

34th Annual
**St. Thekla
Pilgrimage**



SEPTEMBER 21-23, 2012

**ST. THEKLA CONVENT
at ANTIOCHIAN VILLAGE
140 CHURCH CAMP TRAIL
BOLIVAR, PA 15923**



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**Please Join Us
For Our Patronal Feast**

As Orthodox Christians, our lives are a type of pilgrimage, so why set time aside to attend the St Thekla Pilgrimage?

The key is in "setting aside." We invite you "to set aside all earthly cares" and to join us in refocusing and refreshing ourselves in our Orthodox life. Like St Thekla, Protomartyr and Equal to the Apostles, together we will pray at the Divine Liturgy and services, obtain guidance and direction from the Gospels for our lives at home, and enjoy fellowship with other pilgrims.

Through the intercession of Saint Thekla, may this Pilgrimage be blessed!



PROPOSED MONASTERY BUILDINGS



This is an architectural rendering of the front view, facing East, which displays the entry to public areas: guest wing, Church, parlor and dining hall.

Donations for St Thekla Monastery

If you would like to make a donation to the Monastery there are two ways to do so:

BY CHECK

1. Please make checks payable to:
Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese
2. Also please clearly indicate on the check memo line:
St Thekla Monastery – Antiochian Village

Mail to: Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese
ATTN: The Very Rev. George Kevorkian
PO Box 5238
Englewood, NJ 07631-5238

ONLINE

www.antiochian.org/sainttheklaconvent
(Support button is on the right)

PILGRIMAGE SCHEDULE

GUEST HIERARCH: HIS GRACE BISHOP THOMAS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

- 6:00 pm Vespers
- 7:00 Dinner
- 8:00 Movie and discussion
- 10:30 Snack

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

- 9:00am Orthros followed by Divine Liturgy
- 11:30 Brunch
- 12:30pm Workshops*
- 2:45 St Thekla Supplication Service
(w/ anointing of oil from the shrine in Syria)
- 3:45 Afternoon Program
Choice of icon tour or museum tour
- 5:15 Vespers
- 6:00 Dinner
- 7:00 "Keeping the Door of the Heart"
Mother Alexandra
- 8:30 Campfire and snacks at pavilion

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

- 8:00am Orthros followed by Divine Liturgy
- 10:30 Brunch
- 12noon Check-out

* SATURDAY WORKSHOPS (CHOOSE ONE)
 THE ORTHODOX FAMILY AND SOCIAL MEDIA
 THE SACRAMENTS (ENGLISH)
 THE SACRAMENTS (ARABIC)



We hope that you will be able to gather with us to pray during the Pilgrimage. If you cannot be here and would like your loved ones to be remembered in our prayers for one year, please include their names below and return this slip to the Antiochian Village address.

For the Living

"Help us; save us; have mercy on us; and keep us, O God, by thy grace."

For the Departed

"O Lord, give rest to the souls of thy servants who have fallen asleep..."

ACCOMMODATIONS: Lodging is available at the Conference Center and the Camp. The **Conference Center** offers hotel style lodging rooms that each have two double beds, one twin bed and a private bath; comfortably sleeping five people in each room. There is **no lodging cost for children at the Center**. The **Camp** offers rustic style cabins that have bunk beds for 8 people and a full bathroom in each cabin. You provide your own bed and bath linens. Minimum occupancy is 8 people.

COST CALCULATOR: PLEASE RETURN WITH PAYMENT

ALL INCLUSIVE ADULT PACKAGE WITH LODGING

AT THE CENTER:

Single \$245/adult #___ x \$245 = \$___

Double \$175/adult #___ x \$175 = \$___

Triple \$152/adult #___ x \$152 = \$___

MEAL COSTS FOR CHILDREN AGES 5-12

#___ Fri. Dinner \$6 #___ Sat. Lunch FREE

#___ Sat. Dinner \$6 #___ Sun. Brunch \$6

Total Meal Cost for Children Ages 5-12 \$___

MEAL COSTS FOR CHILDREN 13+

#___ Fri. Dinner \$19 #___ Sat. Lunch \$15

#___ Sat. Dinner \$19 #___ Sun. Brunch \$10

Total Meal Cost for Children Ages 13+ \$___

Children under age 5 eat for FREE!

MEAL COSTS FOR COMMUTER ADULTS

#___ Fri. Dinner \$19 #___ Sat. Lunch \$15

#___ Sat. Dinner \$19 #___ Sun. Brunch \$10

Total Meal Cost for Commuter Adults \$___

ALL INCLUSIVE PER PERSON PACKAGE

WITH LODGING AT THE CAMP:

\$100/person #___ x \$100 = \$___

TOTAL REGISTRATION COST \$_____

REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE RETURN WITH PAYMENT by

September 1, 2012

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____

E-mail Address _____

Payment Options:

___ CHECK ENCLOSED PAYABLE TO ANTIOCHIAN VILLAGE

___ MC ___ VISA ___ DISCOVER ___ AMEX

Card number: _____

Expiration date _____

Signature: _____

MAIL TO: ANTIOCHIAN VILLAGE

Attn: Orthodox Programs
 140 Church Camp Trail
 Bolivar, PA 15923

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