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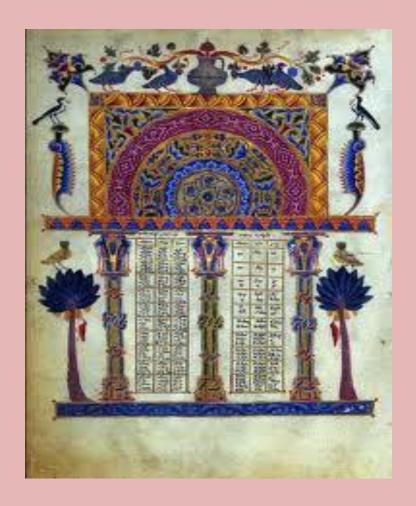
ST. ILLUMINATOR'S ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CATHEDRAL

NEW YORK, NY

NEWSLETTER

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2012

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ST. ILLUMINATOR'S CATHEDRAL PRESENTS CHECK FOR RELIEF FUND



Rev. Fr. Mesrob Lakissian, pastor of St. Illuminator's Cathedral, presents a check for \$7,600 to Archbishop Oshagan for the Fund for Syrian Armenian Relief. The monies were raised by the Cathedral parish through fundraising events and the special plate offerings contributed during the month of September.

We would like to express our sincere gratitude to the parishioners and friends of the St. Illuminator's Cathedral for their generous donations



Last week Rev. Fr. Mesrob Lakissian visited the Holy Martyrs Armenian Church to meet the newly appointed pastor, Rev. Fr. Abraham Malkhasyan



Mrs. Tacuhi Gyulian, born on September 14, 1936 in Bucharest, Romania, passed away on September 30, 2012 at the age of 76. Funeral services took place at the Edward Lynch Funeral Home. Interment service was held at the Cedar Grove Cemetery on October 2, 2012.

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to her husband, Mr. Garabed Gyulian, and daughters Manik Dikranian and Anna Artounian and their families.

Asdvatz hokin lousavreh. May God illuminate her soul.

72 HOLY DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

This Saturday, October 6, the Armenian Church commemorates the 72 Holy Disciples of Christ. The reference comes from the Gospel of Luke (Chapter 10, Verse 1): "After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go." (Note: Some sources say 72 disciples; others say 70). These disciples remained true to the Lord and their calling, and spread the Gospel. They were not random choices, but rather true disciples whose labors carried the message of the Lord throughout the Roman Empire and beyond. All of the saints are remembered individually in the liturgical calendar of the church, but this day is set aside to remember them collectively.

(Armenian Prelacy "Crossroads")



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2012

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ԱՒԵՏԱՐԱՆ ԸՍՏ ՍԱՐԿՈՍԻ (11:27-33)

Յիսուս եւ իր աշակերտները դարձեալ Երուսաղէմ եկան։ Մինչ Յիսուս տաճարին մէջ կը պտըտէր, իրեն մօտեցան աւագ քահանաները, Օրէնքի ուսուցիչներն ու երէցները եւ հարցուցին. – «Ի՞նչ իշխանութեամբ կը կատարես այս բաները։ Ո՞վ քեզի այդ իշխանութիւնը տուաւ»։ Յիսուս պատասխանեց անոնց.- «Լա՜ւ, Ձեզի պիտի ըսեմ թէ ինչ իշխանութեամբ կ՜ընեմ ասոնք, եթէ դուք ալ իմ հարցումիս պատասխանէք։ Յովհաննէսի մկրտելու իշխանութիւնը Աստուծմէ՞ տրուած էր թէ մարդոցմէ։ Պատասխանեցէք տեսնեմ»։ Անոնք սկսան իրարու միջեւ խորհիլ եւ ըսել.- «Եթէ ըսենք. «Աստուծմէ տրուած էր՝ մեզի պիտի ըսէ թէ ինչու չհաւատացիք իրեն, իսկ «մարդոցմէ էր չենք կրնար ըսել՝ ժողովուրդէն վախնալով, որովհետեւ ամէն մարդ գիտէ թէ Յովհաննէս ճշմարտապէս մարգարէ է»։

Ուստի պատասխանեցին Յիսուսի.- «Չենք գիտեր»։ Յիսուս ալ իրենց հարցումին պատասխանելով ըսաւ.- «Այն ատեն ես ալ ձեզի չեմ ըսեր թէ ինչ իշխանութեամբ կ՜ընեմ այս բաները»։

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FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER FEAST OF THE HOLY CROSS

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MARK (11:27-33)

Again they came to Jerusalem. As He was walking in the temple, the chief priests, the scribes, and the elders came to Him and said, "By what authority are you doing these things? Who gave you this authority to do them? Jesus said to them, "I will ask you one question, answer me, and I will tell you by what authority I do these things. Did the baptism of John come from heaven or was it of human origin? Answer me." They argued with one another, "If we say, 'From heaven,' He will say, 'Why then did you not believe him?' But shall we say, 'Of human origin?' – they were afraid of the crowd, for all regarded John as truly a prophet.

So they answered Jesus, "We do not know." And Jesus said to them, "neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things."

BIBLE READINGS

Is. 17: 7-14

2 Cor. 13: 5-13

Requested by:

Mrs. Lusia Khatchadour

Mr. & Mrs. Christian and Luisa Dumitru and children Michael and Jessica

Mr. & Mrs. Eduard and Narcisa Magardician and children Madeleine and Armand

Mr. Anton Carabelaian

Mr. Jores Carabelaian and daughter Laura

In memory of their beloved parents, grandparents and great grandparents

AVEDIS CARABELAIAN – 26TH Anniversary

VERJIN CARABELAIAN – 17TH Anniversary

GARABED CARABELAIAN – 68TH Anniversary

Also in memory of

OHANES KHATCHADOUR,

ZARMAN, VAHAN, ANTRANIG & HRANT ARTINIAN

NARTUHI, HATCHADOUR & VARTENI OHANESIAN

ANETA CARABELAIAN

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE...

The Pontifical Visit of His Holiness Aram I, Catholicos of the Holy See of Cilicia, has been postponed due to the critical situation in Syria that is creating danger and hardship for the people, including our large Armenian Community.

The Banquet on Sunday, October 7, 2012 will take place as scheduled.

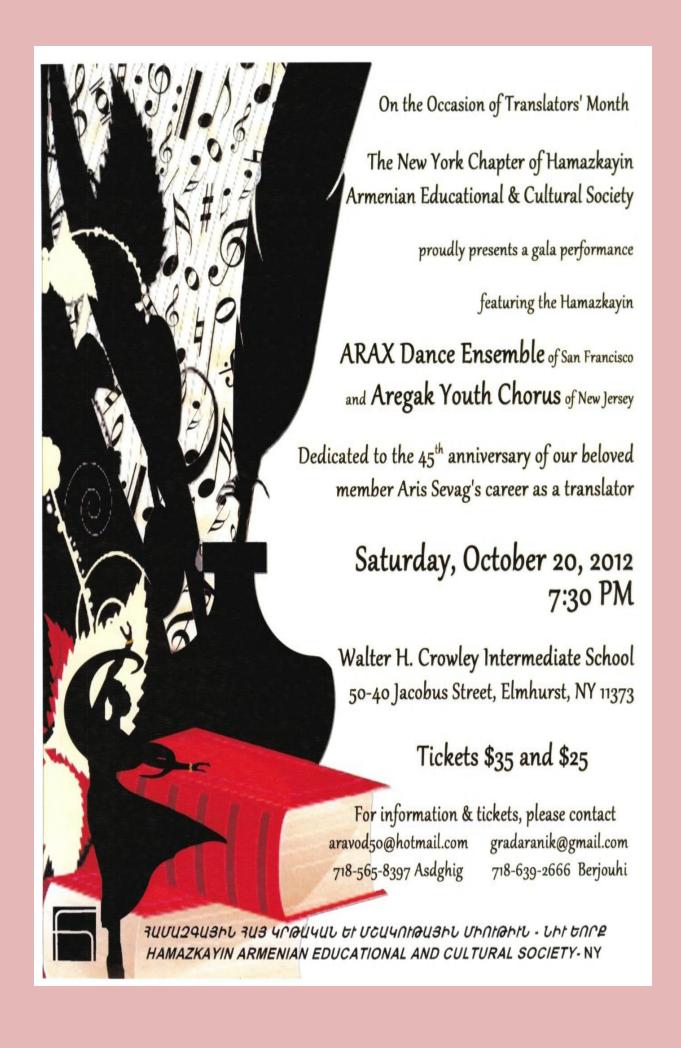
A video message from His Holiness will be shown on a large screen during the banquet.

All proceeds from the Banquet will benefit the "Fund for Syrian Armenian Relief". Your donations will be acknowledged in the program booklet as well as in the subsequent publications.

The regular Divine Liturgy will take place at St. Illuminator's Cathedral on Sunday, October 7, celebrated by the Cathedral's pastor Rev. Fr. Mesrob Lakissian.

I look forward to your presence and support on October 7. Please pray for the security and the well-being of the people of Syria and for peace and goodwill.

Archbishop Oshagan Choloyan, Prelate



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The ARS Mayr Chapter Presents A Fundraiser to benefit the Armenian Community in Syria Sunday, October 28, 2012

2:30 p.m.

Byblos Restaurant

80 Madison Avenue (at 28th Street)

New York, NY

Donation: \$75; children under 12: \$30 (includes full lunch, wine and soft drinks)

Featuring music by Varouj Vartanian & Harout Barsoumian
All proceeds will benefit relief efforts in Syria.

Seating is limited.

For reservations, please call Anais at 718-392-6982 or Anahid at 718-478-6249.

FROM CATEDRAL'S MAIL BOX



Harkelee Der Mesrob,

So much time has passed since you wrote me your prayerful note, a note that touched my heart deeply. Thank you for your prayers and for taking the time to express thoughts that, to this day, continue to inspire and strengthen me. I felt cared for and shepherded through your pastoral presence, a revelation of God's love for one of His flock, a reminder that I matter.

Thank you, Der Hayr, for keeping me in your prayers. With deep respect and appreciation for your kindness and humility and most especially your pastoral presence in my life,

> Regina Ohanyan New Jersey

Dear Rev. Fr. Mesrob Lakissian,

Once again I would like to thank you for your help with my grandmother, Angela Nazaretian. You are taking care of my treasure. We are truly blessed to have you in our lives. I wish all the blessings to you and your family, especially, to your precious daughter Taleen. You and your family deserve all that is good in this world.

Angie Pop-Sorokin California

Dear Rev. Fr. Mesrob Lakissian,

Sincere appreciation for your devoted services to the Cathedral and its parishioners. Thank you!

Dr. George and Tammy Dermksian New York