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"The disciples were first called Christians in Antioch." Acts 11:26

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Saturdays: Great Vespers as announced

Sundays: 9:15am Orthros (Matins) and

10:20am Great Doxology and Divine Liturgy

Confession by Appointment

Welcome to Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church!

This Church is one community of many in the One, Holy, Catholic (Universal), and Apostolic Church. The Antiochian Orthodox Christian Church belongs to two thousand years of evangelization, teaching, history, and tradition, which express the continued commitment of its members to the Orthodox Christian faith in **The Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!** Receiving Holy Communion in this Church is to adhere and commit to the One True Church, the Orthodox Church.

Visitor(s), please feel at home in prayer and worship. Please submit your name(s) to the Ushers and introduce yourself to Father Saba at the end of the service so he may welcome you personally.

Welcome! Ahlan wa Sahlan! أهلا وسهلا!

THE GREAT DOXOLOGY

Glory to Thee, who has shown us the Light. Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will among men.

We praise thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks unto Thee for Thy great glory.

O Lord, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty; O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ; and the Holy Spirit.

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy on us, thou that takest away the sins of the world.

Receive our prayer, Thou that sittest at the right hand of the Father, and have mercy on us.

For Thou only art holy, Thou only art the Lord, O Jesus Christ, to the Glory of God the Father. Amen.

Every day will I bless Thee, and I will praise Thy Name forever; yea, forever and ever.

Vouchsafe, O Lord, to keep us this day without sin.

Blessed art Thou, O Lord God of our Fathers, and praised and glorified be Thy Name forever. Amen.

Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us, as we do put our hope in thee.

Blessed art Thou, O Lord: teach me Thy statutes. (thrice)

Lord, Thou hast been our refuge in all generations. I said: Be merciful unto me; heal my soul, for I have sinned against Thee.

Lord, I have fled unto Thee: teach me to do Thy will, for Thou art my God.

For with Thee is the fountain of life; in Thy light shall we see light.

O continue Thy lovingkindness unto them that know Thee.

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal: have mercy on us. (thrice)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal: have mercy on us.

المَجْدُ لَكَ يَا مُظْهِرَ النُّورِ، المَجْدُ لِلَّهِ فِي العَلَاءِ،
وعلى الأَرْضِ السَّلَامُ، وفي النَّاسِ المَسْرَّةُ
نُسَبِّحُكَ نُبَارِكُكَ، نَسْجُدُ لَكَ نُمَجِّدُكَ، نَشْكُرُكَ مِنْ
أَجْلِ عَظِيمِ جَلَالِ مَجْدِكَ

أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ المَلِكُ، السَّمَاوِيِّ، الإلهُ، الأبُّ الضَّابِطُ
الْكُلِّ. أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ الإِبْنُ الوَحِيدُ، يَا يَسُوعَ المَسِيحُ،
وَيَا أَيُّهَا الرُّوحُ القُدُّوسُ

أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ الإلهُ، يَا حَمَلَ اللهِ يَا ابْنَ الأبِّ، يَا رَافِعَ
خَطِيئَةِ العَالَمِ ارْحَمْنَا، يَا رَافِعَ خَطَايَا العَالَمِ
تَقَبَّلْ تَضَرُّعَنَا أَيُّهَا الجَالِسُ عَنِ يَمِينِ الأبِّ
وَارْحَمْنَا

لَأَنَّكَ أَنْتَ وَحَدَكَ قُدُّوسٌ، أَنْتَ وَحَدَكَ الرَّبُّ
يَسُوعَ المَسِيحُ، فِي مَجْدِ اللهِ الأبِّ، آمِينَ.
فِي كُلِّ يَوْمٍ أَبَارِكُكَ، وَأَسْبِّحُ اسْمَكَ إِلَى الأَبَدِ،
وَالى أَبَدِ الأَبَدِ

أهْلُنَا يَا رَبُّ أَنْ نُحْفَظَ فِي هَذَا اليَوْمِ بِغَيْرِ خَطِيئَةٍ.
مُبَارِكُكَ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ إلهَ آبَائِنَا، وَمُسَبِّحُ وَمُمَجِّدُ
اسْمِكَ إِلَى الأَبَدِ، آمِينَ
لِتَكُنْ يَا رَبُّ رَحْمَتَكَ عَلَيْنَا، كَمَا تَكُنْ عَلَيْنَا.

مُبَارِكُكَ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ عَلَّمَنِي حُقُوقَكَ. (ثلاثاً)
يَا رَبُّ مَلْجَأُ كُنْتُ لَنَا فِي جِيلٍ وَجِيلٍ، أَنَا قُلْتُ
يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمْنِي وَاشْفِ نَفْسِي لِأَنَّي قَدْ خَطِئْتُ
إِلَيْكَ

يَا رَبُّ إِلَيْكَ لَجَأْتُ فَعَلَّمَنِي أَنْ أَعْمَلَ رِضَاكَ،
لَأَنَّكَ أَنْتَ هُوَ إلهي
لَأَنَّ مِنْ قِبَلِكَ عَيْنَ الحَيَاةِ، وَبِنُورِكَ نَعَايُنُ النُّورَ.
فَابْسُطْ رَحْمَتَكَ عَلَى الَّذِينَ يَعْرِفُونَكَ.

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المَجْدُ لِلأَبِّ وَالإِبْنِ وَالرُّوحِ القُدُّوسِ.
الآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ، آمِينَ.
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ارْحَمْنَا

TODAY'S LITURGY INSERTS

RESURRECTIONAL TROPARION (TONE 4)

Having learned the joyful message of the Resurrection from the angel the women disciples of the Lord cast from them their parental condemnation. And proudly broke the news to the Disciples, saying: Death hath been spoiled; Christ God is risen, granting the world Great Mercy.

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ENTRANCE HYMN OF THE GOSPEL BOOK

Come, let us worship, and fall down before Christ. Save us, O Son of God, Who art risen from the dead; who sing to Thee. Alleluia.

هَلِّمُوا لِنَسْجُدَ وَنَزْكَعَ لِلْمَسِيحِ، مَلِكِنَا وَإِلَهِنَا. خَلِّصْنَا يَا
ابْنَ اللَّهِ، يَا مَنْ قَامَ مِنْ بَيْنِ الْأَمْوَاتِ، لِتُرْتَبَلَ لَكَ. هَلْلُوبِيَا

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TROPARION FOR SAINT GREGORY OF NEO-CAESAREA (TONE 8)

By vigilance in prayer, and continuance in the working of wonders, thou didst acquire thine achievements as a surname; wherefore, intercede with Christ our God, O Father Gregory, to enlighten our souls, lest we sleep in sin unto death.

أَيُّهَا الْأَبُ غَرِيغُورِيُوسَ، لَقَدْ نَلْتُ لَقَبَكَ بِتَقْوِيمَاتِكَ
لِنَيِّفُظَكَ فِي الصَّلَوَاتِ، وَمُواظَبَتِكَ عَلَى صُنْعِ الْعَجَائِبِ.
فَتَشْفَعْ إِلَى الْمَسِيحِ الْإِلَهِيِّ أَنْ يُنِيرَ نَفُوسَنَا، لِئَلَّا نَنَامَ فِي
الْخَطَايَا إِلَى الْمَوْتِ.

TROPARION OF SAINT GEORGE THE GREAT MARTYR (TONE 4)

Since thou art a liberator and deliverer of captives, a help and support of the poor and needy, a healing physician of the sick, a contender and fighter for kings, O great among Martyrs, the victory clad George; intercede with Christ God for the salvation of our souls.

بِمَا أَنْتَ لِلْمَأْسُورِينَ مُحَرَّرٌ وَمُعْتَقٌ، وَلِلْفُقَرَاءِ
وَالْمَسَاكِينِ عَاضِدٌ وَنَاصِرٌ وَلِلْمَرْضَى طَبِيبٌ وَشَافٍ
وَعَنْ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ مُكَافِحٌ وَمُحَارِبٌ أَيُّهَا الْعَظِيمُ فِي
الشُّهَدَاءِ جَاورِجِيُوسُ اللَّابِسُ الظَّفَرَ تَشْفَعْ إِلَى الْمَسِيحِ
الْإِلَهِيِّ فِي خَلَاصِ نَفُوسِنَا.



KONTAKION OF THE ENTRANCE OF THE THEOTOKOS (TONE 4)

The sacred treasury of God's holy glory, * the greatly precious bridal chamber and Virgin, * the Savior's most pure temple, free of stain and undefiled, * into the House of the Lord * on this day is brought forward * and bringeth with herself the grace * of the Most Divine Spirit; * her do God's Angels hymn with songs of praise, * for she is truly the heavenly tabernacle.

اليومَ الهَيْكَلُ الذي لِلْمُخْلِصِ، الكَلْبِيُّ النَّقَاءِ،
العَذْرَاءُ الخِذْرُ ذو الثَّمَنِ الجَزِيلِ، وهِيَ الكَنْزُ
الطَّاهِرُ لِمَجْدِ الإلهِ، إذْ تَدْخُلُ بَيْتَ الرَّبِّ، تُدْخِلُ
نِعْمَةَ الرُّوحِ الإلهِيِّ مَعَهَا. فَلْتُسَبِّحْهَا مَلَائِكَةُ اللهِ،
لأنَّهَا المِظْلَةُ السَّمَاوِيَّةُ.

KONTAKION FOR THE MIRACULOUS WEeping ICON (TONE 8)

Only at Saint George Church in Cicero

To thee the champion leader, * I thy city offer thanks of victory. * O Theotokos, thou who hast delivered me from terror. * But as thou hast that power which is invincible, * From all dangers set me free and deliver me. That I may cry unto thee: * Hail, O Bride without Bridegroom.

إني أنا عبدك يا والدة الإله * اكتبُ لكِ راياتِ الغلبةِ يا
جنديةً مُحاميةً * وأقدمُ لكِ الشُّكْرَ كَمُنْقَذَةٍ مِنَ الشَّدَائِدِ *
لكن بما أنَّ لكِ العِزَّةَ التي لا تُحَارَبُ * اعتقيني من
صُنُوفِ الشَّدَائِدِ * حتى أصرُخَ إليكِ إفرحي يا عروساً
لا عروسَ لها.

EPISTLE READERS

English

Arabic

Amber Qubrosi

Today

Dina Khoury

THE SYNAXARION

On November 17th in the Holy Orthodox Church, we commemorate our father among the saints Gregory the wonderworker, bishop of Neo-Caesarea.

*Gregory, who wrought many wonders aforesaid,
Standing in God's presence, worketh yet more wonders.
On the seventeenth the great Thaumaturge (wonderworker) died.*

The miracle-working Gregory was called a second Moses. Although born a pagan, he became aware of the meagerness and insufficiency of pagan philosophy. Gregory then turned to Christian teachers with whom he studied and from whom he received baptism. To dedicate himself solely to Christ God, Gregory withdrew to the wilderness and lived in rigorous asceticism. Bishop Phaedimus of Amasea wanted to consecrate him Bishop of Neo-Caesarea. The clairvoyant Gregory perceived this intention and hid from the bishop's emissaries. Finally, Phaedimus consecrated him in absentia, and Gregory had to accept the office of bishop. The Most-holy Theotokos and St. John the Theologian appeared to him in a vision and gave him the Symbol of Faith—"The Creed"—which the First Ecumenical Council ratified. He died around the year 270 in great old age. When he arrived in Neo-Caesarea as bishop, he found only seventeen Christians in that pagan city. At the end, Gregory left the city Christian, with only seventeen pagans.

On this day, we also commemorate Gennadius and Maximos, patriarchs of Constantinople; Nikon the wonderworker, disciple of Sergios of Radonezh; and righteous mother Hilda, abbess of Whitby. By the intercessions of Thy saints, O Christ God, have mercy upon us. Amen.

O Lord, how magnified are Thy works.

In wisdom hast Thou made them all.

Bless the Lord, O my soul.

The Reading from the Epistle of

Saint Paul to the Galatians (2:16-20)

Brethren, you know that a man is not justified by works of the Law but through faith in Jesus Christ. Even we have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ, and not by works of the Law, because by works of the Law shall no one be justified. But if, in our endeavor to be justified in Christ, we ourselves were found to be sinners, is Christ then an agent of sin? Certainly not! But if I build up again those things which I tore down, then I prove myself a transgressor. For I through the Law died to the Law, that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ Who lives in me; and the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, Who loved me and gave Himself

for me.

ما أعظم أعمالك يا رب، كلها بحكمة صنعْتَ.

باركي يا نفسي الربَّ

فصل من رسالة القديس بولس

الرَّسولِ إلى أهلِ غَلَاطِيَّةِ (2:16-20)

يا إخوة، إذ نعلم أن الإنسان لا يُبرَّرُ بأعمالِ
الناموس، بل إنما بالإيمان بيسوع المسيح، أمَّا
نحن أيضاً بيسوع المسيح لكي نُبرَّرَ بالإيمان
بالمسيح، لا بأعمالِ الناموس، إذ لا يُبرَّرُ بأعمالِ
الناموس أحدٌ من ذوي الجسد. فإن كُنَّا ونحنُ
طالبون التبريرَ بالمسيح، وجدنا نحنُ أيضاً
خطاةً، أفَيكونُ المسيحُ إذنُ خادماً للخطيئة؟
حاشى. فإنِّي إن عُدْتُ أُنبي ما قد هدمتُ، أجعلُ
نَفسي مُتعدِّياً. لأنِّي بالناموس مُتُّ للناموسِ لكي
أُحيا لله. معَ المسيحِ صُلِّبتُ فأُحيا، لا أنا، بل
المسيحُ يَحيا فيَّ. ومالي من الحياة في الجسدِ
أنا أُحياهُ في إيمانِ ابنِ الله الذي أحبَّنِي، وبذلَّ
نَفسهُ عَنِّي

The Reading from the Holy Gospel

according to Saint Luke (12:16-21)

The Lord spoke this parable: “The land of a rich man brought forth plentifully; and he thought to himself, ‘What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?’ And he said, ‘I will do this: I will pull down my barns, and build larger ones; and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; take your ease, eat, drink, be merry.’ But God said to him, ‘Fool! This night your soul is required of you; and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?’ So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.” As He said this, Jesus called out,

“He who has ears to hear, let him hear.”

فَصَلِّ شَرِيفٌ مِنْ بَشَارَةِ الْقَدِيسِ لُوقَا

الْإِنْجِيلِيِّ الْبَشِيرِ وَالتَّلْمِيزِ الطَّاهِرِ (12:16-21)

قَالَ الرَّبُّ هَذَا الْمَثَلُ: إِنْسَانٌ غَنِيٌّ أَخَصَبَتْ أَرْضُهُ. فَفَكَّرَ فِي نَفْسِهِ قَائِلًا: “مَاذَا أَصْنَعُ؟ فَإِنَّهُ أَيْسَ لِي مَوْضِعٌ أَخْزُنُ فِيهِ أَثْمَارِي.” ثُمَّ قَالَ، “أَصْنَعُ هَذَا: أَهْدِمُ أَهْرَائِي وَأَبْنِي أَكْبَرَ مِنْهَا، وَأَجْمَعُ هُنَاكَ كُلَّ غَلَّاتِي وَخَيْرَاتِي. وَأَقُولُ لِنَفْسِي، يَا نَفْسُ إِنَّ لَكَ خَيْرَاتٍ كَثِيرَةً فَاسْتَرِيحِي وَكُلِّي وَاشْرَبِي وَأَفْرَحِي.” فَقَالَ لَهُ اللَّهُ: “يَا جَاهِلٌ! فِي هَذِهِ اللَّيْلَةِ تُطَلَبُ نَفْسُكَ مِنْكَ. فَهَذِهِ الَّتِي أَعَدَدْتَهَا لِمَنْ تَكُونُ؟” فَهَكَذَا مَنْ يَدَّخِرُ لِنَفْسِهِ وَلَا يَسْتَعْنِي بِاللَّهِ. وَلَمَّا قَالَ هَذَا نَادَى: مَنْ لَهُ أُذُنَانِ لِلسَّمْعِ،

فَلْيَسْمَعْ

Holy Bread Offered By:



Today – Dr. Ghassan and Renee Aldurra and Family
 – Marlene Mesleh and Family
 – Dr. Johnny and Dr. Vera Kuttab and Family
 – Nicola and Janette Kahoush and Family

Wed, Nov 20 – George and Ibtisam Imreibe and Family

Nov 24 – Hanna and Tanya Hinnawi and Family

Dec 1 – Sdn. Nasser and Alice Zayed and Family

Dec 8 – **OPEN**

Dec 15 – Sami and Amanda Imseih and Family

Dec 22 – **OPEN**

Dec 24 – Majdi and Arwa Rayahin and Family

Dec 29 – **OPEN**



Coffee Hour Sponsors:



Today – Dr. Johnny and Dr. Vera Kuttab and Family

Nov 24 – George and Ibtisam Imreibe and Family

Dec 1 – Deacon George Nassief

Dec 8 – Carlos and Marwa Bechara and Family

Dec 15 – **OPEN**

Dec 22 – Frank and Reem Gambino and Family

Dec 29 – **OPEN**



CONDOLENCES

The clergy and parishioners of Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church of Cicero offer their sincerest condolences to:

- Dr. Ghassan and Renee Aldurra and family, on the falling asleep of his mother, †NEZHA IBRAHIM KASHI, this past week in Syria.
- †Sulieman Haddad, †Salema Haddad, †Emad Haddad, Zeyad Haddad, Iyad Haddad, Maisoon Haddad, Sadam Alswelien, Raddad Alswelien, and Nedal Alswelien on the falling asleep of their sister, †ABEER HADDAD, this past week in Maryland.

Memory Eternal!

COMMEMORATIONS

- Today**
- 10-Year Commemoration for †MATANIOS ISA ALDURRA, offered by Dr. Ghassan and Renee Aldurra and family.
 - 12-Year Commemoration for †NABIL MATANIOS ALDURRA, offered by Dr. Ghassan and Renee Aldurra and family.

MEMORIALS

- Today**
- 3/9-Day Memorial Service for †NEZHA IBRAHIM KASHI, offered by Dr. Ghassan and Renee Aldurra and family.
 - 6-Month Memorial Service for †DR. GEORGE MESLEH, offered by Marlene Mesleh and family.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER IS PARISH COUNCIL MONTH

- Fri, Nov 15- • Holy Advent Season (*see pg. 11*)
- Wed, Dec 25 • Advent Humanitarian Drive

TODAY	• Pre-Communion Prayers	9:00 am
	• Orthros (Matins) followed by Great Doxology and Divine Liturgy	9:15 am
	• Choir Rehearsal	9:15 am
	• Sunday School Classes	After Communion
	• God's Little Lights Ministry (3- and 4-year-olds) (<i>see pg. 19</i>)	After Communion
	• Coffee Hour	After Liturgy
	• Christmas Concert/Youth Choir Rehearsal (<i>see pg. 12</i>)	12:30 pm
Mon, Nov 18	• AC2025 Executive Committee Meeting	6:00 pm
	• AFM Coordinators' Zoom Meeting	8:30 pm
Tue, Nov 19	• West Campus Ministry (<i>see pg. 26</i>)	5:45 pm
	• West Campus Coordinators' Meeting	9:00 pm
Wed, Nov 20	• Pre-Communion Prayers	6:45 pm
	• Evening Divine Liturgy for the Feast of the Presentation of the Theotokos into the Temple (<i>see pg. 32</i>)	7:00 pm
Thu, Nov 21	North Campus Ministry (<i>see pg. 27</i>)	5:45 pm
Sat, Nov 23	• Sunday School Officers' Meeting	9:30 am
	• Great Vespers Service	5:00 pm
Sun, Nov 24	• Pre-Communion Prayers	9:00 am
	• Orthros (Matins) followed by Great Doxology and Divine Liturgy	9:15 am
	• Choir Rehearsal	9:15 am
	• Sunday School Classes	After Communion
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	• Coffee Hour	After Liturgy
	• Young Adult Fellowship (YAF) Breakfast and Spiritual Discussion (<i>see pg. 18</i>)	After Liturgy
	• Christmas Concert/Youth Choir Rehearsal (<i>see pg. 12</i>)	12:30 pm
	• AC2025 Town Hall Meeting (<i>see pg. __</i>)	12:30 pm
	• Teen SOYO Annual Turkey Drive Meals Assembly (<i>see pgs. 15-16</i>)	12:30 pm
Mon, Nov 25	Finance Committee Zoom Meeting	7:00 pm
Tue, Nov 26	Parish Council Monthly Meeting	7:00 pm

CHURCHINGS

Today ALANA MIRA, daughter of Dr. Johnny and Dr. Vera Kuttub.

BAPTISMS

Nov 23 ADELINE, daughter of Jeff and Lamia Landers.

WEDDINGS

Last Sunday NADER, son of Saba and Mary Ann Mubayed, and LANA, daughter of Emad and Rema Bosheh.



November
is

*“PARISH COUNCIL
MONTH”*

Whoever wants
to be a leader
among you
must be your
servant.

Matthew 20:26

Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church, Cicero, IL



Celebrate the Birth of
THE LORD AND SAVIOR
JESUS CHRIST
with your
Saint George Church Family!

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2024

PRE-COMMUNION PRAYERS, 4:45 PM | ORTHROS (MATINS), 5:00 PM
GREAT DOXOLOGY and DIVINE LITURGY, 6:20 PM

ADVENT SEASON FAST

THE ADVENT (CHRISTMAS) FAST
BEGAN FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH AND
WILL CONCLUDE ON CHRISTMAS EVE
AFTER LITURGY. THIS FAST INCLUDES
ABSTAINING FROM ALL MEAT, DAIRY,
ALCOHOL, AND OIL.

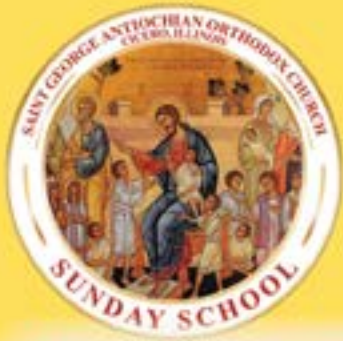
صيام عيد الميلاد

يبدأ صيام عيد الميلاد يوم الجمعة 15
تشرين الثاني ويستمر صيام عيد الميلاد
حتى يوم 24 كانون الأول بعد قداس العيد،
نود أن ننوه في هذه الفترة بأن اللحوم
والأجبان والكحول غير مسموح فيه قطعياً.

FOR A FASTING DISCIPLINE YOU CAN HANDLE, PLEASE SPEAK TO THE CLERGY.

Fasting must always be accompanied by prayer and forgiveness, using the wisdom of God found, first and foremost, in the Holy Scriptures. Helping and serving others and feeding those who are in need will give fasting its true meaning. Without love for others, prayers are empty.

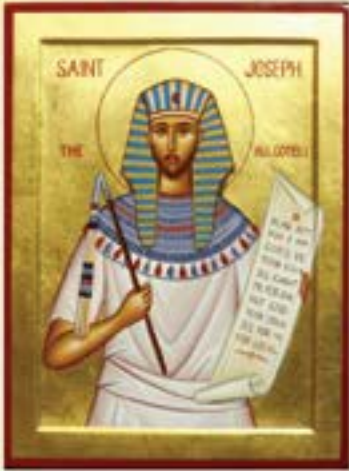
THE CHARITY CENTER (OPERATED BY YAF) IS COLLECTING CLOTHES, TOILETRIES, AND NON-PERISHABLE FOODS DURING ADVENT FOR THE LOCAL SHELTER. PLEASE DROP OFF ALL ITEMS TO THE CHURCH OFFICE.



SUNDAY SCHOOL

Curriculum Update

Lesson 9: Joseph Goes to Israel



Jacob grew to be an old man and he and Rachel favored their son Joseph. God spoke to Joseph through his dreams. He had dreams in which his eleven brothers served him. Jacob made Joseph a coat of many colors. His eleven brothers grew jealous of him because Jacob loved him. One day his brothers planned to kill him. The oldest brother, Reuben, stopped the brothers from killing Joseph and he was thrown into a well instead. Reuben planned to save Joseph from the well, but was surprised to find that his brothers decided to sell Joseph into slavery

in the land of Egypt. The brothers told Jacob that Joseph had been killed by wild animals. Jacob was very sad hearing this and he could not be consoled. In Egypt, Joseph worked for a wealthy man named Potiphar, who was an officer of Pharaoh. After being falsely accused, Joseph was put in prison. While in prison, he interpreted dreams and was given privileges. Pharaoh had a dream of seven healthy cows being consumed by seven gaunt cows. This dream confused him and he needed someone to interpret it. After asking several of Pharaoh's wise men, his butler remembered Joseph interpreting his dreams in prison. Joseph informed Pharaoh that his dream predicted seven years of abundance, followed by seven years of famine. He advised Pharaoh to store food for the future. Pharaoh made Joseph governor of Egypt and Joseph set to work storing food to save the people.



UPCOMING EVENTS



- Sunday School Classes ----- Sundays After Communion
- Christmas Concert Rehearsals ----- After Sunday School 12:30-1:00 PM
- Officers' Meeting ----- Sat | Nov 23
- Teachers' Zoom Training ----- Wed | Dec 4
- Christmas Concert Dress Rehearsal ----- Sat | Dec 14
- Christmas Concert ----- Sun | Dec 15

CREATING MEMORIES

smile!



Meet the Staff

LILLIAN RIHANI

OCCUPATION: Board Certified Registered Nurse/Currently Stay-at-Home Mom

GRADE YOU TEACH: 3/4 and Sunday School Principal

NUMBER OF YEARS TEACHING SS: 8 years teaching (12 years total administrative work)

WHAT INSPIRED YOU TO TEACH SS: I believe that teaching children about their faith is the most important gift that we can give them. This knowledge will, God willing, be a strong foundation for them as they grow.

HOBBIES: Reading, cooking, and volunteering at school and Church.

FAVORITE BIBLE VERSE: *"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you." ...1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*



TAMMI KARAM

OCCUPATION: Education

GRADE YOU TEACH: 7/8

NUMBER OF YEARS TEACHING SS: 17 years

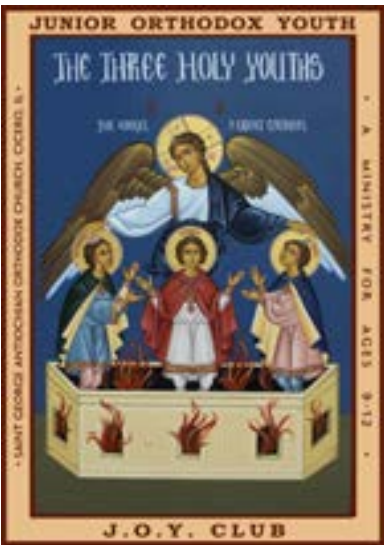
WHAT INSPIRED YOU TO TEACH SS: Seeing kids wanting to learn about their faith.

HOBBIES: Annoying my husband, running, reading, and cooking.

FAVORITE BIBLE VERSE: *"Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world." ... James 1:27*

Meet the Staff





Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church, Cicero, IL - Teen SOYO

Junior Orthodox Youth JOY Club

ADVENT RETREAT

COMPLIMENTARY
EVENT

THE GIFT OF CHRISTMAS:

*Christ, the Greatest Gift
we receive and how we can
be more like Christ in our
daily lives*

Sat | Dec 7
6:00 PM

RSVP BY
SAT | NOV 30

VESPERS
followed by
Dinner and
Retreat



INVITING ALL YOUTH AGES 9-12



Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church, Cicero, IL

Teen SOYO



Save the Date...

TEEN SOYO ACTIVITIES

SUN, NOV 24 Annual Turkey Drive Meals Assembly

SAT, DEC 14 Christmas Card Stuffing and Christmas Celebration

MON, DEC 30 Christmas Retreat

SAT, JAN 11 Feed My Starving Children (FMSC)

ALL TEENS (13-18) WELCOME!



Teen SOYO

THANKSGIVING TURKEY DRIVE

SPONSORS NEEDED: \$50/Meal or \$20/TURKEY

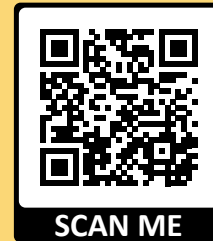
ALL DONATIONS DUE by >> *Wednesday November 20, 2024* <<

CALLING ALL TEEN SOYO MEMBERS!

to Pack and Deliver Meals and Turkeys

**Sunday, November 24th
After Sunday School**

To Donate,
Scan this QR Code



**SUPPORTING LOCAL
HOMELESS SHELTER**



Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church كنيسة القديس جاورجيوس الانطاكية الارثوذكسية



Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of North America
Diocese of Toledo and the Midwest
Very Reverend Father Fouad Saba, Pastor

TEEN SOYO

✧ WORSHIP WITNESS SERVICE FELLOWSHIP ✧

November 2, 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Christmas is a time of giving and remembrance. A time of exchanging greetings between friends and loved ones, near and far. In keeping with this spirit, Teen SOYO is asking that you join in subscribing to the 2024 Church Christmas Card.

Teen SOYO (ages 13-18) sponsors this card every year as the major fundraiser and to give all of us the opportunity to send Christmas greetings to everyone at Saint George Church. Your donation will help support the following Teen SOYO programs:

- Annual Retreat
- SOYO Social Outings
- Meetings
- Bible Studies
- Diocesan Events
- Public Relations
- Field Trips
- Humanitarian Projects
- ...and much, more!

Please complete the subscription form below so that you may be included as one of the subscribers to the 2024 Church Christmas Card. A minimum donation will be appreciated by Sunday, November 24th to help support this Christmas Card Fundraiser. Forms received after Sunday, November 24th will not be included in the card, however, will be published in the *Weekly Bulletin* in December.

Thank you in advance for your participation.

Yours in Christ,

V. Rev. Fr. Fouad Saba

V. Rev. Fr. Fouad Saba
Pastor

Sophia Fasheh

Sophia Fasheh
Teen SOYO President

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Please make checks payable to **"Saint George Church - SOYO"** and return with this form to Church Office by **Sunday, November 24, 2024**, (or you may subscribe to the Christmas Card online at www.StGeorgeChi.org/teen-sovo or scan QR code).



Please indicate the donation amount to Teen SOYO:

\$20 ___ \$40 ___ \$50 ___ \$100 ___ Other \$ _____

Please complete the 4 points below. The name(s) will be included in the Church Christmas Card **exactly as shown below. Please print clearly.**

1. CHOOSE ONE CATEGORY: For Good Health... In Memory of...
2. Please PRINT one word that reminds you of Teen SOYO: _____
3. Please PRINT Name(s) to display on card: _____
4. Contact Information: _____

Name
Phone

Have a Blessed Nativity Season!

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Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church, Cicero, IL

Young Adult Fellowship (YAF) SAVE THE DATE

SUN, Nov 24	YAF Breakfast and Spiritual Discussion	After Liturgy
FRI, Dec 6	YAF Social Outing <i>in Chicago</i>	7:00 pm
SUN, Dec 8	 YAF Coffee and Fellowship	After Liturgy
FRI, Dec 27	YAF Christmas Party	7:00 pm
SUN, Dec 29	YAF Breakfast and Spiritual Discussion	After Liturgy

*INVITING ALL YOUNG PROFESSIONALS, YOUNG MARRIED COUPLES,
AND COLLEGE STUDENTS (AGES 18+)*

ATTENTION ALL SAINT GEORGE CHURCH PARISHIONERS!

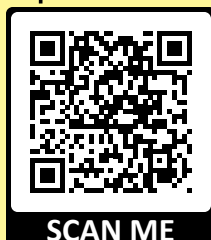
**INTRODUCING, the SAINT
GEORGE HOODIE!**

Great Christmas Gift for the
WHOLE FAMILY!

Preorder yours

TODAY!

\$50/EA





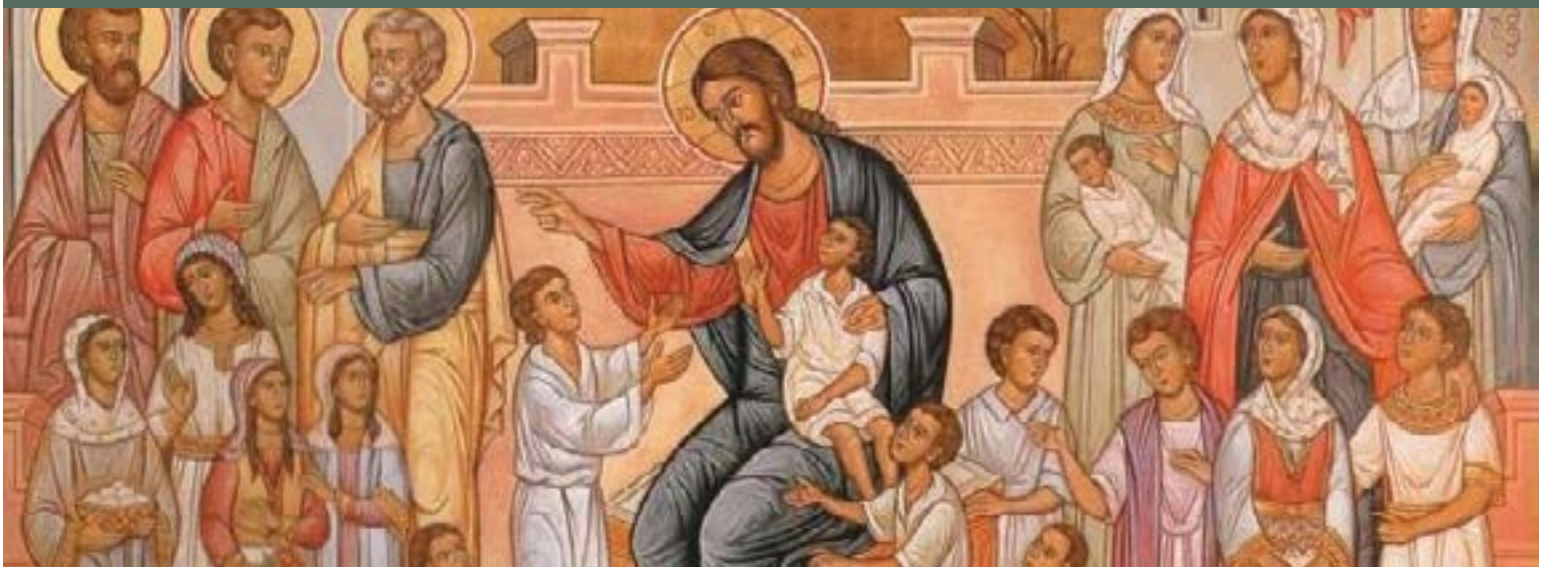
IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!



NEW CHILDREN'S MINISTRY ON SUNDAYS

Immediately after Communion, the new children's ministry, "**GOD'S LITTLE LIGHTS**", will take place in the cry room (*2nd floor by elevator*) every Sunday. Schedule to be posted soon.

This new ministry will serve all **3-YEAR-OLDS** and **4-YEAR-OLDS** (*born after September 1, 2020*). At least one parent, father and mother, must attend along with their children. Younger siblings are welcome with the parents.





We
help!

Over the past **3** years,
**THE ORDER OF SAINT IGNATIUS –
CICERO CHAPTER**

has provided over **\$110,000** in
support of our ministries –
*The Order Grant, Education Scholarship
and Camp Scholarship.*

We *helped families* with bills, car
repairs, medical bills, rent and other living
expenses totaling **\$73,859!**

We supported *thirty* campers with
scholarships totaling **\$25,602!**

We awarded *Educational
Scholarships* totaling **\$9,481!**

Providing assistance to our community
could not happen without **YOUR**
generous donations!

To donate please use:



Faith

Love

Gratitude

Leadership

Outreach

Our Guiding Principle...

Let no man's place, or dignity, or riches,
puff him up; and let no man's low
condition or poverty abase him. For
the chief points are faith towards God,
hope towards Christ, the enjoyment
of those good things for which we
look, and love towards God and our
neighbor.

– Saint Ignatius of Antioch



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The Order of Saint Ignatius Cicero Chapter

November 3, 2024

Dear Members of The Order of Saint Ignatius of Antioch-Cicero Chapter,

Christ is in our midst! He is and ever shall be!

We hope this letter finds you well. This letter is to inform you of the **Annual General Assembly Meeting and Elections** for **The Order of Saint Ignatius of Antioch (The Order)-Cicero Chapter** to be held on **Sunday, December 8, 2024, at 12:45pm**, on the second floor of The Orthodox Club (NADI).

At this The Order of Saint Ignatius-Cicero Chapter General Assembly Meeting, the last meeting of the term, all members in good standing will be able to hear reports on the progress of the organization and participate in discussion on how to enhance the work which The Order does for the Glory of God!

However, the highlight of the meeting will be the **Election** of Officers for the 2025 term. The positions include Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary, Treasurer, and Outreach Officer. If any Order member (ages 18+) is interested in running for any of these positions, please contact Father Saba, Deacon George Nassief, or Omar Rihani by Sunday December 1, 2024.

Per the Constitution, only members in good standing, both spiritually and financially, will be eligible to be nominated or vote on all decisions including Elections in the General Assembly Meeting. However, all are welcome to attend the meeting.

The Nominating Committee will receive nominations until Sunday, December 1, 2024. A member of the Committee will then speak with the person nominated to get their acceptance (you can nominate yourself). ***Per the Constitution, there will be NO nominations accepted from the floor of the meeting on December 8, 2024.***

We look forward to a great meeting! See you all there! Until then, we remain

Yours in Christ,

V. Rev. Fr. Fouad Saba

V. Rev. Fr. Fouad Saba
Pastor

Dena Fasheh

Dena Fasheh
Chair
The Order-Cicero Chapter

Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church, Cicero, IL



Antiochian Men (A-MEN) ADVENT RETREAT

**A MAN WHO BRINGS JESUS TO HIS FAMILY:
"Jairus, Do not be afraid; only believe." ~ Luke 8:50**

**Saturday
December 7, 2024
6:00 pm**

**\$25/
Gentleman**

Vespers, Dinner, Retreat

**RSVP by
Wed | Dec 4**



SCAN ME



ALL Gentlemen 18+ Invited



ANTIOCHIAN WOMEN 2024 Christmas Gift Drive

Help bring *JOY* to the lives of children living in foster homes

- Request a Christmas Wish List from Suhaila Imseeh on Sunday, November 10th or Sunday, November 17th after Liturgy in the Church Hall
- Only 60 Lists available – Limit 1 List per family

LET YOUR CHILDREN DO THE SHOPPING!

All Gifts to be delivered to the Church Office any Sunday and are due no later than
Sunday, November 24, 2024

“...as you did it to one of the least of these My brothers, you did it to me.”
~ Matthew 25:40

Couples' Retreat

Saturday, January 25 | 5:00 pm

Vespers ~ Dinner with Wine ~ Retreat

\$50/Couple



Inviting Courting, Engaged,
and all Married Couples!



Saint George Antiochian Orthodox Church, Cicero, IL



Pastoral Outreach Program

The *FUTURE* is Now...

...The *CHURCH* is Coming to You!

SAINT GEORGE CAMPUSES MINISTRY

WEST CAMPUS SPONSORS	NORTH CAMPUS SPONSORS
10/22/2024 Mazen and Juwana Zanayed	10/24/2024 Elias and Maggie Akkari
10/29/2024 Sdn. Nasser and Alice Zayed	10/31/2024 Elias and Maggie Akkari
11/05/2024 Daoud and Hania Kahoush	11/7/2024 Anonymous
11/12/2024 Dr. George and Samar Alamir	11/14/2024 Samer and Nisreen Shunnarah
11/19/2024 Hussam and Dr. Rand Bachour	11/21/2024 Anonymous
12/03/2024 Ibrahim and Norma Barbari, Nick Barbari, and Marlene Perez and their families	12/05/2024 Steve and Reem Saba

GENERAL DONORS

Dn. George Nassief, Bibles

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Sami and Amanda Imseih, Raffle Prizes



Pastoral Outreach Program

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SAINT GEORGE WEST CAMPUS MINISTRY

@ Kingswood Academy | 133 Plainfield Road | Darien, IL 60561

Tuesdays

- October 22, 2024
- October 29, 2024
- November 5, 2024
- November 12, 2024
- November 19, 2024
- December 3, 2024

Program *

6:00-6:30 PM

- Check-In
- Complimentary Dinner and Social**
- Complimentary Raffle Drawing

6:30-6:50 PM

- Evening Prayers

7:00-8:00 PM

- The Gospel of Luke (ages 18+)
- Kids' Club (ages 3-4)
- Kids' Club (ages 5-8)

7:00-7:45 PM

- J.O.Y. Club (ages 9-12) The Gospel of Luke
- Teen SOYO (ages 13-18) Gym – Basketball

8:00-9:00 PM

- Adult Social Hour (18+)
- Kids' Club (ages 3-8) Board Games and Social Hour

7:45-8:30 PM

- J.O.Y. Club (ages 9-12) Gym – Basketball
- Teen SOYO (ages 13-18) The Gospel of Luke

For Questions or More Information, please contact:

- Fr. Fouad Saba (312) 877-4770
- Fr. Gabriel Coronel (773) 746-1893
- Dn. George Nassief (925) 699-3893
- Alexandra Zanayed (630) 442-2473
- Nathaniel Humphrey (630) 442-9803

* Program subject to change.

** Due to a generous anonymous donor, dinner will be offered complimentary at every session.



Pastoral Outreach Program

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...The *CHURCH* is Coming to You!

SAINT GEORGE NORTH CAMPUS MINISTRY

@ Saint Andrew Lutheran Church | 260 N. Northwest Hwy. | Park Ridge, IL 60068

Thursdays

- October 24, 2024
- October 31, 2024
- November 7, 2024
- November 14, 2024
- November 21, 2024
- December 5, 2024

Program *

6:00-6:30 PM

- Check-In
- Complimentary Dinner and Social**
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- Faten Imseeh (224) 999-2070
- Suhaila Imseeh (847) 749-7362

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2024 MEMBERSHIP DRIVE YOU BELONG!



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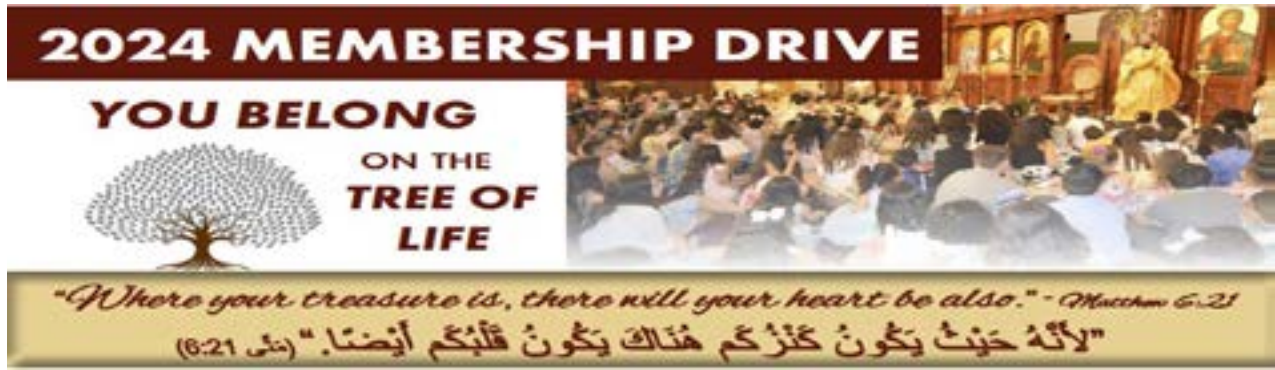


YOU BELONG ON THE **TREE OF LIFE**

"Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also." - Matthew 6:21

لَأَنَّه حَيْثُ يَكُونُ كَنْزُكُمْ هُنَاكَ يَكُونُ قَلْبُكُمْ أَيْضًا. (مَتَّى 6:21)

**PICK UP A MEMBERSHIP BROCHURE
IN THE CHURCH HALL TODAY!**



Annual Membership Drive 2024: Make Your 2024 Commitment TODAY!

Greetings in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ as we approach the Season of Advent!

Membership / Stewardship is an important part of our Christian lives. It is a reflection of our faith, gratitude and love for God by sharing our time, talent, and treasure. It is recognizing that our entire life is a gift from God. It is our commitment to give back some portion of that which we have received.

Saint George Church is truly blessed with a faithful family of **191** members who together have committed giving to the 2024 Fiscal Year as well as themselves and their families to serve God through many ministries and formed organizations. Most importantly, gathering at Sunday Services:

Orthros (Matins) Service begins at 9:15 am and the Great Doxology and Divine Liturgy at 10:20 am.

As we come to a close of the 2024 Membership Campaign, these 191 names will be printed for full transparency to the community beginning on Sunday, December 1 – Sunday, December 29, and updated weekly. If you have not had the opportunity to complete your 2024 Membership it's not too late, all 2024 registrants will be rolled into 2025, with the opportunity to update as needed. Please scan here and complete before November 25th to be sure your name appears on the December 1st list. Please email membership@stgeorgechi.org with any questions or inquiries.



Membership Giving Level Summary	Column1	Count	Total Giving
Seraphim Steward (25,000+)		0	\$-
Cherubim Steward (18,000+)		1	\$18,000.00
Thrones Steward (15,000+)		1	\$15,000.00
Powers Steward (12,000+)		0	\$-
Dominions Steward (9,000+)		0	\$-
Authorities Steward (6,000+)		3	\$19,800.00
Preserver Steward (4,800+)		5	\$26,180.00
Guardian Steward (3,600+)		4	\$14,440.00
Protector Steward (2,400+)		22	\$54,800.00
Archangel Steward (1,800+)		22	\$40,569.04
Angel Steward (Choose Amount)		133	\$113,206.24
	Total	191	\$301,995.28

In Christ's Service,
V. Rev. Fr. Fouad Saba
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 Pastor

Elias Akkari
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 Chairman
 Parish Council

Karen Nawas
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 Membership Committee

"And they were called Christians first in Antioch" (Acts 11:26)

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- Church Services
- 100+ Events and Meetings
- Club Saint George for ages 4-12
- Teen Events
- Young Adult Events
- Humanitarian Activity
- Workshops
- Bible Bowl
- Oratorical Festival
- “Taste of Chicago”
- Antiochian Legacy Banquet and Grand Hafli
- “Ask Abouna” all week

THE MIRACULOUS WEeping ICON

Cicero, IL



With the blessing of His Eminence Metropolitan Saba, for the first time, venerate the Miraculous Weeping Icon in the hotel Chapel all week.



“Then Mary said, “Behold the maidservant of the Lord! Let it be to me according to your word.” And the angel departed from her.” Luke 1:38

HOTEL RESERVATIONS ARE NOW OPEN!



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TOWN HALL MEETING

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2024

12:30 PM

CHURCH HALL

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spread the word about
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Evening Divine Liturgy for the Feast of the Presentation of the Theotokos into the Temple



Wednesday, November 20th

✧ EVENING DIVINE LITURGY AT 7:00 PM ✧