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COMMUNITY NEWS

George Kodas Memorial Scholarship

On behalf of the Kodas family, congratulations to Anastassia Kangles for being the 2022 George Kodas Memorial Scholarship winner as the graduating student for Greek School. Well done, Anastassia!

Weddings:

May 21st: George Nick Flengeris and Liane Gottfried
Koubaroi: Chrisostomos Perentes and Vivian Efthimiou

June 4th: Michael Agelopoulos and Amanda Irene Aho
Koubaros: Athanasios Gotsoulias Witness: Lindsay Anderson

June 18th: Layne Alexander Rieger and Georgia Joanna Laloudakis
Koubara: Catherina Patricia – Witness: Sean MacGillivray

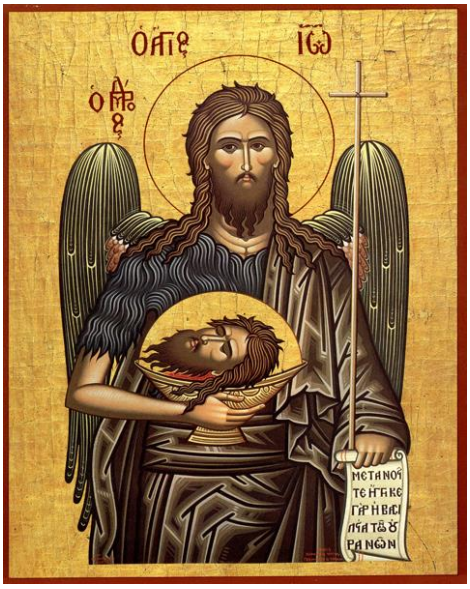
June 19th: George Kokonas and Heather Hariklia Scherle
Koubaros: Basil Pappas – Witness: Carmelo Mangione

June 25th: David Balysky and Irene Stamatinos (in SS. Anargyroi, Yorkton)
Koubaroi: George Stamatinos and Irene Stamatinos – Witness: Michael Balysky

Memorial Services:

August 21st: 6 month memorial service for John Pappas and 3 year memorial service for Efstathia Kalmoukis

DAY	PROGRAM	SERVICES	TIME
Every evening on the following dates: August 10, 11, 12 we have Paraklesis Service 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.			
Sunday August 14th	**9η Κυριακή του Ματθαίου** 9th Sunday of Matthew	**Όρθρος και Θεία Λειτουργία** Orthros & Divine Liturgy	9:00 to 11:30 a.m.
Sunday August 14th	**Κοίμησης της Θεοτόκου** Forefeast of the Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos	**Εσπερινός** Vesper	7:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Monday August 15th	**Κοίμησης της Θεοτόκου** Forefeast of the Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos	**Όρθρος και Θεία Λειτουργία** Orthros & Divine Liturgy	9:00 to 10:30 a.m.
Sunday August 21st	**10η Κυριακή του Ματθαίου** 10th Sunday of Matthew	**Όρθρος και Θεία Λειτουργία** Orthros & Divine Liturgy	9:00 to 11:30 a.m.
Sunday August 28th	**11η Κυριακή του Ματθαίου** 11th Sunday of Matthew	**Όρθρος και Θεία Λειτουργία** Orthros & Divine Liturgy	9:00 to 11:30 a.m.
Monday August 29th	**Αποτομή Τιμίας Κεφαλής Ιωάννου Προδρόμου** Beheading of St. John the Baptist	**Όρθρος και Θεία Λειτουργία** Orthros & Divine Liturgy	9:00 to 10:30 a.m.



Beheading of the Most Holy Prophet John the Baptist and Forerunner August 29th

St. John was the son of the Prophet Zacharias and Elizabeth, who was a kinswoman of the Virgin Mary. St. John is known as the "Forerunner" and "Baptist." He is known as the Forerunner because he preceded Christ and taught repentance, which prepared men for Jesus' teaching and His ministry. He even recognized Christ as the Messiah as early as when they were both still in their mothers' wombs. According to Holy Tradition, the Virgin Mary went to visit her cousin Elizabeth and when they embraced John leapt in his mother's womb, which is considered his first acknowledgment of Christ as Messiah.

After his birth, St. John's father Zacharias was murdered in the temple. He and his mother fled to the desert and he was raised there. Thus he lived as an ascetic from the earliest part of his life. He ate plants and roots and wore rough clothing. When he grew, he baptized people in the Jordan, teaching repentance, but also saying that someone greater would come after him and baptize with the Holy Spirit. Christ himself, before embarking on his three-year ministry, approached His holy cousin to be baptised and declared John greatest amongst all

St. John always spoke the Truth and because Herod did not appreciate his criticism, he was imprisoned. Later he was beheaded, as the result of a promise Herod gave to his step-daughter to give her anything she asked. The daughter was convinced by her mother to ask for John's head on a platter. It should be noted that today our Church prompts the faithful to strict fasting because of the Martyrdom of John the Baptist.

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ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΣ ΕΚΚΛΗΣΙΑ Ο ΑΓΙΟΣ ΠΑΥΛΟΣ • ΑΥΓΟΥΣΤΟΣ 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 7:00 p.m. Paraklesis Service	11 7:00 p.m. Paraklesis Service	12 7:00 p.m. Paraklesis Service	13
14 9:00 a.m. Forefeast of the Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos 7:00 p.m. Forefeast of the Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos - Vesper	15 9:00 a.m. Forefeast of the Dormition of the Most Holy Theotokos	16	17	18	19	20
21 9:00 a.m. 10th Sunday of Matthew	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 9:00 a.m. 11th Sunday of Matthew	29 9:00 a.m. Beheading of St. John the Baptist	30	31			

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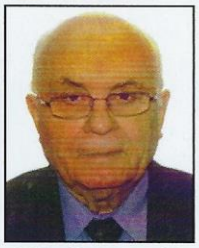

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