



Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church

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Dear Parishioner,

As mentioned during the last General Assembly meeting, the expenses of the church have increased throughout the years and continue to do so. The costs related to clergy salary and clergy benefits along with the payments for our Fair share to the Archdiocese have all increased significantly this past year. There are operating expenses that are also on the rise (e.g. insurance, utilities). It has been some time (decades) since the last member dues increase. Upon review of all these facts, the Parish Council has determined that an increase to member dues is necessary to keep up with these rising costs. We have arrived at a schedule of how this increase will take place.

	Current	2025	2026	2027
Single	\$200.00	\$250.00	\$275.00	\$300.00
Family	\$400.00	\$500.00	\$550.00	\$600.00

The new member dues amounts will take effect on January 1st of each year. Dues should be paid in accordance with rules already in place. Single adult is unmarried with no children. If a single adult has one or more children, he or she is expected to contribute the family rate. Family is a husband and wife (married couple with or without children) or a single parent with children and will contribute the family rate.

All member dues are required to be paid by March 31st of each year.

Individuals with financial hardship, who cannot pay the minimum expected member dues shown above, are urged to speak to the parish priest, Fr. Philip, the Parish Council President, or the Parish Council Vice-President.

Your cooperation will allow the Church to continue to operate and provide a place for everyone to worship.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Pappas, President Parish Council
On behalf of the Parish Council