

## CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to the Boys High School Team for winning the Agganis Tournament.

## TODAY

**ANNUAL  
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DAY PARADE**

**APRIL 26, 2026**

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# ST. VASILIOS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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## SUNDAY OF THE MYRRHBEARING WOMEN

APRIL 26, 2026

## Hymns Following the Gospel (Small Entrance)

### Apolytikion of Great and Holy Pascha in the Plagal First Mode

Christ is risen from the dead, by death, trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life.

Χριστός ανέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καί τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

### Resurrectional Apolytikion in the Second Mode

When You descended unto death, O Lord who yourself are immortal Life, then did You mortify Hades by the lightning flash of Your Divinity. Also when You raised the dead from the netherworld, all the Powers of the heavens were crying out: O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory be to You.

Ὅτε κατήλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἡ Ζωὴ ἡ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν ἄδην ἐνέκρωσας τῇ ἀστραπῇ τῆς Θεότητος, ὅτε δὲ καὶ τοὺς τεθνεῶτας ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων ἀνέστησας, πᾶσαι αἱ Δυνάμεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων ἐκραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

### Apolytikion for Holy Myrrhbearers Sunday in the Second Mode

The noble Joseph, taking Thine immaculate Body down from the Tree, and having wrapped It in pure linen and spices, laid It for burial in a new tomb. But on the third day Thou didst arise, O Lord, granting great mercy to the world.

Ὁ εὐσχήμων Ἰωσήφ, ἀπὸ τοῦ ξύλου καθελὼν τὸ ἄχραντόν σου Σῶμα, σινδόνι καθαρᾷ, εἰλήσας καὶ ἀρώμασιν, ἐν μνήματι καινῷ κηδεύσας ἀπέθετο, ἀλλὰ τριήμερος ἀνέστης Κύριε, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

### Apolytikion for Holy Myrrhbearers Sunday in the Second Mode

Unto the myrrh-bearing women did the Angel cry out as he stood by the grave: Myrrh oils are meet for the dead, but Christ hath proved to be a stranger to corruption. But cry out: The Lord is risen, granting great mercy to the world.

Ταῖς Μυροφόροις Γυναιξί, παρὰ τὸ μνήμα ἐπιστάς, ὁ Ἄγγελος ἐβόα. Τὰ μύρα τοῖς θνητοῖς ὑπάρχει ἀρμόδια, Χριστὸς δὲ διαφθορᾶς ἐδείχθη ἀλλότριος, ἀλλὰ κραυγάσατε, Ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

### St. Vasilios 1st Mode

Your message was carried throughout the world. As it received your mighty word, By which you divinely made manifest And clarified the nature of existing things You set in order the customs of men, You who are royal priesthood! Holy Father, intercede with Christ our God To grant us His great mercy.

Εἰς πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ἐξήλθεν ὁ φθόγγος σου, ὡς δεξαμένην του λογῶν σου, Δι' οὐ θεοπροπῶς εδογματίσας, Τὴν φύσιν τῶν ὄντων ετρά

### Seasonal Kontakion in the Plagal Fourth Mode

Though You went down into the tomb, You destroyed Hades' power, and You rose the victor, Christ God, saying to the myrrh-bearing women, "Hail!" and granting peace to Your disciples, You who raise up the fallen.

Εἰ καὶ ἐν τάφῳ κατήλθες ἀθάνατε, ἀλλὰ τοῦ Ἄδου καθεῖλες τὴν δύναμιν, καὶ ἀνέστης ὡς νικητής, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, γυναιξί Μυροφόροις φθεγγάμενος. Χαίρετε, καὶ τοῖς σοῖς Ἀποστόλοις εἰρήνην δωρούμενος ὁ τοῖς πεσοῦσι παρέχων ἀνάστασιν.

## MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER SALE

ST. VASILIOS GOYA

Mother's Day Flower Sale

MAY 10, 2026 FLOWER SALE

GOYA is planting hanging baskets for purchase at Coffee Hour. You can order ahead for pick up on Mother's Day, or visit us at Coffee Hour on May 10<sup>th</sup>!

ORDER NOW!

goya@stvasilios.org

## PHILOPTOCHOS BAKING WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

The Philoptochos will be backing for our festival on the following dates:

Monday, April 27, 9:00. Koulourakia  
Monday, May 4, 9:00 Kourabiethes  
Monday, May 11, 9:00 Dolmades  
Monday, May 18, 9:00 Baklava



We warmly invite you to come and join our Philoptochos as we gather in fellowship to bake for our upcoming parish festival. All are welcome—no experience needed! Come share in the joy of working together, offering your time and talents in love and service to our parish community.

## PHILOPTOCHOS END OF YEAR LUNHCEON

*Saint Vasilios Philoptochos Athena*  
*End of Year Luncheon*  
*Saturday, June 13, 2026*  
*12:30 pm*  
*The Wardhurst Restaurant*  
31 Lynnfield St, Peabody, MA 01960

Please join us for a beautiful afternoon with a delicious buffet, fun and fellowship.

Complete the form below and mail with check payable to **Saint Vasilios Philoptochos Athena** by Monday, June 1 to:

**Sandra Ruggeri, 34 Walsh Ave, Peabody, MA 01960**

If you would like to donate a gift or gift card for a raffle, please call **Bessie Marashi** at 978-809-1240 or email [bessietdw@gmail.com](mailto:bessietdw@gmail.com).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

If there are any dietary restrictions, please let us know.  
Reservations are \$50 per person. Tables of 6.  
Additional guests may be included on the back of this form.

Number of Registrations: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

For questions, call **Bessie Silva** at 978-771-2119 or **Sandy Ruggeri** at 978-697-9001.  
You may also drop off at the church office with **Irene**.

## EPISTLE READING

*Prokeimenon. Second Mode. Psalm 117.14,18.*  
*The Lord is my strength and my song.*  
*Verse: The Lord has chastened me sorely.*

**The reading is from Acts of the Apostles 6:1-7.**

In those days, when the disciples were increasing in number, the Hellenists murmured against the Hebrews because their widows were neglected in the daily distribution. And the twelve summoned the body of the disciples and said, "it is not right that we should give up preaching the word of God to serve tables. Therefore, brethren, pick out from among you seven men of good repute, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we may appoint to this duty. But we will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word." And what they said pleased the whole multitude, and they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit, and Philip, and Prochoros, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicolaos, a proselyte of Antioch. These they set before the apostles, and they prayed and laid their hands upon them. And the word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the faith.

*Προκείμενον. Second Mode. ΨΑΛΜΟΙ 117.14,18.*  
*Ἰσχύς μου καὶ ὕμνησις μου ὁ Κύριος.*  
*Στίχ. Παιδεύων ἐπαίδευσέ με ὁ Κύριος.*

**τὸ Ἀνάγνωσμα Πράξεις Ἀποστόλων 6:1-7.**

Ἐν ταῖς ἡμεραῖς ἐκείναις, πληθυνόντων τῶν μαθητῶν, ἐγένετο γογγυσμὸς τῶν Ἑλληνιστῶν πρὸς τοὺς Ἑβραίους, ὅτι παρεθεωροῦντο ἐν τῇ διακονίᾳ τῇ καθημερινῇ αἱ χῆραι αὐτῶν. Προσκαλεσάμενοι δὲ οἱ δώδεκα τὸ πλῆθος τῶν μαθητῶν, εἶπον, Οὐκ ἀρεστὸν ἐστὶν ἡμᾶς, καταλείψαντας τὸν λόγον τοῦ θεοῦ, διακονεῖν τραπέζαις. Ἐπισκέψασθε οὖν, ἀδελφοί, ἄνδρας ἐξ ὑμῶν μαρτυρουμένους ἐπτά, πλήρεις πνεύματος ἁγίου καὶ σοφίας, οὓς καταστήσωμεν ἐπὶ τῆς χρείας ταύτης. Ἡμεῖς δὲ τῇ προσευχῇ καὶ τῇ διακονίᾳ τοῦ λόγου προσκαρτερήσωμεν. Καὶ ἤρρεσεν ὁ λόγος ἐνώπιον παντὸς τοῦ πλήθους· καὶ ἐξελέξαντο Στέφανον, ἄνδρα πλήρης πίστεως καὶ πνεύματος ἁγίου, καὶ Φίλιππον, καὶ Πρόχορον, καὶ Νικάνορα, καὶ Τίμωνα, καὶ Παρμενᾶν, καὶ Νικόλαον προσήλυτον Ἀντιοχέα, οὓς ἔστησαν ἐνώπιον τῶν ἀποστόλων· καὶ προσευξάμενοι ἐπέθηκαν αὐτοῖς τὰς χεῖρας. Καὶ ὁ λόγος τοῦ θεοῦ ἠῤῥαζαν, καὶ ἐπληθύνετο ὁ ἀριθμὸς τῶν μαθητῶν ἐν Ἱερουσαλὴμ σφόδρα, πολὺς τε ὄχλος τῶν ἱερέων ὑπήκουον τῇ πίστει.

## GOSPEL READING

### Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearing Women

#### The Reading is from Mark 15:43-47; 16:1-8

At that time, Joseph of Arimathea, a respected member of the council, who was also himself looking for the kingdom of God, took courage and went to Pilate, and asked for the body of Jesus. And Pilate wondered if he were already dead; and summoning the centurion, he asked him whether he was already dead. And when he learned from the centurion that he was dead, he granted the body to Joseph. And he bought a linen shroud, and taking him down, wrapped him in the linen shroud, and laid him in a tomb which had been hewn out of the rock; and he rolled a stone against the door of the tomb. Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Joseph saw where he was laid.

And when the sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome, bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week they went to the tomb when the sun had risen. And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the door of the tomb?" And looking up, they saw that the stone was rolled back; for it was very large. And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe; and they were amazed. And he said to them, "Do not be amazed; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, he is not here; see the place where they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him, as he told you." And they went out and fled from the tomb; for trembling and astonishment had come upon them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

### Κατὰ Μάρκον 15:43-47, 16:1-8

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐλθὼν Ἰωσήφ ὁ ἀπὸ Ἀριμαθαίας, εὐσχήμων βουλευτής, ὃς καὶ αὐτὸς ἦν προσδεχόμενος τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ, τολμήσας εἰσηλθε πρὸς Πιλάτον καὶ ἠτήσατο τὸ σῶμα τοῦ Ἰησοῦ. Ὁ δὲ Πιλάτος ἐθαύμασεν εἰ ἦδη τέθνηκε, καὶ προσκαλεσάμενος τὸν κεντυρίωνα ἐπηρώτησεν αὐτὸν εἰ πάλαι ἀπέθανε· καὶ γνοὺς ἀπὸ τοῦ κεντυρίωνος ἐδωρήσατο τὸ σῶμα τῷ Ἰωσήφ. Καὶ ἀγοράσας σινδὸνα καὶ καθελῶν αὐτὸν ἐνείλησε τῇ σινδόνι καὶ κατέθηκεν αὐτὸν ἐν μνημείῳ, ὃ ἦν λελατομημένον ἐκ πέτρας, καὶ προσεκύλισε λίθον ἐπὶ τὴν θύραν τοῦ μνημείου. Ἡ δὲ Μαρία ἡ Μαγδαληνὴ καὶ Μαρία Ἰωσή ἐθεώρουν ποῦ τίθεται. Καὶ διαγενομένου τοῦ σαββάτου Μαρία ἡ Μαγδαληνὴ καὶ Μαρία ἡ τοῦ Ἰακώβου καὶ Σαλώμη ἠγόρασαν ἀρώματα ἵνα ἐλθοῦσαι ἀλείψωσιν αὐτόν. Καὶ λίαν πρῶτὴ τῆς μιᾶς σαββάτων ἔρχονται ἐπὶ τὸ

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### St. Vasilios Greek Festival 2026

#### Souvenir Journal Application

If you would like to place an advertisement in the Souvenir Journal for this year's Festival, please complete the form below. The Festival will be held May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>, 2026

	Check Here		Check Here*
Full Page:	\$500 _____	Outside Back Page:	\$750 _____
Half Page :	\$300 _____	Inside Front Page :	\$750 _____
Quarter Page :	\$200 _____	Inside Back Page :	\$750 _____
		Center Page :	\$750 _____

*\*Please note that these ads are on a first come first serve basis. If the pages are already committed, we will substitute it for an alternate ad.*

Please email your proof to [Festivalads@stvasilios.org](mailto:Festivalads@stvasilios.org). If you have any questions, please email or call Steve Anezis at 978-375-4981

Payment is due at the time this agreement is submitted. Please make checks payable to St. Vasilios Greek Orthodox Church.

Please check here if you require a donation tax receipt: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## GREEK FESTIVAL

### ST VASILIOS GREEK FESTIVAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

#### Event Sponsor - \$15,000

- Recognition in all our print & radio advertising
- Ad placement in our Orthodox Life Publication for the next twelve months
- Three prominent banners placed throughout the event
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Tent Sponsor - \$10,000

- Ad placement on our event placemats
- Ad placement in our Orthodox Life Publication for the next twelve months
- Two prominent banners placed throughout the event
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Food Sponsor - \$10,000

- Ad placement on our event placemats
- Ad placement in our Orthodox Life Publication for the next twelve months
- Two prominent banners placed throughout the event
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Kid Zone Sponsor - \$7,500

- Ad placement on our event placemats
- Ad placement in our Orthodox Life Publication for the next six months
- Two prominent banners placed throughout the event
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Band Sponsor - \$5,000

- Ad placement in our Orthodox Life Publication for the next six months
- A prominent banner placed in the designated section
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Pastry Sponsor - \$3,500

- Ad placement in our Orthodox Life Publication for the next three months
- A prominent banner placed in the designated section
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Bar Sponsor - \$2,500

- A prominent banner placed in the designated section
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Ad Book Sponsor - \$2,500

- A prominent banner placed in the designated section
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Entertainment Sponsor - \$1,500

- A prominent banner placed in the designated section
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Church Tour Sponsor - \$1,000

- A prominent banner placed in the designated section
- A full-page advertisement in our souvenir program

#### Souvenir Program Advertising

- Full Page Premium Placement \$750
- Full Page Standard Placement \$500
- Half Page Standard Placement \$300

For more information please contact: Steve Anezis • 978-375-4981 • festivalads@stvasilios.org

μνημείον, ἀνατείλαντος τοῦ ἡλίου. Καὶ ἔλεγον πρὸς ἑαυτάς· Τίς ἀποκυλίσει ἡμῖν τὸν λίθον ἐκ τῆς θύρας τοῦ μνημείου; Καὶ ἀναβλέψασαι θεωροῦσιν ὅτι ἀποκεκύλισται ὁ λίθος· ἦν γὰρ μέγας σφόδρα. Καὶ εἰσελθοῦσαι εἰς τὸ μνημεῖον εἶδον νεανίσκον καθήμενον ἐν τοῖς δεξιοῖς, περιβεβλημένον στολὴν λευκὴν, καὶ ἐξεθαμβήθησαν. Ὁ δὲ λέγει αὐταῖς· μὴ ἐκθαμβεῖσθε· Ἰησοῦν ζητεῖτε τὸν Ναζαρηνὸν τὸν ἐσταυρωμένον· ἡγέρθη, οὐκ ἔστιν ὧδε· ἴδε ὁ τόπος ὅπου ἐθήκαν αὐτόν. Ἀλλ' ὑπάγετε εἶπατε τοῖς μαθηταῖς αὐτοῦ καὶ τῷ Πέτρῳ ὅτι προάγει ὑμᾶς εἰς τὴν Γαλιλαίαν· ἐκεῖ αὐτὸν ὄψεσθε, καθὼς εἶπεν ὑμῖν. Καὶ ἐξελθοῦσαι ἔφυγον ἀπὸ τοῦ μνημείου· εἶχε δὲ αὐτὰς τρόμος καὶ ἔκστασις, καὶ οὐδενὶ οὐδὲν εἶπον· ἐφοβοῦντο γάρ.



## CHURCH SCHOOL GRADUATION

We will celebrate our graduating high school students on Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy.



Graduating students must submit their bios to either Mrs. Leras at [sofya.leras@gmail.com](mailto:sofya.leras@gmail.com) or to St. Vasilios's Church School Director at [pam.gruntkosky@gmail.com](mailto:pam.gruntkosky@gmail.com), by May 14<sup>th</sup>.

Bios should include: the high school you are graduating from & any accomplishments or awards. Previous Church activities including Church School participation, Greek School, GOYA/JOY, Altar servers, Myrrophoras, St. Val's Hoops, etc. & any volunteer work. And finally, your plans for the future; college, trade school, work, include course of study.

## ALTAR DONATIONS

### VIGIL LIGHTS

In loving memory of James & Dora Maravelias.

### Liturgy Lights

In loving memory of Michael C. Lignos.

## TODAY'S MEMORIALS

We commemorate today the blessed memory of the following members of our parish who have fallen asleep in the Lord:

**Catherine Rokas 40 day Memorial**  
**Xanthi Siasios 1 yr Memorial**  
**Athanasios Siasios 9 month Trisagion**  
**Haralampos G. Kouris 7 yr Trisagion**  
**George Psychogios 3 month Trisagion**

## COFFEE HOUR

Please join us for coffee hour. Today's coffee hour fellowship is sponsored by the Siasios family in loving memory of mother Xanthi Siasios

## ANTIDORON

Antidoron— We want to encourage parishioners to continue asking for Antidoron to take home for people who are sick or could not make it to the Divine Liturgy. We kindly ask that you wait until all those present receive their Antidoron before receiving Antidoron for those who are absent. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

## COMMUNION MESSAGE (Updated April 2026)

Communion in the Orthodox Church is a sacred gift offered to those who are baptized and chrismated Orthodox Christians who are in good sacramental standing.

Out of love and consideration for our youngest faithful, we kindly ask that families with young children and children themselves come forward to receive Holy Communion before the adults.

As you approach, please enter the Communion line from the center aisle at the back of the church, and then return to your pew by exiting through the side aisles.

## GREEK FESTIVAL



The logo for the Greek Festival is a large circular emblem with a Greek key border. Inside the circle, at the top, is a small icon of a church with three domes. Below the icon, the text "SAINT VASILIOS" is written in a serif font. The words "GREEK FESTIVAL" are written in large, bold, white, sans-serif letters across the center. At the bottom of the circle, the dates "MAY 22-24, 2026" are written in a smaller font.



A circular seal with a Greek key border. Inside the seal, the text "MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND!" is written in a serif font, with two stars on either side of the word "DAY".

**FRIDAY**  
5 - 11 PM

**SATURDAY**  
Noon - 11 PM

**SUNDAY**  
Noon - 9 PM

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- ★ GREEK MUSIC & DANCING
- ★ PERFORMANCES BY ST. VASILIOS GREEK DANCE GROUP
  - Saturday @ 8 PM
  - Sunday @ 7 PM
- ★ LIVE GREEK MUSIC BY ORFEAS
  - Saturday 6-10 PM
  - Sunday 5-9 PM



White silhouettes of a man and a woman in traditional Greek attire, standing and holding hands. The man is on the left, wearing a kilt and a jacket, with his right arm raised. The woman is on the right, wearing a long dress and a headscarf.

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### GET INVOLVED & SUPPORT OUR FESTIVAL

#### WE NEED EVERY FAMILY TO HELP

For our festival to continue to grow and thrive, we rely on the strength of our entire community. This is your opportunity to support St. Vasilios by offering your **Time, Talent, or Treasure**.

#### WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

##### VOLUNTEER

Help before, during, or after the festival — planning, setup, food service, hospitality, cleanup, and more.

##### Volunteer Contact:

**John Kourtelidis**  
volunteer@stvasilios.org  
978-907-3187

##### DONATE

Your generous donations help offset the many costs involved in hosting a successful festival.

##### Donation Contact:

**Helen Papadopoulos**  
helennanis@gmail.com  
978-397-1340

##### ADVERTISE IN OUR FESTIVAL AD BOOK

Celebrate our community by promoting your business, sharing your well wishes, or honoring the memory of a loved one through an ad in our festival ad book, while supporting our parish.

##### Advertising Contact:

**Steve Anezis**  
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##### SPREAD THE WORD

Invite your family, friends, and coworkers. Share the festival on social media and help us make this year's celebration our best yet!

#### COME CELEBRATE WITH US!

Great food. Live music. Joyful dancing. Strong community.  
**The St. Vasilios Greek Festival is a tradition you don't want to miss.**

*We look forward to welcoming you Memorial Day Weekend!*

## KOLYVA FOR MERCY MEAL

The office has been asked many times by parishioners who would like to have Kolyva for the Mercy Meal after the funeral. If you would like to order Kolyva a parishioner has stepped forward and is willing to accommodate parishioners. If you are interested call Niki at 978-578-7292.

## PARISH NIGHT: *Stories of Conversion*

May 9th

Parish Night: Stories of Conversion

4:30 Vespers

5:00 Dinner and Discussion

Join us to hear from people who have converted to Orthodoxy. We will discuss their journeys, how we can sustain our holy traditions, and how we can best welcome new people into our parish.

## PANAGIA'S GARDEN

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*St. Vasilios Church Camp 2026*



### Save the date!

August 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>, Daily 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

*\$150 per Child with Sibling Discounts, for Ages 4-10*

**Registration Deadline: July 6<sup>th</sup>**

Email with any questions or  
Save your spot: [goya@stvasilios.org](mailto:goya@stvasilios.org)

## SCHOLARSHIP BRUNCH

# St. Vasilios Church

## SCHOLARSHIP BRUNCH

Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup>

For more information about the scholarship program  
and its requirements, please visit:  
<https://www.stvasilios.org/ministries/scholarships>

*CALL TO ACTION: BE A HERO!*

We are looking for individuals to sponsor specific contributions  
to this well-deserved event for our Parish Youth.  
Can you step up as a sponsor for one of the following?

- + **Live Music** to Make It Special
- + **Printed Programs** to Make it Memorable
- + **Decor** to Make it Photo Worthy

If you can step up and save the day, please be in touch  
with one of the three brunch event organizers  
Christina Maria Bray: [christinamariabray@gmail.com](mailto:christinamariabray@gmail.com)



## ST VAL'S MEN'S CLUB

# St. Val's Men's Club

FOR ALL MEN OF THE PARISH  
AND THEIR MALE FRIENDS

## Dinner Meeting

TUESDAY APRIL 28 @ 6:30PM

STEAK TIPS

CHICKEN

SALAD

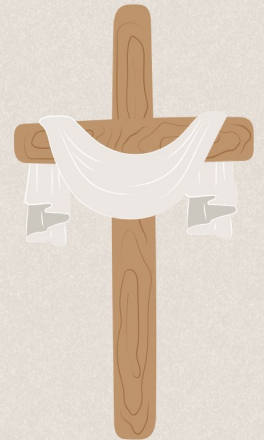
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POTATOES

21+ EVENT

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