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**APRIL 7, 2013** 

Կրկնազատիկ- Նոր Կիրակի Octave of Easter- New Sunday



Քրիստոս Յարեաւ Ի Մեռելոց։ Օրհնեալ է Յարութիւնն Քրիստոսի։

Armenian Historical Year 4505 (SCt) Armenian Calendrical Year 1461(NUU)

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2013 NO. 14/2013

**Morning Service:** 9:15 AM **Divine Liturgy:** 10:00 AM

**Bible Readings:** 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1 Luke 1:26-28

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#### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Patriarch Mesrob Moutafian Fr. Garen Gdanian Alexander Adaiian Shoushan Altun Guram Arutinov Anais Bulbulian Yn. Maireni Donikian **Beyatris Dorter** Lucy Genian Jirayr Gerardo Hoyle Green Pat Green Mihran Guragossian John Hagopian Marie Ipjian Nargez Hamayak Zabelle Hooks Carnig Kahaian Fransuhi Kurtjian Yousef Movsessian Massis Ohanesian Anzhela Palyan Terry Peterson Sunny Tashjian Vigen Ter-Avakian Joseph Summer

Rose Tourounjian Carla Ziegler

Diramayr Sirarpi Nalbandian Diramayr Zabel Odabashian

If there are others who are ill and would like us to pray for them, please let us know.



#### CULTURAL COMMITTEE OF ST. JAMES ARMENIAN CHURCH

Invites You to the Presentation by *Gilda Buchakjian-Kupelian* 

Armenian Studies Coordinator of the Department of Youth and Education of the Eastern Diocese of the Armenian Church

#### on ARMENIAN SAYINGS TODAY

focusing on our ethnic folklore that has permeated everyday life spanning generations. The Power Point presentation is enhanced with color illustrations depicting these proverbs executed by graphic artist Linda Ganjian.

This is event partially sponsored by AGBU/Chicago Chapter.

#### OCTAVE OF EASTER - NEW SUNDAY

The Sunday which follows Easter Sunday is called New Sunday because it is the first Sunday after the Resurrection [Easter]. Aside from the Resurrection of Christ, this day also reflects calling of and conversion of the pagans to Christianity; and, the growth and expansion of Christ's Church. Hence, it falls into Church's listing of holy days.

ANALOGICALLY, New Sunday or *Nor Giragi* also reflects the **new** relationship of God's People. The Christian Church had replaced the tribe of Judah as the **new** "Israel". *Israel* means "people of the covenant". The word Israel is **not** a geographical location, but rather the name or reference to a people in a special covenant or relationship with God. With their denial of Christ the Israel of the Old Testament [old covenant] relinquished their role as the "Israel" of God's covenant. The "new" sons of Zion [Arm. *Sioni Vortik*], being the Body of Christ [the Church = Arm. *Eccephetsi* = Grk. *Ecclesia*] is in fact the "new" Israel. Therefore, in its role of Israel, the people of the covenant [Christian Church] are the heirs to or recipients of the promise of salvation through Christ's death and resurrection.

By virtue of its being the eighth day of Easter [octave] and a day similar to Easter it has been called *Grgnazadig* [Easter Repeated].

The Church has wisely chosen the Gospel of John's prologue as its reading for "New Sunday" because it powerfully proclaims Jesus as the Son of God, *the Word* made flesh. Although Jesus took upon Himself full humanity and lived as a man, he never ceased to be the eternal God who has always existed, the Creator and Sustainer of all things, and the source of eternal life. This is the foundation of all truth.

#### CULTURAL COMMITTEE OF ST. JAMES ARMENIAN CHURCH

Invites You

to the Book Presentation and Signing Series

Sunday, May 19, 2013

by *Murad Meneshian*Author of "Raffi: The Prophet from Payajuk"

Copies of the book are available prior the Event. Ask Der Hovhan.



**Sunday, June 3, 2013** 

by *David Luhrssen*Author of ''Mamoulian: Life on Stage and Screen''

Following Divine Liturgy - 12:30 PM

# IN COMMEMORATION OF THE GENOCIDE & IN CELEBRATION OF THE SPIRIT OF SURVIVAL AND VICTORY WITH THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

THE ACYOA AND THE SUNDAY SCHOOL OF ST. JAMES

proudly present

### YOUNG TALENTS Commemorative Concert

Featuring: Talented artists of our community

SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2013 at 12:30 PM

# INVITATION

We invite all young adults and young talented artists to perform in this annual event.

Please submit your name by calling the church office at 847-864-6263 or by e-mail: office@stjamesevanston.org

We encourage all to respond.

Deadline: April 7, 2013

### IN OBSERVANCE OF THE 98th COMMEMORATION OF THE ARMENIAN GENOCIDE

"Orphans of the Genocide" documentary by Bared Maronian

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on PBS
Young Talents Commemorative Concert at St. James
Program with Dr. Peter Balakian at the Illinois Holocaust
Museum (Skokie, IL)
Demonstrate Against Denial!
Protest in front of the Turkish Consulate
360 N. Michigan Avenue (Corner of Michigan & Wacker)
(11:00 am to 1:00 pm)
Solemn Requiem Service at St. Gregory the Illuminator
Armenian Church (Chicago, IL) at 7:30 pm
(See Nshan Hall for flyers)
International Academic Conference at Holocaust Museum
(Skokie, IL)
Theme: The Ottoman Turkish Genocide of Anatolian

Christians: A Common Case Study

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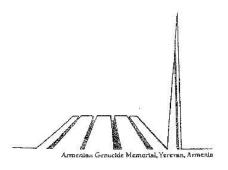


St. Gregory the Illuminator Armenian Church, Chicago St. James Armenian Church, Evanston Saints Joachim and Anne Armenian Church, Palos Heights St. George Armenian Church, Waukegan

Invites you to attend the

98<sup>th</sup> Commemoration of the Armenian Genocide of 1915

Solemn Requiem Service



#### Wednesday, APRIL 24, 2013 7:30 PM

Host Parish

ST. GREGORY THE ILLUMINATOR ARMENIAN CHURCH

6700 West Diversey

Chicago, IL 60707

www.stgregorychicago.org 773-637-1711

Reception to follow immediately afterward

#### PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER

In order for the church office to communicate better with our parishioners in a timely manner, we would appreciate having as many addresses and phone numbers as possible. Please send them to the church office at office@stjamesevanston.org

## Divine Liturgy and Ordinations of Acolytes and Deacons

SUNDAY, May 12, 2013

Officiated by His Eminence Archbishop Khajag Barsamian

Primate of the Eastern Diocese of the Armenian Church of America

Morning Service - 9:00 AM Divine Liturgy - 10:00 AM

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Celebratory Luncheon- 12:30 PM

#### **HOME BLESSING ARRANGMENTS**

All parishioners who wish to have their homes blessed on the occasion of Easter should call Der Hovhan (847) 644-7389 to make arrangements. Have a piece of bread, dish of salt and glass of water available for the blessing.

#### <u> ՏՆՕՐՀՆԷՔ</u>

Անոնք, որոնք կը փափաքին Ս. Ձատիկի առիթով իրենց բնակարանները օրինել տալ. թող բարեհաճին հեռաձայնել Տէր Յովհանին (847) 644-7389:



#### ALTAR GUILD'S WISH LIST

- 1. Candle holders and followers for two side altars (4 of each)
- 2. Banners (1 or 2)
- 3. Jajanch, Radiance (Ostensorium, monstrance) (1 or 2)
- 4. Painting for the main altar (pledged)
- 5. Painting for the left altar (of St. Gregory the Illuminator)
- 6. Painting of St. James of Nisibis
- 7. Curtains to cover the overhead storage areas in the vestry and choir rooms
- 8. Priest's vestments
- 9. Set of a chalice veil and a Sudarium (linen-holder) for the Gospel book



#### OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVICE

St. James has recently created two new ministry initiatives. The first is the Christian Education Committee, the focus of which is to administer, promote, coordinate, and evaluate the parish's spiritual education program for all age groups (from toddlers to senior citizens).

The second is our Cultural Committee, intended to promote and celebrate Armenian culture and history and the contributions of Armenians and American-Armenians to the world community.

If you would like to share your talents and serve on either of these two committees, please contact Der Hovhan at (847) 644-7389 or <a href="mailto:office@stjamesevanston.org">office@stjamesevanston.org</a>.

#### CALL FOR PHOTOS

The Parish is looking for old photos for the website and archive. Anything historical having to do with the Parish, Church Building, Church organizations and events or Armenian community in Evanston. We are also looking for photos of our past pastors. If you can help contact office@stjamesevanston.org or 847-864-6263. Your photos will be scanned and immediately returned.

Help us to celebrate the Parish 70 year Anniversary!

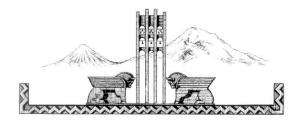
#### CALENDER OF UPCOMING EVENTS AT ST. JAMES

April 13	Spring cleaning day
April 17	Bible Study
April 21	Young Talents Commemorative Concert
April 23	Armenian Language Class
May 12	Primate's visit to St. James. Ordinations. Luncheon
May 19	Instructed Divine Liturgy
May 19	Book presentation
May 26	Women's Guild Day
June 2	Book presentation
June 9	Sunday School end-of-the-year program
June 16	Celebrating Graduates

Armenian Language Class

April 9

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#### SCHOLARSHIPS - SCHOLARSHIPS - SCHOLARSHIPS

#### SMC OFFERS TWO SCHOLARSHIPS

The Sacred Music Council is pleased to offer two scholarships for 2013:

Two \$250.00 scholarships for St. Nersess Seminary Deacons' Training Program; and

One \$500.00 scholarship from the Margaret E. Hagopian Musical Training Scholarship fund.

Ask Der Hayr for more information and the application.

#### ARMENIAN INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Scholarship Awards

AIWA is accepting applications for the 2013 - 2014 academic year. Application dead line April 15, 2013.

(See Nishan Hall bulletin board for details)

#### JOHN AZARIAN MEMORIAL ARMENIAN YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP FUND

is accepting applications for the year 2013 -2014 academic year. Application dead line May 31, 2013.

(See Nishan Hall bulletin board for details)



#### **SCRIPTURE READINGS**

Luke 1:26-28

26In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth, 27to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. And the virgin's name was Mary. 28 And he came to her and said, "Greetings, O favored one, the Lord is with you!"

#### *ՂՈՒԿԱՍ 1:26-28*

26 Վեցերորդ ամսուան մէջ՝ Գաբրիէլ հրեշտակը Աստուծմէ ղրկուեցաւ Գալիլեայի մէկ քաղաքը, որուն անունը Նազարէթ էր, 27 կոյսի մը՝ մարդու մը նշանուած, որուն անունը Յովսէփ էր, Դաւիթի տունէն. այդ կոյսին անունը Մարիամ էր։ 28 Հրեշտակը անոր քով մտնելով՝ ըսաւ. «Ողջո՜յն, շնորհընկալ կոյս, Տէրը քեզի հետ է։ Դուն կիներուն մէջ օրհնեա՜լ ես»։