

Join Us In Your 2026 Pledge Stewardship

So far, we have 111 pledges for \$215,975 towards 2026. *May the Lord bless all our offerings!*

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Offer Church Readings-Lector Ministry

Readings from Holy Scripture, delivered in English by lay members of our congregation, comprise an important part of our Badarak worship service. If you feel called to share the word of God on Sundays, we'll provide quick training and add you to our directory of lectors. For more information contact Karen Minassian, Michael Shahnasarian or Fr. Hovnan.

Greeter Ministry Involvement Opportunities

St. Hagop seeks volunteer greeters to serve once per month on an ongoing basis to greet our worshippers and participate in Badarak worship tasks. Please contact Raelene Pullen raelene.pullen@gmail.com if you have questions or for additional information about pursuing this ministry.

Assisted Listening Capabilities

For parishioners with hearing aids, we now have assisted listening capabilities, to link phones/hearing aids to a no delay audio stream. To access the stream: 1) Download the [AudioFetch](#) App onto your phone 2) Connect to the [Church](#) wifi network-enter pw: [HolyInternet333](#) 3) Open the AudioFetch app

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Feast of the Transfiguration of our Lord-Vardavar

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July 12, 2026



Today's Scripture Readings:

Wis 7:25-8:4 Zec 14:16-21 1 Jn 1:1-7 Mt 16:13-17:13



Fr. Arakel Derian-This Sunday-Vardavar!

We are blessed to have Der Arakel Derian as our guest celebrant this Sunday July 12th, while Fr. Hovnan is on vacation in Armenia. We trust you will enjoy inspiring worship and fellowship with Fr. Arakel, and enjoy special water games for youth and fellowship for adults! Thank you Fr. Arakel!

Calling All 2026 Graduates!

If you or your loved one will graduate this year, we'd like to celebrate & feature them in our weekly eblast and Fall Avedis newsletter. Please email the following information to St. Hagop June 15th: Name, School, Achievements & Future plans (optional), with a close up digital photo. Let's not hide the God given talents of the next generation of our church!

Bloodmobile at St. Hagop-July 26th

The St. Hagop Events Committee is organizing a blood drive on July 26th from 11:00am-2:00pm. The Blood Mobile will be parked in the church parking lot to take donations. We encourage all who can to give this small gift of health to those in medical need. Please reach out to event chair Mallory Guinand if you have any questions. Thank you in advance for participating in this ministry to our community!

Invitation to Host Coffee Hour Fellowship

The Women's Guild invites you to host fellowship after church, be that in honor of someone (birthday/milestone), a memorial (hokehankist) or simply to help out. Please speak to Lucy or Rita to sign up. Thanks in advance for taking your turn to serve and lightening the load of our dedicated leaders!

Celebrating Sunday School-Planning Next Year

We had an innovative and well attended Sunday School this year! Gratitude to our teachers: Gayane Khachaturyan, Susanna & Sargis Knyazyan, Linda Maslar, Adrienne Milewski, Alice Nouri, Mark & Anna Assad & Lena Safarian, as well as our organizers Yn. Anna, Stepan Aghekyan & Fr. Hovnan. We all took great care of our children this year! Thanks to our parents for your support. We look forward to seeing you in church over the summer and back for the first day of Sunday School on Sept. 6th-we are already meeting to build on the blessed momentum of this year!

On Sundays You Can't Be With Us-Join Us Online!

For several years now, St. Hagop has livestreamed its church services for those faithful who are not able to attend in person. Though there is no substitute for in person worship & fellowship, we hope God will use this online ministry to help keep you connected to our faith community. You can view video livestreams as well as recorded liturgies & sermons on facebook and youtube, as well as podcasts of sermons. Our church's links are provided below:

www.youtube.com/c/StHagopflOrg www.facebook.com/StHagop www.sthagopfl.org/podcast/

Services and Events

Sun. July 12th	Divine Liturgy-Vardavar-Fr. Arakel Derian Guest Celebrant Youth Water Games & Coffee Hour Fellowship	10:30am-12:15pm 12:15pm-1:30pm
Sun. July 19th	Divine Liturgy--Fr. Hovnan Celebrant Coffee Hour Fellowship	10:30am-12:15pm 12:15pm-1:30pm
Sun. July 26th	Divine Liturgy--Fr. Hovnan Celebrant Bloodmobile at St. Hagop for Donations Coffee Hour Fellowship	10:30am-12:15pm 11:00am-2:00pm 12:15pm-1:30pm



Feast of the Transfiguration (Vardavar) Today

This Sunday is the Feast of the Transfiguration of our Lord Jesus Christ, one of the five major feasts of the Armenian Church. The observance recalls Christ's ascent up Mount Tabor, accompanied by his disciples John, James, and Peter. At the mountain's summit, to the disciple's frightened amazement, Christ was transfigured in a blinding white light. The Old Testament figures Moses and Elijah emerged from the mists of time to confer with the Lord, and the voice of God boomed from the heavens to affirm Jesus as his Son and the fulfillment of the law and prophets which came before.

Requiem Prayers for July

It is our church's tradition to pray every Sunday for our loved ones asleep in Christ, especially during the Intercessions (p. 35-38) and Der Voghormya (p. 45). This month, please pray for these deceased and their surviving family members for peace in Christ:

Mari Amoudjian, Betty Hovsepian, George Krikor Kamajian, Siranoush Keshishian, Harry Keshishian, Vahe Kuyumjian, Noubar Mahdessian, Mary Man-gigian, Alice Maslar, Charles Miloian, Lucien Papazian, Dr. Sirun Sarafian, Michele Shahnasarian, Siranoush Talatinian & Angela Varvarian

Please contact the church to add your loved one to our monthly requiem list. Donations to St. Hagop, or sponsoring coffee hour in honor of departed loved ones are welcome any Sunday. Full requiem/hokehankist service may also be requested at least one week in advance of date.

Prayer Requests

Please pray for Karen Minassian, Adrienne Ekizian, Zvart Jambazian, Marine Vardanian, Alex Shvorak, Sam Kapreilian, Sharon Sarkisian, Bruce Ryder, Martha Ann Garabedian, Gayane Danelian, Michele Fender, Andrea Zehnder, Patty Arakelian, Stephen Hazerjian, Kamo Gyularian, Aggie Ellian and Charles, Harold & Tanina Garabedian.

Kiss of Peace

Below is the greeting and response for the "Kiss of Peace," also found on p.27 in your pew books:

The greeting is:

Քրիստոս ի մեջ մեր յայտնեցաւ:

Krisdos ee mech mer haydnestav.

Christ is revealed among us.

The response is:

Օրհնեալ է յայտնութիւնս քրիստոսի:

Orhnyal eh haydnootyoonun Krisdosee.

Blessed is the Revelation of Christ.

