



Voice of the Church All Saints Greek Orthodox Church

601 W. McMurray Road,
Canonsburg, PA 15317-2437

Office: (724) 745-5205

FAX: (724) 746-0999

Hall: (724) 745-2249

Parish Web Site: www.allsaintscbg.org

Rev. Fr. Dimitrios Kyritsis

412-443-0582

frdimitrios@allsaintscbg.org

Office Email Address:

office@allsaintscbg.org

Office Phone Hours: Monday-Thursday
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Volume 37 February 8, 2026 Number 6

Our Mission Statement:

To glorify our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ through our words and actions according to the Holy Traditions and sacred teachings of our Orthodox Christian faith.

Sunday of the Prodigal Son: Theodore the Commander & Great Martyr, The Holy Prophet Zacharias (Zachariah), Nicephoros & Stephanos the Martyrs, Afterfeast of the Presentation of Our Lord and Savior in the Temple, and Cuthman of Steyning.

Prayer Corner: Your prayers are requested for God's protection and mercy on those who have asked us to pray for them, our Parish Shut-ins, the Armed Forces, those in Prison, those who have lost a loved one, who are ill, suffering or are in need, the leaders of our Church and country, and for mission ministries. We also continue to pray for those who have suffered great loss and tragedy throughout our world; especially those in Ukraine, Russia, Israel and Palestine. May we have peace in the world!

Welcome All Saints Guests! We welcome all our guests to All Saints Church today, whether as visitors from out of town, family members joining others here for worship today, or even soon-to-be members here for the first time. No matter what the reason the Holy Spirit brought you here today, we welcome you with open arms and hearts filled with the love of Christ. Please help us welcome you by letting our greeters or clergy know you are here! Following Divine Liturgy, we invite you to join us in the Social Hall, located directly below the church for Fellowship Coffee Hour.

Apolytikion/Hymn of All Saints: Your church having adorned herself, with the blood of all your martyrs in the world, as with the finest linen and purple robe, through them cries out to you "Oh Christ our God." Send down your compassion upon your people. Grant peace to your commonwealth, and to our souls your great mercy.

Today's Epistle Reading

St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians 6:12-20

Brethren, "all things are lawful for me," but not all things are helpful. "All things are lawful for me," but I will not be enslaved by anything. "Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food" -- and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is not meant for immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. And God raised the Lord and will also raise us up by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Shall I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! Do you not know that he who joins himself to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For, as it is written, "The two shall become one flesh." But he who is united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. Shun immorality. Every other sin which a man commits is outside the body; but the immoral man sins against his own body. Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God? You are not your own; you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body and in your spirit which belong to God.

Today's Gospel Reading

The Gospel According to Luke 15:11-32

The Lord said this parable: "There was a man who had two sons; and the younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that falls to me.' And he divided his living between them. Not many days later, the younger son gathered all he had and took his journey into a far country, and there he squandered his property in loose living. And when he had spent everything, a great famine arose in that country, and he began to be in want. So he went and joined himself to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him into his fields to feed swine. And he would gladly have filled his belly with the pods that the swine ate; and no one gave him anything. But when he came to himself he said, 'How many of my father's hired servants have bread enough and to spare, but I perish here with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me as one of your hired servants.' And he arose and came to his father. But while he was yet at a distance, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him. And the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the father said to his servants, 'Bring quickly the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet; and bring the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and make merry; for this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found.' And they began to make merry. Now his elder son was in the field; and as he came and drew near to the house, he heard music and dancing. And he called one of the servants and asked what this meant. And he said to him, 'Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has received him safe and sound.' But he was angry and refused to go in. His father came out and entreated him, but he answered his father, 'Lo, these many years I have served you, and I never disobeyed your command; yet you never gave me a kid, that I might make merry with my friends. But when this son of yours came, who has devoured your living with harlots, you killed for him the fatted calf!' And he said to him, 'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. It was fitting to make merry and be glad, for this your brother was dead, and is alive; he was lost, and is found.'"

WE WELCOME THOSE WHO ARE VISITING TODAY

It's our joy to share today's Worship with you! Holy Communion is the supreme Sacrament of our Faith and is only for Baptized and/or Chrismated Orthodox Christians who are in Good Standing and have spiritually prepared, in prayer and fasting, to receive.

Non-Orthodox guests are welcome to receive the Blessed Bread offered at the end of the Liturgy. Afterward, come join us in the Hall for a cup of coffee and some wholesome fellowship!

WORSHIP & EVENTS

- SUNDAY 2/8:**
- **Orthros & Divine Liturgy: 9:00 a.m. (Sunday of the Prodigal Son)**
 - Trisagion service in memory William Vasilios Gregorakis (58) Marietta (Margaret) Gregorakis (16yrs) offered by Jim & Kathy Gregorakis Family & Mary Scoumis and Family.
 - Artoklasia for Zachary Loutsion's Name Day & his Birthday, given by his Godfather Andoni Sideris.
 - Godparents Sunday/Brunch/Pictures
 - **Second tray to be passed for the Saint Photios Shrine**
- MONDAY 2/9:**
- Festival Cooking: 9:00 a.m.
 - Adult & Children Greek School: 5:30 p.m.
 - Jr. Greek Dance Practice: 6:30 p.m.
- TUESDAY 2/10:**
- **Orthros & Divine Liturgy: 9:00 a.m. (Saint Haralambos)**
 - Festival Cooking: 9:00 a.m.
 - Parish Council Meeting: 7:00 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY 2/11:**
- Philoptochos Outreach: 8:00 a.m.
 - Daughter's Meeting: 6:30 p.m.
- THURSDAY 2/12:**
- GYRO Thursday: 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
- FRIDAY 2/13:**
- HOPE & JOY Koliva Making: 6:00 p.m.
- SATURDAY 2/14:**
- **Orthros & Divine Liturgy: 9:00 a.m. (Saturday of the Souls)**
- SUNDAY 2/15:**
- Orthros & Divine Liturgy: 9:00 a.m. (Judgement Sunday (Meatfare))
 - Memorial in memory of Koula Digby (5yrs), Kalliope Moniodes, Barabara Moniodes, Chris Moniodes, Bill Pihou and Pete & Irene Moniodes offered by the Moniodes, Pihou and Voas Family.
 - Memorial in memory of Sam E. & Maria Anthou, Christine Alex & Paraskevi Anthou offered by Emanuel Anthou & Family.
 - Memorial in memory of Angel Kusturiss offered by the Kusturiss and Krenzelak Families.
 - Trisagion service in memory of John Pankas (7yr) offered by Carole Pankas, Marcy Cadez & Family and Jim Pankas & Family.
 - Coffee Hour sponsored by Kusturiss & Krenzelak Family in memory of Angel Kusturiss.
 - Sunday School Valentines Project

2026 Stewardship Reminder: As we continue our 2026 Stewardship Campaign, we thank all who have already submitted their pledge. If you have not yet completed your stewardship card, we kindly ask you to do so as soon as possible to help our parish plan for the coming year. This year, we are prayerfully encouraging families to consider the 2% of annual income stewardship challenge as a meaningful expression of our Orthodox way of life. For those who give online, we also ask you to review your current recurring contribution and consider whether an increase is possible, as many online gifts have remained unchanged for several years. If you need assistance with online giving, please call the office at 724-745-5205.

Stewardship is not just about sustaining our parish—it is about offering back to God with gratitude and faith. Thank you for your continued love and support of our Church.



Leaving a Legacy of Faith at All Saints Greek Orthodox Church

Planned giving is a thoughtful way to support the ministries and future of All Saints Greek Orthodox Church while also reflecting your faith, values, and stewardship. The following options allow parishioners to make a lasting gift—often with significant personal and tax benefits.

Bequests in a Will or Trust

A bequest is one of the simplest and most meaningful ways to make a planned gift. By including All Saints Greek Orthodox Church in your will or living trust, you can designate a specific dollar amount, a percentage of your estate, or the remainder after other gifts are fulfilled. Bequests can be updated at any time and do not affect your finances during your lifetime.

Beneficiary Designations

You may name All Saints as a beneficiary of certain financial accounts, such as: - Bank or brokerage accounts (Payable on Death / Transfer on Death) - Retirement accounts (IRA, 401(k), 403(b))

This is often as simple as completing a beneficiary form with your financial institution and can be revised if your circumstances change.

Retirement Account Gifts

Retirement assets are often heavily taxed when passed to heirs, but gifts to the Church may avoid these taxes. Naming All Saints as a full or partial beneficiary of a retirement account can be a tax-efficient way to support the Church's mission.

Life Insurance Gifts

You may choose to name All Saints Greek Orthodox Church as the beneficiary of an existing life insurance policy or donate a paid-up policy you no longer need. This allows you to make a meaningful future gift at a relatively modest cost.

Gifts of Appreciated Assets

Donating appreciated securities (such as stocks or mutual funds held for more than one year) may allow you to avoid capital gains tax while receiving a charitable deduction for the full market value of the gift. These gifts can support both current ministries or long-term needs.

Memorial or Legacy Gifts

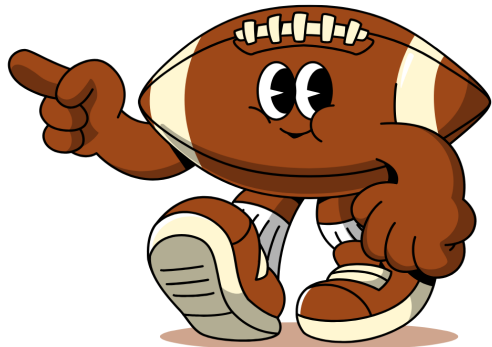
Planned gifts may also be designated in memory of a loved one or as a legacy of faith for future generations. These gifts serve as a lasting witness to one's commitment to Christ and His Church.

A Prayerful Act of Stewardship

Planned giving is not about the size of the gift, but the intention behind it. It is an opportunity to give thanks to God for His blessings and to ensure that All Saints Greek Orthodox Church continues to serve, worship, and grow for generations to come.

For confidential information or assistance, parishioners are encouraged to contact the Church office (724-745-5205) or speak with their financial or legal advisor.

GODPARENTS *Sunday*



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2026

\$8.00 PER MEAL

INCLUDES CHICKEN WINGS, FRIES, AND COLESLAW

Photographs will be taken and available for \$2.00 each.

OUR ANNUAL LUNCHEON
SPONSORED BY GEORGE, BECKY, ZACHARY, ALEXANDER, AND
STELLANIE LOUISION

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT ALL SAINTS GOYA

**YOUTH
MINISTRY
WEEKEND OF
AGAPE SERVICE**



**NURSING HOME CARE
PACKAGES**

**COLLEGE CARE
PACKAGES**

**HOPE
& JOY**

*PLEASE SEND ADDRESSES TO THE EMAIL BELOW

GOYA

**INDIVIDUAL FOOD PREP &
DELIVERY**

**YAL
SPRING CLEAN-UP**

MAR 22

YOUTHMINISTRYASC@GMAIL.COM

724-745-5205

HOPE AND JOY'S **KOLIVA CLASS**

Let's teach our children the importance of remembering loved ones after they have fallen asleep in the lord.



Friday, February 13th 6:00-7:30 PM

All Saints Church Hall

All kids will decorate their own small Koliva to offer at the Saturday of the Souls Service on Feb 14th.

If you would like to contribute to items needed please check out the Amazon list:

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/6EXEHGOEQWHK?ref_=wl_share

**Please RSVP by February 10th at
ascjoyhopeagape@gmail.com**

Student Addresses Needed!

HOPE/JOY will be putting together care packages for our parishioners who are in college on 3/22 as a service project. We have enough supplies for 25 packages this year!

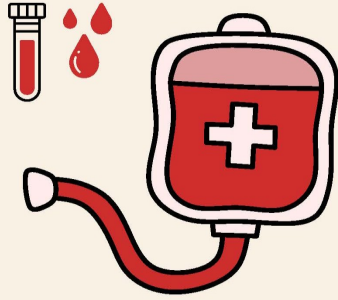
If you or a child/sibling/cousin/friend are in school and a parishioner of All Saints, please share your/their address with us! Undergrad and grad school- anyone who could use a pick-me-up before finals!

Please send addresses to
youthministryasc@gmail.com.

Addresses will only be visible to the Youth Ministry co-chairs and will be kept confidential. They will only be used for this project.

SPONSORED BY ALL SAINTS CANONSBURG YOUNG ADULTS

DONATE BLOOD, SAVE LIVES



Join our blood donation drive

The frigid temps and snow storms have had a drastic impact on our blood supply. We need you. Please schedule your appointment today to donate!



DATE

Thursday,
February 26, 2026
2:15PM - 7:00PM



LOCATION

All Saints Greek
Orthodox Church Hall
601 W. McMurray Rd
Canonsburg, PA 15317



ELIGIBILITY

Ages 16+
Valid ID required
Additional Eligibility Requirements

REGISTER NOW HERE

Phone: 877-25-VITAL
Email: youthministryasc@gmail.com
Blood Drive Code: 100563622



If an appointment time is full, email youthministryasc@gmail.com so that we can compile a waitlist. If we get enough additional interest, we may be able to open more appointment times!



Help Patients in February and Receive \$15 Gift Card in Thanks

Donate in February and you'll receive a \$15 Rewards gift card!* Must use code GIVELOVE-2026-V when scheduling appointment to receive gift card.

Donor Rewards program opt-in required to redeem gift cards in the online store.

[Make an appointment at vitalant.org](https://vitalant.org) or call 877-25-VITAL

Use blood drive code: 100563622

All Saints Greek Orthodox Church Blood Drive

Location: 601W McMurrayRd-CanonsburgPA15317

Date: February 26, 2026

Time: 2:15 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

The frigid temps and snow storms have had a drastic impact on our blood supply. We need you. Please schedule your appointment today to donate!



**Terms and condition apply; see vitalant.org/febDonorGift.*

Find us @vitalant:



Gyro THURSDAY



MENU

LAMB CHOP DINNER.....	\$22
TRADITIONAL GYRO.....	\$10
CHICKEN GYRO.....	\$10
SIDE OF RICE.....	\$4
SIDE OF GREEN BEANS.....	\$4
QUART OF (COLD) AVGOLEMONO SOUP...\$8	
FRENCH FRIES.....	\$4
FETA FRIES.....	\$5
LOUKOUMADES.....	\$5
LOUKOUMADES W/SARRIS	\$6
BAKLAVA.....	\$2/3
SOFT DRINKS.....	\$2
WATER.....	\$2

FEBRUARY 12

11:00 AM - 7:00 PM

601 W McMurray Canonsburg PA, 15317
(724)-745-5205

www.allsaintscbg.org

2026 ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM ORATORICAL FESTIVAL

Senior Division (Grades 10-12) • Junior Division (Grades 7-9)

AWARDS

National finalists are eligible to receive the following:

St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival Scholarship: \$750 to \$3000

FAITH: An Endowment for Orthodoxy and Hellenism: to be announced

Finalists at any level are eligible to receive the following:

Chrysostom Scholarship to Hellenic College: \$2,500 up to \$30,000 per year

Parish Festival Date & Time: March 15th, 2026

Parish Chairperson: Pres. Kassiani Callos

Contact Information: 330-604-2925 or Kassianicallos@gmail.com

Find the topics, tips, manual & award information at:

www.religioused.goarch.org

Department of Religious Education (DRE), Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America



Our All Saints combined teams received the sportsmanship award at the second tournament!!



The AHEPA National and District #4 Scholarship Applications are now available in the church office, or you can contact Steve Lemonakis for more information.

stevelemonakis@yahoo.com

phone: 724-344-3738

2026 Summer Camp Dates

WEEK 1 (2ND-4TH GRADE): JUNE 21ST-27TH

WEEK 2 (5TH-7TH GRADE): JUNE 28TH-JULY 4TH

WEEK 3 (7TH-9TH GRADE): JULY 5TH-JULY 11TH

WEEK 4 (10TH-12TH GRADE): JULY 12TH-JULY 18TH

CAMPERS WILL ATTEND THE WEEK OF THE GRADE LEVEL THEY ARE COMPLETING IN THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR. REGISTRATION WILL OPEN SPRING 2026. FOR MORE INFORMATION: Y2AM.PITTSBURGH.GOARCH.ORG/SUMMERCAMP



METROPOLIS OF PITTSBURGH CAMP

SAVE THE DATE

Staff applications for GOYA Spring Retreat & Summer Camp 2026 are opening soon!



APPLY BY MARCH 1ST AT 11:59 PM!

Summer Camp

Staff applications open:
February 1 to March 1

GOYA Spring Retreat

Staff applications open:
February 15 to March 1

y2am.pittsburgh.goarch.org/campstaff



DINE-IN & TAKE OUT

Fish Fry



FRIDAY
FEBRUARY 20

11:00 AM - 7:00 PM

50% OFF

Fish Sandwich	Fried Shrimp	Crab Cakes
French Fries	Coleslaw	Mac & Cheese

601 W McMurray Road, Canonsburg, PA 15317

(724)-745-5205

www.allsaintscbg.org

ALL SAINTS FISH FRY

ENTREE/DINNER

Fish Sandwich (*broiled or fried*) \$12 / \$16
Broiled or fried cod fillet on a Mediterra bun

Fish On A Dish (*broiled or fried*) \$12 / \$16
Broiled or fried cod fillet on a dish

Fried Jumbo Shrimp (6) \$12/ \$16
Six lightly breaded butterflied shrimp

Crab Cakes (2) \$12 / \$16
Hand-formed three ounce crab cake

Seafood Feast \$19 / \$23
Cod fillet, (3) fried shrimp and (1) crab cake

Fish Plaki \$12 / \$16
Broiled Fish cooked in a tomato garlic, onion & olive oil sauce

***Dinners include french fries or rice pilaf and coleslaw**

SIDES

French Fries \$4

Rice Pilaf \$4

Mac & Cheese \$4

Coleslaw \$2

Soft Drinks & Bottled Water \$2

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 20

11:00AM - 7:00PM

DINE-IN & TAKEOUT

601 W MCMURRAY ROAD

(724)-745-5205

WWW.ALLSAINTSCBG.ORG



Dear parents and parishioners,
January 27, 2026



“Of all holy works, the education of children is the most holy.” -St. Theophan the Recluse

The education of our children in the Orthodox faith is one of the most important responsibilities (and joys) of parenthood. Our faith is the foundation of our existence, and it affects every part of our life. A great skill which helps us practice this faith, and aids our ordinary lives in the world, is the ability to speak dynamically and communicate effectively with one another. As Greeks, we follow in the footsteps of giants of oration like the Ancient Greek philosopher Demosthenes, and the defender of the true faith, St. Gregory the Theologian. Perhaps the paramount of oration is St. John, Archbishop of Constantinople, who is given the epithet “Chrysostom.” This name translates literally as “Golden-Mouth,” given from the experience of his people that beautiful words and thoughts flowed from his mouth like sweet honey. He is one of the most prominent Church fathers in our history, whose sermons and commentaries on the Scriptures have held a place of honor for over 16 centuries.

It is because of this gift that St. John is the patron saint of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America’s Oratorical Festival. Introduced in 1983, the St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival provides Greek Orthodox teenagers the opportunity to learn, write, and speak about their faith. The Oratorical Festival Program begins at the parish level and is divided into three divisions:

- Elementary Division (*parish festival only*) for students in grades 3–6
- Junior Division for students in grades 7–9
- Senior Division for students in grades 10–12

All Saints will be hosting its parish Oratorical Festival on **March 15, 2026**, at 12pm, in the church, following the Divine Liturgy and completion of Church School. We encourage all parishioners to attend and support our children in this endeavor.

The top speakers in the Junior and Senior Divisions from each parish will advance to the Metropolis Oratorical Festival, held this year on May 2 at the new Metropolis Center. The top speaker per division in each Metropolis is then invited to participate in the National Finals, which is hosted by a different Metropolis each year. This year’s National Finals will be held at St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church in Northridge, CA in June 2026.

The Oratorical Festival gives kids the opportunity to take ownership of their faith: to dig a little deeper and learn a little more, and helps them develop important skills in public speaking, writing, and research. The Oratorical Festival additionally provides college scholarships and financial awards to the top speakers at the Metropolis and Archdiocesan levels. Following the success of the Patron Saint Sunday back in January, we look forward to hearing more from our children.

If anyone has any questions, would like to be involved in our parish Oratorical Festival, or (for the students) would like assistance with their topic or writing of the speech, please reach out to any member of the committee. A number of kind parishioners have gladly offered to serve as tutors/mentors. We look forward to hearing the wonderful things our children have learned - and are excited to communicate - through this program.

With love in Christ,
The All Saints Oratorical Festival Committee

Presvytera Kassiani Callos, Chairperson
Christina Gross, Committee Member

Jonathan Cadez, Th.M., Committee Member
Elisa Loy, Committee Member

**JOIN THOUSANDS
OF YOUTH ACROSS
THE NATION AND
SHARE YOUR FAITH!**



2026 ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM ORATORICAL FESTIVAL
Senior Division (Grades 10-12) • Junior Division (Grades 7-9)

AWARDS

National finalists are eligible to receive the following:

St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival Scholarship: \$750 to \$3000

FAITH: An Endowment for Orthodoxy and Hellenism: to be announced

Finalists at any level are eligible to receive the following:

Chrysostom Scholarship to Hellenic College: \$2,500 up to \$30,000 per year

Parish Festival Date & Time: March 15th, 2026

Parish Chairperson: Pres. Kassiani Callos

Contact Information: 330-604-2925 or Kassianicallos@gmail.com

Find the topics, tips, manual & award information at:
www.religioused.goarch.org

Department of Religious Education (DRE), Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America

