

**WEEKLY BULLETIN**  
**JULY 14, 2024**

**SUNDAY**

8:15 a.m. Orthros  
9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
Memorials: Don Alexander, Despina Patos, Petros Patos, Petros D. Patos, Ann Sobieszczyk  
Fellowship Hour: Hosted by The Patos Family  
12:30 p.m. Baptism: Dean, son of Andrew & Eleni Hayden  
Sponsor: Ana Gianaras  
Baptism: Alessia, daughter of Ross & Kelli Failla  
Sponsor: Abbie Diamantopoulos

**JULY 14 – FATHERS OF THE 4<sup>TH</sup> ECUMENICAL COUNCIL**

**MONDAY**

3:00 p.m. 40 Day Blessing – Stefanos, son of Jacklyn Verros

**TUESDAY**

7:00 p.m. 65th Anniversary Luncheon Committee Meeting

**WEDNESDAY**

1:00 p.m. Youth (18 and under) Event @ Paradise Bay Water Park, Lombard, IL

**THURSDAY**

7:30 p.m. Parish Council Meeting

**FRIDAY**

7:00 p.m. Small Paraklesis

**SATURDAY**

8:00 a.m. Orthros  
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy  
5:00 p.m. Wedding: Lauren Futris & Joseph Dellaria  
Sponsor: Dana Coon

**JULY 15**

**JULY 16**

**JULY 17**

**JULY 18**

**JULY 19**

**JULY 20 – FEAST DAY OF PROPHET ELIAS**

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**Epistle Reading**—Titus 3:8-15

Reader: Vanessa Clohessy

**Gospel Reading**—Matthew 5:14-19

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**Fr. George** and family are on vacation. He will return to the office on Thursday, July 18.

**A Special Thank You** to Sandy Pihos for hosting the feast day celebration at our Holy Apostles Greek Orthodox Church. The event was wonderful, filled with warmth, joy and a sense of community that made the day memorable for everyone who attended. Sincere thanks to those who assisted, baked and donated. The MPR looked beautiful and the food was delicious on the evening of this special occasion.

**Ministries Artoklasia Next Sunday** - Holy Apostles will thank its ministries for their service with an Artoklasia on Sunday, July 21. Service projects performed by ministries during April, May, and June of this year will also be recognized. Join us as we celebrate the ministries and recognize their work to benefit others.

**Sign Up Today for the Annual Church Picnic on Sunday, July 28** – The big day is only two weeks away! Please reserve your spot and make your food preferences known in the MPR today.

## **Resurrectional Apolytikion – Mode 2.**

When You descended unto Death, O Lord, You who are immortal Life put Hades to death, by the lightning of Your divinity. And when You raised the dead from the netherworld, all the hosts of heaven sang aloud to You, “O Christ God, Giver of life, glory to You!”

### **Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον – Ἦχος β΄.**

Ὅτε κατήλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἢ ζωὴ ἢ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν ἄδην ἐνέκρωσας, τῇ ἀστραπῇ τῆς θεότητος· ὅτε δὲ καὶ τοὺς τεθνεῶτας, ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων ἀνέστησας, πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων ἐκραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστέ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

Ote katilthes pros ton thanaton, i Zoi i athanatos, tote ton Athin enekrosas, ti astrapi tis Theotitos. Ote the ke tus tethneotas ek ton kaththonion anestisas, pase e Thinamis ton epuranion ekragazon; Zo-othota Christe, o Theos imon thoxa si.

### **The Epistle – Titus 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.

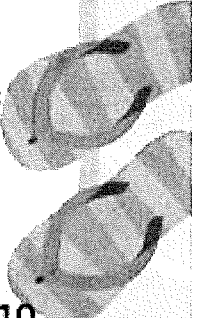
### **The Gospel – Matthew 5:14-19**

The Lord said to his disciples, “You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven. Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets; I have come not to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but he who does them and teaches them shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven.”



# Summer Youth Events!


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



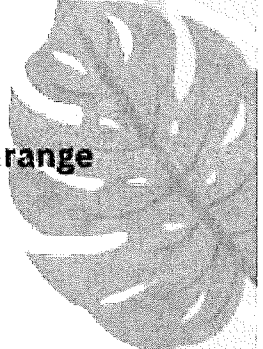
**What:** Louks & Live Music  
**Where:** Lukumadness in Downers Grove **Who:** Jr. GOYA &  
GOYA  
**When:** Thursday, June 18th, 6:00-8:30pm



**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

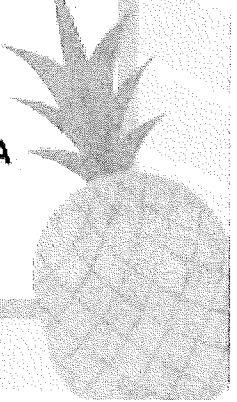


**What:** Paradise Bay Water Park  
**Where:** 437 E. St. Charles Rd, Lombard      **Who:** Ages 1-18  
**When:** Wednesday, July 17th, 1:00-5:00PM



**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!**



# Saturday Vespers Potluck

First Saturday of Each Month

## 2024

- August 3\*
- September 7
- October 5
- November 2
- December 7 \*

## 2025

- January 4
- February 1
- March 1\*
- April 5\*
- May 3

*\*On these days, please bring fasting-friendly meals  
On March 1st, dairy & eggs are allowed*

Vespers Service Begins at 5:00 PM  
Potluck Immediately Following  
at 6:00 PM

Sign up each month using  
the link in the weekly email

**QUESTIONS?**

Email [stewardship@holypostleschurch.com](mailto:stewardship@holypostleschurch.com)







JOINT SERVICE

# PACKING EVENT

Missions, Philoptochos & Stewardship  
Ministry are hosting a service event to  
assemble birthday kits for the  
Westchester Food Pantry.

Tuesday  
August

**13**

Paraklesis  
at 7:00 PM

Project  
at 8:00 PM

We will be collecting donations in the "birthday wrapped" box by HARC. Items to be collected: boxed cake mix and frosting, birthday candles, birthday paper plates and napkins, birthday decorations (streamers, balloons, party hats, etc)

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# Parish Festivals

2024 - By Date

NEW FESTIVALS ADDED REGULARLY  
MOST UP-TO-DATE CALENDAR  
[chicago.goarch.org/parish-festivals-24](http://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](http://chicago.goarch.org/add-event)

# Sermon Notes

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*ci -ful God. That for - all - our - faults He may grant For - give - ness To our souls*  
ni - The - o i - na - pte - sma - ton a - fe - sin pa - ra - shi tes psi hes - i - mon.

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