

October 2, 2025

Dear Members of the Community,

Our annual General Assembly will be held on Sunday, **October 26, 2025**, immediately following the Divine Liturgy. The General Assembly is of the utmost importance to our community. It gives members the opportunity to express their views and ideas for the betterment of our community.

With that in mind, we invite you and your families to spend a pleasant afternoon participating in the progress of our historic community. Please note that only individuals who have paid their annual membership are eligible for voting at the General Assembly.

- 1. Opening Prayer
- 2. Election of Chairperson of the Assembly
- 3. Reading and approval of the November 10, 2024, General Assembly Minutes
- 4. Priest's Report
- 5. President's Report
- 6. School Report
- 7. Membership Committee Report
- 8. Treasurer's Report
- 9. Building Committee Report
- 10. Nominations for Board Members
- 11. Nominations for Auditing Committee
- 12. Nominations for the three members of the Election Committee
- 13. Old & New Business
- 14. Closing Prayer

\*Please note nominations will close on Monday. November 10, 2025, at 2:00 pm. Elections on Sunday, December 7, 2025.

Yours in the Service of Our Lord,

Rev. Evagoras Constantinides Dean of the Cathedral

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# Rev. Protopresbyter of the Ecumenical Throne Evagoras Constantinides Dean of the Cathedral



October 12, 2025

The Holy Fathers of the 7th Council — Τῶν Ἁγίων Πατέρων τῆς Ζ' Συνόδου

#### Memorial

Harriet (Hariklia) Economos — 3 Years

**40 Days Blessing** 

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### Service Information

Sunday Worship: Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am All services are streamed live at www.stconstantinecathedral.org/live/

The Hymns of Today's Liturgy | Τα Απολυτίκια της Ημέρας

### **Resurrectional Apolytikion**

The stone having been sealed by the Pharisees and chief priests, \* and Your all-immaculate body being guarded by soldiers, \* You rose on the third day, O Lord and Savior, granting life unto the world. \* Then the powers of the heavens cried out to You, O Giver of Life, and shouted, \* "Glory to Your resurrection, O Christ! \* Glory to Your eternal rule! \* Glory to Your plan for saving us, only benevolent God!"

### Apolytikion of Constantine and Helen

He beheld the image of Your Cross in the Heavens and, as Paul, he too did not receive the call from men. Your Apostle among Kings placed the care of the Royal City in Your hands. Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, O only Loving Lord, keep it ever in peace.

#### Kontakion

O Protection of Christians that never falls, intercession with the Creator that never falls, we sinners beg you, do not ignore the voices of our prayers. O good Lady, we implore you, quickly come unto our aid, when we cry out to you with faith. Hurry to intercession, and hasten to

### Άπολυτίκιον Άναστάσιμον

Τοῦ λίθου σφραγισθέντος ὑπὸ τῶν Ἰουδαίων, καὶ στρατιωτῶν φυλασσόντων τὸ ἄχραντόν σου σῶμα, ἀνέστης τριήμερος Σωτήρ, δωρούμενος τῷ κόσμῳ τὴν ζωήν. Διὰ τοῦτο αὶ Δυνάμεις τῶν οὐρανῶν ἐβόων σοι Ζωοδότα Δόξα τῇ ἀναστάσει σου Χριστέ, δόξα τῇ βασιλείᾳ σου, δόξα τῇ οἰκονομίᾳ σου, μόνε Φιλάνθρωπε.

### Απολυτίκιον Αγίων Κωνσταντίνου & Ελένης

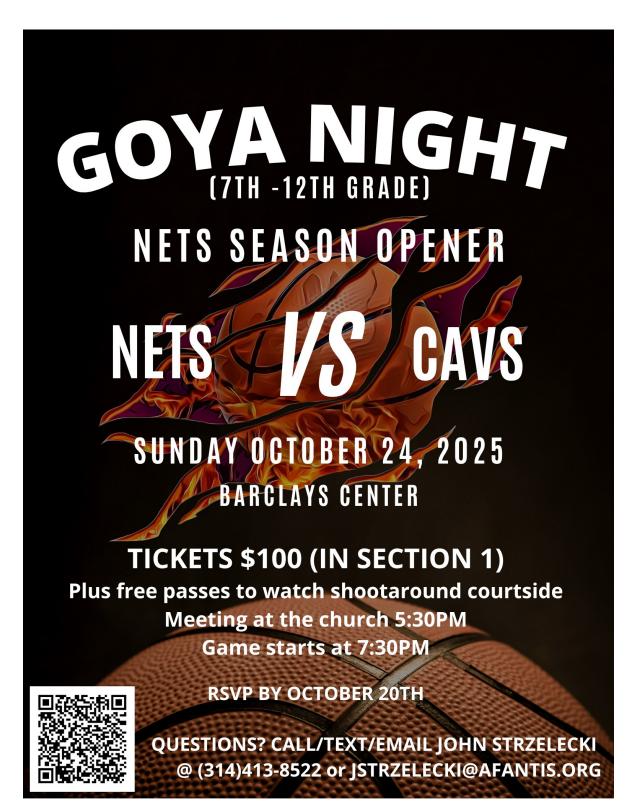
Τοῦ Σταυροῦ σου τὸν τύπον ἐν οὐρανῷ θεασάμενος, καὶ ὡς ὁ Παῦλος τὴν κλῆσιν οὐκ ἐξ ἀνθρώπων δεξάμενος, ὁ ἐν βασιλεῦσιν, Ἀπόστολός σου Κύριε, Βασιλεύουσαν πόλιν τῆ χειρί σου παρέθετο ἢν περίσῳζε διὰ παντὸς ἐν εἰρήνη, πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, μόνε Φιλάνθρωπε.

### Κοντάκιον

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν ἀκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν ἀμετάθετε, μὴ παρίδης, ἀμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, ἀλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς ἀγαθή, εἰς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι Τάχυνον εἰς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον εἰς ἰκεσίαν, ἡ προστατεύουσα ἀεί, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.

### **Announcements of the Day**

- Wednesday, October 1st, at 6:00PM Byzantine Music Lessons (Church Hall)
- Every Wednesday Chapel for A.Fantis students and parents.
- Coffee Hour will be provided by the family of Harriet Economos



## SAINT CONSTANTINE AND HELEN'S

# COMMUNITY PUMPKIN PATCH

# SATURDAY OCTOBER 25TH

JOIN US FOR SNACKS, PUMPKIN DECORATING, ACTIVITIES, AND MORE!

\$25 per child (includes pumpkin)

2:00PM-5:00PM
IN THE CHURCH HALL AND LOT
64 SCHERMERHORN ST

Please RSVP with the QR Code to reserve your Pumpkin EVEN IF YOU'VE RSVP'D. Contact Kristiana Neonakis at (917) 502-9623 for more information or if you'd like to help!





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## A. Fantis Calendar





Open Houses: Friday, October 17 & Tuesday October 21 & Sunday, October 26

For more information, or to enroll, visit www.afantis.org

## The Readings of Today's Liturgy

Epistle & Gospel

### The reading is from Paul's Letter to Titus. (Tit. 3:8 - 15)

Titus, my son, the saying is sure. I desire you to insist on these things, so that those who have believed in God may be careful to apply themselves to good deeds; these are excellent and profitable to men. But avoid stupid controversies, genealogies, dissensions, and quarrels over the law, for they are unprofitable and futile. As for a man who is factious, after admonishing him once or twice, have nothing more to do with him, knowing that such a person is perverted and sinful; he is self-condemned. When I send Artemas or Tychicus to you, do your best to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their way; see that they lack nothing. And let our people learn to apply themselves to good deeds, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not to be unfruitful. All who are with me send greeting to you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all. Amen.

### The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Luke. (Lk. 8:5-15)

The Lord said this parable: "A sower went out to sow his seed; and as he sowed, some fell along the path, and was trodden under foot, and the birds of the air devoured it. And some fell on the rock; and as it grew up, it withered away, because it had no moisture. And some fell among thorns; and the thorns grew with it and choked it. And some fell into good soil and grew, and yielded a hundredfold." And when his disciples asked him what this parable meant, he said, "To you it has been given to know the secrets of the kingdom of God; but for others they are in parables, so that seeing they may not see, and hearing they may not understand. Now the parable is this: The seed is the word of God. The ones along the path are those who have heard; then the devil comes and takes away the word from their hearts, that they may not believe and be saved. And the ones on the rock are those who, when they hear the word, receive it with joy; but these have no root, they believe for a while and in time of temptation fall away. And as for what fell among the thorns, they are those who hear, but as they go on their way they are choked by the cares and riches and pleasures of life, and their fruit does not mature. And as for that in the good soil, they are those who, hearing the word, hold it fast in an honest and good heart, and bring forth fruit with patience." As he said these things, he cried out, "He who has ears to hear, let him hear."

## Απόστολος και Ευαγγελίον της Ημέρας

### Πρὸς Τίτον Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα. (Τιτ 3:8 – 15)

Τέκνον Τίτε, πιστὸς ὁ λόγος καὶ περὶ τούτων βούλομαί σε διαβεβαιοῦσθαι, ἴνα φροντίζωσι καλῶν ἔργων προϊστασθαι οἱ πεπιστευκότες τῷ Θεῷ. ταῦτά ἐστι τὰ καλὰ καὶ ἀφέλιμα τοῖς ἀνθρώποις μωρὰς δὲ ζητήσεις καὶ γενεαλογίας καὶ ἔρεις καὶ μάχας νομικὰς περιϊστασο εἰσὶ γὰρ ἀνωφελεῖς καὶ μάταιοι. αἰρετικὸν ἄνθρωπον μετὰ μίαν καὶ δευτέραν νουθεσίαν παραιτοῦ, εἰδὼς ὅτι ἐξέστραπται ὁ τοιοῦτος καὶ ἀμαρτάνει ὢν αὐτοκατάκριτος. Όταν πέμψω Ἀρτεμᾶν πρός σε ἢ Τυχικόν, σπούδασον ἐλθεῖν πρός με εἰς Νικόπολιν ἐκεῖ γὰρ κέκρικα παραχειμάσαι. Ζηνᾶν τὸν νομικὸν καὶ Ἀπολλὼ σπουδαίως πρόπεμψον, ἵνα μηδὲν αὐτοῖς λείπη. μανθανέτωσαν δὲ καὶ οἱ ἡμέτεροι καλῶν ἔργων προϊστασθαι εἰς τὰς ἀναγκαίας χρείας, ἵνα μὴ ὧσιν ἄκαρποι. Ἀσπάζονταί σε οἱ μετ' ἐμοῦ πάντες. ἄσπασαι τοὺς φιλοῦντας ἡμᾶς ἐν πίστει. Ἡ χάρις μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν ἀμήν.

### Έκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν Άγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα. (Λκ 8:5 – 15)

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος τὴν παραβολὴν ταύτην Ἐξῆλθεν ὁ σπείρων τοῦ σπεῖραι τὸν σπόρον αὐτοῦ. καὶ ἐν τῷ σπείρειν αὐτὸν ὂ μὲν ἔπεσε παρὰ τὴν ὁδόν, καὶ κατεπατήθη, καὶ τὰ πετεινὰ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ κατέφαγεν αὐτό καὶ ἕτερον ἔπεσεν ἐπὶ τὴν πέτραν, καὶ φυὲν ἐξηράνθη διὰ τὸ μὴ ἔχειν ἰκμάδα καὶ ἕτερον ἔπεσεν ἐν μέσω τῶν ἀκανθῶν, καὶ συμφυεῖσαι αὶ ἄκανθαι ἀπέπνιξαν αὐτό. καὶ ἕτερον ἔπεσεν εἰς τὴν γῆν τὴν ἀγαθήν, καὶ φυὲν ἐποίησε καρπὸν έκατονταπλασίονα. ταῦτα λέγων ἐφώνει ὁ ἔχων ὧτα ἀκούειν ἀκουέτω. Ἐπηρώτων δὲ αὐτὸν οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ λέγοντες τίς εἴη ἡ παραβολὴ αὕτη; ὁ δὲ εἶπεν ὑμῖν δέδοται γνῶναι τὰ μυστήρια τῆς βασιλείας τοῦ Θεοῦ, τοῖς δὲ λοιποῖς ἐν παραβολαῖς, ἵνα βλέποντες μὴ βλέπωσι καὶ ἀκούοντες μὴ συνιῶσιν. ἔστι δὲ αὕτη ἡ παραβολή ὁ σπόρος ἐστὶν ὁ λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ: οἱ δὲ παρὰ τὴν ὁδόν εἰσιν οἱ ἀκούσαντες, εἶτα ἔρχεται ὁ διάβολος καὶ αἴρει τὸν λόγον ἀπὸ τῆς καρδίας αὐτῶν, ἵνα μὴ πιστεύσαντες σωθῶσιν. οἱ δὲ ἐπὶ τῆς πέτρας οἳ ὅταν άκούσωσι, μετὰ χαρᾶς δέχονται τὸν λόγον, καὶ οὖτοι ῥίζαν οὐκ ἔχουσιν, οἳ πρὸς καιρὸν πιστεύουσι καὶ ἐν καιρῶ πειρασμοῦ ἀφίστανται. τὸ δὲ εἰς τὰς ἀκάνθας πεσόν, οὖτοί εἰσιν οἱ ἀκούσαντες, καὶ ὑπὸ μεριμνῶν καὶ πλούτου καὶ ἡδονῶν τοῦ βίου πορευόμενοι συμπνίγονται καὶ οὐ τελεσφοροῦσι. τὸ δὲ ἐν τῆ καλῆ γῆ, οὖτοί εἰσιν οἵτινες ἐν καρδία καλῆ καὶ ἀγαθῆ ἀκούσαντες τὸν λόγον κατέχουσι καὶ καρποφοροῦσιν ἐν ὑπομονῆ. Ὁ ἔχων ὧτα άκούειν άκουέτω.