



THE WORD

Sts. Constantine & Helen Greek Orthodox Church

Andover, MA

June 2026

In Brief



The Best Definition of Christianity

Giving is therapy for the soul. It keeps the heart open to others and sensitive to their needs. Giving is also the secret of a mentally and emotionally healthy life. Dr. Adler, a famous psychiatrist, said, "I suppose all the ills of the human personality can be traced back to one thing, namely, not understanding the meaning of the statement (of Jesus): *'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'*"

A famous theologian said once, "People are sick not only because they have not received love, but also because they are not able to give love." Dr. Karl Menninger said to a person who had suffered a breakdown, "Go find the neediest person and help him." For our mental and physical health we need to give. *It is more blessed to give than to receive.*

A child becomes an adult when he stops taking and starts giving. In fact, one of the best signs of maturity is the ability to give.

During a stewardship campaign a parishioner complained that Christianity is one of continual give, give, give. The pastor replied, "**Thank you for the finest definition of Christianity I have ever heard.** Christianity *is* one continual give, give, give. That's the way it all began. God gave. He gave His only Son (John 3:16). His Son gave. He gave His life on the cross that we may have life.

His disciples gave. They left their homes and businesses to devote themselves full time to Christ as spreaders of His Good News. Most of the twelve apostles died a martyr's death. They gave their lives for Christ.

Through the ages the work of Christ has prospered to the extent that Christians have been willing to give, give, give."

- from "Daily Vitamins for Spiritual Growth," Fr. Anthony Coniaris

BIBLE STUDIES THIS MONTH
"Pursuing our spiritual life"

June 3 - 7 00 p.m.
 June 10 - 7:00 p.m.

Men's Ministry Dinner
 June 18 - 7:00pm

Summer Schedule
 Begins June 21

IMPORTANT DATES

June 7- Senior Recognition
 (high school and college graduates)
 June 14- Sunday School Graduation
 and Parish Cookout

VCS August 3-5

AVAILABLE ONLINE

Get news of additional events and announcements via email. Go to the Church website www.andoverorthodox.org and sign up to be on our LISTSERV.

+++ For Pondering +++

YOUR BEST FRIEND

Henry Ford was having lunch with a friend one day. The friend asked him, "Who is your best friend?" Ford took out a pen and wrote on the white napkin before him these words, "Your best friend is the person who brings out of you the best that is within you." That makes Christ your best Friend. That makes the Church your best friend. That makes the Bible your best friend. For their purpose is to achieve the great potential God has placed within you.

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Parish Council Notes

Dear Parish Family,

I hope you and your families continue to be well.

The Parish Council continues to thank you and your families for your continued support of our Church; we continue to demonstrate what a thriving and active congregation we have at Saints Constantine and Helen Church. On Tuesday, May 19, the Council met, as stewards of our Church it is our responsibility to maintain the best interests of our Parish. I thank all the members of the Council for their leadership and support.

Once again, we have reached the month of June and with that comes our end-of-the-year traditions.

On Sunday, June 7, we will recognize our High School and College graduates to honor them for completing their course of studies. All of them work so hard, it is a pleasure being able to stand up and acknowledge them for what they have accomplished. We wish them all the best as they begin the next phase of their life. We are very proud of all of them.

On Sunday, June 14, we will hold our Sunday School Graduation. As we watch our children grow throughout the year it brings joy and amazement. They are the future of our Church, and we are so proud of them. Thank you to all our dedicated Sunday school teachers led by Angela Kulesza and all the parents who bring their children to Church each Sunday, looking forward to Vacation Church School later this summer.

Also, on June 14, Father Chris and I along with members of our Parish Council and Church family will gather with the other Parishes of our Metropolis at The Agganis Arena, in Boston to honor this year's recipients of the Clergy Laity Award. This year we honor Voula and Peter Danas. We thank them for all the time, talent and treasure they have given our Church over the years. Their dedication to our Parish is extraordinary and we are so appreciative. We are grateful and proud to have them as part of our Church family.

Planning has begun for our Annual Greek Festival which will be held this year on September 19 and 20. Over the last few years our Festivals have been the most successful, historic even. This would not be without the hard work, dedication and commitment of all our festival leaders and more importantly all of you, our many volunteers. Soon our festival committee will be meeting, planning and preparing for this year's event. Please be on the watch for announcements and e-mails regarding how you can sign up to help before and during the festival.

Lastly, I want to mention our wonderful Choir led by Presvytera Katerina, and our organist David Harvey. Each Sunday, they perform the many beautiful hymns that are part of our Divine Liturgy. Their voices grace our Church making each Divine Liturgy more meaningful. We are blessed to have such a dedicated group of individuals, and we appreciate them for their dedication to this very important Church Ministry, thank you to our entire Choir.

May God Bless You Always, Keep You Safe and in Good Health,

John Vitale



Philoptochos

Greetings Parishioners,

I want to begin by expressing my heartfelt gratitude to everyone for their enthusiasm and participation throughout the year. As I complete my first year as Philoptochos President, I am truly appreciative of the dedication and support that each member brings to our community. Together, we have welcomed many new members and strengthened our mission.

A warm welcome to our newest 10 members: Katie Brandon, Kerri Callahan, Tina Ghikas, Gail Lawler, Vicki Macrokanis, Jessica Sellountas, Stephanie Serpa, Margo Vogis, Angela Voulgaris, and Eleni Voulgaris. We are excited to have them join our Philoptochos family. For those considering membership, joining is simple and meaningful. To become a member, please follow these steps:

1. Write a check for your dues (please contact us to confirm the amount and purpose).
2. Include your home address, cell phone number, and email so you can stay informed about upcoming events and news.
3. Send your information to the Church Office addressed to the Philoptochos, give it to me at coffee hour, or bring it to our next gathering.

We know our members have busy lives, and you do not need to attend every meeting or fundraiser to make an impact. Your membership and support through dues alone help us continue our important work.

On May 14, we celebrated our year-end dinner at the new Open Circle Greek Restaurant, owned by Kouzina on Route 1. The evening featured:

- A warm welcome from owner Penny, who greeted us with Greek dips and fresh pita bread.
- A buffet including chicken and pork shish kebabs, gyro meat, tzatziki, lemon potatoes, fasoulakia, and a fresh horiatika Greek salad.
- Desserts of galaktopureko and baklava.

We had 35 women in attendance, along with Fr. Chris. Special thanks to Kathy Coufos for coordinating the event, managing details, and handling reservations. It was a wonderful occasion to reflect, connect, and celebrate another year together.

Looking ahead, please stay tuned for our fall and holiday schedule. We are planning an outing in Lowell to see the Boston Holiday Pops, which promises to be a spectacular start to the Christmas season.

On June 7, Philoptochos was honored to participate in the celebration for Senior Recognition Day of high school and college graduates. May God continue to bless and protect them as they embark on new journeys.

Thank you to all members, both new and longstanding, for your ongoing support and commitment. Your contributions—whether through attending events, volunteering, or paying dues—make a real difference in advancing our mission. If you have suggestions or feedback, please feel free to reach out; your voice matters and helps us grow.

Wishing all our families and friends an adventurous and restful summer. Happy trails, safe travels, and I look forward to reconnecting in the fall.

With warm regards,
Sophia Carafotes
Myrofori President



Sunday School

As we come to the close of another blessed Sunday School year, I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to all of our students, parents, teachers, and volunteers for your dedication, love, and support throughout the year.

It has been such a joy to watch our children grow in faith, knowledge, and fellowship as they continue learning about Christ and our Orthodox faith. Your commitment to bringing your children to church and Sunday School each week helps build a strong spiritual foundation that will guide them throughout their lives.

To our teachers and volunteers, thank you for the countless hours you devoted to preparing lessons, guiding our students, and sharing God’s love with patience and kindness. Your work is truly a ministry and a blessing to our parish family.

A special CONGRATULATIONS to the members of our JOY Basketball Team that played in the Teddy K Tournament last month at Hellenic College and placed 2nd! Great job to the team and to Coach Thanos Danas!

As we wrap up the year, we also look forward to celebrating some important upcoming events in our parish community:

- Senior Recognition Sunday – June 7
- Sunday School Graduation – June 14
- Vacation Church School (Ages 4-12) – August 3 – 5 - MORE INFO COMING SOON

As summer begins, I encourage everyone to continue nurturing their faith through prayer, attending Divine Liturgy, reading Scripture, and spending time together as a family in Christ.

May God grant all of you a peaceful, joyful, and safe summer. We look forward to welcoming everyone back in September for another wonderful Sunday School year together.

With love in Christ,
Angela I. Kulesza
Sunday School Director



**THANK YOU TO OUR
SUNDAY SCHOOL
TEACHERS**

Boston Metropolis Summer Camp 2026 Registration



Youth Summer Camp is for persons ages 8 - 18 and offers a week of fun and fellowship connecting youth from throughout the Metropolis to each other and their faith. Registration has begun. For more information, go to

<https://www.metropolisofbostoncamp.org>

Session 1: June 29 - July 5

Session 2: July 6 - July 12

Session 3: July 13 - July 19

Session 4: July 20 - July 26

Session 5: July 27 - August 2



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2026 METROPOLIS OF BOSTON LAITY AWARD RECIPIENTS

VOULA AND PETER DANAS



Our Parish is overjoyed to announce the recipients of the 2026 Metropolis of Boston Laity Award from our parish: Voula and Peter Danas!

Long time and vibrant members of our Parish for many years, Voula and Peter embody loving service, dedication and leadership in the church community.

Voula has served our Parish for many years and in numerous ways. She has served as an active and dedicated member of our Parish Council for many years; as Bakery and Bar Supervisor for our Greek Festival for many years, and now Festival Chair for several years. She has served our youth as Goya head Advisor for many years. She has been Chair for many of our parish Glendi's, Dinner Dances and Special Events. She has also served on our Lenten Luncheon committee, and is a member of our Ladies Philoptochos. She also supervises the annual Joy/ Goya Christmas Toy Drive supporting the New England Community Services Inc. for children in need. Voula also heads our annual Easter candle pop - up ministry.

Peter has served for many years as a parish Usher; and he has been a Coach of our youth and Goya Basketball teams for many years. Peter not only serves tirelessly every year in the Kitchen and on the grills during our annual Greek Festival, but he is also one of our head cooks in the pre-Festival preparations of our Festival homemade specialties of Pastitsio, Moussaka and Spanakopita. Peter also cooks on the grills for our annual parish Sunday School Graduation Cookout Picnics; and humbly serves the parish whenever needed.

Our parish is truly proud and honored to have Peter and Voula represent our Parish this year at the Metropolis Banquet, and to most worthily receive the Laity ministry and service award!

The Banquet honoring all recipients throughout New England will take place on Sunday, June 14 at the Agganis Arena.

Parishioners wishing to attend the banquet can contact the church office for more information: office@andoverorthodox.org



Greek Conversation Class

**THANK YOU
COMMUNION WINE DONORS**

John & Carol DiPietro

Stephanie George

Nick & Sue Petrakis

Steve & Olga Pithis

Joe & Bethany Spanos

George & Marlene Theodorou



All ages worship together in Liturgy!



Come to VCS!

August 3-5, 5pm- 8pm.

Registration coming soon!

Teen/Young Adult/Parent Volunteers are needed.

Call/text/email Angela Kulesza (978-821-

9814/angela.kulesza@gmail.com) if interested!

Receive the Light

SPRING BIBLE STUDY SERIES

Orthodox Fellowship • Bible Study • Prayer

Dinner & Bible Study in Conference Room

Wednesday Evenings at 7pm

May 6th May 27th

May 13th June 3rd

May 20th June 10th

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Landscaping Day!



Alexander Robinson participates and awarded at Metropolis Oratorical Festival



YAL Young Adults gathering for Dinner and Game Night!



Young Adults Men's Basketball night!



Our Joy Basketball Team in the Finals at Greek Tournament "Teddy K."

"THANK YOU TO OUR FAITHFUL GIVERS"

2026 Stewardship Givers/Pledgers as of May 10, 2026

Alexandris, Greg & Maria	Ennis, James & Christina	Koster, Marcellus & Diana
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Alexandrou, Theodore & Alexandra	Exarchos, Apostolos & Courtney	Koufogazos, Timothy
Alexopoulos, Peter & Ann	Flaherty, George & Mourmoutis, Sofia	Koulouris, Jean
Anastopoulos, Alexandra	Fokas, Michael & Diane	Koutsantonis, Stavros & Michelle
Anastopoulos, Mark	Fotopoulos, Charles & Miglena	Koutsogiannopoulos, Constantine & Christina
Andreadis, Sophie	Furman, Paul & Zoi	Koutsogiannopoulos, Eleni
Andros, William	Gabriello, Max & Shelly	Koutsos, George & Ruth
Angelides, Mary	Gagnon, Joshua & Sophia	Kulesza, David & Joanna
Archambault, Dylan & Concetta	Gavriel, Michael & Cathy	Kyriages, Kay
Archambault, Joanna	George, Chris & Patti	Kyriakakis, Manuel
Arsenescu, Razvan & Viloleta	George, Marisa	Lambropoulos, Costas & Thuy Trang Ti Tran
Athanasoulas, Michael & Stella	George, Stephanie	Lapinskas, Aras & Vasiliki
Augusto, Eva	Georgelis, William & Stasia	Lawler, James & Katherine
Bajor, John & Mary	Georges, Tom & Eugenia	Lawler, Peter & Gail
Banos, Leonard	Georgian, Ted & Colleen	Lellos-Wilson, Chris & Christine
Behrakis, Elena	Georgoudis, Alexandra	Lemonias, Alexander & Isabella
Bennett, David & Marie	Ghikas, Tina & James	Lemonias, Demetri & Nicole
Bigelow, Bette	Gianakouras, John & Margarita	Liakos, Effegenia
Bolduc, Ronald & Cynthia	Gianes, Paul	Lima, Maria and Family
Boudreau, Dan & Stephanie	Giannakas, Vicky	Liponis, Bessie
Boutselis, Antonia	Gildea, Brian & Demetra	Loisou, Stefanos & Gayle
Brandon, Fred & Katie	Giunta, Sal & Georgia	Lolos, Emily
Budd, Jayne	Goodwin, Robert & Paula	Lynch, Brian & Zaines, Andrea
Callahan, Kerri	Gorman, Dave & Bess Grammas, James & Amalia	Macrokanis, Chris & Victoria
Camargo, Jorge & Susan	Grillakis, Apostolos & Dayna	Macrokanis, James
Campolini, Susan	Grillakis Christina	Mahoney, John & Anastasia
Capozzi Family	Groomes, William & Fotini	Mak, Derek & Olga
Carafotes, Sophia & Hatzipanagos, Demetrios	Gudinas, Anthony & Maria	Makiej, Fr. Christopher & Presvytera Katerina
Carras, George & Betsy	Gulde, John & Kathleen	Makiej, John & Lynn
Caselle, Paul & Adrienne	Harvey, David & Rodilla	Makiej, Nicholas & Julianna
Chakalos, Leonidas & Renee	Hatzigiannis, George	Mann, Seth & Dana
Chavez, David & Lyena	Hatzikonstantis, Steven & Dorothy	Manolis, Elaina
Chetsas, Christopher	Hutchins, William & Christina	Maravelis, Arthur & Lombardo, Lois
Chingris, Angela	Iatron, William & Margaret	Mastromonaco, Dorothy
Christakos, Chris	Irvin, Christopher & Melissa	Matses, Charles T. & Louise
Christopoulos, Spiro & Demetra	Jani, Arun & Elizabeth	Matzouranis, Paul & Ellen
Chunias, Theodore & Paula	Johnson, Lawrence & Renita	Mavroides, Andrea
Coconis, Anne	Kakridas, George & Kate	Mavropoulos, George
Connor, Jack & Stephanie	Kalivas, Danid & Ioanna	Maynard, John & Nestervich, Ellen
Constantine, Peter & Gail	Kalogeropoulos, James & Effie	Mazarakis, Angie
Contos, Michael & Ethel	Karafilidis, Alex & Stella	McArdle, Joanne
Cook, Kate	Karafilidis, John & Theodora	McLoon, Gregory & Melanie
Coufas, Jean	Karagianes, Michael & Lynne	Medor, Kenneth & Georgianne
Coufos, Stephan & Kathy	Karamourtopoulos, Bobbi	Meletis, George & Anastasia
Danas, Peter & Voula	Kareklas, Panos	Miara, Maria
Delegas, George & Evelyn	Katsaros, Katherine	Milligan, Jeremy & Alyssa Mimos, Nicholas
Demetros, Spencer & Catherine	Katsikis, Stanley & Maria	Mimos, Nick & Diane
Demetroulakos, James & Pam	Kent, Dn. Gary	Moccia, Gary & Theodora
Demopoulos, Gary & Georgiann	Kettenbach, Michael & Kelly	Mouzakis, Timoleon & Despina
Demoulas, Glorianne	Kiladis, James & Georgia	Murphy, James & Diana
Diamantas, Kay	Kokkalis, Antonis & Farhat, Magda	Murphy, Terrance & Valerie
Diamantis, Sotirios & Lauri	Kolofoles, Charles	Murray, Pauline
DiPietro, John & Carol	Kolofoles, Nicholas	Mylonas, Irene
Drakoulas, Alexandra	Kondis, Dimitri	
Duci, Christina	Kombouras, Christos & Effie	
Dukas, Priscilla	Kondis, Dimitri & Christine	
Ead, Dea & John	Koskores, Nick & Mary	
Eliopoulos, Peter & Erin	Kostakis, Mihail & Helen	

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2026 Stewardship Givers/Pledgers (continued from page 9)

Nastoulis, Dimitrios & Eleanna
Nikitas, Dimitrios &
StavroulaNikolopoulos, Jim & Angela
Nolan, Jason & Yvonne
Ogren, Dani
Packard, Anastasia & David
Panagas, James
Panos, Marie
Pantely, Thomas & Rachel
Papadopoulos, Kosta & Kathy
Papanikolaou, Telly & Constantia
Papantonakis, John & Andrea
Pappey, Christopher
Pappey, Theodore & Lisa
Pasanen, Wayne & Susan
Patrakis Stephenie
Patsios, Nancy
Pavlidis, Nicholas & Andrea
Pantazopoulos, John
Patsios, Nancy
Pavlidis, Nicholas & Andrea
Perivolarakis, Peter & Eleni
Pescatore, John & Elaine
Petrakis, Nikolas & Sussanne
Pithis, Steven & Olga
Plentzas, Joseph & Constantina
Portillo, Joaquin & Marissa
Poulakos, Antonios & Natalie

Powers, Edwin & Kathleen
Primes, Theodore & Rhonda
Proctor, Chris & Keira
Raymond, Michael & Kara
Redard, Russell & Alysia
Robinson, Steven & Angela
Rooks, Gerlad & Irene
Rose, Kimberly & Kevin
Saragas, George & Elaine
Saragas, Patroklos & Vasiliki
Saraidaridis, Charalampos
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Sellountos, Jessica
Sencion, Felipe
Serpa, Roy & Stephanie
Skarlatos, Maria
Smith, Pamela
Soma, Mark & Lucia
Soseos, Sandra
Spanos, Joe & Bethany
Splagounias, Nikitas & Lesleyann
Stapczynski, Buzz & Sandy
Stellakis, Nicholas & Sefany
Stetson, Helen
Stevens, Frank & Vasilike
Stoupis, Constantine & Voula
Stratigakis, Thomas & Anita
Stylos, Louis & Lisa

Tasiopoulos, George & Tammy
Terzakis, John & Susan
Theodorou, George & Marlene
Tierney, Gregory & Laura
Touma, Dan & Georgia
Trant, Robert & Patricia
Tsakonas, Demetrios & Patricia
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Francine
Tzitzon, Nicholas & Jennifer
Vasilakis, Anna
Vergados, Connie
Vitale, John
Vlami, Dotty
Vogis, Victor & Margo
Voulgaris, Angela
Voulgaris, Eleni
Wallingford, Stephen & Marina Webster,
Thomas & Susan
Wighardt, Carl & Popi
Wouralis, Peter & Ethel
Xaros, James & Taira
Xifaras, George & Eleni
Xigoros, Efstiathios & Aggeliki
Yates, Philip & Christine
Yianopoulos, Peter & Joanna
Zollo, Elaine

thank you

PARISH ANNUAL COOKOUT!

Join Us on Sunday, June 14

Following Liturgy and

Sunday School Graduation

Celebrating our Sunday School students, teachers and parents
and all our parish Ministries!

Come enjoy hamburgers, hotdogs and refreshments
with your Parish Family!

For more information contact the church office at

978-470-0919



If you have not yet made your Stewardship Pledge/Commitment, use this form below and send to the church office. We love you and thank you so much for your support of Christ's work through our Parish!

Saints Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church

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Stewardship is returning to God a fair proportion of the resources He has given us.

SERAPHIMS	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 and up	Total annual pledge	\$ _____
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PACESETTERS	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 to \$1,999 (\$20-\$37 weekly)	Total annual pledge	\$ _____
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Please check ✓ the box and enter the total annual pledge on the right.

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Yes, I/we will support God’s work through our Church. Here is my/our Commitment of Faith for the year 2026.

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EMAIL ADDRESS: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

CHILDREN: NAME DATE OF BIRTH

WORDS THAT HONOR DAD!

Create this artwork to show your love and appreciation for your dad or another special man this Father's Day.



What you need:

- A white painting canvas, foam-core board or poster board
- Letter stickers or letter stamps

What you do:

1. Using the letters, spell out words that describe your dad's character (loving, honest, godly, etc.) and/or his roles (protector, provider, mentor, etc.).
2. Arrange the words in a crossword-style design, placing them both horizontally and vertically.
3. Once you're happy with the layout, stick the words onto the canvas or board.
4. Decorate the canvas as you like, then present it as a meaningful reminder of your love and appreciation for who he is.



REMEMBERING OUR HEAVENLY FATHER

Father's Day is a time to thank our father and father-figures who work hard to keep our families safe and loved. Let us also remember God, our heavenly Father, who gives life to us all.

Use the grid to fill out the blanks below. To find the letter for each number, look down the column to the dot, and then go to the left to the letter. Write the letter on the appropriate blank.

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1 John 3:1, NIV

Answer: What great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God!

HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!



June 2026

SAINTS CONSTANTINE & HELEN GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 GOYA Outing at Greek Heritage Night Fenway Park Greek School Graduation (4:30pm)	3 Receive the Light Bible Study 7:00pm	4	5	6
7 Orthros 9:00am Liturgy 10:00am Senior Recognition Day HOPE/JOY 12:15pm	8	9	10 Receive the Light Bible Study 7:00pm	11	12	13 Baptism 11:00am (Eliopoulos)
14 Orthros 9:00am Liturgy 10:00am Sunday School Graduation Parish Cookout Metropolis Laity Banquet (5:00pm)	15	16 Parish Council Meeting 7:00 pm	17 Lowell Spinners Greek Heritage Night 7:00pm	18 Men's Ministry Dinner 7:00pm	19	20
21 <i>Summer Hours Begin</i> Orthros 8:30am Liturgy 9:30am Baptism 12:00pm (Groomes) Happy Father's Day!	22	23	24	25	26	27 Baptism 11:00am (Angelides)
28 Orthros 8:30am Liturgy 9:30am	29	30				



SAVE THE DATE!

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SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 19TH
2026

SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 20TH
2026

Sts. Constantine & Helen
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH

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ANDOVER, MA 01810

The poster features a background image of a white Greek Orthodox church with blue domes and a bell tower, set against a blue sky and sea. A map of Greece is shown on the left side. The text is arranged in a central, eye-catching layout with decorative flourishes.



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Greek Orthodox Church
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Periodical