



## ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

*Events To Note -*

*Sunday, May 8, 2022*

### ***CHRIST IS RISEN!***

1. GIANT INDOOR YARD SALE MAY 12, 13 & 14 - YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

Items to donate to the sale are to please be placed **neatly** on the stage. Manpower is required today to help arrange tables in the hall. Many hands are necessary to make the Yard Sale a successful fundraiser. If you haven't volunteered for set-up, sale or takedown, please see Valerie Joseph, Chair, during coffee hour or contact her at 917-597-6503.

**Set-up days: May 9, 10 and 11 from 10 A.M. - 5 P.M.**

**Sale days: May 12, 13 from 10:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. & May 14 from 10 A.M. - 2 P.M.**

**Take-down: May 14 from 2:30 - 5:00 P.M.**

2. **Let's celebrate with our sister church! St. George Church, Little Falls, 100th Anniversary Celebration Weekend will be held May 21-22, 2022.** On Saturday, a banquet will be held at the Hanover Manor in East Hanover from 6-11pm. On Sunday, His Eminence Metropolitan JOSEPH will serve a Hierarchical Divine Liturgy followed by a brunch at the church hall. For tickets, contact Souhel Shehady (908-400-9377) or Rema Nimrud (908-432-9394). Flyers are in the Narthex.

3. **Back in Person - A Taste of North Jersey Wine & Beer Tasting to benefit IOCC & Ukraine.** Join metropolitan Orthodox churches on Saturday, May 21st for the annual Wine & Beer Tasting to benefit International Orthodox Christian Charities. The benefit will be held at Assumption of the Holy Virgin Orthodox Church, 35 Orange Ave, in Clifton, NJ. Vespers at 6pm. Wine, beer, savory, sweet refreshments at 7pm. Visit [IOCC.ORG/NEWJERSEY](http://IOCC.ORG/NEWJERSEY) for advance ticket purchase or to make a donation.

4. **The Don DiNovi Memorial Golf Outing, benefitting the Don DiNovi Summer Camp Scholarship Fund and St. Anthony's, will be held on Tuesday, June 14th,** at White Beeches Country Club in Haworth, NJ. **Flyers & registration information are in the Narthex.**

- Join us for golf, lunch and dinner at a premier country club
- Sponsor a tee or green
- Not a golfer, join us for dinner and festivities, including a raffle
- Donate a gift to our raffle

5. **Join us at this year's Parish Life Conference (PLC), June 29th - July 3rd,** at the Antiochian Village Heritage and Conference Center in Bolivar, PA. Information is available at <https://www.antiochianevents.com/ny>

6. **Breaking news - the Oratorical Festival is back and has been scheduled for Friday, July 1, 2022.** There are 2 divisions: the Junior Division comprised of 13-15 years olds and the Senior Division with 16-19 years olds. Complete information is posted online ([www.teensoyo.org](http://www.teensoyo.org)). Contact Daria Incorvaia for more information ([deedah1964@yahoo.com](mailto:deedah1964@yahoo.com)).

7. **Bible Study focusing on the Gospel of St. Matthew continues every Thursday night at 8pm** led by Catechist/Church Librarian Subdeacon Nicholas Nagorny. **The Zoom link is (791-477-4689).**

8. **Our storage room, next to the church hall, is overflowing with products/items** that we may never use or be able to sell. The parish council is undertaking a “spring cleaning” of the storage room and will be offering items to the Yard Sale. **Please let Father Michael know if there are items in that room that are absolutely essential and cannot be thrown out.** Otherwise, the Storage Committee will be clearing out and organizing the space.

9. **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.

10. **ALL parishioners are asked to sign up to host at least ONE coffee reception a year, a valuable part of our parish fellowship.**

- The process has been streamlined to make it easier for all parishioners to participate. The guidelines are on the church website and handouts available in the coffee room.
- The next open date is June 12th, followed by June 19th.
- Just put your name on the schedule posted outside the coffee room or contact Alice Ziemba **(201-664-8068 or [aliceziemba@yahoo.com](mailto:aliceziemba@yahoo.com)).**

11. **Update your Contact Information - if you have any changes to your contact information** (address, phone numbers, emails, etc.), please update your information. Forms are available in the Narthex or email Alice Ziemba ([aliceziemba@yahoo.com](mailto:aliceziemba@yahoo.com)).

12. Do you have a new baby in your family? Is there news from a church organization to share? **Send it to our monthly church e-newsletter, *The Desert News*, that goes out the 1st of each month. Send all information at least one week prior to Claudia Bogris ([cbogris@aol.com](mailto:cbogris@aol.com)).** If you are not receiving this monthly email, please contact Nike Bach ([nike.bach@gmail.com](mailto:nike.bach@gmail.com)) or Stratos Mandalakis ([stratsuz@optonline.net](mailto:stratsuz@optonline.net)).

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