

# ST. ELIAS THE PROPHET CHURCH BULLETIN

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## Second Week of Great Lent

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## RESURRECTIONAL APOLITIKION

When you descended to death, O Immortal life, then Hades You destroyed, by the light of Your divinity. And when the dead from the depths of the darkness You did raise, all of the heavenly powers did cry out to You. O Giver of Life, Christ our God, glory to You.

□τε κατ□λθες πρ□ς τ□ν θάνατον, □ Ζω□ □ □θάνατος, τότε τ□ν  
□δην □νέκρωσας τ□ □στραπ□ τ□ς Θεότητος· □τε δ□ κα□ το□ς  
τεθνε□τας □κ τ□ν  
καταχονίων □νέστησας, π□σαι α□ δυνάμεις τ□ν □πουρανίων  
□κραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστ□ □ Θε□ς □μ□ν δόξα σοι.

## Apolitikion of the Day

Beacon of Orthodox belief, the strong support of the Church and her teacher inspired by God, you are the ornament of monks, the unassailable champion of theologians, O Gregory the Wonderworker and the boast of Thessalonica, the messenger of grace. Forever earnestly entreat for the salvation of our souls.

## 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 Champion General, I your City now inscribe to you triumphant anthems as the tokens of my gratitude, being rescued from the terrors, O Theotokos. Inasmuch as you have power unassailable, from all kinds of perils free me so that unto you I may cry aloud: Rejoice, O Bride unwedded.

Τ□ □περμ□χ□ Στρατηγ□ τ□ νικητ□ρια, □ς λυτρωθε□σα τ□ν  
δειν□ν ε□χαριστ□ρια, □ναγρ□φω σοι □ Π□λις σου Θεοτ□κε.  
□λλ□ □ς □χουσα τ□ κρ□τος □προσμ□χητον, □κ παντο□ων με  
κινδ□νων □λευθ□ρωσον, □να κρ□ζω σοι· Χα□ρε, Ν□μφη  
□ν□μφευτε.

## Epistle Reading Hebrews 1:10–2:3

IN THE BEGINNING, you O Lord, didst found the earth, and the heavens are the work of thy hands; they will perish, but thou remainest; they will all grow old like a garment, like a mantle thou wilt roll them up, and they will be changed. But thou art the same, and thy years will never end.” But to what angel has he ever said, “Sit at my right hand, till I make thy enemies a stool for thy feet?” Are they not all ministering spirits sent forth to serve, for the sake of those who are to obtain salvation? Therefore we must pay closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. For if the message declared by angels was valid and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard him.

## Gospel Reading Mark 2:1-12

At that time, Jesus entered Capernaum and it was reported that he was at home. And many were gathered together, so that there was no longer room for them, not even about the door; and he was preaching the word to them. And they came, bringing to him a paralytic carried by four men. And when they could not get near him because of the crowd, they removed the roof above him; and when they had made an opening, they let down the pallet on which the paralytic lay. And when Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, “My son, your sins are forgiven.” Now some of the

scribes were sitting there, questioning in their hearts, “Why does this man speak thus? It is a blasphemy! Who can forgive sins but God alone?” And immediately Jesus, perceiving in his spirit that they thus questioned within themselves, said to them, “Why do you question thus in your hearts? Which is easier, to say to the paralytic, ‘Your sins are forgiven,’ or to say, ‘Rise, take up your pallet and walk? But that you may know that the Son of man has authority on earth to forgive sins’-- he said to the paralytic --”I say to you, rise, take up your pallet and go home.” And he rose, and immediately took up the pallet and went out before them all; so that they were all amazed and glorified God, saying, “We never saw anything like this!”

## PARISH NEWS

### Directory 2013

Our new 2013 directory 2013 is here. We will be passing them out at Church. One copy per person. Second copy \$5.00.

### Iconography Project

Donations are coming in daily for our upcoming project. The Iconographers will be coming this summer 2013 to complete the rest of the church. If you would like to be part of this historic endeavor please call and speak to Fr. Dimitrios or send in your donations to the church. Thank you for all those who have come forth.

### ATTENTION!

The **deadline** to order pies from our Spring Pie Sale is this coming **Monday, April 1.**

So far, we've received orders for fewer than 100 pies. Most of these orders are from our friends outside the church. Only a few orders come from our own parishioners.

We urge you as members of our church to help support our sale.

**Without your involvement, the sale will not succeed.**

### Calling all Volunteers!

For our Annual Lenten Pie Sale,  
we need

### YOUR HELP.

We'll prepare spinach pies **Saturday April 6**

Cheese pies **Saturday April 13**

**Church coffee room at 9:00 a.m. to around 2:00 p.m.**

We need people who like painting olive oil on phyllo.

There are other tasks as well.

We expect to make a total of 150 pies.

Please join us in this Greek culinary enterprise.

It's instructive, fun, and makes people happy.

Can make it?

Contact Nia Parry 424-1402

**Saint Elias the Prophet Greek Orthodox Church**

famous in Santa Fe for its delicious Greek pastries  
is offering its faithful customers

☐ **delicious, homemade** ☐

**Spinach Pies** (*spanakopita*) 12-piece pie **\$25.**

**Cheese Pies** (*tiroпита*) 12-piece pie **\$25.**

*Tremendous Success! Our Greco/New Mexican...*

**Green-Chile Cheese Pies** (12-piece pie) **\$25.**

**We sell them frozen.** They'll keep frozen for weeks till you're ready to bake. Simple baking instructions with each pie. Our usual quality: easily prepared, scrumptious, meatless meal, or perfect accompaniment to meat, fish, poultry.

**To order fill out form below:**

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Mail it to **Saint Elias Greek Orthodox Church, 46 Calle Electra, Santa Fe, NM 87508** with a check for your total order, made out to the church.

**Deadline for orders: April 1**

Name.....  
Mailing address and zip code.....  
Telephone #.....; email address:.....

**Spinach Pie** (\$25. ea.)      how many?.....      total    \$.....

**Cheese Pie** (\$25. each)    how many?.....      total    \$.....

**Green Chile Cheese Pie**  
(\$25. ea)                      how many?.....      total    \$.....

**Grand total**    \$.....

**Pick-up: Saturday April 27 and Sunday April 28 (11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.)** Questions? Eva 471-7498 or Nia 424-1402

**SERVICES AND INFORMATION**

**April**

**7 April Sunday 2 prosfora Fr. Dimitri Pappas**, coffee hour

**Susan and Paul Proestos**

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**10 April Pre-sanctified Liturgy** 6:00pm

**12 April Friday 4th Xairetismoι** 6:00pm

**14 April Sunday 2 prosfora and coffee hour Anastasia Stevens**

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**17 April Wednesday Pre-sanctified Liturgy** 6:00pm

**19 April Friday Akathist hymn** 6:00pm

**21 April Sunday 2 prosfora Fr. Dimitri Pappas**, coffee hour

**Frederika Vaupen** Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**27 April Saturday (Raising of Lazarus) prosforon, Fr. Dimitri Pappas**

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**28 April (Palm Sunday) prosforon Fr. Dimitri Pappas**

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy **Pot Luck**

**Luncheon** (sign-up sheet posted in coffee room) wine, olive oil, and fish with backbones permitted.

**Bride groom service** 7:00pm

**29 April ( Holy Monday) Bride groom service** 7:00pm

**30 April (Holy Tuesday) Bride groom service** 7:00pm

**MAY**

**1 May (Holy Wednesday) Holy Unction** 7:00pm

**2 May (Holy Thursday) 1 prosforon Mary Santikos**

10:00am **Vesperal Divine Liturgy**

7:00pm **The reading of the Twelve Gospels / Passion of the Cross**

**3 May ( Holy Friday) 9:00am Royal Hours**10:00am

**Docareting the Kouvoukleon**

3:00pm **Apokathelosis** 7:00pm **Lamentation**

**4 May (Holy Saturday morning and evening) 2 prosfora Mac Ennis**

10:00am **Vespertal Divine Liturgy** and **Orthros** 11:00 p.m.  
with **Mid-night Divine Liturgy** to follow **Paschal Pot Luck**  
**Meal** (sign-up sheet posted in coffee room)

**5 May (Pascha) Agape Service** 1:00 p.m. and **Pot Luck**  
**Picnic** (sign-up sheet posted in coffee room)

**10 May Friday Live-giving Spring** prosforo **Fr. Dimitri**  
**Pappas**

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**12 May Sunday Mother's Day** prosforo and coffee hour

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**19 May Sunday** prosforo and coffee hour

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**21 May Tuesday SS. Constantine and Helen** prosforo

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**26 May Sunday** prosforo and coffee hour

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

## **JUNE**

**2 June Sunday** prosforo and coffee hour

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**9 June Sunday** prosforo and coffee hour

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**16 June Sunday** prosforo and coffee hour

Orthros 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**21 - 22 June GREEK FESTIVAL**

**23 June Orthros** 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy

**30 June Orthros** 9:00am and 10:00am Divine Liturgy