



ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

Events To Note -

Sunday, February 13, 2022

Today, the Sunday of the Publican and Pharisee, our church starts a new cycle of her life called *The Triodion* which consists of four weeks of preparation, forty days Fast and culminating with Holy Week. This period prepares us for the spiritual labors of the Fast, strengthening us with a few amazing virtues: Humility, Repentance and Forgiveness.

1. According to the CDC guidelines, it is strongly recommended that individuals wear a mask in all indoor public areas, such as St. Anthony Church.
2. Father Michael is available by appointment for home blessings for our St. Anthony parishioners. Please contact the church to schedule the visitation. Holy Water is also available throughout the calendar year by request.
3. There will be a Women's Guild meeting TODAY during coffee hour in the Jabara Room - we will be finalizing our Women's Month (March 2022) celebration plans. Come and hear what we have in store for the women of St. Anthony Parish! Feel free to bring your "coffee and" to the meeting. We look forward to seeing you.
4. Coffee hour will be held today. The NEXT open date to host the coffee reception is **Sunday, March 13th**. The new 2022 schedule is posted in the coffee room and the church hall. ALL parishioners are asked to sign up to host at least ONE coffee reception a year, a valuable part of our parish fellowship. It has been greatly simplified to make it easier for all parishioners to participate. There are guidelines posted on the church website and handouts available in the coffee room. *You may schedule by putting your name on the schedule posted outside the coffee room or by contacting Alice Ziemba at 201-664-8068 or aliceziemba@yahoo.com*
5. The Tricky Tray has been rescheduled for Friday, April 29, 2022, as a precaution for our parish community due to Covid concerns. **SAVE THE DATE!** Continue to bring in donations. Please see Leslie Carter (201-264-1662) or Hanneh Kalyoussef (201-693-2968) to sign up for manpower for our preview night, Thursday, and event night, Friday..
6. An Update to the last Church Directory printed in 2018 is available the narthex and in the church hall. Included are new parishioners, as well as changes in the contact information for those who have moved, changed phone numbers, emails, etc. **Please use this list as an addendum to the Parish Directory. Send any changes in your contact information to Alice Ziemba (aliceziemba@yahoo.com).**
7. A special thank you to Atef & Maha Maaya for hosting today's coffee hour.
8. Do you have a new baby in your family? Is there news from a church organization that you would like to share? **Send it to the next edition of our monthly church e-newsletter of *The Desert News* that goes out the 1st of each month. Please send your information at least one week prior to Claudia Bogris (cbogris@aol.com).** If you are not receiving this monthly email, please contact Nike Bach (nike.bach@gmail.com) or Stratos Mandalakis (stratosuz@optonline.net).

9. **All announcements for this *Events To Note* flyer should be submitted to Alice Ziemba (aliceziemba@yahoo.com) no later than **Wednesday** evening.**