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## MAINTENANCE CHURCH MAINTENANCE

Please help us to keep the church in good condition. The building is very old and needs always to be maintained. (You can always help by donating, there is envelopes at the church door). God bless you

**Thank you: Marian Ohanesian, Dominic & Teresa Tran, Feilikian Family, and Kazkanian family.** for donating toward the maintenance fund.



### Supporting the Parish Financially

Your contributions each week are vital to being able to pay our bills. Please try to increase your weekly contribution and more importantly to keep current with your weekly contributions. The various church events and fund raising activities are also necessary to raise the money needed to keep us in the black. Please support these events.

#### Mar 2018 (Sunday Collections)

Mar Sunday 4	\$ 392
Mar Sunday 11	\$ 409
Mar Sunday 18	\$ 1496
Mar Sunday 25	\$ 1548

Total \$ 3845

#### Apr (Sunday Collections)

Apr Sunday 1	\$ 1081
Apr Sunday 8	\$ 522
Apr Sunday 15	\$ 1058
Apr Sunday 22	\$ 398
Apr Sunday 29	\$



**Save the Date**  
**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**  
**Our**  
**65th ANNIVERSARY**



### INFORMATIONS

**Baptisms:** Please make arrangements at least three months in advance with the father. Pre-baptismal Seminar is required for parents and sponsors.

**Marriages:** a six-month notice is asked of the couple. Please make an appointment with father. Active parish participation is encouraged.

**Confessions:** by appointment call church office (323)261-9898 or E-mail:



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### THE READING FROM THE BOOK OF ACTS 17:1-15

WHEN PAUL and his companions had passed through Amphipolis and Apollonia, they came to Thessalonica, where there was a Jewish synagogue. As was his custom, Paul went into the synagogue, and on three Sabbath days he reasoned with them from the Scriptures, explaining and proving that the Messiah had to suffer and rise from the dead. "This Jesus I am proclaiming to you is the Messiah," he said. Some of the Jews were persuaded and joined Paul and Silas, as did a large number of God-fearing Greeks and quite a few prominent women.

BUT OTHER Jews were jealous; so they rounded up some bad characters from the marketplace, formed a mob and started a riot in the city. They rushed to Jason's house in search of Paul and Silas in order to bring them out to the crowd. But when they did not find them, they dragged Jason and some other believers before the city officials, shouting: "These men who have caused trouble all over the world have now come here, and Jason has welcomed them into his house. THEY ARE all defying Caesar's decrees, saying that there is another king, one called Jesus." When they heard this, the crowd and the city officials were thrown into turmoil. Then they made Jason and the others post bond and let them go.

.AS SOON as it was night, the believers sent Paul and Silas away to Berea. On arriving there, they went to the Jewish synagogue. Now the Berean Jews were of more noble character than those in Thessalonica, for they received the message with great eagerness and examined the

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Sunday: English	9:30 a.m.
Armenian	11:00 a.m.

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Scriptures every day to see if what Paul said was true. As a result, many of them believed, as did also a number of prominent Greek women and many Greek men.

BUT WHEN the Jews in Thessalonica learned that Paul was preaching the word of God at Berea, some of them went there too, agitating the crowds and stirring them up. The believers immediately sent Paul to the coast, but Silas and Timothy stayed at Berea. Those who escorted Paul brought him to Athens and then left with instructions for Silas and Timothy to join him as soon as possible. **THIS IS THE WORDS OF THE LORD.**

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#### THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO ST. JOHN 7:14-28

NOT UNTIL halfway through the festival did Jesus go up to the temple courts and begin to teach. The Jews there were amazed and asked, "How did this man get such learning without having been taught?"

JESUS ANSWERED, "My teaching is not my own. It comes from the one who sent me. Anyone who chooses to do the will of God will find out whether my teaching comes from God or whether I speak on my own. Whoever speaks on their own does so to gain personal glory, but he who seeks the glory of the one who sent him is a man of truth; there is nothing false about him. Has not Moses given you the law? Yet not one of you keeps the law. Why are you trying to kill me?"

"YOU are demon-possessed," the crowd answered. "Who is trying to kill you?"

JESUS SAID to them, "I did one miracle, and you are all amazed. Yet, because Moses gave you circumcision (though actually it did not come from Moses, but from the patriarchs), you circumcise a boy on the Sabbath. Now if a boy can be circumcised on the Sabbath so that the law of Moses may not be broken, why are you angry with me for healing a man's whole body on the Sabbath?

**THIS IS THE GOSPEL OF THE LORD.**



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#### Հոգեւանկան Պաշտօն—Requiem Services April 29

For the soul of: Նորօք Հանգուցեալ Երիտասարդ 35 ամեայ  
Հայր Եղիշէ Վրդ. Ճանձի հոգիին համար որ պատահած է  
Հալէա ինքնաշարժի արկածով անցեալ Հինգշաբթի:

For the soul of: MARIEL SAMIR DALOL (14 YEARS OLD- DAMASCUS)

Requested by: Nabil & Hanan Karapetian and family.

May God illuminate their souls / Asdvadz Hokin Lousavoreh /  
Ասսուած Հոգինները Լուսաւորէ

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#### An Email From Heaven

One day, God was looking down at Earth and saw all of the rascally behavior that was going on. He decided to send an angel down to Earth to check it out. So, he called one of His angels and sent the angel to Earth for a time.

When he returned, he told God, "Yes, it is bad on Earth; 95% are misbehaving and 5% are not."

God thought for a moment and said, "Maybe I had better send down a second angel to get another opinion." So God called another angel and sent him to Earth for a time too.

When the angel returned he went to God and said, "Yes, it's true. The Earth is in decline; 95% are misbehaving and 5% are being good."

God was not pleased. So, He decided to e-mail the 5% that were good, because He wanted to encourage them, give them a little something to help them keep going.

Do you know what that e-mail said?

No?

Oh, so you didn't get one either?



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