



LET HEAVEN AND NATURE SING!

"Joy to the world - the Lord has come!"

Is there anything better than sharing the joy of the season with our children and families? The Saints Constantine and Helen Church was filled with joyous music and song throughout the Christmas holiday season! The mission of a Greek Orthodox Church music ministry is to come before God's presence in liturgical worship, leading the congregation in singing to the Lord with praise and thanksgiving. From our Sunday School Christmas Pageant and Choir Concert to our Chanters during Sunday service, the story of our Lord's birth rang through our church this holiday season.



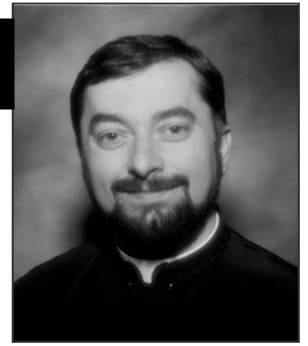
Leo Moschouris, Tony Thrubis and Strat Calagias

We appreciate all of our Sunday School teachers and parents and our Choir, under the direction of Maritsa Kalasz, who brought the Nativity story to life and made the Christmas Pageant such a big success. The whole congregation came together for the sing-along, with traditional carols and Greek Kalanda. We were also pleased to host the Langston Men's Chorus for their annual Christmas concert in our church! And our choir "took their show on the road" by caroling at assisted living, rehab facilities and nursing homes where some of our parishioners were spending their Christmas holidays. Christmas music filled our Hellenic Cultural Center, too - with Christmas programs by the Westland Chamber of Commerce & Rotary Club, the Garfield Co-op, and the ARC of Northwestern Wayne County.



Choir members caroling at an assisted living facility

A Message from Father Teodor



“Where are the others?”

That was the question that Jesus asked in the Gospel of Luke, chapter 17, that talks about the healing of the ten lepers. Where are they? Where are the people that we used to know and now are not coming to church anymore? Where are my classmates from Sunday School or from GOYA years ago?

Where are they?

Why are they not here? I’m sure that many of you who are parents wonder what happened to your children. You took them to church, to Sunday School, to GOYA, to church basketball, etc., but now they are not in church anymore. Their spiritual life is next to nothing and they seem to not be interested either. Some of them might live a life of sin and not care about it at all... What happened to them? Why are they not in church?

The Gospel reading on the 15th Sunday of Luke talked about Zacchaeus. Zacchaeus was chief among tax collectors, and I’m sure his parents never would have dreamed that he would turn out the way he did. You know why? Because Zacchaeus’ name in Hebrew meant “pure” or “righteous.” And I would imagine that Zacchaeus’ parents probably did the best they could to help him to live into his name. They probably took him to the Temple, taught him about God and the Scriptures. I would imagine they loved him so very much...just like you all who have children love your children!

This is one of the reasons that it is of utmost importance that we bring our children to church and encourage others to bring their children to church and to Sunday school every week and to Youth Group...whether they feel like it or not!

Church is one of the most significant places, in fact it has become more and more the only place we learn about God’s unconditional love. And, as you know, we can easier love God when we find that God loves us!

But there is an unfortunate category of people out there... people who got a glimpse of the glory of God from their parents, grandparents, etc., but like Zacchaeus and many others... allowed themselves to become numb!

It seemed easier to just go along with the way of the world. It seemed easier to just turn a blind eye and a deaf ear to the love of God and neighbor and instead live for self.

Zacchaeus had money and power—power over other people’s lives. But this power, this money wasn’t doing it for Zacchaeus was it? It was not enough! Seemed to have it all, but he was uncomfortable because he knew he was not living into the person God had created him to be.

How many of us can relate to something similar?

It’s easy for us to allow ourselves to become numb to the cry of the needy, to the voices of the poor, to those who do not know the love of God through Christ Jesus our Lord. Perhaps many of our neighbors, co-workers, classmates, family and friends are lost and feeling just like Zacchaeus that something is missing.

Will we share Christ’s love with them? Will we invite them to come and join us at church where they will be enabled to give themselves into service to Jesus?

Jesus said to Zacchaeus: *“Today salvation has come to this house...For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost.”* Jesus is still entering and passing through the Jericho’s of this world - places like Westland, Canton, Livonia, ...you name it!

And Jesus wants to have dinner with those who do not know Him or forgot about Him. Are we intentional in telling others, in reminding our children, friends, former Sunday school classmates and GOYA fellows about this fact so that they too may have the opportunity to run to see Him?

“The Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost.”

He’s knocking. Have we let Him in?

Fr. T. Petuk

MEN'S CLUB FEEDS OUR AREA'S NEEDY FAMILIES

On Saturday, November 22nd, our Men's Club and other members of our Parish family came together to provide generous Thanksgiving dinner food baskets with turkey and all the trimmings for area families in need. All morning long, FOX TV2 Weekend News was broadcasting on-site from the Hellenic Cultural Center (one segment was done inside our walk-in refrigerator!) and interviewed Fr. Teodor and others about this tremendous volunteer effort. Young and old came together to bag, box, and then to deliver the food. Congratulations to Antonios Stergiadis and all the members of the Men's Club and thanks to all who participated in this fantastic effort.



Fr. Teodor on FOX TV 2 News



Dino and Kristine Lembesis and Friends



Amalia Kalergis, Evelyn Koester, AnneMarie Kalergis



John Psiakis, Robert Herta, Fr. Teodor, Paul Stavropoulos, Pete Kalergis

LANGSFORD MEN'S CHORUS CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Saints Constantine and Helen was pleased to host the Langsford Men's Chorus on Sunday, December 14th for a Christmas concert held in the Church. Our parishioners Strat Calagias, Tony Thrubis, and Leo Moschouris sing with the chorus, which is about 50 voices strong. The concert featured sacred and secular Christmas music, and the church was packed with people from throughout the metro-Detroit area to see the group perform. We hope to make this an annual event!



CHRISTMAS AT SAINTS CONTANTINE AND HELEN



Sunday School Christmas Pageant



Athena and Nina Alexandris, Fr. Teodor and His Eminence



Choir members singing at the Pageant; Jean Bisbikis, Steffi Lemons, Georgene Ochadleus, Maria Tasi, Jamie Ripley, Carol Bozadzis



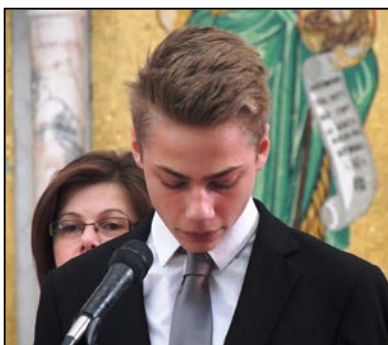
Theodora Grias, Cindy Frango, Tracey Monolidis, Frances Marinos and Sunday School children



Deacon Alex Radulescu and Deacon Stefan Toma, His Eminence Metropolitan Nicholas, and Fr. Teodor



Julianna Kisabeth



Markus Monolidis



Evangelia Kahremanis, Sophia Brylinski, Anastasia Stergiadis, Annamaria Koester, Mary Kalergis, Alexis Boyer



Toula Apostolos, Roula Merry, Lucy Ethans, Dimitra Serafim



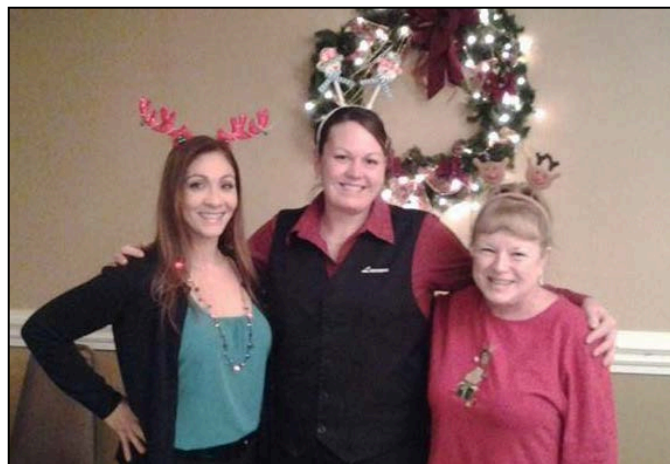
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John Koinis, Christine Carson, Alice Koinis



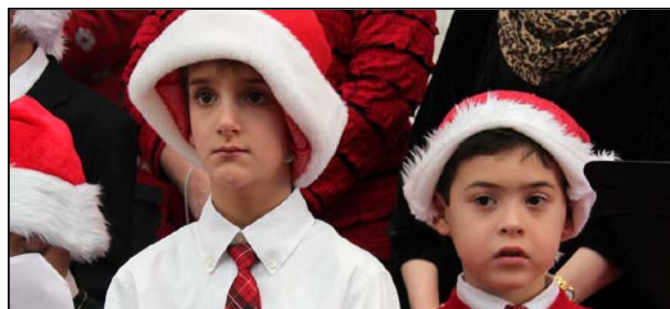
Gregory Michalopoulos, Michael Cavin, Vasilios Eby, Lefteri Theodorou, Luke Lembesis



Liza Randazzo, Lauren Matthews, Judy Keller



Our Choir members



Andrew Stamatakos, George Theophilos

CHRISTMAS TREE OF LIGHTS

December 2014 was the 20th year for our Annual Tree of Lights Ceremony. Started by Mary Drakos in 1994, this beautiful tradition raises funds for our church, this year bringing in donations of \$4,445. On Sunday, December 21, immediately following the Divine Liturgy a prayer service was held, where each name placed on the tree in honor or in memory of a loved one was read. Many thanks to Diane Drakos Plungis for coordinating the fundraiser, and to Mary Drakos, Dustin Plungis, Liz Lisuk, Jim and Chris Peponis, Stella Boyer and George Rapis for all their help.



CHRISTMAS MATCHING GIFTS PROGRAM

We are pleased to announce that the Christmas matching gifts program raised over \$40,000 to support the ministries of our church! Generous donors provided a \$20,000 matching gift for all contributions that the Church received through the Christmas Offering envelope. Through the generosity of our parish community, we were able to exceed our Christmas 2014 goal. Thanks to all for your support.

MORE THANK YOUS!

Our church family came together in the spirit of the joyous Christmas season and once again gave generously of their time and financial support to help those in need and our many Church ministries.

CHRISTMAS CARD: Many thanks to Sophie Katsarelas and Melinda Lazaros who did a fantastic job with our annual Christmas Card! We had excellent participation raising more than \$3,600 for the church. Christmas greetings were sent out to the entire parish, our community partners, and to parish priests within our Metropolis.

CHOIR POINSETTIA SALE/CHRISTMAS CAROLING: A big thanks to everyone who purchased a poinsettia from our choir members this holiday season! Our church looked beautiful throughout the season with the many poinsettias on the solea donated by generous parishioners. Thanks also to our choir members who spent an afternoon caroling at nursing homes and assisted living centers, bringing lots of laughs (and a few tears) to dear friends and family that cannot attend church services.

TOYS FOR TOTS/MITTEN TREE: Our church family also worked with other community organizations to help provide a Merry Christmas to those in need. Arranged by Stephanie Skotanis, the US Marine Corps "Toys for Tots" program placed a box in our multi-purpose area, and collected many new toys for area needy children. Our "Mitten Tree" was decorated with scarves, hats, gloves, and yes – mittens, that were donated to the Dorsey Center in Westland for distribution at their annual Christmas party.

DELICIOUS BAKED GOODS: Thanks to everyone who baked tasty Greek sweets for the Philoptochos Bake Sale and Raffle! We had a fantastic assortment that would have made all our Yiayias proud! All proceeds benefit the many local and national philanthropic efforts of our ladies Philoptochos. Thanks also to George Rapis and Olga Drummond who baked the delicious sweet bread and spanakopita.

OFFICE VOLUNTEERS/CHURCH PHOTOGRAPHERS: Thanks to all the people who came in during this busy holiday season to help with mailings! We couldn't have done it without you, Jeffrey Zeh, Jay Hopson, Georgene Ochadleus, Diane Drakos-Plungis, Lucy Ethans, Connie Givas, and Arlene Sudia! Thanks also to our terrific church photographers Gus Gazepis, Leah Calagias, and Pete Kalergis who have taken photos of church events and activities for use on facebook, our new website, and the Visions. And one more thanks - to Steven Brylinski, who helped us to set up our Shutterfly photo site.



2015 PARISH COUNCIL TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

Our Parish Council members were sworn in following the Divine Liturgy on January 4, 2015. Congratulations to our 2015 Parish Council Officers, John Avdoulos, President; Bill Skotanis, Vice President; Dino Lembesis, Treasurer; Peter Kalergis, Asst. Treasurer; Al Sudia, Secretary. Many thanks to Lou Frango for his service as Treasurer, to Pete Colovas for his service as Secretary, and to John Psiakis who has chosen to take leave of his Parish Council service at this time.



FR. VASILE MIHOC VISITS OUR PARISH

Our church was honored to have Fr. Vasile Mihoc visit, celebrate the Divine Liturgy and speak on Sunday, January 18th. On Tuesday, January 20th, our church hosted the Metropolis Clergy Syndesmos, and Fr. Mihoc also spoke at that event. He is the Head of the Department of New Testament Studies at the University of Sibiu, Romania and an accomplished Biblical Studies and Classical Greek scholar and educator. (Fr. Teodor studied under Professor Mihoc as he worked toward his PhD.) He has 13 children and 28 grandchildren. He impressed us all with his kindness, humor and generosity of spirit. While he is in the US, Fr. Mihoc will be visiting his daughter, who is currently attending Harvard University.



MEET OUR NEW ORGANIST, ANN LYKE

We are pleased to welcome Ann Lyke to our Parish family as organist! Ann will be joining George Cholack as accompanists to our church choir. Ann began her career as a church musician as organist at the Annunciation Cathedral. The choir director at that time was our own, Maritsa Kalasz! Ann has served the Cathedral as organist for over 25 years. Ann is a graduate of the University of Michigan, with a degree in Business, Music and Art History. She is a resident of Grosse Pointe, where she lives with her husband Ron and two sons Ronnie (11) and Paul (7). She enjoys gardening, traveling, baking and spending time with her family.



CUTTING THE VASILOPITA

Our annual Church cutting of the Vasilopita was held on Sunday, January 11th. Βασιλόπιτα, '(St.) Basil-pie' is a New Year's Day bread or cake in Greece and many other areas in eastern Europe and the Balkans which contains a hidden coin or trinket which gives special blessings to the receiver. In the home, traditionally a piece of Vasilopita is sliced for the Lord, for the home, the work, and then for each member of the family, from oldest to youngest. Congratulations to those receiving the Sts. Constantine and Helen Vasilopita coin and special blessings for 2015: Men's Club (President Antonios Stergiadis), and to Nickolas Skylakos.



UPCOMING ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

SENIORS LUNCH AND BINGO

The Senior Citizens Lunch and BINGO will be held on Thursday, February 12th at NOON at the Hellenic Cultural Center. Seniors meet the 2nd Thursday of each month. All are welcome! If you have any questions, contact Lou Abraham or the church office.

VALENTINE'S DAY GATHERING

Bring your Valentine and enjoy this special after-church event sponsored by our St. Helen's Philoptochos on Sunday February 15th at Big Tommy's Parthenon on Grand River in Farmington Hills. There will be a delicious Greek buffet supper available, cost is \$12.95 for adults, \$6.95 for children. For more information, contact Georgene Ochadleus at 248.685.8375. Spouses and family members are encouraged to attend!

KOULOUMA LENTEN LUNCHEON

Please join us on Monday, February 23rd at the Saints Constantine and Helen Church for our "Koulouma" Lenten Luncheon. Started in 1937, the St. Helen Philoptochos is honored to continue this beautiful annual tradition established by our mothers and grandmothers; and invite our parish family and other parishes within the Metropolis to share this day with us. On February 23rd, our morning begins in Church at 10:00 am with the Great Compline Service, and the Koulouma luncheon will be held immediately following the service in our Hellenic Cultural Center. Traditional Lenten foods will be served including taramosalata, yiaprakia, fasolatha and halvas, along with fresh fruits, salads, and bread. Gourmet and other gift baskets will also be raffled off at the event. Tickets for the Koulouma are \$20 per person, and we would be happy to reserve a table for your group if you would prefer to sit together. If you have any questions, or would like to make a reservation, please call Georgene Ochadleus at 248.685.8375.

SATURDAY OF THE SOULS

It is that time of year when we bring to mind and pray for the souls of our departed loved ones. Divine Liturgy services are held for three consecutive Saturdays in February, as Saturday of the Souls. Orthros begins at 9:00 am, Divine Liturgy at 10:00 am. We invite you to attend church on those days, and to submit you're the names of the deceased in your family to be included in the Memorial service on those days. There will be forms distributed in church and available in the narthex or in the church office for this purpose.

- 1st Saturday of Souls – FEBRUARY 14, 2015
- 2nd Saturday of Souls – FEBRUARY 21, 2015
- 3rd Saturday of Souls – FEBRUARY 28, 2015

PRESANCTIFIED LITURGY AND LENTEN SUPPER

Each Wednesday during Lent, there will be a Presanctified Liturgy at 5:30pm, followed by a complimentary Lenten supper and Presentation in the Hellenic Cultural Center. Several of the presentations will focus on the Sacraments of our Church, and will be led by visiting priests from within the Metropolis of Detroit. The supper each week is hosted by one or two of our church organizations, who bring delicious home-made Lenten foods for supper. The list of Presanctified Liturgies along with host organizations follows. Members of these church groups are encouraged to attend and bring a dish to pass. This educational and fun evening brings our church community together, and helps to prepare us for Pascha.

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| • FEBRUARY 25, 2015 | Hosted by: Choir |
| • MARCH 4, 2015 | Hosted by: Mom's Group/GOYA |
| • MARCH 11, 2015 | Hosted by: Parish Council/Men's Club |
| • MARCH 18, 2015 | Hosted by: St. Helen Philoptochos |

FRIDAY FISH FRYs

Each Friday, beginning on February 20th and running throughout Lent, the Hellenic Cultural Center serves a very tasty Fish Fry Buffet Supper from 5:00 pm until 8:00pm. They offer a large variety of foods including fried or baked cod, fried calamari, pasta and salads and it's a real bargain at \$11.50 for adults, and \$6.50 for children under 10. This Fish Fry Lenten supper is open to the public, and there are many Greek and non-Greek members of our community who attend. After dinner, please come and join us in worship at the 6:00 pm Salutations to the Theotokos services.

AND SAVE THESE DATES!

- FEBRUARY 8, 2015 GODPARENTS' SUNDAY
- MARCH 22, 2015 ORATORICAL FESTIVAL
- APRIL 5, 2015 PALM SUNDAY LUNCHEON
- APRIL 6 – 12, 2015 HOLY WEEK SERVICES
- MAY 23, 2015 STS. CONSTANTINE AND HELEN NAME DAY DINNER DANCE
- JULY 16 – 19, 2015 MEFGOX CHOIR CONVENTION AT STS. CONSTANTINE AND HELEN

OUR NEW WEBSITE!

Have you seen our new website? Pay us a visit at www.stcons.org and let us know what you think! This website includes information about our Church ministries, links to our Sunday Bulletin, the Visions, and several Orthodox resources. It also links directly to our Shutterfly site, where photos taken at church events will be posted within a week. You can even take an aerial tour of our church! Many thanks to Father Ciprian Streza of the Archangel Gabriel Greek Orthodox Church in Traverse City, MI who helped us to set everything up. The website is best viewed from a laptop, desktop or tablet.

HAVE YOU TURNED IN YOUR STEWARDSHIP COMMITMENT CARD?

Each of our parishioners should have received a 2015 Christian Stewardship Commitment Card by mail the first week of January. In order to be a member in good standing with the church, you must fill out a stewardship card each year. The card asks you to make a commitment of "time and treasure" to the church. Your stewardship is valued because it is made out of your love for God and His Church. Please keep in mind that your stewardship of money is kept in the strictest of confidence. However, we do compile the amounts anticipated to better plan our budget. If you did not receive a pledge card, they are available in the church office or online, at <http://www.stcons.org/#!stewardship/cusf>. No matter what your pledge, we are glad you are a part of this parish.

ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE

On January 20th, our Church joined with the Catholic Community of Divine Savior and the Newburg United Methodist Church to present an Ecumenical Prayer Service. Fr. Teodor Petrutiu, along with Rev. Fr. Patrick Casey from Divine Savior and Rev. Steven McCoy from United Methodist officiated. The choirs from each parish also participated in this beautiful evening of Christian Unity.



Fr. Steve, Fr. Patrick, and Fr. Teodor

"VISIONS" ADVERTISING

Beginning our next issue, we will be selling ads in the Visions, to cover printing and mailing costs. Visions will be sent to all parishioners' homes every other month, and available in the church and online. If you would like to advertise in the Visions, please contact Annette Madias at the church office at 734.525.6789, or send an email to stcons2@gmail.com.

RATES:

- *Business Card \$25.00 per issue/\$125 year*
- *Quarter Page \$35.00 per issue/\$175 year*
- *Half Page \$55.00 per issue/\$275 year*
- *Full Page \$100.00 per issue/\$500 year*

PARISH COUNCIL PROFILES

In each issue of the Visions, we profile members of our Parish Council, so you can learn a little bit about their background and the things they enjoy doing when they are not in church! Last time, we featured our Parish Council Vice President, Bill Skotanis and Past Secretary, Peter Colovas.

DINO LEMBESIS, TREASURER

Dino has been a life-long member of Sts. Constantine and Helen Church, the son of Demo and Effie Lembesis. This is Dino's 3rd year serving on the Parish Council and he is the newly elected Treasurer for the church. He is also an active member of the Men's Club where he serves as Secretary.

Dino has been married to his wife Kristine (Karfis) Lembesis for 14 years, she has also been a member of our parish since childhood. Kristine is a registered nurse with the American Red Cross. Their son Luke is 10 years old and serves as an altar boy, attends Sunday school and Greek school. He is also very active in sports and likes to play the piano. They have lived in South Lyon for 12 years.

Dino is employed as a financial advisor for Ameriprise Financial Services and has been working there for 19 years. In his free time he is active in the South Lyon community where he coaches youth football and baseball for his son Luke's teams. He enjoys watching Detroit sports, especially the Lions. One of his favorite hobbies is brewing beer with his brother Bill, they have been brewing together for about 10 years.



ALEXANDER SUDIA, SECRETARY

Al and his wife Arlene have been members of the Saints Constantine and Helen Church for three years. Already very active in Church activities, he has served a year on the Parish Council and is now serving as its newly elected Recording Secretary. For the past two years Al has been one of the MC's for our Reverse Raffle and helped organize our annual Men's Club golf outing to help raise money to feed the needy.

Al and Arlene have been married for 46 years and have three sons, two are married and the youngest is living at home. They have three grandchildren, two boys and a girl. Al retired in 2005 after 39 years of teaching social studies and government at both the middle school and high school levels. He was employed with the Trenton Public Schools for 4 years and Plymouth-Canton Schools for 35 years.



He and Arlene enjoy camping and traveling in their 5th wheel. They went to the Holy Lands with Fr. Teodor this past February and have been to the Baltic, Europe, Greece and the Caribbean. Al was a member of a folk singing group and still enjoys playing his guitar with friends. In his spare time he also enjoys model railroading.



FASTING AND GREAT LENT

Excerpt taken from "The Institute of Lent", Rev. George Mastrantonis
www.goarch.org

In the life of the Church of Christ there are many institutes created and maintained to meet the needs of the people - the *Ecclesia*. Among these is the Great Lent which falls within the year-cycle of the life of the Church before Pascha-Easter. Great Lent is a period of time when the people are more conscious of their spiritual character. The passages of the Gospels and the Epistles, the hymnology and prayers, the spirit of the Church - all endeavor to help the Christian cleanse himself spiritually through repentance. "Repent" is the first word Jesus Christ spoke in His proclamation to the people, as the epitome of His Gospel. Repentance is the main motivation of the Christian which acts to free him from sin. One's recognition of his sin, his contrition over it and lastly his decision to make an about-face change of his attitude are the steps of repentance. For one can learn to recognize iniquities from the Bible and the teachings of the Church. During the period of Lent the Christian is called to self-examination and self-control by the radiance of the Event of the Resurrection of Christ. This is why the Church designated such a period of time be observed before this great feast day.

This Institute of the 40 days of Lent precedes the Resurrection of Christ. This 40-day period of Lent is a period of "abstinence" from foods, but primarily from personal iniquities. Abstinence from foods (fasting) alone is a means of attaining virtue; it is not an end in itself. During the period of fasting one makes a special attempt to evaluate his calling as a Christian; to listen to the voice of the Gospel and heed its commandments; to accept the constant invitation to enter Christ's Kingdom. It is an open invitation to everyone willing to enter; who believes in Christ and repents his iniquities; who makes an "about face" directly to Christ. To accomplish this, the Christian Church, out of experience and according to the nature of man instituted certain days of prayer and fasting as steps in a ladder to help those who need guidance to reach this spiritual plateau. All of these steps must have genuine personal meaning to avoid becoming merely a habit and routine. Fasting encompasses the entire pious life of the Christian, as Christ proclaimed, that symbolizes a deep acceptance of His admonition to "repent". This can be achieved not so much in terms of time, but in deeds in love of God and one's fellow man.

During the period of the Great Lent the awakening of the spirit of man comes about through inspiration from the Head of the Church, Jesus Christ. It is a time of self-examination and preparation, and of taking an inventory of one's inner life. He and Christ know his exact condition. At this time one sees himself in the mirror of the Gospel - how he looks. One finds the means and ways to correct and improve himself. Lent is a period of time when one delves into himself with the light of the Holy Spirit in order to rid himself of the impediments which hold him back. It is a period when one strengthens his faith by more prayer and devotional life.

Although the period of Lent appeals to the function of man as a whole in repentance, self-examination, almsgiving, relationship with people with whom one is at odds, attitudes toward life, the abstinence from foods plays a vital role in the life of the Christian. The quantity and kinds of foods selected for this period of Lent help control carnal desires and develop discipline and a pious life. Fasting from foods is not a virtuous activity in itself, but a means for its achievement. But it has a distinct place in the life of the Christian, especially during the Great Lent.

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**"Where there is no vision,
the people perish"**
Proverbs 29:18

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11/22/14

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1/25/15

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11/28/14

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LEVI CHRONISTER to **NICOLE KATIKOS** on

ROBERT DARBY to **ELENA PANAGIOTIDES**

40 DAY BLESSINGS:

12/7/14

12/14/14

12/21/14

1/4/15

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MARIANTHE KIRIAZIS

May her memory be eternal!