

Event/Initiative	Date	Contact	Venue	Time
Liturgical - 100 years	December 3, 10,17,24 and 31	Fr Costin Popescu	Sunday educational liturgies	Sanctuary 9:30 AM
	December 3, 2017 or Sunday, December 10, 2017	Tina Papadopoulos	Founders Celebration + Brunch	Nicholson Hall 11:45 AM

This month's focus will be the progression of liturgy and liturgical musical accompaniment over the past 100 years. For example, the first Sunday of the month the liturgy will be entirely in Greek and the last will be entirely in English. Music will begin with a single Chanter and end with a full choir.

Also kicking off our year of celebration will be scheduled the Founder's Brunch. This event will honor the Founders of our Church by recognizing the eldest

Community Outreach	January	Don Argyrople		
St Basil's Ministries	Sunday, January 21, 2018	Andrea Jones	Winter Tea	St Basil's Hall 11:45 AM

We will be holding our new tradition of the St Basil's Winter Tea in celebration of Community Outreach programs. At this time St Basils will be reviewing it's mission and goals as well as raising funds to install a dishwasher in the St Basil's kitchen and to donate to community causes.

Men's Club	February	Arthur Housianitis	Speaker to be confirmed	
	Date TBD	John Housianitis	Monument revision: 100 years	Nicholson Hall Time TBD

Holy Days	March: Saturday March 24		Vespers followed by reception	Nicholson Hall 5:30 PM
Annunciation	Sunday, March 25, 2018	Tina Papadopoulos	Liturgy followed by Luncheon	Nicholson Hall 11:45 AM

March is recognizing and celebrating Holy Days. As the Annunciation falls in this month, it will be the focus. As well, the 25th is Greek Independence Day which will also be recognized. There are two events planned one of which we are hopeful the Metropolitan Bishop can attend. At that time we look to invite the Evzones to flank the Metropolitan entering the Sanctuary.

GLAS	April	Irene Falite	Palm Sunday Dinner	
	Sunday, April 1, 2018			11:45 AM

Sacraments	Sunday, May 6, 2018	Fr Costin	Marriage Blessing	11:30 AM
Weddings	Sunday, May 6, 2018	Lisa Housianitis	Fashion Show	Nicholson Hall 1:00 PM

The month of May will celebrate Sacraments, with a focus on the sacrament of Marriage. We are planning a full day, with Fr Costin performing a Marriage Blessing immediately after/during Liturgy, then a brief coffee hour followed by a short runway show of Wedding fashions a refreshments. We are soliciting both photos of and dresses themselves which have been worn in Eastern Orthodox Weddings, particularity but not limited to our church.

GOYA	June	Diane Hansen	Oral Histories???	
	Date TBD		Event TBD	Location TBD Time TBD

Cultural	July: Friday, July 27, 29018	Jim Sperelakis	Dancing! Music! Food!	Lower Level Entry
	Saturday, July 28, 2018	Angela Tsopelas	Block Party	St Basil's Hall
	Sunday, July 29, 2018		Church Tours	Nicholson Hall 11:00 AM

In July we will celebrate our Culture! The Glendi concept will be carried into the GFF in 2018 with live music, dancing and a block party, closing at the very least Harris Street an as far as the parking lot entrance on Park Street. Street vendors of a cultural nature will also be solicited.

Church Social Events	August	John Tsakirgis	Picnic	Salisbury Beach
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	Sunday, August 26, 2018	Steve Fountis	Diocese-wide invited!	Pavilion	3:30 PM
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To celebrate the intercommunity events once held, we are planning a picnic. All of the churches in the Diocese will be invited. In the best Greek (and New England) tradition, we will have a pie tasting event and prizes - but lets make it PITAS!

Sunday School	September	Jill Argyrople	Art Show???		
	Date TBD	Joanne Hight	Event TBD	Location TBD	Time TBD

Liturgical Music	Saturday, October 6, 2018	Don Argyrople	EIKONA Concert + Reception	Sanctuary	7:00 PM
Choir	Sunday, October 7, 2018	EKONA and AGOC Choir Chant Liturgy + Brunch		Nicholson Hall	9:30 AM

Special guest Ekona will perform beautiful music in the Sanctuary on Saturday night followed by a dessert and coffee reception. Sunday Ekona will join our Choir chanting the Liturgy.

100 Years Gala	November	Diane Hansen			
	Saturday, November 3, 2018	Irene Katsoulis	Banquet	Location TBD	Time TBD
	Sunday, November 4, 2018	Daphne Tikellis	Liturgy: Metropolitan + Brunch	Nicholson Hall	11:45 PM

Forward and Onward	December		Talent Show		
	Sunday, December 9, 2018		Lessons and Carols	Nicholson Hall	Time TBD

Church History	Maria Andriotakis
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Format and research in progress.

Mortgage Reduction	John Housianitis
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Initiative in progress

Cookbook	Preorders @ 2017 GFF	Andrea Jones			
	Saturday, October 14, 2017	Ruth Riley	Launch Party - Reserved dinner	Nicholson Hall	6:00 PM

"Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church - 100 years in the Kitchen" first run printing of 500 copies will be funded by the Launch party. Additionally we will be hosting a Cooking class through the Newburyport Adult Education Society highlighting some of our cookbook recipes which will be prepared for the Launch party.