



The Philoptochos Phlash – February 3, 2026

On February 3, 2026, our Philoptochos met and here are some notes and action items.

President's Report –

- Angela Koros and the Board have begun some spring cleaning and organizing of our storage spaces.
- We are looking forward to speaking with our Senior Religious Education students to encourage them to apply for our Church and Community Service Awards.
- The 2026 National Philoptochos Convention will be in Cleveland, Ohio, June 29 - July 2.

Vasilopita Luncheon Recap – Thank you to all who attended our yearly event. This year we raised over \$2,300 and so we were able to send \$2,400 to the National St. Basil Ministry which not only operates the St. Basil Home but also supports other youth efforts.

Kids'n'Cancer Coffee Hour Buffet – Please join us after Liturgy on February 22 in the Oaks as we raise funds to help children who are terminally ill enjoy a summer camp. Final preparations were made, and we know that you will have a wonderful time. Our buffet will be delicious and our drawing amazing. This year you can once again choose which prize you want to win including a fabulous cookware set valued at \$1,200 and a Vivace gift card for \$900. Ticket sales will begin soon. Join us and give your heart to a child. Look for our flyer on our church's website. Donations gladly accepted.

Bee Well, Our Philoptochos Membership Event – Join us Saturday, March 7 from 11 to 1 in the Oaks for a wonderful presentation on how to create a healthy and beneficial garden which will invite the best of our insect friends. Learn how to plant that perfect garden and reap all the benefits from it. Participate in a honey tasting. We are also serving a healthy light luncheon! Many surprises are planned. Flyer will be out soon.

2026 Philoptochos Fashion Show, Saturday, May 2 – Breakfast at Tiffany's -Wear pearls and your Holly Golightly little black dress! Sunglasses are a must! We are over the *Moon (River)* excited to share all the details with you! Fashions will include some curated, vintage, luxury designs from *Sainted Goods* and evening wear from *B Chic Fashions*. More information will follow.

Feed the Hungry – We are planning a drop off meal on March 21. Call Nina Azar for info.

With our love and appreciation, The Philoptochos of Holy Cross
Happy Valentine's Day!