

WEEKLY BULLETIN

JUNE 30, 2024

**SYNAXIS OF THE
HOLY APOSTLES**

SUNDAY

8:15 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

Memorials:

Artoklasia:

Fellowship Hour:

JUNE 30 – SYNAXIS OF THE HOLY APOSTLES

Orthros

Divine Liturgy

Constantine "Dean" Karkazis, Lambros C. Karkazis, Maria Kolimbiris,
Demetra Phelus

Feast Day of the Holy Apostles Celebration

Holy Apostles Feast Day Celebration hosted by Philoptochos

MONDAY

JULY 1

National Clergy-Laity Congress in San Diego, CA

TUESDAY

JULY 2

National Clergy-Laity Congress in San Diego, CA

WEDNESDAY

JULY 3

National Clergy-Laity Congress in San Diego, CA

THURSDAY

JULY 4 – INDEPENDENCE DAY

Office Closed

National Clergy-Laity Congress in San Diego, CA

FRIDAY

JULY 5

7:00 p.m.

Small Paraklesis

Epistle Reading—Hebrews 11:33-40; 12:1-2

Reader: Zoe Panton

Gospel Reading—Matthew 9:36-38; 10:1-8

Welcome to Holy Apostles Church – If you are new to our church today, after receiving the blessed bread at the conclusion of the service, look for a member of the Welcome Ministry standing at the back of the church. Consider staying for our Fellowship Hour. A Welcome Ministry member will be happy to escort you there and answer any questions you may have.

Artoklasia on the Feast Day of the Holy Apostles – Today, we gather and celebrate the Divine Liturgy and honor those Apostles, who like us, were given gifts by the Lord and who worked together, to live their faith and share their blessings. This service will be followed by an artoklasia to honor our Holy Apostles. The blessing of the five loaves is reminiscent of the five loaves that Jesus blessed in the desert and by which five thousand were fed.

Fellowship Hour Hosts Needed on Sunday, July 14, August 4 and 11 – We are looking for help to provide light refreshments for fellowship hours after Sunday Divine Liturgy. Friends can join together and host a dual hour in honor of a birthday, marriage or loved one's memorial. We also welcome ministries to host. Please sign up on our website under "Get Involved" or on the clipboard in the Multi-Purpose Room (MPR).

Resurrectional Apolytikion – Mode pl. 4.

You descended from on high, O compassionate One, and consented to a three-day burial, to free us from the passions. O Lord, our life and resurrection, glory to You!

Ἀπολυτίκιον τῆς Ἑορτῆς. – ᾠχος πλ. δ´.

Ἐξ ὕψους κατήλθες ὁ Εὐσπλαγχνος, ταφὴν κατεδέξω τριήμερον, ἵνα ἡμᾶς ἐλευθερώσῃς τῶν παθῶν. Ἡ ζωὴ καὶ ἡ ἀνάστασις ἡμῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Ex ipsous katilthes o efsplahnos, tafin katethexo tri-imeron, ina imas eleftherosis ton pathon, I zoi ke I anastasis imon, Kirie thoxa si.

The Epistle – Hebrews 11:33-40; 12:1-2

Brethren, all the saints through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, received promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Some were tortured, refusing to accept release, that they might rise again to a better life. Others suffered mocking and scourging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were tempted, they were killed with the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, ill-treated — of whom the world was not worthy — wandering over deserts and mountains and in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, though well attested by their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had foreseen something better for us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect. Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin that easily distracts, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of faith.

The Gospel – Matthew 9:36-38; 10:1-8

At that time, when Jesus saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; pray therefore the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.” And he called to him his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal every disease and every infirmity. The names of the twelve apostles are these: first, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother; James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James the son of Alphaeus, and Lebbaeus called Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him. These twelve Jesus sent out, charging them, “Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. And preach as you go, saying, ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand.’ Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, cast out demons. You received without paying, give without pay.”



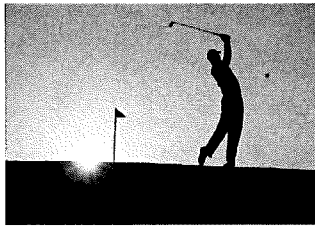
64th Annual Golf Outing

Monday, July 8, 2024

Seven Bridges Golf Club – Woodridge, IL

Bag Drop and Lunch will begin at 11:00am

Shot Gun Start at 12:30pm – Scramble Format for Team Play



<u>Adult Golf and Dinner</u>	\$190
<u>Youth Golf and Dinner (must be under 21)</u>	\$100
<u>Dinner Only (all ages)</u>	\$80

Golf and dinner fees include lunch, 18 holes of golf (scramble format) with a GPS cart, complementary treat bag including a sleeve of balls, buffet dinner, Grand Split-the-Pot Cash Raffle, raffle prizes, plus silent auction items awarded to the highest bidder.

Name of Golfer 1: _____

Name of Golfer 2: _____

Name of Golfer 3: _____

Name of Golfer 4: _____

Payment by Credit Card (Scan the QR Code below):



Payment by Check: Make check payable to Holy Apostles Greek Orthodox Church.

Please contact Dr. Jim Maragos at 708-651-4421 or jmmdds4513@gmail.com if you have any questions.



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Proceeds from this event will help fund the many needs of our church's ministries.

We appreciate your support in helping make this annual event a success.

Platinum Sponsor

\$2,500 - \$10,000

Includes a full golf package for four, plus a large banner displayed at the reception area during lunch and at the bar before and during dinner.

Gold Sponsor

\$1,150

Includes full golf package for four, plus an Exclusive Hole Sponsorship (a \$1,310 value).

Exclusive Hole Sponsor

\$550

Golf Cart GPS Advertisement Sponsor

\$250

Hole-in-one Sponsor

\$250

Hole Sponsor

\$175

Payment Options

Payment by Credit Card – Click on the QR Code below.



Payment by Check: Checks will be accepted at the golf course or the church office. All checks should be made payable to Holy Apostles Greek Orthodox Church.


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Summer Youth Events!

What: Basketball, Balloons & Bonding
Where: Holy Apostles **Who:** Grades 1st-12th
When: Wednesday, June 5th, 1:00-3:00pm

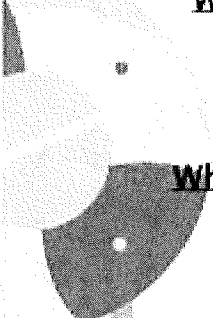


What: Louks & Live Music
Where: Lukumadness in Downers Grove **Who:** Jr. GOYA &
GOYA
When: Thursday, June 18th, 6:00-8:30pm

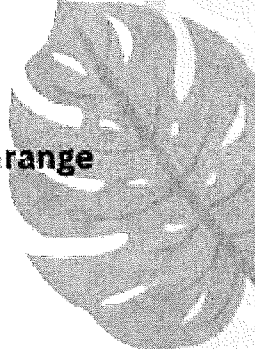


What: Splash Pad & Picnic at the Park
Where: Spring Rock Park, Western Springs **Who:** Ages 1-10
When: Thursday, June 20th, 12:30-2:00pm

What: Paradise Bay Water Park
Where: 437 E. St. Charles Rd, Lombard **Who:** Ages 1-18
When: Wednesday, July 17th, 1:00-5:00PM



What: Ice Cream & Chill
Where: Tates Original Old Fashioned Ice Cream in La Grange
Who: Jr. GOYA & GOYA
When: Tuesday, July 23rd, 7:00-8:00pm



What: Splash Island
Where: 1450 Forest Gate Rd, Oak Brook **Who:** TOTS (Ages 1-5)
When: Thursday, August 1st, 10:00-12:00pm

What: Pizza & Paraklesis
Where: Holy Apostles **Who:** JOY, Jr. GOYA & GOYA
When: Wednesday, August 7th, 5:00-8:00pm

PLEASE RSVP if you can come!





Parish Festivals

2024 - By Date

NEW FESTIVALS ADDED REGULARLY
MOST UP-TO-DATE CALENDAR:
chicago.goarch.org/parish-festivals-24

MAY

Saint Athanasios,
Aurora IL
May 17-19

Saint George, Chicago IL
May 31-June 2

JUNE

Saint Demetrios,
Chicago IL
June 7-9

Saint Sophia, Elgin IL
June 7-9

Saints Constantine & Helen,
Wauwatosa WI
June 7-9

Saint Demetrios,
Elmhurst IL
June 14-16

Saint Nicholas,
Oak Lawn IL
June 15-16

Twelve Holy Apostles,
Duluth MN
June 15-16

Annunciation,
Milwaukee WI
June 21-23

Holy Cross, Justice IL
June 21-23

Saint Nectarios, Palatine IL
June 21-23

Holy Trinity, Schiller Park IL
June 28-30

Kimissis Tis Theotokou,
Racine WI
June 28-30

JULY

Saints Constantine & Helen,
Merrillville IN
July 12-14

Saint Demetrios,
Libertyville IL
July 12-14

All Saints,
Joliet IL
July 13-15

Saint Andrew,
Chicago IL
July 13-14

Holy Taxiarchai-Saint
Haralambos, Niles IL
July 19-21

Holy Trinity
Sioux City IA
July 26-28

Saint George,
St. Paul MN
July 26-27

AUGUST

Saints Constantine & Helen,
Palos Hills IL
August 17-18

Holy Anargyroi,
Rochester MN
August 23-25

Assumption, Homer Glen IL
August 31-September 1

SEPTEMBER

Saint George,
Rock Island IL
September 6-7

Saint Mary's,
Minneapolis MN
September 6-8

Assumption, Madison WI
September 7-8

Saints Peter & Paul,
Glenview IL
September 14-15

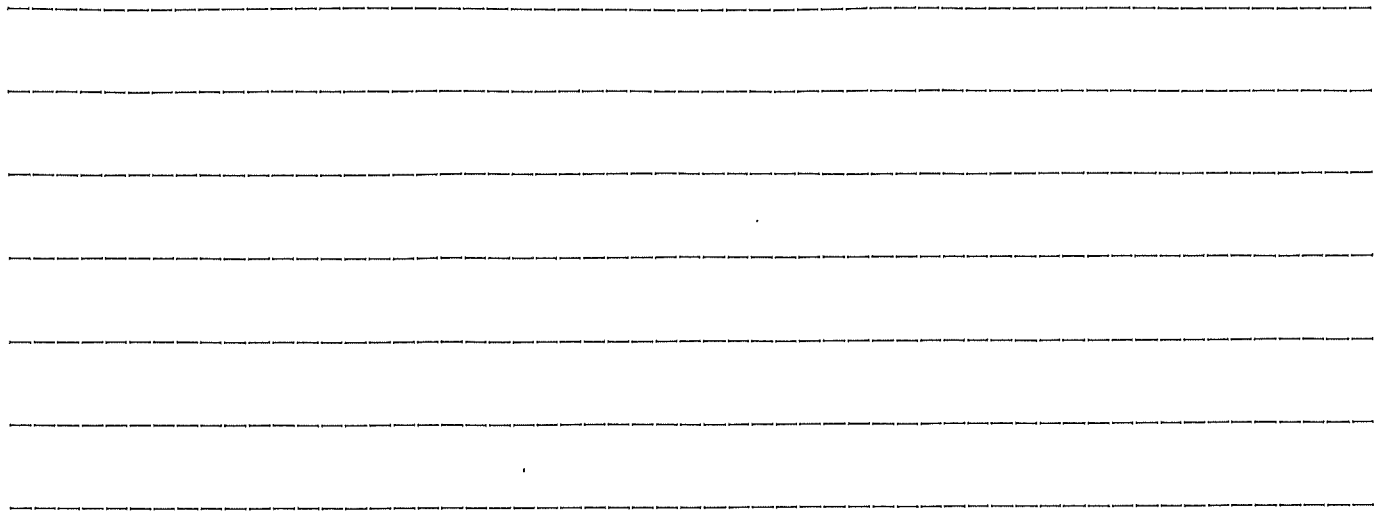
Saint Athanasios,
Aurora IL
September 27-29



METROPOLIS
OF CHICAGO

Is your Parish not listed? Remind parish leadership to submit info at: chicago.goarch.org/add-event

Sermon Notes



Apostoli Agii

Anastassiou

Voice

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ci -ful God. That for - all - our - faults He may grant For - give - ness To our souls

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