

EPISTLE READING OF THE DAY: This morning's Apostolic Reading is from the Saint Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians Chapter 4, Verses 6-15: Brethren, it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ. But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, to show that the transcendent power belongs to God and not to us. We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be manifested in our bodies. For while we live we are always being given up to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus may be manifested in our mortal flesh. So death is at work in us, but life in you. Since we have the same spirit of faith as he had who wrote, "I believed, and so I spoke," we too believe, and so we speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

Ὁ Ἀπόστολος Πρὸς Κορινθίους β' κεφ. 2 ἐδάφ. 16-20.

GOSPEL READING OF THE DAY: This morning's Gospel Reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Saint Luke Chapter 5, Verses 1 – 11: At that time, as Jesus was standing by the lake of Gennesaret, he saw two boats by the lake; but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon's, he asked him to put out a little from the land. And he sat down and taught the people from the boat. And when he had ceased speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." And Simon answered, "Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I will let down the nets." And when they had done this, they enclosed a great shoal of fish; and as their nets were breaking, they beckoned to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." For he was astonished, and all who were with him, at the catch of fish which they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; henceforth you will be catching men." And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed him.

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PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: Today following Divine Liturgy our Parish Council will meet in the conference room to discuss the various activities of the Cathedral. We thank our Parish Council for all their work for our community.

FESTIVAL THANK YOU: Last weekend we enjoyed a very successful Festival for the first time since before Covid. We would like to sincerely thank each and every one of our volunteers for their hard work and for coming together for our Cathedral community. We would also like to thank our wonderful patrons for supporting us. We are already looking forward to next year! *Και του χρόνου!*

NEXT ELPIDA DAY: We are happy to announce the second day of our exciting new Youth Program at the Annunciation: *Elpida!* This new ministry is being headed by **Mia Fanourgiakis** and will meet for the second time on, **Sunday, October 16!** Kids of all ages are invited to join, there is something for everyone! For more information please contact Mia at mia.fanourgiakis@annunciation.org

GREEK DANCE IS BACK: We are happy to announce that our Greek Dance season has started up again and our groups have resumed practices after Divine Liturgy on Sundays. If your child or children are interested in dancing please email sfgreekdance@annunciation.org for more information!

COMMEMORATIVE ALBUM DEADLINE EXTENDED: The Ad Book Committee has extended the final deadline to receive ads for this year's album. Please contact **Irene** or **Presvytera** at: Adbook@Annunciation.org for more information and to submit your ad. Thank you for your continued support! Warmest Regards, **Presvytera Aliky Kyriacou** and **Irene Kyriacou**, Co-Chairs. Be sure to get your ad in!

PAVER PROJECT UPDATE: It is time to get more pavers inscribed in our courtyard! Join our "Adopt a Paver" program. To learn more, pick up a brochure at the *pangari*, call **Jim Vorrises**, Chair, at 650-464-1616 or email at jim.vorrises@annunciation.org



“The Church shall be a home for Orthodox Christians from every ethnic and national background. It shall be a house of prayer for all humankind, in which the Holy Name of our Triune God shall be extolled and all of creation sanctified.”