

THE ORIGINAL PHOENIX

**GREEK**<sup>®</sup>  
*Festival*

63<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL

August 20, 2024

Dear Beloved Holy Trinity Parishioner,

What does it mean to be a friend? According to Dictionary.com a friend is defined as “a person attached to another by feelings of affection or personal regard.” Or, “A person who gives assistance.” When it comes to the ***Friends of the Festival*** campaign, both definitions ring true.

Our festival, entering its 63rd year, is something we all look forward to. As the summer turns to early fall we begin signing up to work shifts at the various booths. We pass out fliers to our colleagues, or neighbors. We purchase admission tickets for friends, our kids’ teachers or coaches. And the entire Cathedral begins to buzz with heightened activity.

Yes, putting on the festival is a lot of work but there is something special that happens when we work together for the good of the church. And being a ***Friend of the Festival*** is another way we show our “personal affection or regard” or “give assistance” to this treasured event.

The ***Friends of the Festival*** program is a time honored tradition that allows our church parishioners and Festival friends the opportunity to make a donation to help ensure the financial success of our Festival and further make an impact on our ministries and the community.

We are pleased to recognize our ***Friends of the Festival*** donors in our monthly newsletter, weekly bulletin and a prominently placed banner at the Festival.

We hope you will join us in this endeavor. We can accomplish amazing things when we work together to support our beloved Cathedral and Festival. Please see the accompanying form for all the details.

Thank you in advance for your support of the 63rd Anniversary of The Phoenix Greek Festival. OPA!

Sincerely,

Your Phoenix Greek Festival Planning Committee



# FRIENDS OF THE FESTIVAL

Thank you for taking that next step to become a Friend of the Festival at one of the following levels:

- Platinum - \$1,000 or more
- Silver - \$250 or more
- Gold - \$500 or more
- Bronze - \$100 or more

All Friends of the Festival receive recognition in our weekly bulletin and other collateral.\*

## Payment Options

- Check Enclosed. Please make check payable to Holy Trinity Cathedral with a notation in the memo section for the donation to FOF.

Mail the check to: Holy Trinity Cathedral  
Attn: FOF  
1973 E. Maryland, Phoenix, Arizona 85016.

Indicate below how you would like your name listed:

- Online



Step 1: Scan this QR code and pay direct through ShelbyNext.

Step 2: Click on *"One Time Donation"*

Step 2: Select *"Friends of the Festival"* in the drop down screen. Enter your amount and information.

With your generous donation, the festival can continue to promote Hellenism and support important ministries and charities of this Greek Orthodox parish. God Bless you and thank you for your donation. We hope to see you at the festival on **October 11th, 12th and 13th.**

For more information, contact

Sandy Meris at **602.525.0345** OR Church Front Office at **602.264.7863**

\*Donations must be made by **September 28, 2024** for recognition on collateral.

