

Sunday, November 14, 2021  
**Holy Trinity Armenian Church of Greater Boston**

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**Guest Celebrant: Rev. Father Mampre Kouzouian**

## **SUNDAY BULLETIN**



### **May God Bless Our Veterans**

Today is a time to remember and honor our veterans.

We invite you to light a candle to honor those  
who have served our country and defended freedom.  
Let us pray for and honor those who have served in the past  
and those who defend us today.

*Candles are available in the Vestibule.*

## **From Today's Bible Reading**

**Luke 9:44-50** The disciples argue about who among them would be the greatest (even though they have just heard their beloved Lord predict His betrayal!). Jesus derails their debate by bringing a child to His side, challenging them to welcome such little ones and others who are “least” in the world’s eyes. The theme of welcoming extends to the man driving out demons (9: 49-50) for whom he also asks a generosity of heart. *Reflection: In verse 46, how do you think the disciples are gauging greatness? How do you? How does Jesus? (9:48)*

**Philippians 1:1-11** All the more poignant as he is writing from prison in Rome, St. Paul joyfully remembers the Philippians and thinks of them as his fellow travelers (“your partnership in the gospel from the first”), sharing in God’s grace. Their faith is so admirable that Paul foresees God continuing to work in their lives, bringing it to “completion” at the end of time. He prays that their love lead them to ever greater knowledge and insight. *Reflection: How is God at work in a believer’s life (1:6, 9-11)? How might knowing this make you feel about uncertainties in your life?*

**Isaiah 25: 9-26:7** These verses begin with an oracle against Moab, a neighbor of Judea, and end, in Chapter 26, with a beautiful psalm-like prayer of trust in God. *Reflection: “The path of the righteous is level...You make the way of the righteous smooth.” (26:7) Hmmm...We know that God never promises an easy, untroubled life. So what do you think is meant here? How indeed can your life, in Christ, be smooth and level?*

## **November 20 is Feast of All Saints**

Despite the many feast days on the Church calendar that honor specific saints, there are many who remain unknown and nameless and yet lived a holy life just as devoted to Jesus Christ as the saints whom we know and remember. While the Church has recognized some saints by name, she also proclaims that others may be resting in Christ and praying for us; these are remembered on the Feast of All Saints. We are indeed surrounded by a great ‘cloud of witnesses’ (Hebrews 12:1) who cheer us on to live a holy and saintly life. All of these, the known and the unknown, have shaped the Church - the Body of Christ - and modeled what it looks like to be Christian. As Christians, we are called to be more than just inspired by them, but to emulate their very lives and actions. *Reflection/activity: Find a saint from the Diocesan calendar whom you know nothing about. Look them up online and reflect prayerfully on how they exemplify a life centered in Christ.*

## **Readings of the Day:**

Is. 25:9-26:7. Phil. 1:1-11. Lk. 9:44-50.

Today's Bible reading is from the Gospel of Jesus Christ according to St. Luke, chapter 17, vs. 11-19 [page 657] and will be read by Kaspar Torosian.

## **November 14, 2021 Hokehankisd**

*We have all been asked to pray during the Divine Liturgy for the souls of:*

- **Dikran Arpiarian, 1st Anniversary:** Requested by Therese Arpiarian for husband; Simon & Felicia Arpiarian and William and Edward, Andreas & Sara Arpiarian and Isla, Armine Sarges, Nishan & Carolyn Dagley and Family, Susan Berberian, Becky & Robert Megerdichian, Greg & Julie Megerdichian, Eddie Megerdichian & Jason LaCertosa, Sona Dagley for father, grandfather, brother and cousin.
- **Narine van Hal (née Tombulyan), 1st Anniversary:** Requested by Nonna Tilke and Family for wife, mother, daughter, sister and aunt.
- **Kalouds Mahdasian, 3rd Anniversary:** Requested by Sossy Mahdasian and Family for husband, father and grandfather.
- **All Deceased Veterans from our Parish**
- **Vartanoosh Harpootian:** From the Trust Fund established by Rosalie Harpootian for mother.

### **ALTAR FLOWERS AND CANDLES**

Today's Altar flowers and candles are donated for the glory of God and the edification of our Altar from the Trust Fund established by Sooren and Mary Daniels in memory of George, Takoohi, Vahan, Sooren & Mary Daniels on the occasion of Veterans' Day.



# **Prayer Requests**

Your prayers are requested to have mercy on our countrymen in Artsakh, to strengthen them in defense of their homeland, and to grant consolation to the suffering and grieving.

Your prayers are also requested for **Nishan Tikijian and Ara Hollisian**;  
and for the good health of all those who suffer from illness in their own private way;  
and for those who mourn the loss of loved ones.

*\*Der Vasken offers a weekly Hokehankisd Service.\**

*\*Please note that if you would like Der Vasken to offer your prayer request during his silent prayers at the celebration of the Divine Liturgy, please fill out the Prayer Request cards that have been removed from the pews when the pandemic restrictions began, and are located on the table in the Narthex (the Church Sanctuary lobby).\**

*Please contact the church office with any questions.*

***\*Requests submitted after 11:30 am on Thursday will not be printed in the Sunday Bulletin but will be read from the altar by Der Vasken.***

***Please alert a Parish Council member on Sunday if you requested a Hokehankisd after 11:30 am on Thursday to ensure Der Vasken has the name of your loved one.\****

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## **OUR VETERANS**

In honor of Veterans' Day, we wish to thank our veterans and express our gratitude to them as well as all veterans for their service to our country.

Margaret Atamian; Richard Diranian; George W. Haroutunian; Dr. Parnag H. Kasarjian;  
Lt. Col. Robert Lang, Jr.; John Marsoobian; Bruce Newell; Richard O'Reilly;  
Gregory Tashjian; Carmelo Terazzi; Albert Zouranjian.

*\*A special remembrance for the late Albert Oskoian, U.S. Air Force, World War II.  
We salute your life and will honor you in memories great and small\**

## **REMEMBERING OUR DECEASED VETERANS DURING REQUIEM SERVICE**

Through the initiative of Albert Oskoian, a list has been put together of deceased veterans from our parish. If you have a deceased loved one who was a veteran or know of a deceased veteran from our parish that is not included, please call the Church Office and we will include him or her in our remembrance next year.

<b>Gerald Ajemian</b>	<b>John Kolligian</b>
<b>Mary Hagopian Albertassi</b>	<b>Ralph Koumjian</b>
<b>John Annaian</b>	<b>Joseph Lousararian</b>
<b>Edward Antriasian</b>	<b>Henry A. Malkasian, Esq.</b>
<b>Arthur Avakian</b>	<b>Arthur Maranian, Sr.</b>
<b>Gerald Boghosian</b>	<b>Kenneth Minasian</b>
<b>Menas Boghosian</b>	<b>Samuel O. Minassian</b>
<b>Sarkis Boghosian, Jr.</b>	<b>Richard Mouradjian</b>
<b>William Cirino</b>	<b>Peter Movsesian</b>
<b>Vahe Dadourian</b>	<b>Charles Nahabedian</b>
<b>Hiram G. Diranian</b>	<b>Rocky Nigohosian</b>
<b>Daniel K. Dorian, Sr.</b>	<b>Norair Odabashian</b>
<b>George Garoian</b>	<b>Albert Oskoian</b>
<b>Baldazar Goolkasian</b>	<b>George H. Oskoian</b>
<b>Norman Guleserian</b>	<b>Peter Oskoian</b>
<b>Ira Habeshian</b>	<b>Stephen Panosian</b>
<b>Aram D. Hagopian</b>	<b>Eugene Raphaelian</b>
<b>Harry Hagopian</b>	<b>Peter Sahag Sahagian</b>
<b>Nerses (Ned) Haroutunian</b>	<b>Harpartzoom Sarkisian</b>
<b>Ara Hedison</b>	<b>Haig Soukiasian</b>
<b>Haig Hedison</b>	<b>Thomas Stephanian</b>
<b>Ralph Hedison</b>	<b>Albert Talanian</b>
<b>Hrosch C. Hollisian</b>	<b>Aetna Tashjian</b>
<b>Levoun G. Hollisian</b>	<b>George Thomasian</b>
<b>Haig Jamgochian</b>	<b>Nishan James Tikijian</b>
<b>John Jamgochian</b>	<b>Sarkis Toomajian</b>
<b>Deran Jeranian</b>	<b>General Vahan Vartanian</b>
<b>Martin Kalustian</b>	<b>Mardiros Yacubian</b>
<b>Harry Kaprelian</b>	<b>Diran A. Zahigian</b>
<b>Sarop Kaprielian</b>	<b>Major Robert Z. Zartarian</b>
<b>Richard "Dick" Martin Kazanjian</b>	<b>General Sarkis Zartarian</b>
<b>Dr. Nishan Kechejian</b>	<b>Lt. Sarkis Zartarian, Jr.</b>
<b>Gregory A. Kolligian, Sr.</b>	<b>Richard Zeytoonjian</b>
<b>Jack Kolligian</b>	



# Volunteers needed!

## TRINITY BAZAAR MARATHON BAKING SESSIONS

*A chance to volunteer, learn, and spend time in fellowship*

*No experience required*

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2021

In the Church kitchen and halls

*Due to COVID-19 restrictions, there will be two sessions:*

**Session 1: 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm**

**Session 2: 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm**

**NOTE:** Masks covering the nose and mouth must be worn at all times. Gloves must also be worn when handling food and will be provided. Social distancing will be maintained at all times.



**RSVP to:** Cathy Minassian at

[cminassian@hotmail.com](mailto:cminassian@hotmail.com)

or 617.947.1795 (cell)

*and indicate which session you will attend*



The ACYOA of Holy Trinity Armenian Church invite you to their annual



# Thanksgiving LUNCHEON

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2021**

Immediately following church services  
Charles and Nevart Talanian Cultural Hall

**ADULTS \$16 | Children under 12 & ACYOA Juniors \$10**

Please reserve online at [tiny.cc/acyoathanksgiving2021](https://tiny.cc/acyoathanksgiving2021) or  
fill out and return form with payment payable to "Holy Trinity ACYOA Seniors"  
Tables of 6-8 reserved with full payment. Table maximum is 8\*

**ADVANCED PAID RESERVATIONS REQUIRED—NO WALK-INS WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**Reservation deadline is 5 p.m. on Monday, November 15, 2021**

#### LUNCHEON SAFETY MEASURES

In compliance with an emergency order issued by the City of Cambridge, all attendees at the Thanksgiving Luncheon **must wear face masks** covering the nose and mouth **at all times while standing and while seated, except when eating or drinking.**

We thank our guests for helping to keep our community safe by abiding by these safety measures.

\*To allow for social distancing, we have set a **reduced capacity in the hall**. Reserve early to avoid disappointment.

10% of proceeds will benefit



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*Timeless Classics:  
A Tribute in  
Memory Of  
Gerald Boghosian*

and all those we lost during  
the Covid-19 Pandemic

Please join us for a reception  
following church services at 12:00



1:00 pm  
Sunday,  
November 28, 2021  
Church Sanctuary

*Performers*

Victoria Avetisyan  
mezzo-soprano

Yeghishe Manucharyan  
tenor

Cheryl Bishkoff  
oboe

Nune Hakobyan  
piano & organ

Sargis Karapetyan & friends  
String Quartet





# 2021 Holy Trinity "Grab & Go" Christmas Bazaar

**Saturday, December 4**

Pick up time: 12pm- 3pm & 4pm- 6pm

**Sunday, December 5**

Pick up time: 12pm- 3:30pm  
(orders cannot be picked up while church is in session)

[www.TrinityChristmasBazaar.org](http://www.TrinityChristmasBazaar.org)



Orders can also be placed by phone with a credit card by calling the church office at (617) 354-0632

## **Pre-order, Pre-pay, Pick-up**

Online ordering begins: **October 25th**

Shop all your favorite bazaar booths until: **November 29th at midnight**

## **Armenian Food**

Lamb Shish Kebab • Losh Kebab • Chicken Kebab • Eetch Platter

## **Virtual Booths**

Pastry Booth • Gourmet Booth • Country Store • Wreaths • Armenian Wines



# Holy Trinity's 2021 Christmas Bazaar Sponsorship Opportunities

Please help support our annual Trinity Christmas Bazaar by becoming a sponsor.

**Bazaar Meals - \$1,000**

Goal \$10,000

**The Gourmet Booth - \$1,000**

Goal \$10,000

**Pastry Booth - \$500**

Goal \$8,000

**Printing Postage & Ads - \$500**

Goal \$3,000

**In Memory Of / General Donation**

The 2021 Bazaar will take place on the weekend of December 4th

**General donations** are also welcome with much appreciation

Thank you for helping to make this year's bazaar a success!

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If you would like to be a sponsor of the  
2021 Holy Trinity Annual Christmas Bazaar:

Please make checks payable to Holy Trinity Armenian Church

To pay by credit card please call the church office at 617-354-0632

## **Fellowship Hour is Back!**

You are all welcome to join us in the Charles & Nevart Talanian Cultural Hall following Church Services for Fellowship Hour hosted by the ACYOA.

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Throughout the day, life hands us questions for which we seek answers. Each month, we discuss one of these life questions through the lens of our Christian Faith.

Below are the topics for this year. We warmly welcome you to join our ongoing conversation.

**October 6, 2021**

Imagine a world  
without love

**February 2, 2022**

Celebrate Human Rights  
Everyday

**November 3, 2021**

Prayer is like a knock on  
the door

**March 2, 2022**

Is Life Unfair?

**December 8, 2021\***

How Can We Experience  
God's Guidance?

\*Second Wednesday

**April 6, 2022**

The Chalice of: Life, Hope of  
Resurrection, & Forgiveness . . .

**January 12, 2022\***

The Seed That Bears Fruit

\*Second Wednesday

**May 4, 2022**

Even In the Hills & Valleys  
. . . We Are Not Alone

## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Morning Service - 9:15 a.m.

Divine Liturgy - 10 a.m.

Services conclude - 12 Noon.

We urge our faithful to attend Church Services on time.

## **HOLY TRINITY CALENDAR**

<b>Wed, Nov 17</b>	<b>Bazaar Marathon Baking Night;</b> Church Kitchen, Session 1: 2pm-5pm and Session 2: 6pm-9pm
<b>Sun, Nov 21</b>	<b>ACYOA Thanksgiving Luncheon;</b> Charles & Nevart Talanian Cultural Hall, following church services
<b>Thu, Nov 25</b>	<b>Office Closed- Happy Thanksgiving</b>
<b>Sun, Nov 28</b>	<b>Timeless Classics Concert</b>
<b>Sat, Dec 4 &amp; Sun, Dec 5</b>	<b>Holy Trinity Grab &amp; Go Christmas Bazaar</b>

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**The City of Cambridge has issued an emergency order requiring that face masks or coverings be worn in indoor public places - this includes Houses of Worship.**

***The order took effect at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, September 3, 2021. Holy Trinity Church and its members and friends will be required to abide by these new safety measures.***

**Masks will be required  
in the sanctuary and in all church complex buildings.**

***When attending services in-person, please remember:***

- Safety measures that will continue**
- Pews will remain taped off to support distancing**
- Masks will be made available if you need one**
- Our cleaning protocols will remain in place**
- Hand sanitizer will continue to be made available at the entrance of church and at the side altars**
- Kiss of Peace will be conducted by bowing the head toward others without approaching or touching on another**
- Confession will be done in place at your pew**
- Holy Communion will continue to be distributed using safe practices**