



ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

Sunday, May 7, 2023

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Great Vespers Every Saturday at 5PM
-Vespers cancelled on May 13th (for the enthronement of Metropolitan SABA) and May 20th (for St. Vladimir's graduation)

His Eminence Metropolitan SABA will be enthroned as the Archbishop of New York and Metropolitan of All North America on Saturday, May 13th at 11:00AM at St. Nicholas Cathedral in Brooklyn, NY. A celebratory reception and banquet will take place. Tickets are on sale online thru May 9th - no tickets will be sold at the door. For detailed information, visit the Antiochian Archdiocese website (antiochian.org).

The enthronement will be live-streamed on St. Nicholas Cathedral's Facebook page. A Facebook account is not necessary to watch.

Metropolitan SABA has appointed Fr. Nicholas Fine to be the new pastor of St. Anthony Church effective June 1, 2023. Welcome Fr. Nicholas, Kh. Liana, Elias and Moses. May God grant you many, many years!

Today is the last Sunday Seminarian Joshua Birdsall, Lindsey & John will be at St. Anthony's. Sem. Joshua will be ordained to the holy diaconate next Sunday, May 14th, at St. George Church in Little Falls, NJ. The entire Birdsall family has been a beautiful addition to our St. Anthony family - we will miss you. May God grant all of you many, many years!

- 1. Church School and Teen SOYO will meet today after Communion.**
- 2. Our Fall Festival will be on November 10th and 11th. If you can help out in any way, please contact Donna Petrick (917-617-1893 or doon1224@yahoo.com) or Joe Incorvaia (201-424-7838 or Joseph.Incorvaia@gmail.com), or add your name to the sign-up sheets in the church hall (on the wall next to the coffee hour sign-up sheets). Thank you!**
- 3. Since many women were unavailable last Sunday, a group photo of all the women of our parish will be taken after Liturgy TODAY IN THE CHURCH** that will be published in the AWE Newsletter. Please remember, every woman at St. Anthony's is considered a member of the Women's Guild.
- 4. After coffee hour TODAY, our Teen SOYO and advisor Peter Thomsen, under the guidance of Barbara DiNovi, our resident garden expert, will be planting the Easter flowers & shrubs** that adorned our church during Pascha.
- 5. Help is needed TODAY to de-decorate the Epitaphios.** After coffee, please assemble in the Jabara Room to move it to the Storage Room. *No experience necessary.* Disposing greenery in a compost pile is welcomed.
- 6. St. Anthony's Carnival will run from Thursday, May 11th through Sunday, May 14th at the Teaneck National Guard Armory. The event dates and hours are:**
 - * Thursday, May 11: 4:30-9:30pm
 - * Friday, May 12: 4:30-9:30pm
 - * Saturday, May 13: 2:30-10:30pm
 - * Sunday, May 14: 1:30-8:30pm

7. **Thank You to the Carter and Deeb families for sponsoring today's coffee hour.**

8. **Thank you to Jackie Koskinas and the Women's Guild** for organizing the shower for the New Hope Pregnancy Resource Center in Westwood, NJ, **and to all parishioners who contributed** to this fundraiser.

9. **The Don DiNovi Memorial Golf Outing, benefitting the Don DiNovi Summer Camp Scholarship Fund, will be held on Tuesday, June 20th,** 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
- If you have a raffle prize or gift certificate to donate, please contact **Leslie Carter (201-264-1662 or lesliecarter2@aol.com)** or **Hanneh Kalyoussef (201-693-2968 or hannehsbling@gmail.com).**

10. **Registration is open for Summer Camp sessions.** For more information and to register, go to: **avcamp.org** **St. Anthony's has funds to help any of our children** attend camp if they need it. Those interested in scholarships, please contact Fr. Jeremy or Ed Assile.

11. **Shoprite Gift Cards are available for purchase.** For \$100, you get \$100. of gift cards & the Church earns 5%. This is a cost-free fundraiser! To purchase gift cards, **see Betty Gakos.**

12. **Reminder: The UPCI Jesus Christ Tabernacle Church celebrates services on Sundays (2pm - 5pm) and Thursdays (6:30pm - 9:00pm) in our church hall.** Please clean your tables after coffee hour.

13. **The new Coffee Hour Schedule for 2023 is posted in 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.

- The guidelines are on the church website & handouts available in the coffee room.
- Put your name on the schedule posted outside the coffee room or contact **Alice Ziemba (201-664-8068 or aliceziemba@yahoo.com).**

14. Do you have a new baby in your family? Any 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).** If you are not receiving this monthly email, please **contact Nike Bach (nike.bach@gmail.com).**

15. **An Update to the last Church Directory printed in 2018 is available in the narthex.** 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).**

There will be a five year Memorial Service today for Edward Deeb, father of Leslie Carter and Alison Deeb. Ed was one of the original founders of St. Anthony Church. May his Memory be Eternal!