am Sunday School/Κατηχητικό σχολείο	24	25 Archdiocese	26 Clergy	27 Retreat	28 New York	29 Baptism Stylianos Bonner
30 <i>Sunday of the Myrrh Bearers/ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΩΝ ΜΥΡΟΦΟΡΩΝ</i> Matins & Divine Liturgy/ ΟΡΘΟΣ - Θ. ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ 9:00/10:15 am Sunday School/Κατηχητικό						

St. Theodore Greek Orthodox Church
Lanham, Maryland
Holy Week & Easter
Schedule of Services 2023
Come Worship with Us!



- Saturday, April 8 – **SATURDAY OF LAZARUS** 9 a.m. Orthros, 10 a.m. Divine Liturgy
- Sunday, April 9 – **PALM SUNDAY MORNING** 8:45 a.m. Orthros, 10:15 a.m. Divine Liturgy & the Blessing of the Palms.
PALM SUNDAY EVENING 6 p.m. Service of the Bridegroom with the procession of the Icon of Christ the Bridegroom
- Monday, April 10 – **HOLY MONDAY** 6 p.m. Service of the Bridegroom
- Tuesday, April 11 – **HOLY TUESDAY** 6 p.m. Service of the Bridegroom & Hymn of Sister Kassiane.
- Wednesday, April 12 – **HOLY WEDNESDAY MORNING** 10:00 a.m. Last Presanctified Liturgy
HOLY WEDNESDAY EVENING 6 p.m. Service of Holy Unction; Everyone who is Orthodox is to prepare to receive the Sacrament of Holy Prayer Oil.
- Thursday, April 13 – **HOLY THURSDAY MORNING** 10 a.m. Vespereal Liturgy of St. Basil commemorating the Institution of the Last Supper.
HOLY THURSDAY EVENING 6 p.m. Reading of the 12 Gospels & the Procession of Christ Crucified.
- Friday, April 14 – **GOOD FRIDAY MORNING** 9 a.m. – 12:00 noon – Decoration of Kouvouklion/Epitaphios. 11 a.m. – Reading of Royal Hours to be read.
GOOD FRIDAY AFTERNOON 3 p.m. Great Vespers of the Taking down of Christ from the Cross.
GOOD FRIDAY EVENING 6 p.m. Service of the Lamentations to Christ & the Funeral Procession of the Kouvouklion/Epitaphios Outside.
- Saturday, April 15 – **GREAT & HOLY SATURDAY MORNING** 10 a.m. Great & Holy Vespereal Liturgy of St. Basil (First Resurrectional Liturgy).
GREAT & HOLY SATURDAY EVENING 11 p.m. Easter Vigil begins; 12 Midnight Resurrection Service Outside followed by the Orthros & Divine Liturgy of Great & Holy EASTER.
- Sunday, April 16 – **EASTER SUNDAY** 1 p.m. Great Vespers of Easter—Service of Agape, Gospel to be read in several languages.

ΠΡΟΓΡΑΜΜΑ ΤΗΣ ΜΕΓΑΛΗΣ ΕΒΔΟΜΑΔΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΠΑΣΧΑ 2023

	ΗΜΕΡΑ	ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΑ	ΕΟΡΤΗ	ΩΡΑ
4/8/23	ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ ΠΡΩΪ	ΟΡΘΡΟΣ ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ	ΤΟΥ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΛΑΖΑΡΟΥ	9:00/10:00 πμ
4/9/23	ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΩΝ ΒΑΪΩΝ ΠΡΩΪ ΕΣΠΕΡΑΣ	ΟΡΘΡΟΣ ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ ΟΡΘΡΟΣ Μ. ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑΣ	ΤΩΝ ΒΑΪΩΝ Α' ΝΥΜΦΙΟΣ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΓΚΑΛΟΥ ΙΩΣΗΦ	8.45/10:15 πμ 6:00 μμ
4/10/23	ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ ΕΣΠΕΡΑΣ	ΟΡΘΡΟΣ Μ. ΤΡΙΤΗΣ	ΤΩΝ ΔΕΚΑ ΠΑΡΘΕΝΩΝ	6:00 μμ
4/11/23	ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΡΙΤΗ ΕΣΠΕΡΑΣ	ΟΡΘΡΟΣ Μ. ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗΣ	ΤΗΣ ΚΑΣΣΙΑΝΗΣ	6:00 μμ
4/12/23	ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ ΕΣΠΕΡΑΣ	ΠΡΟΗΛΑΣΜΕΝΗ ΤΟ ΑΓΙΟΝ ΕΥΧΕΛΑΙΟΝ	ΠΡΟΗΛΑΣΜΕΝΗ ΤΟ ΑΓΙΟΝ ΕΥΧΕΛΑΙΟΝ	10:00 πμ 6:00 μμ
4/13/23	Μ. ΠΕΜΠΤΗ ΠΡΩΪ ΕΣΠΕΡΑΣ	ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΗ ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ ΟΡΘΡΟΣ Μ. ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗΣ	Ο ΜΥΣΤΙΚΟΣ ΔΕΙΠΝΟΣ ΤΑ ΔΩΔΕΚΑ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΑ Η ΣΤΑΥΡΩΣΗ	10:00 πμ 6:00 μμ
4/14/23	Μ. ΠΑΡΑΣΚΕΥΗ ΠΡΩΪ ΕΣΠΕΡΑΣ	ΜΕΓΑΛΕΣ ΩΡΕΣ Μ. ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ ΟΡΘΡΟΣ Μ. ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟΥ	ΜΕΓΑΛΕΣ ΩΡΕΣ ΑΠΟΚΑΘΛΩΗ Ο ΕΠΤΑΦΙΟΣ ΘΡΗΝΟΣ ΠΕΡΙΦΟΡΑ ΕΠΤΑΦΙΟΥ	11:00 πμ 3:00 μμ 6:00 μμ
4/15/23	Μ. ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ ΠΡΩΪ ΒΡΑΔΥ	ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΗ ΘΕΙΑ ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ Η ΑΓΙΑ ΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΗ	Η 1 ^η ΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΗ Η ΑΓΙΑ ΑΝΑΣΤΑΣΗ	10:00 πμ 11:00 μμ
4/16/23	ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΤΟΥ ΠΑΣΧΑ	ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ ΤΗΣ ΑΓΑΠΗΣ	ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ ΤΗΣ ΑΓΑΠΗΣ	1:00 μμ

Dear Parishioners,

The Stewardship Year begins on January 1st and concludes on December 31st. We ask that you do not delay and join the “St. Theodore’s Stewardship Program for 2023” so that we can grow and become a stronger Church and minister to you, the people of God. The Church needs the support of its members year round. Please consider giving a pledge as a way of showing your support and love to the Church. It cost thousands of dollars a month to operate the Church with the monthly utility and maintenance bills and salaries. Please consider giving as much as your heart tells you to give. You do not need to make your payment all at once. You can give quarterly, monthly or weekly, which makes it very easy and affordable. Paying on Square@sttheodores.org has also been set up for those who would like to use it. Thank you!

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 who have signed up for
 their 2023 Stewardship of
 the Church. Please join the
 membership
 list of supporters.

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GOOD FRIDAY PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED—FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 2023
 PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR BELOVED FAMILY MEMBERS AND FRIENDS WHO
 HAVE PASSED AWAY.

Easter Flowers



Currently, Ladies Philoptochos needs your help with flowers for the Epitaphios, and for beautifying St. Theodore. We need pledges for:

 **EASTER LILIES & EPITAPHIO FLOWERS**
 

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You're invited to a special event

Ladies' Philoptochos Palm Sunday Luncheon

April 9, 2023 | 12:30 PM

St. Theodore G.O.C. Social Hall

Tickets: \$30 Adult, \$10 Seniors 62+

College Students & Children 18 and under – Free

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STEWARDSHIP COMMITMENT FORM 2023

As Orthodox Christians, we are called to be stewards of our Church. When we are faithful to this calling, then our Lord will say to us as he did to the faithful steward, "Well done good and faithful servant" (Mt 25:23).

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In gratitude for God's many blessings, I/we commit to the stewardship of St. Theodore's and pledge the following amount for 2023.

\$ _____ per month x 12 months = \$ _____ for the year.

Suggested amounts for giving:

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VERY IMPORTANT
To help with printing costs and conserve on paper we agree to receive the Parish Newsletter by e-mail only. Yes

Please check to indicate that St. Theodore's Church is your primary place of worship.

Signature: _____

Once you make your pledge, you have the entire year to fulfill your pledge. You can pay by cash, check, through PAYPAL, or even through Bill Pay through your bank's checking account. You can also make a payment by going to our Church's website: www.sttheodores.org and click the "Online Store" to make a credit card payment. Children 18 and over and who are working should become members separate from their parents. Children in college or graduate school can remain under their parent's membership but should still fill out this form.

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Dependent Children's names and birthdates:

Your time & talent
 I would like to offer my time and talents for the ministry of St. Theodore's (check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Church School	<input type="checkbox"/> GOYA/YOUTH
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<input type="checkbox"/> Chanting	<input type="checkbox"/> Bible Study
<input type="checkbox"/> Philoptochos	<input type="checkbox"/> Baking Prospora
<input type="checkbox"/> Festival	<input type="checkbox"/> Grounds and Maintenance
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