E-BULLETIN

September 3, 2026

NOTICES AND REMINDERS FOR THE NEXT 10 DAYS

Click here for this Sunday's Worship Missal

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*
Sunday, September 6
⇒ **7:45 a.m.** *Orthros* - **9:15 a.m.** *Divine Liturgy*
⇒ Ministry Expo - Called to Cultivate the Mission
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** GOYA—Kick-Off
Monday, September 7 | LABOR DAY | OFFICE CLOSED
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** *Vespers for the Nativity of the Theotokos*
Tuesday, September 8 | Nativity of the Theotokos
⇒ **8:00 a.m.** *Orthros* - **9:00 a.m.** *Divine Liturgy*
Wednesday, September 9 | Synaxis for Sts. Joachim and Anna
⇒ **8:30 a.m.** *Orthros* - **9:30 a.m.** *Divine Liturgy*
⇒ **5:00 p.m.** Youth "Evening Light" Program
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** *Vespers*
Thursday, September 10
⇒ **9:00 a.m.** *Third Hour and Divine Liturgy*
⇒ **4:00 p.m.** *Paraklesis*
⇒ **5:00 p.m.** Young at Heart meeting with Hagiasmos and Dinner
Saturday, September 12
⇒ **6:00 p.m.** *Vespers*

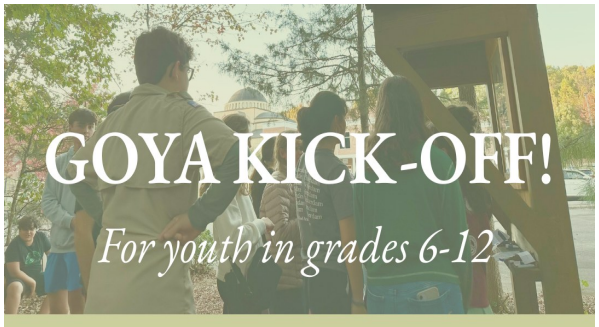
VISITATIONS ~ ***Please contact the church office if someone is in need of a clergy visit or to notify them of health issues.***

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

YOUTH NEWS

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2026



GOYA KICK-OFF!

For youth in grades 6-12

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

6:00PM - 7:30PM

FELLOWSHIP HALL & FIELD

SAINT NEKTARIOS
CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

Young at Heart

To offer a social and supportive group within the parish fostering lasting relationships and in support of our seniors

Please join us for our
September Welcome Back Dinner

Thursday, September 10, 2026
following Paraklesis at 4:00 pm

5:00 pm Agiasmo service in the hall

Followed by wine and cheese gathering and Dinner 5:30 pm
featuring Italian Meat Lasagna
kindly catered by Gary Anderson

Enjoy the live music of Greek & Middle Eastern sounds by Augustino Kizis and musicians from "OPA"

Guests are always welcome!
A $10 donation is suggested for guests
(The board realizes that there are some members who may not be in a position to contribute. Please do not let it keep you from joining. Sponsorships are available. Contact Evelyn Klund at 704-708-4669 for more information.)

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. NICHOLAS LADIES PHILOPTOCHOS SOCIETY

GREEK TAVERNA NIGHT

OCTOBER 10, 2026
7:00 PM

A GREEK NIGHT FILLED WITH *food, dancing & parea*

MUSIC BY PALKO Greek Music Band

$85.00 A TICKET | **$600** FOR A TABLE OF 8 | **$750** FOR A TABLE OF 10

DINNER • DANCING • CASH BAR • SILENT AUCTION

ST. NICHOLAS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
608 S. COLLEGE ROAD, WILMINGTON, NC

Buy tickets at stnicholaswilmington.org

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.

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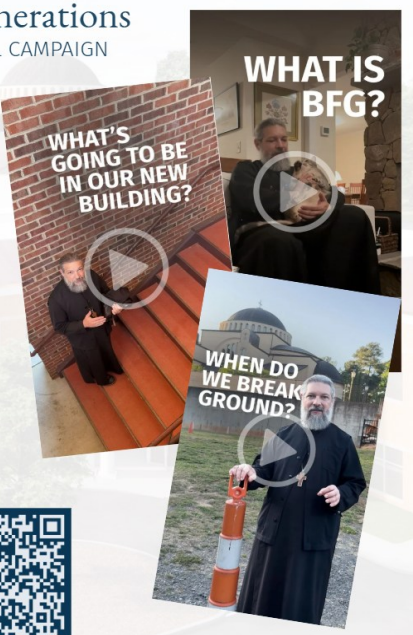
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

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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@stnektarioscharlotte

Building *for* Generations

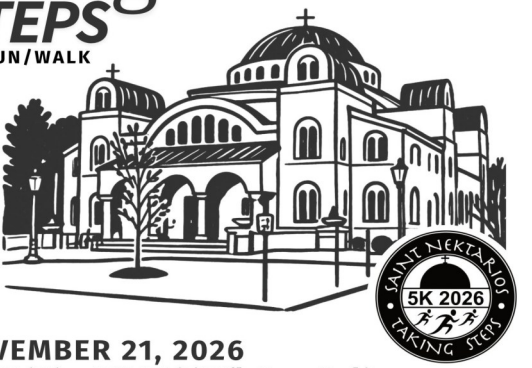
SAVE THE DATE!

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

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@StNektrariostakingsteps5k.com

SAVE THE DATES

YIASOU GREEK FESTIVAL

SEP 11-13 2026

Friday - Saturday: 11am - 10pm • Sunday: 11am - 6pm

600 East Boulevard, Charlotte • YiasouFestival.org

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

SAINT NEKTARIOS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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

SAINT NEKTARIOS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

St. Nektarios
Greek Language School
Σχολείο Ελληνικής Γλώσσας
Αγίου Νεκταρίου

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

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*

Scan to register!

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
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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