

# St. Val's Men's Club

## 2025 Dinner Meetings

### Menu\*

Steak Tips, Chicken

Stuffed Peppers

Bread-Salad-Coffee-Dessert

Cooked in House

Last Tuesday of  
the month  
6:30 PM

### DATES

1/28

2/25

3/25

4/29

5/27

6/24



Join us for fun nights of food and fellowship  
**Over 21 only** and open to all men of the parish and their male friends.  
**Donation \$20**



RSVP : email us at [mensclub@stvasilios.org](mailto:mensclub@stvasilios.org) or call (978) 907-3187

St. Vasilios Educational Center  
5 Paleologos St.  
Peabody, MA 01960

\*Menu subject to change

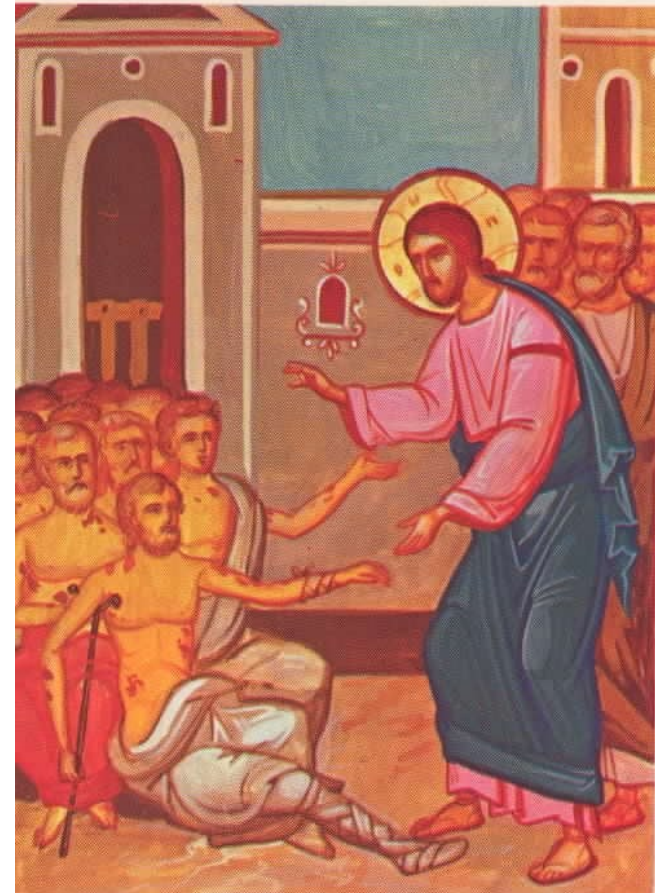
# ST. VASILIOS GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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12th Sunday of Luke

JANUARY 19, 2025

*Hymns Following the Gospel (Small Entrance)*

**Resurrectional Apolytikion in the Plagal First Mode**

Let us worship the Word who is unoriginate \* with the Father and the Spirit, and from a Virgin was born \* for our salvation, O believers, and let us sing His praise. \* For in His goodness He was pleased \* to ascend the Cross in the flesh, and to undergo death, \* and to raise up those who had died, \* by His glorious Resurrection.

Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον Πατρὶ καὶ Πνεύματι, τὸν ἐκ Παρθένου τεχθέντα εἰς σωτηρίαν ἡμῶν, ἀνυμνήσωμεν πιστοὶ καὶ προσκυνήσωμεν, ὅτι ἠδύοκῃσε σαρκί, ἀνελθεῖν ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ, καὶ θάνατον ὑπομεῖναι, καὶ ἐγεῖραι τοὺς τεθνεῶτας, ἐν τῇ ἐνδόξῳ Ἀναστάσει αὐτοῦ.

**Apolytikion for Macarius the Great of Egypt in the First Mode**

Thou didst prove to be a citizen of the desert, an angel in the flesh, and a wonderworker, O Macarius, our God-bearing Father. By fasting, vigil, and prayer thou didst obtain heavenly gifts, and thou healest the sick and the souls of them that have recourse to thee with faith. Glory to Him that hath given thee strength. Glory to Him that hath crowned thee. Glory to Him that worketh healings for all through thee.

Τῆς ἐρήμου πολίτης, καὶ ἐν σώματι Ἄγγελος, καὶ θαυματουργὸς ἀνεδείχθης, θεοφόρε Πατὴρ ἡμῶν Μακάριε, νηστεία, ἀγρυπνία, προσευχή, οὐράνια χαρίσματα λαβὼν, θεραπείεις τοὺς νοσοῦντας, καὶ τὰς ψυχὰς τῶν πίστει προστρέχόντων σοι, Δόξα τῷ δεδωκότι σοι ἰσχύν, δόξα τῷ σέ στεφανώσαντι, δόξα τῷ ἐνεργούντι διὰ σοῦ πάσιν ἰάματα.

**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 πάσαν τὴν γῆν ἐξήλθεν ὁ φθόγγος σου, ὡς δεξαμένην τοῦ λογον σου, Δι' οὗ θεοπρεπῶς ἐδογματίσας, Τὴν φύσιν τῶν ὄντων ἐτράνωσας. Τὰ τῶν ἀνθρώπων ἦθη κατεκόμισήσας, Βασιλεῖον ἱεράτευμα Πάτερ ὅσιε Χριστόν τόν Θεόν ἰκέτευε δωρήσασθαι ἡμῖν τό Μέγα ἔλεος

**Seasonal Kontakion in the First Mode**

Your birth sanctified a Virgin's womb and properly blessed the hands of Symeon. Having now come and saved us O Christ our God, give peace to Your commonwealth in troubled times and strengthen those in authority, whom You love, as only the loving One.

Ὁ μήτραν παρθενικὴν ἀγίαςας τῷ τόκῳ σου, καὶ χεῖρας τοῦ Συμεὼν εὐλόγησας ὡς ἔπρεπε, προφθάσας καὶ νῦν ἔσωσας ἡμᾶς Χριστέ ὁ Θεός. Ἄλλ' εἰρήνευσον ἐν πολέμοις τὸ πολίτευμα, καὶ κραταίωσον Βασιλεῖς οὓς ἠγάπησας, ὁ μόνος φιλόνητος.





**THE SATURDAY OF SOULS**

**The Saturday of Souls**, on which our departed loved ones are commemorated in the prayers of the church, will be celebrated this year on February 22, March 1, & March 8. Orthros & Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 8 and 9 a.m. respectively.

**Ψυχασάββατα:**

Φέρομεν εἰς γνώσιν ὑμῶν ὅτι ἐφέτος τα Ψυχασάββατα θα εἶναι στις 22 Φεβρουαρίου, 1 Μαρτίου, καὶ 7 Μαρτίου. Στὸ κάθε Ψυχασάββατο θα τελέσωμε Ὅρθρον στὰς 8 π.μ. καὶ Θεία Λειτουργία στὰς 9·00 π.μ.

  ὙΠΕΡ ἈΝΑΠΑΥΣΕΩΣ FOR THE REPOSE OF THOSE FALLEN ASLEEP	
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**Please Note:** In order to avoid commemorating duplicate names, we will be discarding the lists of names submitted after each service.

## IN HONOR OF VETERANS DAY IN NOVEMBER

The following items are needed by homeless veterans who hope to transition into their own home. Any donations would be appreciated. Please drop off all donated items at the church office. Monetary donations or gift cards to home goods stores/grocery stores are welcomed. Checks are made payable to Metropolis of Boston Philoptochos. Any questions, contact Maria Collins at 978-531-6832 or [mncol-lins35@yahoo.com](mailto:mncol-lins35@yahoo.com).

### **Homeless Veterans Wishlist – All New - No Used Items Please**

Cooking Utensils & Containers	Bars Soap (4 pack)
Sets of Pots and Pans	Liquid Hand Soap
Sets of Silverware (for 4)	Toothpaste
Sets of Dishes (for 4)	Toilet Paper (4 pack)
Tea Kettle	Bathroom Linens/Bath Towels
Coffee Maker	Shower Curtain and Rings
Small Toaster	Shower Mat
Coffee Mugs	Toilet Brush/Holder
Oven Mitts/Dish Towels	Sponges
Dish Soap	Laundry Detergent
Broom/Dustpan/Mop	Bed Pillows/Blankets/Comforters
Manual Can Opener	Queen Bed Sheets/Comforters
Wood Cutting Boards	Alarm Clock
Toaster Oven	Wall Clock/Batteries
Water Pitcher/Filter	First Aid Kit
Kitchen Trash Barrel	Table Lamp/Bulbs
Trash Bags	Personal Thermometer
Paper Towels (4 pack)	Ironing Board & Cover

## EPISTLE READING

*Prokeimenon. Plagal First Mode. Psalm 11.7,1.*

*You, O Lord, shall keep us and preserve us.*

*Verse: Save me, O Lord, for the godly man has failed.*

### **The reading is from St. Paul's Letter to the Colossians 3:4-11.**

Brethren, when Christ who is our life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory. Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. On account of these the wrath of God is coming upon the sons of disobedience. In these you once walked, when you lived in them. But now put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and foul talk from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old nature with its practices and have put on the new nature, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator. Here there cannot be Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free man, but Christ is all, and in all.

*Προκείμενον. Πλαγὰ Πρώτη Μόδα. ΨΑΛΜΟΙ 11.7,1.*

*Σὺ Κύριε, φυλάξαις ἡμᾶς καὶ διατηρήσαις ἡμᾶς.*

*Στίχ. Σῶσον με, Κύριε, ὅτι ἐκέλειπεν ὁσῖος.*

### **τὸ Ἀνάγνωσμα Πρὸς Κολοσσαεῖς 3:4-11.**

Ἀδελφοί, ὅταν ὁ Χριστὸς φανερωθῇ, ἡ ζωὴ ἡμῶν, τότε καὶ ὑμεῖς σὺν αὐτῷ φανερωθήσεσθε ἐν δόξῃ. Νεκρώσατε οὖν τὰ μέλη ὑμῶν τὰ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, πορνείαν, ἀκαθαρσίαν, πάθος, ἐπιθυμίαν κακὴν, καὶ τὴν πλεονεξίαν, ἣτις ἐστὶν εἰδωλολατρεία, δι' ἣ ἔρχεται ἡ ὀργὴ τοῦ θεοῦ ἐπὶ τοὺς υἱοὺς τῆς ἀπειθείας· Ἐν οἷς καὶ ὑμεῖς περιεπατήσατέ ποτε, ὅτε ἐζήτε ἐν αὐτοῖς. Νυνὶ δὲ ἀπόθεσθε καὶ ὑμεῖς τὰ πάντα, ὀργὴν, θυμὸν, κακίαν, βλασφημίαν, αἰσχρολογίαν ἐκ τοῦ στόματος ὑμῶν· μὴ ψεύδεσθε εἰς ἀλλήλους, ἀπεκδυσάμενοι τὸν παλαιὸν ἄνθρωπον σὺν ταῖς πράξεσιν αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἐνδυσάμενοι τὸν νέον, τὸν ἀνακαινούμενον εἰς ἐπίγνωσιν κατ' εἰκόνα τοῦ κτίσαντος αὐτόν· ὅπου οὐκ ἐνὶ Ἑλλήν καὶ Ἰουδαῖος, περιτομὴ καὶ ἀκροβυστία, βάρβαρος, Σκύθης, δοῦλος, ἐλεύθερος· ἀλλὰ τὰ πάντα καὶ ἐν πᾶσιν Χριστός.





## GOSPEL READING

### 12th Sunday of Luke

#### The Reading is from Luke 17:12-19

At that time, as Jesus entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance and lifted up their voices and said: "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." When he saw them he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; and he fell on his face at Jesus's feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. Then said Jesus: "Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" And he said to him: "Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

### Κατὰ Λουκᾶν 17:12-19

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, εισερχομένου αὐτοῦ εἰς τινα κώμην ἀπήντησαν αὐτῷ δέκα λεπροὶ ἄνδρες, οἱ ἕστησαν πόρρωθεν, καὶ αὐτοὶ ἤραν φωνὴν λέγοντες· Ἰησοῦ ἐπιστάτα, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. καὶ ἰδὼν εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· πορευθέντες ἐπιδείξατε ἑαυτοὺς τοῖς ἱερεῦσι. καὶ ἐγένετο ἐν τῷ ὑπάγειν αὐτοὺς ἐκαθαρίσθησαν. εἷς δὲ ἐξ αὐτῶν, ἰδὼν ὅτι ἰάθη, ὑπέστρεψε μετὰ φωνῆς μεγάλης δοξάζων τὸν Θεόν, καὶ ἔπεσεν ἐπὶ πρόσωπον παρὰ τοὺς πόδας αὐτοῦ εὐχαριστῶν αὐτῷ· καὶ αὐτὸς ἦν Σαμαρεΐτης. ἀποκριθεὶς δὲ ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπεν· οὐχὶ οἱ δέκα ἐκαθαρίσθησαν; οἱ δὲ ἑννέα ποῦ; οὐχ εὐρέθησαν ὑποστρέψαντες δοῦναι δόξαν τῷ Θεῷ εἰ μὴ ὁ ἄλλογενὴς οὗτος; καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ· ἀναστὰς πορεύου· ἡ πίστις σου σέσωκέ σε.



### 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 willy to accommodate parishioners.

If you are interested call Niki at 978-578-7292.

## APOKREATIKO GLENDI

# ST. VASILIOS GREEK SCHOOL INVITES YOU TO OUR



## Αποκριάτικο Γλέντι

**MEZEDAKIA & MUSIC  
SATURDAY, MARCH 1ST**

**Andrew J. Demotses Educational Center  
STARTS AT 7PM • 10\$ CHILDREN • \$30 ADULTS  
FOR RESERVATIONS CALL 978.902.3133 OR EMAIL  
GREEKSCHOOL@STVASILIOS.ORG**

All proceeds to benefit our Greek School

## *Answer the Call to Leadership:*

Saint Vasilios is seeking a dedicated and enthusiastic leader to serve as the Chair of the Stewardship Committee. In this vital role, you will guide the committee's efforts to inspire, organize, and promote stewardship within our parish, fostering a deeper commitment to the sharing of our time, talent, and treasure.

This is a meaningful opportunity to make a lasting impact on our community while strengthening our shared faith and mission. If you feel called to serve or would like more information, **please contact Parish Council President Dionisios Pissios at 978-531-0777.**

Your leadership can help shape the future of our parish—consider answering this important call today!

## *PHILOPTOCHOS MEETINGS*

Sunday 1/19/25 – Philoptochos [Meeting \(Sunday School classroom\)](#)  
Sunday 2/2/25 – Philoptochos Women's Heart Health Sunday  
Sunday 2/16/25 – Philoptochos Meeting (Sunday School classroom)

Learn more about us, join our group, and grow with us!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

## **WEEKDAY SERVICES**

## **ΚΑΘΗΜΕΡΙΝΕΣ ΙΕΡΕΣ ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΕΣ**

Τετάρτη, 29η Ιανουαρίου  
**Τρεις Ιεράρχες**  
Ἑσπερινή Λειτουργία 6:00 μ.μ.

**Feast of the Three Hierarchs  
Vespertal Liturgy**  
Wednesday, January 29 @ 6:00 p.m.

Σάββατο, 22 Φεβρουαρίου  
**Ψυχосσαβατο**  
9 πμ Orthros  
10 πμ Θεία Λειτουργία

Saturday, February 22  
**1st Saturday of Souls**  
8 am Orthros  
9 am Divine Liturgy

## *ALTAR DONATIONS*

### **LITURGY LIGHTS**

In loving memory of Michael C. Lignos.

### **VIGIL LIGHTS**

In loving memory of James & Dora Maravelias.

## *TODAY'S MEMORIALS*

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

**Eugenia Vassalos 40 day Memorial**  
**Estelle Revelotis 1 yr Memorial**  
**Antonios Antoniou 9 yr Memorial**

**Nikolaos Korkaris 2 yr Trisagion**

## *COMMUNION*

Communion in the Orthodox Church is for Baptized and Chrismated Orthodox Christians in good sacramental standing.

We ask that you allow families with young children and kids to come receive before the adults enter the communion line.

Please exit into the side aisles and enter the Communion line from the central aisle at the back of the church.

## *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.

## *COFFEE HOUR*

Today's coffee hour is sponsored by the Antoniou family in loving memory of Alexandra & Antonios Antoniou.



YOU ARE INVITED



THE WHOLE CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO  
**PRESERVING TRADITION  
SECURING OUR FUTURE**

The final phase of the  
Parish Advancement Campaign  
opens the fundraising to our community.  
Come, see, and help us grow our future.

2025

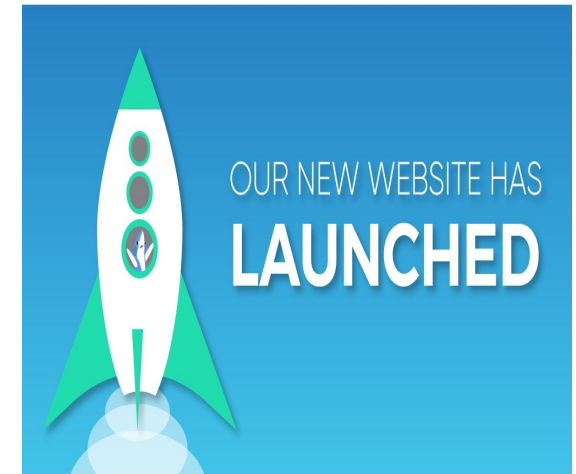
THURSDAY | **6** | FEBRUARY

6:30 - 8:30 pm

REV. ANDREW DEMOTSES EDUCATIONAL CENTER  
SAVORY HORS D'OEUVRES, GREEK WINE & BEER  
MUSIC BY CHRISTINA BRAY  
NO COST TO ATTEND OR RAFFLES

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RSVP TO PAC @ [STVASILIOS.ORG](http://STVASILIOS.ORG)  
WITH NAME & NO. ATTENDING

NEW PARISH ADVANCEMENT CAMPAIGN (PAC) WEBSITE



We are pleased to announce the launch of [givetostvasilios.org](http://givetostvasilios.org), the official website for the St. Vasilios Parish Advancement Campaign! Visit the site to discover our mission, explore the transformative plans for our parish, and learn how you can play a vital role in this journey. Together, let's build a thriving future for our community!

Parish Advancement Campaign and Ongoing Church Construction Questions?

Reach out to PAC Co-Chairs Christine Hasiotis Martins and Spero Venios or Construction and Renovation Co-Chairs Michael Zolotas and Christopher Vlachos here: [PAC@stvasilios.org](mailto:PAC@stvasilios.org). Any member of the team would love to answer your questions and give you a tour of the exciting changes in progress!