



METROPOLIS
OF ATLANTA



August 2017



*The Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord,
God and Savior Jesus Christ
August 6*

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Stewardship...*Volunteer Needed*

From the Desk of Fr. Jon

Taking time or making time for our Orthodox Christian Faith!

Our Orthodox Christian Faith is one of the great blessings we have in our lives. The scheduling of our lives is one of the great challenges. If we take a minute right now to analyze our choices, we can clearly see where our priorities are. Are they with Christ and His Church, or are our priorities aligned with our own self interests? Do we show respect for our God by showing up in a timely manner and frequently to divine services? Would we show more respect being invited our relative's or friend's home, than to God's home?

Taking time or making time?

Do we take time out our day to spend time with God? We should! Think about the best time to give to God, not when we are tired but attentive. **Set aside 10 or 15 minutes** just to place your soul in His hands, say some prayers for yourself, pray for others and read the daily bible passages. This can easily be accomplished on a daily basis.

Making time is like it sounds. This is when we are struggling to carve out a little time for God. God is not at the top of our list and thus we give Him our leftovers. If we exercise our free will for His glory, we discover what is pleasing to God and become His true servants. Repentance becomes natural for us, joy starts to enter our hearts, the grace of God is given and we lead purpose driven lives in Christ Jesus. With His word dwelling in us and walking with us, we begin to handle all that comes to us throughout the day with discernment. As believers in the one true God, life can be filled trials, but also with solutions that are grace filled.

Let us find our spiritual haven! Let us take time, not make time, in the morning, at lunch, after dinner or before bed to be with God in Christ. **If we can do this for 30 days in a row, we can create a new good habit that will bless us and those around us.** When we are looking for real solutions for the problems in our lives, we have to place them at the feet of Jesus on the Cross and then follow through on where God would take us. We might be surprised by the answers to our prayers!

The Lord has the answers we are looking for, not me. Yet, it does make good spiritual sense to do all that is within our control to help ourselves while serving God. As your priest, I invite you to share your struggles with me so I may help you and lift them up in prayer. A life in Christ is filled with opportunities to serve Him and to hear the call to minister to many. May our hearts and ears be open to listen to the still small voice of our great God. May His love penetrate deep within us, that is may become a spring unto eternal life!

Our time with Panagia!

At the beginning of August, we have a special time dedicated to the commemoration of the Theotokos and ever-Virgin Mary, our Panagia! During August 1-14, every evening at 6pm we have either the Small Paraklesis, the Great Paraklesis or Great Vespers. Let us plan from now to take the time and ask for the intercessions of the Mother of God for our spiritual family and ourselves. She has promised to help us forever! Such is the love of the Panagia who gave birth God in the flesh. This is also a time dedicated to praying for the living. Please take the prayer list in the newsletter or at the candle stand and fill it out! Love always, Fr. Jon

SUMMER HOURS ON SUNDAYS

Our summer hours of 8:00 AM for Orthros and approximately 9:30 AM for Divine Liturgy will
END on August 27, 2017.

From the Parish Council President Barbara Reynolds

Pardon our Dust

You have probably noticed that parts of the church are blocked off and there is lots of dust around the church. During the coming months, we are making some improvements to our church. We are fixing the serious problems with our old, faulty plumbing. At the same time, since we are tearing things up we will redo the bathrooms to include handicap facilities in both bathrooms and put in new fixtures to make them more attractive. Since the floor in the Hellenic Center has to be torn up for the plumbing, we will take this opportunity to redo the floor and ceiling and improve the look of the Hellenic Center. We are also making improvements to the book store. We have hired a decorator as well as the engineers and contractors to make these improvements. We are so blessed to have had very successful Greek Festivals in the last few years which have given us the funds to make these improvements without borrowing money or taking funds away from our ministries which are supported by your stewardship.

PS - Do not worry. During the construction, we will have working bathrooms.



Until the Hellenic Center construction is completed, it will not be available for rental for any events. We will notify all in the Weekly Bulletins and in the Monthly Newsletters as updates can be published.

SAVE THE DATES

September 1: Ecclesiastical New Year & Indiction

October 6-8: Regional Family Spiritual Retreat

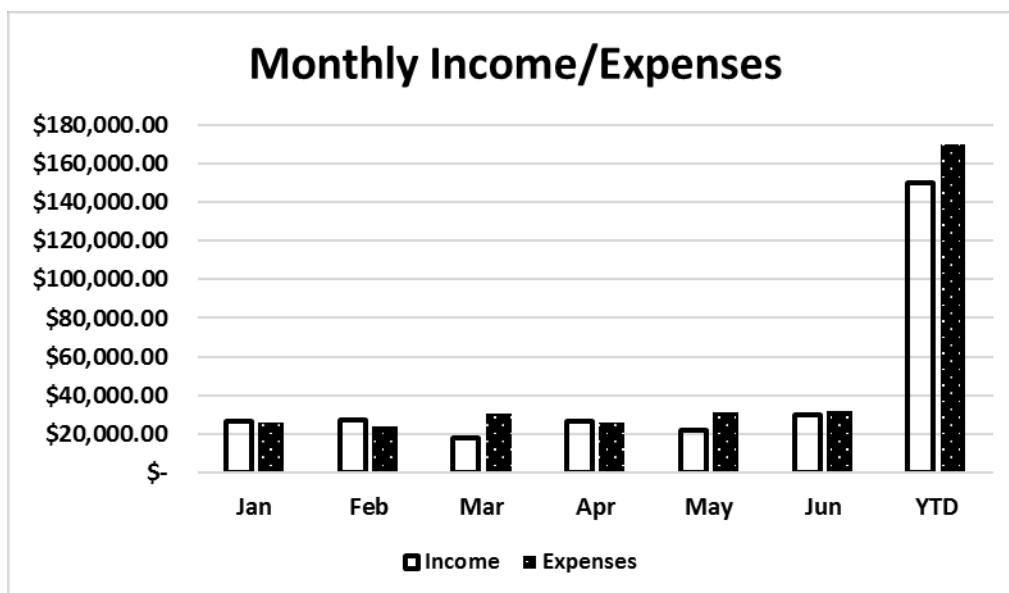
October 28: OHI Day

Treasurer's Report

Tina Bostic

Stewardship as of June 2017	
Pledged	\$208,530.84
Full Yr Goal	\$277,306.31
Variance pledged to goal	\$(68,775.47)
Percentage pledged to goal	75%
Amt. Received	\$116,355.25
Percentage received to goal	42%

Operating Income/Expense			
General Fund	Income	Expenses	Variance
Jan	\$26,532.87	\$25,582.12	\$950.75
Feb	\$27,247.13	\$24,072.13	\$3,175.00
Mar	\$17,677.60	\$30,455.36	\$(12,777.76)
Apr	\$26,588.62	\$26,154.53	\$434.09
May	\$21,976.46	\$31,219.49	\$(9,243.03)
Jun	\$30,056.80	\$32,077.69	\$(2,020.89)
YTD	\$150,079.48	\$169,561.32	\$(19,481.84)





Metropolis Strategic Planning *Koula Katsikis, Parish Champion*

After many months of hard work and much anticipation, the first goals of the Metropolis of Atlanta Strategic Plan are complete and there is content on the Web Portal for download. Parishioners are invited to use the new content found at www.atlstrategicplan.org/portal

The completed Goals include: 1.1 Parish Strategic Planning, 3.3 Communications Director, 10.1 Metropolis Website and 10.3 Best Practices Metropolis Resource Center Portal.

I encourage all of you to check out this portal. The new Metropolis website has valuable information for all of us including forms for St Stephens Camp and information for next years Hellenic Dance Festival in Orlando Florida. In addition, a Senior Ministry Handbook has been added to the Senior Ministry section of the Portal.

As I continue to receive information from the Metropolis I will forward it to you.

Philo托chos *Enosis Chapter #5027* *Debra Rallis*

Congratulations to our new board members who were blessed by Fr. Jon on June 25, 2017. The new Board is comprised of President: Debbie Rallis, 1st Vice President: Daphne Snow, 2nd Vice President: Maria Stasios, Treasurer: Irene Voneiff, Assist Treasurer: Argiro Brown, Recording Secretary: Irene Sotiriou, Corresponding Secretary: Evgenia Karonis, Advisor to the President: Tia Saffo. Additional board members include Pres. Barbara Emanuelson, Helen Kapranzas, Courtney Malahias, Sandra Papanikolaou, Eleni Pappamihel, Joanne Simotas, and Renee Theophilos.

We are pleased to welcome these ladies to continue their good works through the Philo托chos Ministry.



Community News

YOUNG ADULT FELLOWSHIP EVENT

Rev. Fr. Jon Emanuelson

If you are a recent high school graduate, 30 years old, or anywhere in-between, you are invited to attend a cookout dinner at the home of Fr. Jon & Presbyteria Barbara on Sunday, August 13, 2017 at 5PM. Please contact the Church Office to RSVP. At this event we will discuss opportunities to serve in various young adult ministries.

ADULT GREEK DANCE

We are all having so much fun with Adult Greek Dance each Wednesday Night in the Hellenic Center as we dance around the construction areas. We are taking a small break for the Dormition Fast from August 1-15 from dancing. We will have dance on both Wednesdays, August 16 & 30 from 6:30-8:30PM. (August 23 there will be no dancing.) See you here!

AHEPA

The 2017 District No. 3 Scholarship Recipients were announced during the General Session of today's District Convention in Charlotte, NC. A total of 38 applications were received, 8 were disqualified for various reasons and 30 scholarships were awarded!

I am proud to report that the following four (4) students our community will each receive a \$500 AHEPA District Scholarship for the 2017-2018 academic term:

William Brown, II
Katerina Katsikis
Thomas Malahias
George Malahias

Please join me in congratulating these deserving students.

THANK YOU

I would like to thank my St. Nicholas family for a wonderful three years as the Parish Office Administrator. I miss everyone as Louis, Mia, and I are settling into our new lives in Georgia. We hope to see everyone soon!

Thank you!

Angelique Simpson



Thank you to Georgia Marmaras for her wonderful job as Volunteer Parish Office Administrator in June & July! She did a great job filling in and I am pleased to announce she will continue to help me in the office in the Communications Ministry to publish Weekly Bulletins and to help as needed on various projects for the Church and Ministries.

Stella McTaggart

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Billy Davis, son of Angela Dentiste, is working with the organization "Help Refugees" this summer. He is doing construction projects in refugee camps in Greece and is based out of Thessaloniki. He will be there until September. Please pray for a fruitful venture & God grants him strength.

FOR SALE

We have a few 5 lb. boxes of frozen Gyro Meat left for

sale. They are \$25 each. To purchase, contact Doug or Argie Brown at 910-233-8816.

We have Greek beer and wine for sale. A case of Mythos Beer (24 bottles) is \$36. Various bottled wines are \$12 and the larger bottles are \$20. Please see Stella McTaggart or a Parish Council member to purchase. All checks to be made out to St Nicholas Greek Festival with the memo stating "TAVERN."

We have various "Greek Market" items for sale including Greek coffee, olive oil, olives, cookies, beans, and orzo. See Sandra Papanikolaou or Irene Sotiriou to purchase. All checks to be made out to St Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church with the memo stating: "GREEK MARKET-PLACE."

DONATION REQUESTS
TIME, TALENT, OR TREASURE

On Sunday, July 30 Philoptochos passed a collection tray to help the Nativity of the Theotokos Monastery.

The Backstory: A fire occurred on June 15, 2017 when a raging storm settled over the Monastery. Lightning struck the gas lines and ignited the back of the structure. It spread in minutes, undetected to the roof and then the nuns' living quarters. The nuns are living in the farmhouse -a tiny home- which also houses their candle and icon crafting rooms below. Most of them are sleeping on the floor and several of them have significant health conditions. They all made it out, but the church miraculously was left unscathed. (It's truly a miracle, because they were all connected, as the original monastery.) The nuns are still in great need, as their insurance only pays 80% of the building value and does NOT cover temporary housing. They are trying to purchase two small trailers to live in.

If you did not attend Services that week and you feel moved to send financial aid directly, their address is:

Nativity of the Theotokos Monastery
121 St. Elias Lane
Saxonburg, PA 16056

We are in need of some Prosforo for Services & Liturgies. If you would like to make some, please bring it to Stella McTaggart. Thank you.

We are in need of some Commandaria wine for the altar. It is available for purchases at Greek stores in Raleigh or online. Please see Fr. Jon if you would like to donate.

Please donate all weekly coupons from newspapers & ads to the Church Office. These coupons will be used to help our parishioners save money on products. For more information, please see Benjalee Pittman.

MEMORIALS

If you need to have a Memorial for a loved one or an Artoclasia for the health of your family contact Stella McTaggart at least 2 weeks in advance. We want to make sure we can have all of the correct information in place for your commemoration. Thank you.

PLEASE REMEMBER

Please continue to pray for those who are ill, recovering, and/or homebound: Evelyn Angeledes Angelo Angeledes, Bobby Bobon (brother of Sue Lawler), Stavros Chantiles, Sherry Demas, Nicholas Devoles, Constantine Dukas, Sue Fokakis (Autumn Care), George and Nick Fokakis (Morningside), Demitra George, Maria Karafas, Nick Karloutsos (Silver Stream), Dan Kirkby (brother of Matthew), Dave Kirkby (father of Matthew), Nikolaos Kotsinis Olga Mancuso, Calvin McGowan, Dino Poulos (brother of Koula), George Poulos (son of Koula Poulos), Pat Skinner-Darby, Charity Skinner-Darby (daughter of Pat), Tom Souflas, John & Olympia Stamboulis, Vasilios Vogiatzis, Mary Ann Wall

*Please contact the church office to add/remove someone from the list.

CONGRATULATIONS

For all the people celebrating their birthday, anniversary, and name day in the month of August, may you have many happy years. Many Happy Years!

Congratulations to Louis Simpson & Angelique Skandalakis who were married in the church on June 3, 2017. We wish them a lifetime of happiness! Συγχαρητήρια!

On June 10 Elena Sophia Tracy was baptized in the name of the Lord. She is the first daughter of Josh and Aimee Tracy. Να σας ζήσει!

On June 17 Gabriel Elefterios Mayorga and Sayed Markos Mayorga were baptized in the name of the Lord. They are the sons of Sia Mayorga. Να ζήσουν μια υγιεινή ζωή!

SYMPATHIES

We would like to extend our deepest sympathy and condolences to Charles Hegler, Son, and Kathy Perry, Daughter, and the rest of their family on the Falling Asleep in the Lord in the hope of Resurrection of their beloved Mother, Sophia Copes, age of 83, at the New Hanover Regional Medical Center on July 2, 2017, where she passed away surrounded by her family Please review Mrs.

Copes's full obituary at <http://www.wilmingtoncares.com/obituary/sophia-r-copes/>. Please keep Charles, Kathy and the rest of their family in your thought and prayers during this difficult period. "Μακαρία η Οδός, Αιώνια της η μνήμη" - "Blessed be the way, Everlasting be her memory!" ΖΩΗ ΣΕ ΜΑΣ - Life to all of us.

We would like to extend our deepest sympathy and condolences to Michael and Tina Bostic, and the rest of their family on the Falling Asleep in the Lord in the hope of Resurrection of their beloved Father, Lester "Jim" Lasure (1932-2017). He departed this life on Monday, July 3, at New Hanover Regional Medical Center surrounded by his family.

Please review Mr. Jim Lasure's full obituary at <http://www.wilmingtoncares.com/obituary/lester-j-lasure/>.

Please keep Michael, Tina and the rest of their family in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time of grief. "Blessed be the way, Everlasting be his memory!:"

On July 23 we held a memorial for Ekaterina Musceat and the Muntenu family members. May their memories be eternal.



MISSION

St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church is dedicated to the continuation of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ's ministry of salvation through the proclamation and teaching of the Gospel; through Baptism in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; and through loving service to God and mankind.

VISION

The community will provide a loving, caring and welcoming environment where all belong and grow in the faith through worship, service, witness and fellowship.

Vacation Church School

Vacation Church School concluded on Thursday, June 22 after five days of lessons, songs, arts & crafts and music. We are pleased to say this year's VCS was a huge success!! A special THANK YOU to Diakonissa Stacie Fernandez and Stella McTaggart for developing this year's curriculum and co-directing. Many thanks to Renée Karonis Psilos, Anastasia Katris, Maria Katris, Debbie Rallis, Heather Hill, Presbyter Babara & Fr. Jon Emanuelson, Alex Fetuko, Irene Voneiff, Georgia Marmaras, Tommy Fernandez, Joanne Smith, Diana Houck, Valerie Houck, Kay Skandalakis, Evgenia & John Karonis, Alexandros Theodoropoulos, Mary Ann Vavalette, Georgia Spiliotis and all who donated their treasure. You are who made this year's VCS a wonderful success!! Let us remember "Our Children are like wet cement," let us continue to make impressions for the kingdom of God.





Please write clearly the baptismal names of the living in Greek or English you want for us to pray for during the Paraklesis services in August.

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ST. NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH REGIONAL FAMILY SPIRITUAL RETREAT

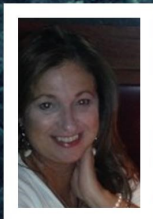


EVENT THEME
"Crafting our Faith through Christ"
Romans 10:1-13

YOUTH PROGRAM

IONIAN VILLAGE ON-THE-GO!

IV On-the-Go is the traveling retreat program of the Office of Ionian Village that promises to give the young people of your parish a taste of our unique and interactive approach to youth ministry.



KEYNOTE SPEAKER will be the Managing Director of the Metropolis of Atlanta's Family Life Ministry, **PAULA MARCHMAN.**



SAVE THE DATE
OCTOBER 6-8, 2017
CAMP KIRKWOOD, NC

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
PLEASE CONTACT
DR. MICHAEL RALLIS, 910-619-0014
OR ST. NICHOLAS GOC,
910-392-4444**



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40 Martyrs of Rome

June 16, 2017

Event: Regional Family Retreat
 To: All Greek Orthodox parishes in North and South Carolina
 From: St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church with the blessing of His Eminence
 Dates: **Friday, October 6, 2017 – Sunday, October 8, 2017**
 Theme: **Crafting our Faith through Christ – Romans 10:1-13**

Beloved faithful of our Metropolis,

We are so looking forward to our 3rd annual family retreat at Camp Kirkwood in Burgaw, NC. With the blessings of His Eminence, we are teaming up our Metropolis of Atlanta Family Life Ministries and IV on the GO. Please mark your calendars for October 6-8, 2017! The theme is "Crafting our Faith through Christ and our guest speaker is our very own **Paula Marchman**. We will be joined by **Fr. Evagoras Constantinides** and the team of IV on the GO. See below! Love always, Fr. Jon Emanuelson

EVERYTHING IS INCLUDED!

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|--|--------------------|---------------|
| - Lodging | Retreat Sessions | Greek Dancing |
| - All meals | Great Vespers | Zip line |
| - Activities for all ages! | Morning Worship | Hiking |
| - LOVE Retreat (3&4 years old) | Orthros/Liturgy | Camp Fires |
| - HOPE/JOY Retreat (K-5 th grade) | Small Compline | Canoeing |
| - GOYA Retreat with IV on the GO | Blessing of Waters | Wrap Sessions |
| - Adult Retreat w/ Guest Speaker | | |

IV On-the-Go programs include a mix of energetic and athletic activities, creative sessions, and engaging and thought-provoking discussions, all designed to establish a level of comfort and trust with our Staff Members and to ultimately foster an environment of growth and reflection.

A Sample IV On-the-Go program will include:

Icebreakers	Orthodox Life Style Discussions
Team Building Activities	Devotional & Prayer
Arts & Crafts	And More!
Athletic Events	



2017 Regional Family Spiritual Retreat Registration Form



Send completed form to:

St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church
608 S. College Road, Wilmington, NC 28403
Registration deadline: September 15, 2017

Last Name: _____

First Name(s) of all attendees: _____

IV-on-the-Go Participants (List Names & Ages):

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Cell Phone(s): _____

Home phone: _____

Email(s): _____

COMPLETE WEEKEND PACKAGE:

\$65.00 x Total Attendees = _____ (Includes all meals, all lodging, and most camp activities)

Total Amount Due \$ _____

Make Checks payable to: St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church (memo indicate: Spiritual Retreat 2017)

Office use only

Date: _____

Family Name: _____

Total Amount Received: _____

Cash _____ Check # _____ Credit _____



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For those who are lodging during the Regional Family Spiritual Retreat, these are the items to bring:

- Sleeping bag or twin sheets
- Pillow & pillow case
- Towels
- Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, shampoo)
- Flash light
- Bug Spray
- Sunscreen
- Closed toe shoes or sneakers
- Clothing

****Check weather for Burgaw, NC and bring appropriate clothing.**

Signature is REQUIRED for participation in YMCA programs. Read and sign below.

IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to utilize the facilities, services and programs of the YMCA (or for my children to be permitted to participate in any of its programs, including, but not limited to observation or use of facilities or equipment, or participation in any off-site program affiliated with the YMCA, the undersigned, for himself or herself and such participating children and any other persons associated with, here, and next of kin, hereby acknowledges, agrees and represents that he or she has, or will, immediately upon entering or participating with, respect and carefully consider such premises and facilities or the affiliated program. It is further warranted that such entry into the YMCA for observation or use of any facilities or equipment or participation in such affiliated program constitutes an acknowledgment of those premises and all facilities and equipment and such affiliated program have been inspected and carefully considered and that the undersigned and the undersigned's family are being safe and reasonably suited for the purpose of such observation, use or participation by the undersigned and such children. In further consideration of being permitted to enter the YMCA for any purpose including, but not limited to observation or use of facilities or equipment, or participation in any off-site program affiliated with the YMCA, the undersigned hereby agrees to the following:

1. THE UNDERSIGNED ON HIS OR HER BEHALF AND FOR EACH CHILDREN, HEREBY RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES AND CONVEYANTS NOT TO SUE the YMCA and all branches thereof, its directors, officers, employees, and agents (hereinafter referred to as "releasee") from all liability to the undersigned or such children and all its personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin for any loss or damage, or any claim or demands (thereon or account of injury to the person or property or resulting in death of the undersigned or such children) caused by the negligence of the releasees or otherwise within the undersigned or such children is, in, upon, or about the premises or any facilities or equipment thereof or participating in any program affiliated with the YMCA.
2. THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ADMITS TO NEGLIGENCE AND SUE AND HOLD HARMLESS the releasees and each of them from any, loss, liability, damage or cost they may incur due to the presence of the undersigned or such children on the YMCA premises or in any way observing or using any facilities or equipment of the YMCA children in, upon, or about the YMCA, whether caused by the negligence of the releasees or otherwise.
3. THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE to the undersigned or such children due to negligence of releasees or otherwise while in, about or upon the premises of the YMCA, and/or while using the premises or any facilities or equipment thereon or participating in any program affiliated with the YMCA.

The undersigned gives permission to the Wilmington Family YMCA for this registrant to appear in photographs, videotapes, or other media, etc., associated with YMCA programs. The undersigned agrees to abide by the Program Refund Policy. Refunds will be made in the form of program credits unless otherwise approved and requested for refunds. Please be made in writing prior to the program start date. Late fees are non-refundable.

THE UNDERSIGNED further expressly agrees that the foregoing RELEASE WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of North Carolina and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect. THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ, UNDERSTOOD AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNS THE RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, and further agrees that no oral representations, statements or inducement apart from the foregoing written agreement have been made.

Signature of applicant/parent: _____
Date: _____

Signature of Child in Program: _____

Date: _____

August 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 6PM Small Paraklesis 7PM Parish Council Meeting	2 6PM Great Paraklesis	3 6PM Small Paraklesis 7PM Catechism Class	4 6PM Great Paraklesis	5 11AM Baptism 6PM Great Vespers
				Dormition Fast		
6 <i>Holy Transfiguration</i> 8AM Orthros/Liturgy 10:30AM Blessing of the Grapes 6PM Great Paraklesis	7 6PM Small Paraklesis	8 6PM Great Paraklesis	9 6PM Small Paraklesis	10 6PM Great Paraklesis 7PM Catechism Class	11 6PM Small Paraklesis	12
			Dormition Fast			
13 <i>Sunday after Transfiguration</i> 8AM Orthros/Liturgy 11AM Memorial 5PM Young Adult Group Dinner	14 6PM Great Vespers	15 <i>Dormition of the Theotokos</i> 8AM Orthros/Liturgy Newsletter Articles DUE	16 6:30PM Adult Greek Dance	17 7PM Catechism Class	18	19
	Dormition Fast					
20 <i>11th Sunday of Matthew</i> 8AM Orthros/Liturgy	21 6PM Vespers at Panagia Prousiotissa Greek Orthodox Monastery	22 8:AM Divine Liturgy at Panagia Prousiotissa Greek Orthodox Monastery 7PM COM Meeting	23 6-8PM Sunday Church School Dinner & Workshop	24 7PM Catechism Class	25	26
27 <i>12th Sunday of Matthew/ St. Phanourios</i> 8AM Orthros/Liturgy 10:30AM Blessing of the Phanouropita LAST DAY SUMMER HOURS	28	29 <i>Beheading of St. John the Baptist</i> 8AM Orthros/Litugy	30 6:30PM Adult Greek Dance	31 7PM Catechism Class		

For the most current version of our Parish Calendar, please visit us online at:
<http://www.stnicholaswilmington.org/ParishCalendar.html>

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