

Welcome to
St. George Greek Orthodox
Cathedral



Happy Palm Sunday

Sunday, April 24, 2016

Orthros 9:00 a.m.

Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

Last Sunday's Contribution's

Trays:	\$258.00
Candles:	\$446.00
Flowers:	\$24.00
Attendance:	150

Happy Name day: St. Zacchaeus, the Apostle (April 20), St. Nathaniel, the Apostle (April 22), St. George, the Great Martyr (April 23), St. Lazarus (April 23), and St. Elizabeth, the Wonderworker (April 24).

The Palms are donated in loving memory of Chris & Helen Korcoulis, Elias Korcoulis, and Paraskeve Korcoulis, from the Korcoulis Family.

A Vigil candle is being lit today by George G. Petrikas in loving memory of George and Anthoula Petrikas

A Vigil Candle will be lit every Friday in April for good health of Anastacia Ingils from Aphrodite Giotas.

Mirofori: We invite girls from ages 5 to 13 to be a mirofori girl in the evening service on Good Friday, April 29th. Please plan to arrive at 6:30 pm wearing an all white dress with shoulders covered, white tights or socks and white comfortable shoes. We will meet in the Sunday school 2nd grade room. The church will provide the girls with white gloves, a headpiece that's a comb and a white basket full of rose petals.

Please contact Athanasia Robinson at (603) 264-2968 or Veneta Tatakis (617) 851-7983 if you are interested.

Following the Divine Liturgy of the Resurrection, come, break the fast, and celebrate the Glorious Resurrection of our Lord and Saviour. The Board of Directors will provide roast lamb and liquid refreshments. Bring a dish to share and join your fellow parishioners in the celebration. All are welcome! *Kali Anastasi!*

GOYA News: Friday, April 29th, or Good Friday, Father Wilson has graciously invited GOYA to assist with the pre-service preparations, specifically with decorating the Epitaphio. We also plan on having a meeting afterwards in the annex with pizza. If you're available that day, it would be greatly appreciated.

NOA Scholarships Application: You can pick up applications at St. George Cathedral office. Please remember that they are due back no later than **May 31, 2016**. Please return completed applications to St. George Cathedral, 650 Hanover Street, Manchester NH 03104.

Community Activities
for the Week of
April 25th—May 1st, 2016

Mon. April 25th Holy Monday

Bridegroom Service 7:00 p.m.

Tues. April 26th Holy Tuesday

Bridegroom Service 7:00 p.m.

Wed. April 20th Holy Wednesday

No Bible Study or Orthodox Life Class

Holy Unction service 3:00 p.m.

Orthros of Thurs service 7:00 p.m.

Thurs. April 28th Holy Thursday

Vesperal Divine Liturgy 6:00 a.m.

12 Gospel Reading 7:00 p.m.

Fri. April 29th Great & Holy Friday

Royal Hours 9:00 a.m.

Taking down the Cross 3:00 p.m.

Lamentation service 7:00 p.m.

Sat. April 30th Holy Saturday

Vesperal Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

Canon of Pascha 11:15 p.m.

Pot Luck Dinner after services in CC

Sun. May 1st Happy Pascha

Vespers 11:00 a.m.

Easter Egg Hunt after services

Metropolis of Boston Ministry Awards: Saint George Cathedral is looking for you to nominate people that the board may review and select to be our nominee to the Metropolis to receive the award this year at the Metropolis Ministry Award Banquet in June. Please have your nomination in to the office or to a member of the Board of Directors by **May 2nd.**



Easter Flower Donations

If you would like to make a donation for our Easter flowers you can drop checks off in the main office or give to any Anagennesis Board member. Please make checks payable to Anagennesis. If you have any questions regarding Easter flowers you can reach Kelly O'Brien Hebert at (603) 533-1663 or kobh@partnersrq.com.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!

The Decorating of the Epitaphio
Will be Holy Friday, April 29th at
8:30 a.m.
Anyone wishing to help, please join
us.



Saint George Children's Choir

Our Children's Choir has already begun learning songs, but it's not too late for you to join! We need you! We would like to see ALL children involved! All elementary and middle school students are encouraged to join!

The time commitment is so small (11:45-12:00 right after church) but the reward will be so great! Our church needs to grow its future congregation and this is a wonderful way to have children be involved and grow in devotion!

If you have any questions, please contact Kate Boisvert kateturgeon@yahoo.com

Thank you!

*Daughters of Penelope
Ilios Chapter*

Will be sponsoring a Basket Raffle to benefit the Penelope Place
Located in Brockton Massachusetts.

Raffles will take place on Palm Sunday April 24th, 2016 at St. Nicholas, The Assumption,
and St. George Greek Orthodox churches of Manchester, NH

The proceeds will go directly to victims seeking shelter from Domestic Violence. It is a
24/7 center.



In addition to being a warm and welcoming home, Penelope's Place provides comprehensive, coordinated care for survivors of violence and their children. They offer innovative, creative, and collaborative solutions to assist families in improving their health and well-being, breaking the cycles of violence, and ensuring their future stability.

Penelope's Place shelter is a bright, warm, and inviting space for survivors and their children.

In addition to state funding, Penelope's Place is supported by many local organizations, churches, and generous individuals. One of the largest supporters is the Daughters of Penelope, a worldwide Greek women's philanthropic organization, after whom the shelter was named. With their support, we have transformed a shelter into a welcoming home and have provided help, hope, and opportunity to hundreds of families and children who were struggling with the devastating effects of domestic violence.

*Thank you for your generosity
Kalo Pascha!*



Mother's Day

Party

Monday, May 9th in Community Center

Cocktails 5:30 p.m.

Dinner 6:00 p.m.

Serving Roast Chicken, Baked Potatoes, and Green Beans,

Coffee and Dessert.

\$15.00 per person

For more info call Poppy Tsoutsas at 668-4308

Sponsored by Members of Anagenesis Ladies.

Advanced Ticket Sales Only

Tickets are available in Office or during Coffee Hour.

**OPA - Dance Night
in Honor of
St. George Cathedral
Manchester NH**



Saturday, May 7th

**Admission \$20.00
Children under 15 Free**

7pm to 11pm - Includes Appetizers



Cash bar

Music by: DJ Kifi Sounds

Information for tickets call office: 622-9113



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SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2016

APOSTOLIC READING

**Blessed is the Messiah, who comes in the name of the Lord.
Give thanks unto the Lord. For he is good, and his mercy endures
forever.**

The reading is from the Epistle of St. Paul to the Philippians (4:4-9).

**Brethren, rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. Let all
men know your forbearance. The Lord is at hand. Have no anxiety
about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with
thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace
of God, which passes all understanding, will keep your hearts and your
minds in Christ Jesus.**

**Finally, brethren, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is
just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there
is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about
these things. What you have learned and received and heard and seen
in me, do; and the God of peace will be with you.**

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THE GOSPEL READING: PALM SUNDAY

The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to St. John (12:1-18).

Six days before the Passover, Jesus came to Bethany, where Lazarus was, whom Jesus had raised from the dead. There they made him a supper; Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at table with him. Mary took a pound of costly ointment of pure nard and anointed the feet of Jesus and wiped his feet with her hair; and the house was filled with the fragrance of the ointment. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (he who was to betray him), said "Why was this ointment not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor?" This he said, not that he cared for the poor but because he was a thief, and as he had the money box he used to take what was put into it. Jesus said, "Let her alone, and let her keep it for the day of my burial. The poor you always have with you, but you do not always have me."

When the great crowd of the Jews learned that he was there, they came, not only on account of Jesus but also to see Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. So the chief priests planned to put Lazarus also to death, because on account of him many of the Jews were going away and believing in Jesus.

The next day a great crowd who had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" And Jesus found a young ass and sat upon it; as it is written, "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on an ass's colt!"

His disciples did not understand this at first; but when Jesus was glorified, and then they remembered that this had been written of him and had been done to him. The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead bore witness. The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign.