

SAINT SARKIS ARMENIAN

APOSTOLIC CHURCH

February 20th, 2011

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February 20th Badarak Sponsor:

This week's Badarak service is being sponsored by an **Anonymous Family**. We thank them for their generosity.

Readings for Today:

Is 63:7-18. 2 Tim 3:1-12. Jn 6:22-38.

Feasts and Commemorations:

Sunday, February 20th – Sunday of Catechumens

Monday, February 21st – Presidents' Day

Saturday, February 26th – Catholicos St. Sahag Parthev

Requiem:

Requiem service is requested by Cecil Kojoghlanian, Sonia and Levon Bagdasarian, in memory of Cecil's Husband and Sonia's father **Abraham Kojoghlanian** and her parents/grandparents, **Kevork and Ovsanna Kojoghlanian**.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

St. Sarkis Church Anniversary:

Today we are celebrating the 5th Anniversary of St. Sarkis Church in Charlotte which is coinciding on the name day of St. Sarkis.

Holy Liturgy is being celebrated by **Archbishop Khajag Barsamian**, Primate of the Eastern Diocese of the Armenian Churches.

After Badarak services there will be the blessing of Madagh. *We thank* **Sergey Mouradkhanian** for his generous donation of the Madagh lamb.

St. Sarkis Day Donations:

If you would like to make donations for the St. Sarkis Day celebration, in lieu of Madagh, send your donations to the Church address, attention **Hagop Sarkissian** or **Kevin Janumyan**.

Family Movie Night:

By popular demand the next Family Movie Night is scheduled for Saturday March 5th, at 6:00 pm. For details call **Nina Bedrosian**.

St. Sarkis Ministries

WOMEN'S GUILD

The next Women's Guild meeting will be Tuesday, March 8th. The March meeting will be held at "Dish It Out" at Stonecrest. In addition to our regular meeting we will be making a pottery piece. If you are interested in joining us we will meet at 6:30 pm. For more information please contact **Betty Diman** (704)643-7876 or **Diane Tudor** (704)849-0374.

The Women's Guild is planning an evening at the Charlotte Symphony on Saturday evening April 9th. The outing is open to all and we will car pool from the Church.

For more information please contact Diane Tudor (704) 849-0374.

ACYOA

The 2011 plans for the **ACYOA Juniors** include:

- Participation in Camps and Sports weekend
- Fundraising events
- Parish Service
- Community Service

The 2011 plans for the **ACYOA Seniors** include:

- Social Activities
- ACYOA Retreat
- Far Internship
- Trip to Armenia
- Fundraising events
- Parish and Community Services
- Armenian Dance Lessons
- Organizing a guest speaker

CONGRATULATIONS:

Artem and Alejandra Mouradkhanian have been blessed with their newborn baby boy, **Emil Mouradkhanian** on 2/8/11.

THANK YOU:

- ❖ *We thank **Joe Zoubian** for his kind donation of imported fine material for new scarves. And *we thank* **Noelle Sarkissian** for cutting and sewing this material into ready to use scarves. We are happy to announce that today the Choir members are using the new scarves.*
- ❖ *We thank **Lena Kupelian Neau** and **Pierre Arbajian** and the team that assisted them in the preparation and the execution of the 5th Anniversary Banquet on Saturday, February 19th.*
- ❖ *We thank **Sonia Bagdasarian** for preparing the St. Sarkis sweets today in keeping with the tradition of this feast.*

GET WELL:

We wish **Gala Teymurova** a quick recovery from her recent surgery.

STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM:

2011 updates and Stewardship Program on-going efforts will be disseminated in future bulletins.

ALERT

BADARAK SPONSORS NEEDED

Review available Badarak dates and sign up URGENTLY with your sponsorship.
THANK YOU.

Up Coming Badarak Services:

Sunday, February 20 th (St. Sarkis)	Abp. Khajag Barsamian
Sunday, March 6 th	Fr. Mampre Kouzouian
Sunday, March 20 th	Fr. Simeon Odabashian
Sunday, April 17 th (PALM)	Fr. Mampre Kouzouian
Holy Thursday 4/21 (Washing Feet)-5pm	Fr. Dajad Davidian
Holy Friday 4/22 (Entombment)-5pm	Fr. Dajad Davidian
Saturday, April 23 rd (Easter Eve)-5pm	Fr. Dajad Davidian
Sunday, April 24 th (EASTER/GENOCIDE)	Fr. Dajad Davidian