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WELCOME TO
**ST. GREGORY
THE ENLIGHTENER**
ARMENIAN CHURCH

FR. MESROB HOVSEPYAN, PASTOR

MORNING SERVICE: 9:45 A.M.

DIVINE LITURGY: 10:15 A.M.

NOVEMBER 17, 2024
TENTH SUNDAY OF THE HOLY CROSS
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TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Phillipians 1:1-11

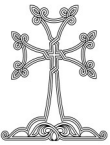
Luke 9:43-50

PC MEMBERS ON DUTY:

Arman Bedonian

Chris Bonfiglio

Joanne Chitjian



REQUIEM SERVICE WILL BE HELD TODAY

Oscar Konlian

Requested by: The Konlian Family

May God rest his soul in His eternal peace and presence and grant his loved ones the comfort of the Holy Spirit.

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Commemoraton of Apostles Andrew and Phillip

Before becoming Christ's disciple, Apostle Andrew was the disciple of St. John the Baptist. He was the brother of the Apostle Peter and was a fisherman. After the Ascension of the Lord and the Descend of the Holy Spirit, Apostle Andrew preached in Northern Greece and in Scythe.

Apostle Phillip was from the town Bethsaida. Perhaps he was also the disciple of St. John the Baptist. He preached in Asia Minor. Apostle Philip was martyred and crucified in the town Heliople.

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Մինչև Յիսուս Քրիստոսին հետևելը Ս. Անդրեաս առաքելը նախապես եղած է Ս. Յովհաննես Մկրտչի աշակերտը: Ան Ս. Պետրոս առաքելին եղբայրն ու արհեստակիցն էր: Փրկչի համբարձումն և Սուրբ Հոգու էջքն ետք Ս. Անդրեաս առաքելը քարոզած է Հիւսիսային Յունաստանում և սկիւթներու երկրում: Նահատակուած է Պատրաս քաղաքում: Ս. Փիլիպպոս առաքելը Հրէաստանի Բեթսայիդայէն էր, Ս. Պետրոս առաքելի հայրենակիցը: Հաւանաբար ան ալ նախապես եղած է Ս. Յովհաննես Մկրտչի աշակերտը: Քարոզած է Փոքր Ասիայում և նահատակուած Հերապոլիս քաղաքին մէջ՝ իսաչելութեամբ: Հայ Առաքելական եկեղեցին Ս. Անդրեաս և Ս. Փիլիպպոս առաքելներու յիշատակը կը տօնէ Սուրբ Իսաչի 9-րդ կիրակիին յաջորդող շաբաթ օրը:

Presentation of the Mother-of-God to the Temple

The Feast of the Presentation of the Holy Mother-of-God to the Temple is celebrated by all the traditional churches on November 21. According to custom, devout Jewish parents presented their children to the temple at a young age. Mary's parents, Joachim and Anna, brought their young daughter to the Temple in Jerusalem to consecrate her to God. According to tradition, Mary remained there for a time and was given over to the care of pious widows and maidens who lived at the temple. After seven years, Mary became betrothed to Joseph the carpenter.

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

The first reading is from the Second Letter of Paul to Phillipians (1:1-11)

I thank my God every time I remember you, constantly praying with joy in every one of my prayers for all of you, because of your sharing in the gospel from the first day until now. I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work among you will bring it to completion by the day of Jesus Christ. It is right for me to think this way about all of you, because you hold me in your heart, for all of you share in God's grace with me, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. For God is my witness, how I long for all of you with the compassion of Christ Jesus. And this is my prayer, that your love may overflow more and more with knowledge and full insight to help you to determine what is best, so that in the day of Christ you may be pure and blameless, having produced the harvest of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ for the glory and praise of God.

The second reading is from the Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to Luke (9:43-50)

“Let these words sink into your ears; for the Son of Man is to be delivered into the hands of men.” But they did not understand this saying, and it was concealed from them, that they should not perceive it; and they were afraid to ask him about this saying. And an argument arose among them as to which of them was the greatest. But when Jesus perceived the thought of their hearts, he took a child and put him by his side, and said to them, “Whoever receives this child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me receives him who sent me; for he who is least among you all is the one who is great.” John answered, “Master, we saw a man casting out demons in your name, and we forbade him, because he does not follow with us.” But Jesus said to him, “Do not forbid him; for he that is not against you is for you.”

INVITATION TO THE
SPECIAL PARISH ASSEMBLY
Հրաւեր Յատուկ Ծիսական
Անդամական Ժողովի
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2024

Your Pastor and Parish Council cordially invite you to attend a Special Parish Assembly to be held on Sunday, November 17, 2024 at 12:30 PM in Tutak Hall. Please be present and plan to participate in the discussions.

ST. GREGORY THE ENLIGHTENER
ARMENIAN CHURCH

WOMEN'S GUILD

invites you all to a

GENERAL MEETING

November 17, 2024 after Badarak

There will be Executive Board Elections

We will also make

GHAPAMA

Armenian stuffed pumpkin

Please RSVP to Dawn Papalian at 310-850-6496

to plan for the Ghapama making





Fellowship Coffee Hour

We greatly appreciate the generosity of the Konlian Family for providing today's refreshments. If you would like to sign-up for a future date to host and sponsor refreshments for the fellowship coffee hour on Sunday, kindly contact coordinator: Adriane Keleshian Bonfiglio (914) 649-1072.



Holy Communion Distribution Guidelines

As parishioners approach to receive Holy Communion:

- Place your right hand in the left hand and extend it to the celebrant.
 - The celebrant will place the Holy Communion in your palm.
 - Consume it in front of the celebrant WITHOUT TOUCHING THE COMMUNION with other fingers.
 - Sanitize your hand before returning to your seat from the right
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The Women's Guild
of St. Gregory the Enlightener Armenian Church
invite you to share joy & fellowship of the holiday season

at a Christmas Luncheon
on Wednesday, December 4th, 2024 at 12:30pm
Bronxville Field Club
40 Locust Lane, Mt. Vernon NY 10552
(914)664-3585



THE ST. GREGORY ARMENIAN SCHOOL
INVITES YOU TO:

PHOTOS AND HOT COCOA WITH SAINT NICK

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23
1:00 PM - 4:00 PM**

Join us for an afternoon fundraiser for our school,
with professional photos with Santa, hot cocoa, holiday crafts,
letters to the North Pole, and more!

ENTRANCE FEE: \$40 PER FAMILY

RSVP BY NOVEMBER 16 BY VISITING [TINYURL.COM/STNICK24](https://tinyurl.com/stnick24)



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THE WOMEN'S GUILD

is having a

FOOD SALE

NOVEMBER

24

SUNDAY

12:30 PM After Holy Badarak

We will sell Fresh Lahmajun,
Spinach Boereg, Cheese Boereg, Kadayif, Simit,
Nazook, Cheoreg, Sini Kufta, Baklava,
Pumpkin Cranberry Breads and More

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY	<p>Fr. Mesrob Hovsepyan celebrates the Divine Liturgy.</p> <p>Please join us for the Fellowship Coffee hour and Two Important Meetings after Badarak:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Special Parish Assembly• Women's Guild General Meeting
NOVEMBER 23, SATURDAY	<p>Photos and Hot Cocoa with St. Nick Armenian School Fundraiser—1-4 pm</p> <p>ACYOA Juniors Friendsgiving—5-8pm.</p>
NOVEMBER 24, SUNDAY	<p>The Women's Guild Food Sale – after Holy Badarak. Details inside.</p>
DECEMBER 4, WEDNESDAY	<p>St. Gregory Women's Guild Christmas Luncheon at the Bronxville Field Club. Details inside.</p>
DECEMBER 7, SATURDAY	<p>Presentation about St. Vartan Camp 10:30-11am. Little Saints for children ages 2-4 years old. 11:30-12:30pm</p>
DECEMBER 8, SUNDAY	<p>Fellowship coffee hour will be sponsored by the Hovnanian School.</p> <p>Armenian Dance lessons by Harout Barsoumian following. Details to follow.</p>
DECEMBER 22, SUNDAY	<p>Lunch with Santa. Details to follow.</p>
JANUARY 4, 2025 SATURDAY	<p>Eve of the Nativity and Theophany of Our Lord Jesus Christ—J'arakalooztz Details to follow.</p>
JANUARY 5, 2025 SUNDAY	<p>Feast of the Nativity and Theophany of Our Lord Jesus Christ. The celebration of the Feast of the Nativity and Theophany of our Lord (Armenian Christmas) will take place on January 4 & 5 because January 6th falls on a Monday in 2025.</p>