E-BULLETIN

August 26, 2026

NOTICES AND REMINDERS FOR THE NEXT 10 DAYS

Click here for this Sunday's Worship Missal

Wednesday, August 26
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** *Vespers*
Thursday, August 27 | St. Phanourios the Great Martyr
⇒ **8:30 a.m.** *Orthros* - **9:30 a.m.** *Divine Liturgy*
⇒ **11:30 a.m.** ***Funeral for Tatjana Talevski***
⇒ **4:00 p.m.** *Paraklesis*
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** Parish Council Meeting
Friday, August 28 | St. Moses the Black
⇒ **Noon** *Sixth Hour and Divine Liturgy*
⇒ **6:30 p.m.** St. Nektarios Orthodox Film Club - Moses the Black (see insert)
Saturday, August 29 | Beheading of St. John the Baptist
⇒ **8:30 a.m.** *Orthros and Divine Liturgy*
⇒ **11:30 a.m.** St. Phoebe Kick-off (see insert)
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** *Vespers*
Sunday, August 30
⇒ **7:45 a.m.** *Orthros* - **9:15 a.m.** *Divine Liturgy*
⇒ Philoptochos Special Collection (see insert)
⇒ Back to School Backpack Blessing
⇒ Ministry Expo - Called to Serve and Connect
⇒ **12:00 p.m.** Final Youth Afternoons (see insert)
⇒ **3:00 p.m.** Scouts District Open House (see insert)
Tuesday, September 1 | Ecclesiastical New Year
⇒ **8:30 a.m.** *Orthros with Hagiasmos and Divine Liturgy*
Wednesday, September 2
⇒ **5:00 p.m.** Youth "Evening Light" Program
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** *Vespers*
Thursday, September 3 | Relics of St. Nektarios
⇒ **8:30 a.m.** *Orthros* - **9:30 a.m.** *Divine Liturgy*
⇒ **4:00 p.m.** *Paraklesis*
Friday, September 4 | St. Hermione | Prophet Moses
⇒ **6:30 a.m.** *First Hour and Divine Liturgy*
Saturday, September 5
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** *Vespers*

VISITATIONS ~ ***Please contact the church office if someone is in need of a clergy visit or to notify them of health issues.***

BOOKSTORE
Visit the Narrow Path Bookstore for your Liturgical gifts shopping.
Open on Sundays for 30 minutes after the Divine Liturgy.

Scroll down for details and more information.
Visit our website for full Calendar of Events or any update at www.stnektarios.org
5108 Kuykendall Rd. Charlotte, NC 28270 ~ office@stnektarios.org ~ 704-708-4669

MINISTRY EXPO

All Are Called

One Mission + Many Ministries + One Parish

St. Nektarios Greek Orthodox Church — Charlotte, NC · USA

Explore where God may be calling you to grow, serve, and belong.
Meet ministry leaders and explore ways to connect, serve and be served.

August 16
Called to Grow
Acolytes • GOYA / HOPE / JOY
Greek Language School • Scouts
St. Panteleimon Home School
St. Olga Mom's Group • St. Phoebe Girls
Youth Catechism • Young Adults

August 23
Called to Worship
Adult Altar Servers
Adult Religious Education • Bookstore
Broadcast • Catechumen Formation • Choir
Men's Group • Safety • Shrine
Ushers

August 30
Called to Serve & Connect
5K • Charities • Grief Support • Helping Hands • Hospitality • Life & Family
Medical Assistance • Military
Missions & Philanthropy • Outdoors Club
Philoptochos • Prison • Visiting Partners
Welcome Team • Young At Heart

September 6
Called to Cultivate
Administrative Support
Campus Management
Capital Campaign • Endowment
Financial
Parish Council • Stewardship

ST. NEKTARIOS PHILOPTOCHOS

September Dinner Gathering

PHILOPTOCHOS
PHILANTHROPY · FELLOWSHIP · FAITH IN ACTION

MONDAY
SEPTEMBER 21,
6 PM

Trio Restaurant
10709 McMullen
Creek Pkwy
Charlotte, NC 28226

TRIO RESTAURANT

RSVP BY SEPT. 16 USING THE QR CODE OR AT THE PHILOPTOCHOS TABLE ON SUNDAYS

JOIN US FOR
FELLOWSHIP & FOOD
AS WE START THE NEW
ECCLESIASTICAL YEAR

Appetzier & Dinner
selections + payment on site

SAINT NEKTARIOS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

ST. NEKTARIOS ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PRESENTS

SCRIPTURE *in* SERVICE

SAINT NEKTARIOS — *From Bible Study to Mystagogy.*
BEGINNING IN SEPTEMBER

With God's help, this year our parish Bible Study will be transfigured into a Mystagogy

- Beginning in September, our Adult Religious Education ministry will present a study of the Divine Liturgy. Our clergy, supported by a team of lay facilitators, will offer a months-long exploration of this central act of worship.
- The study will begin with an overview of the Church's corporate prayer, a brief history of the Divine Liturgy, the preparatory stages for the celebration of the Divine Liturgy, a walkthrough of its various parts, and an epilogue. Sessions will take place in our usual study spaces as well as in the temple, will feature guest instruction from our cantors and others, and will have time for questions and answers.
- Participants will read through the well-known book *The Divine Liturgy: A Commentary in Light of the Fathers*, with a guide including pertinent Scripture and patristic texts curated by our team.
- This study will be a new experience of our approach to Bible Study, showing how Scripture shapes worship, and how worship reveals the deepest meanings of Scripture. Together, we will see more clearly how the Word of God is not only sacred text, but a person: our Lord Jesus Christ, the incarnate Word, who is the High Priest and Celebrant of the Divine Liturgy, the One who offers and is offered.

Building *for* Generations
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Have you seen our

VIDEO FAQs?

Scan to watch Father Andreas provide answers to some of the most frequently asked questions about our capital campaign.

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Building *for* Generations

SAVE THE DATE!

COMMITMENT SUNDAY

We want to reach our fundraising goal for a new Ministry Center by Sunday, September 20th, and you can help!
Click now to commit today.

Sunday, Sept 20, 2026
Immediately following Divine Liturgy
Refreshments provided

ORTHODOX FILM CLUB

a film by Yelena Popovic

FROM EXECUTIVE PRODUCER CURTIS "50 CENT" JACKSON
OMAR EPPS WIZ KHALIFA QUAVO CHUKWUDI IWUJI

This film contains mature themes. Parental advisement is necessary.
Some material may not be suitable for young audiences.

28 AUGUST, 2026 @ 6:30PM

ST. NEKTARIOS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH, SPIRITUAL LIFE CENTER, 5108 KUYKENDALL RD., CHARLOTTE, NC 28270

CONTACT Philip Robertson for more information.
fogg71@gmail.com

Cub Scout PACK 490 Charlotte, NC

All rising **Kindergarten-5th Graders** who are interested in scouting, come to our District Open House on **Sunday, August 30th.** on the Plaza or in the SLC - Hall from **3 PM - 5 PM** (weather permit)

Donate Now to support scholarships for Met. of Atlanta Youth Ministries

To make your donation:

- Scan the QR Code here
- Use the PayPal link on the Philoptochos webpage, www.stnektarios.org/philoptochos
- Make your check payable to Philoptochos with "MoA Youth" in the memo line.
- Mail to the church, attn. Philoptochos—MoA Youth
- Bring to church on or before Aug. 30th to place in one of the collection boxes

Thank you for your support!

Special Collection
Aug 30, 2026
supporting
Metropolis of Atlanta Youth Ministries

Philoptochos Caregiver Support Group

For Orthodox Christian Caregivers Nationwide

Click here to register

September 8, 15, 22, and 29
7 pm – 8:30 pm EST

Save The Date!

ST. PHOEBE MINISTRY ANNUAL KICK-OFF

Saturday, August 29th

Beginning immediately following the liturgy until 3:00 PM in the SLC

GIRLS IN GRADES 4TH -12TH ALONG WITH THEIR MOTHERS ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR A DAY OF FELLOWSHIP, LEARNING AND SERVICE.

The St. Phoebe Ministry exists to nurture and train the young women of our parish to become future servant-leaders of our church and faith.

Contact Stephanie Scolinos for questions
562-299-7208 • stephaniescolinos@yahoo.com

SAINT NEKTARIOS

taking STEPS

5K RUN/WALK

NOVEMBER 21, 2026
8:00 AM (5K) or 9:00 AM (1/3 Mile Dome Dash)
5108 Kuykendall Road, Charlotte, NC 28270

*For nine years, St. Nektarios Church has organized the Taking Steps 5K, to help provide free healthcare and housing for homeless women and children here in Charlotte. Event proceeds support both **Shelter Health Services** and **St. Hermione Home**.*

Follow the link below or scan the QR code
www.takingsteps5k.com
For more information contact us at Info@StNektariostakingsteps5k.com

YOUTH AFTERNOONS

12:00PM - 2:00PM | HELLENIC PARK
2800 McKee Rd, Charlotte, NC

SUMMER DATES:

MAY 31st
JUNE 28th
JULY 26th
AUGUST 30th

Join us for family fellowship outside one Sunday a month this summer!
soccer • frisbee • volleyball
football • board games

Bring your own picnic encouraged • parental supervision required

LAST ONE POSTPONED TO AUG. 30!

GREEK LANGUAGE CLASS
for Adults

Offering ONLY ONE Beginner 1 Weekly Online Class per registration results:
either on Monday or Tuesday evenings
at 7:00 pm - 8:15 pm.
Registration is open through August 24th.
Classes begin the week of October 12th, 2026.

SAINT NEKTARIOS
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

For more information, contact
Mrs. Anastasia Holevas
akholevas24@gmail.com

ST. PANTELEIMON
HOMESCHOOL ACADEMY

For more information and to apply, scan the QR code:

St. Nektarios Greek Language School
Σχολείο Ελληνικής Γλώσσας Αγίου Νεκταρίου

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

Scan to register!

Registration Open until 6.15.26
Tuition Due 9.6.26
Classes Begin 9.25.26

Fridays from 4:30-6:30 PM
Grades Pre-K* through 5
**Pre-K must turn 4 by 8.31.26*

Philosophy & Misson

Our mission is to instill in our students a love for our Greek Orthodox faith and heritage, as well as an appreciation of Greek culture through an interactive Greek language based curriculum.

CONTACT MRS. ANASTASIA HOLEVAS
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
akholevas24@gmail.com

SUBMIT NAMES OF THE LIVING FOR PARAKLESIS

Paraklesis Prayer service is offered on
Thursdays - 4:00 p.m.
You may submit names of the living (first names only) to the church office or you may respond to this email. Names will be commemorated for five weeks.

Job Posting
Parish Administrator

St. Nektarios Greek Orthodox Church, serving approximately 600 steward families, seeks a professional, highly organized, and mission-focused Parish Administrator to support daily operations. The parish has a robust liturgical schedule, numerous ministries, and several major annual events.

Responsibilities:

- Work closely with the Proistamenos (head priest) to foster a professional, welcoming, and Christ-centered atmosphere of collaboration with clergy, office and ministerial staff, parish council, parishioners, volunteers, visitors, vendors, etc.
- Oversee daily office operations, calendars, and parish communications and publications (print and digital)
- Maintain parish records (membership, stewardship, sacraments, etc.)
- Financial processes (invoices, deposits, donor acknowledgments, reports, etc.)
- Coordinate liturgical and sacrament scheduling with clergy
- Ensure administrative support for ministries and major events
- Familiarity and compliance with all relevant fiduciary and governing policies

Qualifications:

- Professional demeanor informed by an active Orthodox Christian life
- Fluency in Orthodox Christian doctrine, traditions, polity, liturgical seasons, etc.
- Strong organizational, time management, and communication skills
- Creative thinking and problem-solving capability
- Demonstrable financial acumen
- Proficiency in typical productivity suites (Microsoft, Google, etc.) and ability to learn church management software
- Ability to maintain confidentiality and propriety
- Minimum 15 years relevant work experience
- Preferred: BA/BS in Business Administration/Management, or Finance
- Preferred: Nonprofit or parish administration experience
- Preferred: Multilingual proficiency, especially in Modern Greek

Click here for Application Inquiry

Submit résumé and cover letter:
St. Nektarios Greek Orthodox Church
Attn: Fr. Andreas Houpos
5108 Kuykendall Rd. Charlotte, NC 28270

YAL
METROPOLIS OF ATLANTA
YAL CONFERENCE
OCTOBER 9-12, 2026

The Metropolis of Atlanta is thrilled to announce the return of our YAL Conference! Young adults ages 18–35 are invited to join us in **Tampa Bay** for an unforgettable weekend of worship, fellowship, and inspiration.

Come connect with other young adults, deepen your faith, and leave feeling refreshed and renewed as we focus on living lives anchored in Christ.

If you have any questions, please email: yalatlantaconference1@gmail.com

CLICK HERE TO REGISTER

JOIN US COLUMBUS DAY WEEKEND!

REGISTRATION IS OPEN

CLICK THE LINK TO REGISTER, DONATE & MORE!

For more information follow us
@yalatlconference

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A Ministry of the Metropolis of Atlanta

HOLY UNMERCENARIES MEDICAL SOCIETY
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ANNUAL RETREAT

SEPTEMBER 25 - 27, 2026

Alexios Retreat Center
455 Quail Ridge Rd. Salem, SC 29676

For detailed pricing information and to register click or scan the QR code or visit www.gohums.com