

ST. ELIAS THE PROPHET CHURCH BULLETIN

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Epistle Reading

St. Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians 6:16-18; 7:1

BRETHREN, you are the temple of the living God; as God said, "I will live in them and move among them, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. Therefore come out from them, and be separate from them, says the Lord, and touch nothing unclean; then I will welcome you, and I will be a father to you, and you shall be my sons and daughters, says the Lord Almighty."

Since we have these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from every defilement of body and spirit, and make holiness perfect in the fear of God.

Gospel Reading

Luke 6:31-36 2nd Sunday of Luke

The Lord said, "And as you wish that men would do to you, do so to them. If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the selfish. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful."

Resurrectional Apolytikion - Tone 8 (Page 54)

From on high You descended, O merciful One, and accepted the three-day burial to free us from our passions. Glory to You, O Lord, our life and resurrection.

Church Apolytikion

The incarnate Angel and the Prophets' summit and boast, the second fore-runner of the coming of Christ, Elias, the glorious, from above he has sent down his grace upon Elisha; he doth cast out sickness and also doth cleanse the lepers; and unto all that honor him, streams of cures he poureth forth.

Kontakion

O Protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, mediation unto the creator most constant: O despise not the voices of those who have sinned; but be quick, O good one, to come unto our aid, who in faith cry unto thee: Hasten to intercession and speed thou to make supplication, O thou who dost ever protect, O Theotokos, them that honor thee.

PARISH NEWS

New Mexico and Southwest Premiere of Greek Movie, "Without Borders"

On Friday, **October 5th**, at the New Mexico History Museum Auditorium, the Santa Fe Film Festival in collaboration with the New Mexico Film Office and Plaza Cafe Southside restaurant will present a special Southwest premiere of production, **Without Borders**. The screening will be with the filmmakers "mixer" complete Mexican appetizers wine and beer. Based **Without Borders** was Mexico as well as in



screening and the Greek movie **Borders**. The followed by a Q&A & cast, as well as a with Greek and and drinks, including on true events, filmed partly in New Athens and Chicago. The movie offers a *humanistic*, nonpolitical and outside (i.e., Greek) perspective on the US/Mexican border issue and adds value as a unique cultural education opportunity for the State. Since space is limited, **tickets (only \$30 each)** are being sold on a first-

come, first-served basis. Tickets may be purchased at the **Plaza Cafe Southside or at Constellation Home Electronics in Santa Fe.**

"Thanasis, a good-hearted cotton candy vendor from Athens, has been caring for little Melissa since she was a baby when her mother, an immigrant prostitute, thought it best to leave the girl behind while seeking fortune in America. Her unexpected appearance five years later has traumatic consequences when she takes her child away from Thanasis and leaves. Thanasis, suddenly alone, misses the child who was like a daughter to him and a comfort in his old age. Thanasis decides to travel to America in the hope of seeing her again. He does not have a visa. He does not speak English. He does not have much money. He does not know how to drive a car, and he has never been on an airplane. But he does have a distant cousin, Plato, a professional gambler, living in Las Vegas, who has offered to help him cross the border. Thanasis never suspects that Plato might have a scheme of his own. A road movie begins as the two disparate cousins from Greece embark on a cross- country adventure to win the smile of a little girl..." The cast includes Yiorgo Yoyagis, a famous actor in Greece, who plays the lead character "Thanasis." As a young man, Yoyagis played a defining role in the classic movie *Zorba the Greek* (he was the young man who committed suicide in the film leading his father to take revenge on the attractive widow character played by Irene Papas). Other actors in *Without Borders* include Academy Award nominee Seymour Cassel.

Directory of St. Elias the Prophet

We are planning to make a new Directory (2012-2013) of our Church. Please return your paper with your correct information so that we can update our Church directory.

2012 St. Elias Parish Directory Information

If you would like to be included in the new parish directory, please complete the following and place in the offering tray:

Surname

First name(s) (single or husband's and wife's first names -- please indicate H or W)

Names of children residing with you

Address

Phone (please indicate if this is a cell number or land line)

Email address

DEADLINE: December 2, 2012



Christmas Baking

For our
Annual Christmas Bake Sale
we need contributions of the following:

Shelled Walnuts

Unsalted butter

Honey

Filo

Postage stamps

Envelopes

Please see Nia Parry for details or telephone her at 424-1402.



Need a Fall break from same old,
same old dining?

Leonardo Razatos is sponsoring
Greek Night

at his restaurant Plaza Café South
(facing the Regal Stadium 14 Cinema
Complex)

Tuesday, October 2 from 5:00 p.m.
to 9:00 p.m.

join us for a delicious Greek Menu,
Greek Music and the infectious

joie de vivre of all things Greek!

A portion of the proceeds will support
Saint Elias the Prophet Greek Orthodox Church.

Thank you!!!

We would like to thank Ignatios and Anna Patsalis for letting
us use their property for our annual rummage sale yesterday.
Also to everyone who came and participated and made it a
wonderful event.

SERVICES AND INFORMATION

This Week's Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, 30 September prosforo and coffee hour Mac Ennis
Orthros 9:00am Divine Liturgy 10:00am

Tuesday, 2 October Greek night at Plaza Cafe Southside
5:00pm - 9:00pm

Friday, 5 October St. George Greek Festival , Albuquerque,
NM. 11:00am-11:00pm

Greek film "Without Borders" at the New Mexico History
Museum Auditorium. 6:00pm

Saturday 6 October St. George Greek Festival Albuquerque,
NM. 11:00am- 11:00pm

Sunday, 7 October prosforo Fr. Dimitri Pappas and coffee
hour Peter Komis

Orthros 9:00am Divine Liturgy 10:00am

St. George Greek Festival, Albuquerque, NM. 11:00am -
5:00pm

Sunday, 14 October prosforo Fr. Dimitri and coffee hour
Helen Skinas

Orthros 9:00am Divine Liturgy 10:00am

Sunday, 21 October prosforo Mary Santikos and coffee hour
Paul and Susan Proestos

Orthros 9:00am Divine Liturgy 10:00am

Sunday, 28 October prosforo and coffee hour Niki
Constantaras

Orthros 9:00am Divine Liturgy 10:00am