



30th Anniversary *1963 - 1993*



GREEK CANADIAN ORTHODOX
COMMUNITY
OF BELLEVILLE, TRENTON
AND DISTRICT INC.



Sunday, October 31, 1993



PANTOCRATOR • 11TH CENTURY • MOSAIC FROM DAPHNI

ΠΡΑΟΤΗΤΑ, ΑΓΑΠΗ, ΕΙΡΗΝΗ, ΑΝΕΞΕΥΚΛΗΣΤΗ, ΑΣΜΕΝΩΣ
ΑΓΑΠΗΤΗΣ, ΕΝΤΙΜΟΤΗΤΟΣ, ΥΠΟΒΑΛΛΟΥΣΗΣ ΠΕΡΙ ΤΟΥ
ΠΡΟΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΙΖΟΜΕΝΟΥ ΔΙΑ ΤΗΝ ΛΑ' ΤΟΥ ΠΡΟΣΕΧΟΥΣ ΜΗΝΟΣ 'ΟΚΤΩΒΡΙΟΥ
ΕΟΡΤΑΣΜΟΥ ΤΗΣ ΤΡΙΑΚΟΝΤΑΕΤΗΡΙΔΟΣ ΑΠΟ ΤΗΣ ΙΔΡΥΣΕΩΣ ΤΗΣ 'ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΥ
'ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗΣ ΚΟΙΝΟΤΗΤΟΣ 'ΑΓΙΑΣ ΤΡΙΑΔΟΣ ONTARIO ΚΑΙ ΑΙΤΟΥΜΕΝΗΣ ΕΚ
ΜΕΡΟΥΣ ΤΩΝ ΜΕΛΩΝ ΑΥΤΗΣ ΘΩΣ ΕΥΛΟΓΗΣΩΜΕΝ ΠΑΤΡΙΚΩΣ ΤΑΣ ΕΟΡΤΑΣΤΙΚΑΣ
ΤΑΥΤΑΣ ΕΚΔΗΛΩΣΕΙΣ.

Τῷ 'Εντιμοτάτῳ κυρίῳ Ι. Ζηκοπούλῳ, Διευθυντῇ Δημοσίων Σχέσεων
τῆς 'Ορθοδόξου Ἑλληνικῆς Κοινότητος Ontario, Καναδᾶ, τέκνῳ τῆς
ἡμῶν Μετριότητος ἐν Κυρίῳ ἀγαπητῷ, χάριν καὶ εἰρήνην παρὰ Θεοῦ.

'Ασμένως ἐλάβομεν τό ἀπό 15 'Ιουνίου ἐ.ἐ. γράμμα τῆς
ὑμετέρας ἀγαπητῆς 'Εντιμότητος, ὑποβαλλούσης περὶ τοῦ
προγραμματιζομένου διὰ τὴν λα' τοῦ προσεχοῦς μηνός 'Οκτωβρίου
εορτασμοῦ τῆς τριακονταετηρίδος ἀπὸ τῆς ιδρύσεως τῆς 'Ορθοδόξου
'Ελληνικῆς Κοινότητος Ἀγίας Τριάδος Ontario καὶ αἰτούμενης ἐκ
μέρους τῶν μελῶν αὐτῆς ὅπως εὐλογήσωμεν πατρικῶς τὰς εορταστικὰς
ταύτας ἐκδηλώσεις.

Εὐχαρίστως οὖν ἀνταποκρινόμενοι εἰς τὴν εὐλαβῇ παράκλησιν
ὑμῶν, προαγόμεθα διὰ τῶν μετὰ χεῖρας Πατριαρχικῶν ἡμῶν Γραμμάτων
ἵνα συγχαρῶμεν τοῖς εὐλαβέσι μέλεσι τῆς Κοινότητος ὑμῶν ἐπὶ τῇ
εὐλογημένῃ ταύτῃ ἐπετείῳ, ὥς καὶ ἐπὶ ταῖς ἄχρι τοῦδε
'Εκκλησιαστικαῖς, κοινωνικαῖς καὶ λοιπαῖς δραστηριότησιν αὐτῆς
καὶ ἰδιαιτέρως ἐπὶ τῇ στερεᾷ ἐμμονῇ ὑμῶν ἐν τῇ πατροφᾷ πίστει
καὶ ἀρετῇ.

'Επευχόμενοι δ' ὅπως Κύριος ὁ Θεός ἀξιῶσθαι ἵνα ἡ Κοινότης
ὑμῶν εορτάσθαι καὶ πλεῖστα ἄλλα εὐλογημένα 'Ιωβηλαῖα,
ἐπιδρασιλεύομεν τῇ ὑμετέρᾳ 'Εντιμότητι, τοῖς ἐντίμοις συνεργάταις
αὐτῆς καὶ πᾶσι τοῖς ἀφωσιωμένοις τῇ Μητρὶ 'Εκκλησίᾳ αὐτόθι
πιστοῖς ὁλόθυμον τὴν πατρικὴν καὶ Πατριαρχικὴν ἡμῶν εὐλογίαν καὶ
ἐπικαλούμεθα ἐπὶ πάντας τὴν χάριν καὶ τό ἄπειρον ἔλεος τοῦ
Κυρίου.

Σελὴν 'Σεπτεμβρίου ε'

Γραμματεὺς
ὁ ἀπὸ τοῦ Θεοῦ εὐκλείης β.



GREEK ORTHODOX ARCHDIOCESE OF NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA
ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΣ ΑΡΧΙΕΠΙΣΚΟΠΗ ΒΟΡΕΙΩΣ ΚΑΙ ΝΟΤΙΩΣ ΑΜΕΡΙΚΗΣ

10 EAST 79th STREET, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10021 • TEL (212) 570-3500 • FAX (212) 861-2183

11 ΑΥΓΟΥΣΤΟΥ 1993



Ἱερατικῶς Προϊστάμενον
καὶ Διοικητικόν Συμβούλιον τῆς
Ἑλληνικῆς Ὁρθοδόξου Κοινότητος
Ἀγίας Τριάδος
Belleville, Ontario

Ἀγαπητοί:

Πληροφοροῦμαι μέ πολλή εὐχαρίστησι ὅτι ἐφέτος συμπληρώνεται τριακονταετία ἀφ' ὅτου ἡ ἀγαπητὴ μου Κοινότης σας ἰδρύθη κάτω ἀπὸ τὴν προστατευτικὴ ἐπιστάσιά τῆς Ἱ. Ἀρχιεπισκοπῆς Βορείου καὶ Νοτίου Ἀμερικῆς.

Ἐπέρασαν τριάντα χρόνια προσφορᾶς, κόπων καὶ θυσιῶν ἀπὸ μέρους σας, ἀλλὰ καὶ χρόνια ἀγιασμοῦ καὶ θείας εὐλογίας γιὰ σᾶς καὶ γιὰ τὰ παιδιὰ σας. Δικαίως ἐορτάζετε καὶ πανηγυρίζετε. Μαζί σας χαίρω καὶ ἐγὼ μέ τὴν εὐκαιρία τῆς εὐλογημένης ἐπετείου καὶ σᾶς εὐχαριστῶ. Σᾶς ἐκφράζω τὴν εὐαρέσκειά τῆς Ἱ. Ἀρχιεπισκοπῆς, διότι ἐκάματε τό χρέος σας σάν ἑλληνορθόδοξοι χριστιανοί.

Ἐθεμελιώσατε καὶ ἐπὶ τρεῖς δεκαετηρίδες συντηρεῖτε μέ τὸν τίμιό ἰδρῶτά σας Ἑλληνικὴ Ὁρθόδοξη Κοινότητα στήν περιοχὴ σας. Κιβωτό τῶν παραδόσεων τῆς Ἐκκλησίας καὶ τοῦ Γένους μας. Ἐστία, πού ἀκτινοβολεῖ πρὸς κάθε κατεύθυνσι τό φῶς τῆς ὀρθοδόξου πίστεως καὶ τῆ θαλπωρῆ τῆς Χριστιανικῆς ἀγάπης.

Εἶναι γνωστὴ ἡ φιλοτιμία σας. Γι' αὐτό εἶμαι βέβαιος ὅτι οἱ ἐορταστικὲς ἐκδηλώσεις δέν θά εἶναι μόνο τό ἐπισφράγισμα μιᾶς γόνιμης τριακονταετίας, πού πέρασε. Θά εἶναι ταυτοχρόνως καὶ ἀφეთρία. Ξεκίνημα γιὰ νέες πνευματικὲς κατακτήσεις.

Γνωρίζετε τό πρόσταγμα τοῦ Ἀποστόλου: "Στήκετε καὶ κρατεῖτε τὰς παραδόσεις, ἃς ἐδιδάχθητε" (Β' Θεσσ. 2,15). Ἐνωμένοι καὶ ἀγαπημένοι θά συνεχίσετε τὴν ἀνοδικὴ πορεία σας, γιὰ νά σᾶς ἀξιῶσῃ ὁ Θεός νά ἐορτάσετε καὶ ἄλλες εὐλογημένες ἐπετείες, σάν τὴν ἐφετεινὴ. Τό εὖχομαι ὁλόψυχα.

Μέ πατρικὴ ἀγάπη,

Ο ΑΡΧΙΕΠΙΣΚΟΠΟΣ

Ι. Ιακώβος

+Ο ΑΜΕΡΙΚΗΣ ΙΑΚΩΒΟΣ

ΑΙ:ακ

ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΣ ΑΡΧΙΕΠΙΣΚΟΠΗ ΒΟΡΕΙΩ ΚΥ ΝΟΤΙΩ ΑΜΕΡΙΚΗΣ

GREEK ORTHODOX DIOCESE
OF TORONTO (CANADA)



LE DIOCESE GREC ORTHODOXE
DE TORONTO (CANADA)

ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΣ ΕΠΙΣΚΟΠΗ ΤΟΡΟΝΤΟ (ΚΑΝΑΔΑ)

27 TEDDINGTON PARK AVENUE

TORONTO, ONTARIO M4N 2C4

TELEPHONE (416) 322-5055 FAX (416) 485-5929

Τορόντο, 10η Σεπτεμβρίου 1993

Πρός τό εὐσεβές πλήρωμα
τῆς Ἑλληνορθοδόξου Κοινότητος
τῆς Ἁγίας Τριάδος
Belleville, Ontario



Ἀγαπητοί

Μέ συγκίνηση καί μέ μεγάλη μου χαρά σᾶς ἀπευθύνω τοῦτο τό μήνυμα, τώρα πού γιορτάζετε τά τριάντα χρόνια ἀπό τήν ἐπίσημη ἀναγνώριση τῆς ἀγαπητῆς σέ ὅλους Κοινότητάς σας. Πέρασατε ἀπό ἕνα μακρό στάδιο ἀγώνων καί προσπαθειῶν, καί τώρα, ὄχι μόνον ἐσεῖς, ἀλλά ὅλοι μας βλέπουμε μέ καμάρι τήν εὐλογημένη σας Κοινότητα. Ἡ πρόοδος ὑπῆρξε ἀπόλυτα ἱκανοποιητική.

Συνεχίστε μέ τόν ἴδιο ἔνθεο ζήλο τίς προσπάθειές σας, ὥστε τά νέα βλαστάρια, πού ἀνατράφηκαν μέ τίς Ἑλληνοχριστιανικές ἀρχές κάτω ἀπό τά δικά σας πατρικά καί μητρικά στοργικά βλέμματα, νά κρατήσουν ἄσβεστη τή δάδα τήν ὁποῖαν ἐσεῖς τόσο ἄξια μεταβιβάζετε στά γεμάτα ἐλπίδες χέρια τους.

Μόνον ὁ μέγας σας ἐνθουσιασμός καί ἡ συνεχῆς ἐπαγρύπνηση γιά τήν ἐκτέλεση τοῦ χριστιανικοῦ καί ἑλληνικοῦ καθήκοντος, μόνον αὐτά εἶναι ἡ ἐγγύηση γιά τήν ἐπιβίωση τῆς ἔνδοξης φυλῆς μας.

Εὐχομαι ἡ Παναγία Τριάς νά σᾶς εὐλογεῖ σέ κάθε βῆμα τοῦ ἔργου σας, ὥστε καί σεῖς καί τά παιδιά σας νά προοδεύετε μέ ὅλα τά πνευματικά καί ὑλικά ἀγαθά.

Μέ πατρική ἀγάπη καί θερμές εὐχές

Ο ΕΠΙΣΚΟΠΟΣ

Ο Τορόντο Σωτηριος
Ο ΤΟΡΟΝΤΟ ΣΩΤΗΡΙΟΣ

ΤΣ:ηχ

*Greek-Canadian Orthodox Community
of Belleville, Trenton and District Inc.*



Avondale Rd. and Harder Drive
P.O. Box 483
Belleville, Ontario
K8N 5B2

Church: (613) 968-3327
Hall: (613) 967-1874

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church

Belleville August 1993

Dear Brothers and Sisters, Rejoice in Christ.

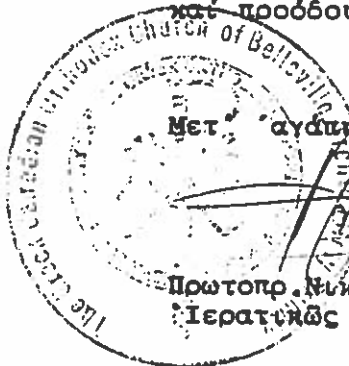
On behalf of the Parish Council and of the Congregation it gives me great pleasure to welcome you to our 30th Anniversary.

The Hellenic people in Belleville as well as everywhere else in Canada are to be highly commended for their progress, their success in the new country, to which they are loyal, they pledge allegiance to its flag, and obedience to its laws. At the same time they preserve their cultural heritage.

We are proud of our cultural heritage and faith as Greek Canadian Orthodox and we are grateful to Canada for accepting and promoting multiculturalism.

We hope that our gathering tonight will be interesting and informative and our social activities provide opportunities to renew old friendships and make new ones. May the Lord grant us progress in faith and spiritual discernment and may we always worship Him with reverence and love.

Ἀγάπη σας μᾶς προτρέπει νά σᾶς ἀπευθύνωμεν τόν χαιρετισμόν τῆς Ἐκκλησίας μας σέ ὅσους μέχρι τώρα ἔχομεν γνωρίσει καί ὅσους ἐν καιρῷ θά γνωρίσωμεν. Θά εἶναι εὐχαρίστησίς μας νά πραγματοποιηθῇ ἡ φράσις τοῦ Ἀγίου καί εὐαγγελιστοῦ Ἰωάννου "καί γινώσκω τά ἐμά καί γινώσκομαι ὑπό τῶν ἐμῶν" (Ἰωάν. I' 14), οὕτως ὥστε νά ἀποτελέσωμεν καί ζήσωμεν σάν μιᾷ πραγματικῇ χριστιανικῇ οἰκογένειᾳ ἀγάπης καί προόδου.



Μετ. ἀγάπης πολλῆς,

Πρωτοπ. Νικόλαος Π. Ἀνδρέου.
Ἱεραρχικῶς Προϊστάμενος.





ΓΕΝΙΚΟ ΠΡΟΞΕΝΕΙΟ ΤΗΣ ΕΛΛΑΔΟΣ
CONSULATE-GENERAL OF GREECE
100 UNIVERSITY AVENUE, SUITE 902
TORONTO, ONTARIO M5J 1V6 CANADA
TEL: (416) 593-1636 FAX: (416) 593-5175

Τορόντο, 21 Σεπτεμβρίου 1993



ΜΗΝΥΜΑ

ΧΡΗΣΤΟΥ Ε. ΚΟΝΤΟΒΟΥΝΗΣΙΟΥ ΓΕΝΙΚΟΥ ΠΡΟΞΕΝΟΥ ΤΗΣ ΕΛΛΑΔΟΣ ΣΤΟ ΤΟΡΟΝΤΟ

Αγαπητοί συμπατριώτες,

Κατ'αρχάς σας ευχαριστώ πολύ για την ευγενική σας πρόσκληση και τις ευχές σας.

Με την ευκαιρία του αναμνηστικού λευκώματος που θα εκδώσετε θα ήθελα να απευθύνω τους πλέον θερμούς πατριωτικούς χαιρετισμούς μου σ'όλα τα μέλη και φίλους της Κοινότητας Belleville, Trenton and District.


Θα ήθελα να υπογραμμίσω ότι η διάρκεια ζωής των ελληνικών κοινοτήτων όχι μόνο στον Καναδά αλλά κι όπου αλλού υπάρχουν Έλληνες εξαρτάται από τη θέληση και την φλόγα της Ελληνικότητας των μελών και των φίλων της κάθε μιάς κοινότητας.

Τα τριάντα χρόνια ζωής της κοινότητας της Belleville που γιορτάζετε είναι οπωσδήποτε μια αναμφισβήτητη απόδειξη ότι έχετε θέληση η κοινότητά σας να ζήσει για πολλές ακόμα τριακονταετηρίδες.

Η Μητέρα Πατρίδα, μέσω του Γενικού Προξενείου, αισθάνεται ιδιαίτερα υπερήφανη όταν διαπιστώνει ότι οι ομογενειακές μας κοινότητες ζουν, ευημερούν και μακροημερεύουν και αποτελούν πραγματικές κυφές του Ελληνισμού και της Ορθοδοξίας.

Με τα λίγα αυτά λόγια, εύχομαι προκοπή και πολλές τριακονταετηρίδες ζωής στη κοινότητά σας και μια πολύ πετυχημένη εορταστική εκδήλωση την Κυριακή το βράδυ.

Με Πατριωτικούς χαιρετισμούς,


Χρήστος Κοντοβουνήςσιος
Γενικός Πρόξενος της Ελλάδος

**Greek-Canadian Orthodox Community
of Belleville, Trenton and District Inc.**



Avondale Rd. and Harder Drive
P.O. Box 483
Belleville, Ontario
K8N 5B2

Church: (613) 968-3327
Hall: (613) 967-1874

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church



The 30th Anniversary Celebration of the Greek Community of Belleville, Trenton & District is giving us the opportunity to review our accomplishments over the last 30 years and to assess the present and to focus on the future.

As I look back, I realize that only 4 years out of the thirty years I was not involved in any executive capacity and eighteen out of the remaining 26 I served as the President of the Community. I worked with 9 different Church Councils and with each one I had excellent co-operation, communication and good results.

I was the President when we purchased the land, built the Church, celebrated the official opening, the consecration, the building of a new Banquet Hall on the side of the Church, major renovations on the church's front entrance & banquet hall, paving the lot for 115 cars and at the end of this Council's Term we retire the complete mortgage so from now on we will be home free.

All the above didn't happen accidentally. There was a lot of planning, dedication & commitment from a lot of people. All the members who served on the Church Council in any capacity, all members of the different committees, the Philoptohos who worked side by side with council in every step of the Community's Progress, Physical, Moral and Financial Support. When A.H.E.P.A., Daughters of Penelope & Sons & Maids were formed in the early 1970's and got going the most of their revenue was donated to the Church and they are still supporting the church to-day more than ever before.

That is why, the Community this Year Recognizes as Great Benefactors, the Philoptohos Society, the A.H.E.P.A. Family and Phillip Panelas, who built the Church to join in the group of previous ones, the late Minas Maniates, Larry Tsokos and Varoutas brothers, James, Tom & Thanasi.

To get where we are we needed and got the support and co-operation of all the City Politicians, Sidney Township, Provincial & Federal Members of Parliament and all people of the Quinte Area; We Thank You All.

I would like to thank all the Greek School & Sunday School Teachers, the Dancing Group Teacher, the Altar Boys, the Chantlers and the Choir and all others helping inside and outside the Church.

A Great Respect to the Late Bishop of Ancona, Rt. Rev. Dr. Thodosios the first Spiritual Leader and Great Supporter; His Grace Rt. Rev. Bishop Soterios who always supports us and accommodates us with Priests. Over 30 Priests have gone by here full and part time. We thank them all for their contributions over the last 30 years. Now we welcome the new Resident Priest, Nicholas Andreou with his wife Zoy from Regina, Saskatchewan. We wish them the Best in this Community.

I Thank Young and Old Members of the Community for all their support and contributions, especially the Present Council for the co-operation, dedication & harmony.

I would like to recognize all sponsors for their contribution towards publication and finally all the Dignitaries who join us here to-night to celebrate the 30th Anniversary of the Community.

NOW, since I see the project completed from start to finish and paid for, nothing remains for me to do, just step aside and let some others lead an already paved road to the future. It has been a pleasure serving our Community for 26 years.

RESPECTFULLY,
YOUR OUT-GOING PRESIDENT

PETER ZEGOURAS



Office of the Mayor - Shirley Langer

City of Belleville, Ontario

TO THE GREEK-CANADIAN ORTHODOX COMMUNITY
OF BELLEVILLE, TRENTON AND DISTRICT INC.

To be included in the anniversary booklet commemorating 30
years from its official foundation.

PREPARED BY MAYOR SHIRLEY LANGER

GREETINGS:

The occasion of the 30th Anniversary of the Greek-Canadian Orthodox Community of Belleville, Trenton and District Inc. is being commemorated with the publication of this anniversary booklet.

I am pleased to have the opportunity to welcome all of you to Belleville on this special occasion. As a community we are fortunate in that our growth and development has been of a diverse nature with many cultures, and that we live in relative harmony in this beautiful country. We look to you with your many years of experience to help with the integration of newcomers into our Quinte community.

I wish to thank the executive and members, past and present for their hard work and dedication in keeping the Greek-Canadian Community active for the past thirty years.

My best wishes for a wonderful celebration and continued success in your endeavours.

Yours truly,

Mayor Shirley Langer
/sr





With the compliments of

Lyle Vanclief, M.P.

Prince Edward - Hastings

Ottawa (613) 992-5321

Belleville (613) 969-7466



Congratulations on this, the celebration of the 30th Anniversary of the founding of the Belleville, Trenton and District Greek-Canadian Orthodox Community! Thank you for your many valuable contributions to our region. Best wishes for continuing success in your future endeavours.

**Lyle Vanclief, M.P.
Prince Edward - Hastings**



**ΚΑΝΑΔΙΚΟΣ
ΧΑΡΤΗΣ ΔΙΚΑΙΩΜΑΤΩΝ
ΚΑΙ ΕΛΕΥΘΕΡΙΩΝ**



Hugh P. O'Neil
M.P.P.
Quinte



Queen's Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A4

October 31, 1993.

**Mr. J.L. Zikopoulos, B.A.,
Public Relations,
Greek-Canadian Orthodox Community
of Belleville, Trenton & District Inc.,
Avondale Road and Harder Drive,
P.O. Box 483,
Belleville, Ontario.
K8N 5B2.**



Dear Members and Friends,

It is indeed a pleasure to offer my sincere congratulations on the occasion of the 30th Anniversary of the Greek Canadian Orthodox Community of Belleville, Trenton and District.

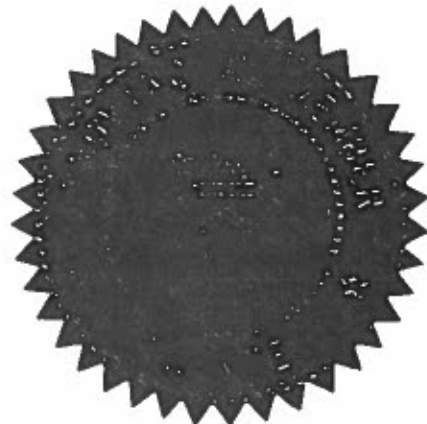
You are to be commended for the educational and cultural contribution you have made to this area which has enhanced the lives of all our citizens.

Best wishes for all your future endeavours. May they be as successful as your past.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Hugh P. O'Neil".

**Hugh P. O'Neil, M.P.P.
Quinte.**





National Anthem of Greece

Εθνικός Ύμνος Ελλάδος

Σε γνωρίζω από την κόψη
του σπαθιού την τρομερή,
σε γνωρίζω από την όψη
που με διαμέτραι τη γη.

Απ' τα κόκκαλα θγαλμένη
των Ελλήνων τα ιερά,
και σαν πρώτα ανδρόκορπη,
χαίρε, ω χαίρε Ελευθερία!

Εκεί μέσα εκατοικάσες
πικραμένη, εντροπαλή,
κι' ένα στόμα καρτερούσες
'Εσ' ήπάλι να σου πει.

Απ' με νάρθη εκείνη μέρα
κρίσαν όλα σιωπηλά,
Γιατί τάσκιαζε η φοβέρα
και τα πλάκωνε η σκιά της.

Δυστυχής! Πληρηγός
ήδη σ'όκτασε να
πυρραμένα μετ' αλεί,
και οδ' να δει το κ' αλφει.

Κατασφύρει να ακούσει
φιλελευθέρη λαλή,
ένα κτυπάει τα χέρια
από την απελπισία της.

Διονύσιος Σολωμός

Congratulations on your 30th Anniversary

**Newly
Open**

WELCOME TO **ROSIE'S**

FAMILY RESTAURANT

DINING ROOM OPEN 11:00 A.M.
DAILY LUNCHEON & DINNER SPECIALS
LICENSED UNDER L.L.B.O.

**VISA
and
MASTERCARD**

~ SPECIALTY ~
• STEAK • SEAFOOD • PRIME RIB •

1 PRINCE EDWARD ST.
BRIGHTON, ONTARIO K0K 1H0
(613) 475-4705

BASILIOS TOURLAS

Compliments and Best Wishes

from

GREEK-CANADIAN ARCADIAN ASSOCIATION BELLEVILLE & DISTRICT MENALON CHAPTER #30



The Greek-Canadian Arcadian Association was formed on October 7, 1991 with the primary purpose of promoting unity among those member of the Greek community with Arcadian origin. Over the past two years the number of members has steadily increased and today membership stands at more than fifty people.

The association is active within the Greek community, holding an annual dance as well as an annual summer picnic. The money that is made from these events is donated to various charities within the city of Belleville, and a sizeable contribution is made to the church as a symbol of the association's appreciation for the support from the Greek community of Belleville, Trenton and District.

Carnation®

C L A S S I C

Cuts



3/8" STRAIGHT CUT

ALSO AVAILABLE IN
1/2" STRAIGHT CUT



7/16" STRAIGHT CUT



3/8" CRINKLE CUT
ALSO AVAILABLE IN 1/2"
CRINKLE CUT



*HOME FRIES



5/16" ALL-PURPOSE



*STEAK FRIES



SHOESTRING



OVEN FRIES



3/8" ALL-PURPOSE

McCain

**DELIVERS
PROFITS . . .**



1-800-367-7321

**. . . Worth their
Weight in GOLD!**

PERFORMANCE AUDIO & VIDEO

Your source to Greek Radio, TV and Satellite
Multi system TV's and VCR's

We sell better audio and Video
Teac • Rotel • Onkyo • Sherwood • Sanyo • Mirage • B&W

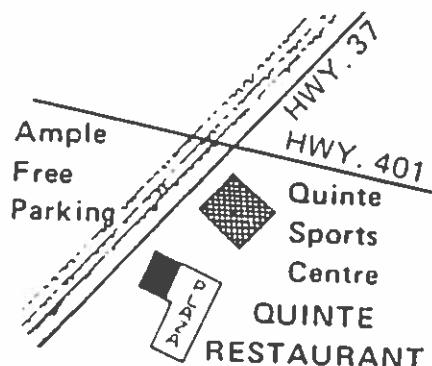
Call Jeff at 966-2770

(257 North Front St., Belleville - Beside Mirage Restaurant)

Congratulations on the 30th



DINING LOUNGE LICENSED UNDER L.L.B.O.
OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK



**TAKE OUT
SERVICE**

962-1313

137 CANNIFTON RD
IN NORTH TOWN PLAZA

Mr. and Mrs. M. Loizou and Family

**HOLY TRINITY
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH
REGIONAL JURISDICTION**

Napanee
Picton
Wellington
Cobourg

Deseronto
Shannonville
Marysville
Stirling
Port Hope

Belleville
Trenton
Brighton
Frankford
Colborne

Campbellford
Marmora
Tweed
Bancroft

**GREEK IMMIGRATION
REGIONAL REPRESENTATION AMONG EARLY ARRIVALS
PERIOD 1897 - 1930**

Macedonia
Epirus

Peloponesus
Minor Asia

Cyprus
Islands

*Majority came from Laconia and Arcadia

Research: J. L. 7

**Congratulations
to the Greek-Canadian Community
of Belleville, Trenton and District**

Golden Valley
'Exellence in Dining'

499 Dundas W.
West End Plaza
Trenton, Ontario

Fully Licensed
For Reservations
Call - 392-1414



MOTHER'S METHOD
TAVERN AND RESTAURANT

BANQUETS & RECEPTIONS
TAKE OUT SERVICE

14 DUNDAS ST., EAST
NAPANEE, ONT.

(613) 354-2388

"Service With A Smile"

Congratulations

from

**The Family of
Mr. & Mrs. J. Klinaris**

on the 30th Anniversary

Markham, Ont.

*Congratulations on the
30th Anniversary*

May the spiritual growth continue!

from

**Peter C. Nicholas
and Family**

Our Best Wishes

for the

30th Anniversary

from

The Family of Jerry Tsialanatas

*Our very Best Wishes to the
Greek Orthodox Community
of Belleville on its
Thirtieth Anniversary*

**Diamandes & Eleni Diamantides
Yola and Maro**



**Coupon for
40% OFF
All Gold
Jewellery**

**Deadline Date
Dec. 24, 1993**

TVD TRENT VALLEY
DISTRIBUTORS
LTD.

Members of
ISSA
INTERNATIONAL SANITARY
SUPPLY ASSOCIATION



P.O. Box 1325, 300 Bell Blvd., Unit 4
Belleville, Ontario K8N 5J1
FAX: (613) 966-4547

(613) 966-5279

(613) 966-5280

*We Congratulate
Our Community*

**Mr. and Mr. George Vitsenzatos
and Family**



BAKER'S DOZEN DONUTS CORPORATION

Unit 13, 1224 Dundas St., East
Mississauga, Ontario L4Y 4A2
(416) 272-1825

*Baker's Dozen Donuts
would like to congratulate the Greek Community
on their 30th Anniversary in the city of Belleville*

Baker's Dozen Donuts is proud to be a part of the community in Belleville and enjoys a proud Greek tradition of it's own. Found by Ted & Peter Paraskakis in 1977 has been franchising since 1984.

BAKER'S DOZEN DONUTS

379 N. Front St.

Belleville, Ont.

Tel: (613) 966-8948

Hosts: Nick & Joanne Markanastasakis
and Family

BAKER'S DOZEN DONUTS

150 Sidney St.,

Belleville, Ont.

Tel: (613) 967-1767

Hosts: Leonel & Teresa Jose

Nick & Joanne and Leonel & Teresa, local franchisees, also would like to congratulate the Greek community on their 30th Anniversary.

Baker's Dozen Donut stores with a difference in great products, quality service and cleanliness, our trademarks. Baked daily, over 50 varieties of delicious donuts and a great selection of desserts.

HONOUREES

~ INDIVIDUALS ~



*For the longest serving member
in council and the longest
serving President:*

P. ZEGOURAS



*For continued
financial support:*

ANGELO KOLLIOS



*For special contributions
to the City and the
Greek Community:*

D. DIAMANTIDES



*For his contributions in the
building of the Church
and its completion:*

P. PANELLAS



*For his political career as Mayor
of Belleville and his contributions
to the Greek Community:*

G. ZEGOURAS



*For serving 10 yrs or more
in Council
as Secretary:*

C. GIOUROUKOS



*For serving 10 yrs
or more
in Council:*

J. TSIALAMATAS



*For serving 10 or more yrs
in Council
as Treasurer:*

C. TSOUKALAS



*For serving 10 or more years in Council
as Secretary, P.R and Coordinator of
Sunday and Greek School:*

J. L. ZIKOPOULOS

~ ORGANIZATIONS ~

1. For their continued financial support to the Church and Community:
The Order of AHEPA, Mike Constantinou Chapter C.J. 28 and its Auxiliaries
(DAUGHTERS of PENELOPE, MAIDS of ATHENA, SONS of PERICLES)
2. For continued financial support, dedication and contributions to the life of the Greek Community and the City:
The Ladies Auxiliary,
PHILOPTOCHOS of the HOLY TRINITY Greek Othodox CHURCH

ORDER OF AHEPA



AHEPA MEMBERS - 1993

G. Brindakis
T. Baliotis
K. Christopher
T. Christopher
F. Georgatos
S. Kelpis
L. Langabeer
N. Markanastasakis

F. Meletis
G. Michalopoulos
J. Nanos
T. Poulos
V. Samek
J. Tsialamatas
L. Tsokos
A. Tsouroulis

H. Tsouroulis
G. Vitsentzos
C. Vitsentzos
M. Xanthos
G. Zegouras
P. Zegouras
A. P. Zegouras

Daughters



of Penelope



DAUGHTERS OF PENELOPE - 1993

H. Baliotis
M. Baliotis
B. Christopher
K. Christopher
D. Drosopoulos
E. Georgiou
A. Giouroukos

T. Kaparaliotis
C. Kiofos
N. Kotsovos
P. Manellis
B. Nanos
A. Samek
A. Staikos

H. Tsialamatas
C. Tsokos
J. Vitsentzos
J. Zamanis
D. Zegouras
T. Zegouras

MAIDS OF ATHENA



SONS OF PERICLES - 1993



**MAIDS OF ATHENA
SONS OF PERICLES - 1993**

C. Giouroukos
C. Markanastasakis
A. Papadakis
H. Samek

D. Staikos
N. Staikos
G. Syntetos
J. Syntetos

N. Tsokos
H. Zegouras
R. Zegouras
V. Zegouras

V. Markanastasakis
N. Nanos
M. Papadakis
P. Papadakis

T. Poulos
T. Poulos
R. Samek
T. Samek

P. Syntetos
J. Tsokos
A. G. Zegouras
A. P. Zegouras

MISS HELLAS

ETHNIC FESTIVAL



1984
N. Drosopoulos



1985
V. Drosopoulos



1986
B. Goulis



1987
K. Fortis

GREEK AMBASSADOR FOLKORAMA



1993
G. Koutsoubis

FOLKORAMA



1988
M. Jianopoulos



1989
V. Kapareliotis



1990
V. Zegouras



1991
S. Brotsis



1992
H. Samek



Province of Ontario

By the Honourable

JOHN YAREMKO,

Provincial Secretary and Minister of Citizenship

To all to whom these Presents shall Come
Greeting

Whereas The Corporations Act provides that with the exceptions therein mentioned the Lieutenant Governor may in his discretion, by Letters Patent, issue a Charter to any number of persons, not fewer than three, of twenty-one or more years of age, who apply therefor, constituting them and any others who become shareholders or members of the corporation thereby created a corporation for any of the objects to which the authority of the Legislature extends;

And Whereas by the said Act it is further provided that the Provincial Secretary may in his discretion and under the Seal of

Dated December 11, 1964

Province of Ontario

Letters Patent

Incorporating

The Greek-Canadian Orthodox
Community of Belleville
and District Incorporated

Recorded this 19th
day of January 11, 1965
at the 85
in the 1963

M. R. Tarry
R. F. Morton
Recording Officer

PROVINCIAL SECRETARIAT'S OFFICE
TORONTO, ONTARIO

HONOURING A PIONEER LOUIS MARASCHAS

1987

Quinte Weekly News Wednesday Sept. 30, 1987, Page 3

Louis Maraskis, a prominent city lawyer, was honoured by Belleville's Greek community recently. Mr. Maraskis recalls the prejudice his family faced after coming here as the city's only Greek family in 1914. An honorary life member of the YMCA, Mr. Maraskis has been active in the organization for almost 60 years.



THE ROASTING



City's first Greek family faced prejudice

Now Louis Maraskas, lawyer, war hero, is paid tribute by his community

By JACK EVANS
Staff Reporter

The city's Greek community Tuesday night paid a collective tribute to one of its esteemed citizens.

The salute, to Louis Maraskas, long-time Belleville lawyer, now retired from practice, also marked the cultural differences the years bring.

Maraskas, now 75, recalled as a child that his was the only Greek family in Belleville when it arrived in the city in 1914 and often faced entrenched prejudice.

But, last night, among those paying him tribute was George Zagouras, now in his third successive term as mayor of Belleville, himself born in Greece.

The mayor described Maraskas as a "great Greek and a great Canadian."

Maraskas, himself a lawyer honored with the title QC, a local military hero and a special friend to many in difficulties, declared: "It is a better world; Belleville is a better place; people are much kinder now. Whatever I have done, I did in memory of mother and my father."

His few remarks and witticisms ("I wondered who the hell they were talking about" and "I had so many friends I had to start dealing with strangers before I could make any money"), earned him standing ovations from the gathering at Holy Trinity Greek-Orthodox Church hall, which serves the Quinte-area Greek community—now grown to about 90 families, says its president, Peter Zagouras.

Di Diamantides, retired city YMCA official, traced Maraskas's support of the YMCA over almost 60 years, which earned him an honorary life membership in the organization.

Always active in sports in high school, he remains an active



There've been changes

From entrenched prejudice, he experienced in Belleville as a child, Louis Maraskas, (left), prominent city lawyer who recently retired, has witnessed a fellow

member of the YMCA.

Graduating from Belleville elementary and secondary schools, in the Second World War Maraskas joined the services in 1940 and was posted overseas with

a tank regiment. He was wounded in the invasion of Sicily in December 1943.

He attended Osgoode Hall for law studies after the war's end and opened his legal practice in

Belleville in 1949. Several Greek community leaders praised his support of the community and the church, noting he performed many services without fee.



THE WITNESS

Congratulations
on your
30th Anniversary

K. G. REID

Trenching and Construction Ltd.

Backhoe, Trencher, Trucks, Underground Utilities
Bulldozer - Rock Concrete Breaking

R.R. #7
Belleville, Ontario

(613) 969-6197

Congratulations and Best wishes
on your 30th Anniversary

SPECTRA FOODS LTD.

26 Lucifer Drive Willowdale, Ontario M2J 4E7

QUALITY
SHORTENINGS
AND
VEGETABLE OILS



BILL TSIOLIS

TORONTO (416) 499-5276
MONTREAL (514) 457-3030

*Congratulations to
Greek Community*

JIM'S SPECIAL PIZZA

28 FRONT ST., CAMPBELLFORD

653-1036

EAT-IN or TAKE-OUT

HOME-MADE PIZZA OUR SPECIALTY

*Our famous pizzas are
home-made from start to finish.
We do not use any
prepared ingredients.*



Compliments of

John's Variety Store

Magazines

Tobacco

Confections

649

Instant

Pro-Line

Sports Select

Seven Days A Week
8 AM - 11 PM

**233 STATION ST. BELLEVILLE
969-0826**

*Best Wishes on our
Greek Community
30th Anniversary*



CROWN BLEND COFFEE LTD.

**CHRISTINA KIOFOS
and FAMILY**

650 Dundas St. E.
Belleville, Ontario
K8N 1G7

(613) 969-4477

Compliments of

Skyline **TAVERN**

UP TO 100 PEOPLE

WITH TWO DINING LOUNGES AND LOUNGE

**"NEW FIESTA DINING LOUNGE"
ACCOMMODATES 200 PEOPLE**

FULLY LICENSED BY L.L.B.O.

BLUE ROOM STEAK HOUSE UP TO 100 PEOPLE

CANADIAN & ITALIAN DISHES

**INQUIRE ABOUT OUR CATERING SERVICE FOR
LARGE OR SMALL GROUPS,
BANQUETS, PARTIES, ETC.**

FOR RESERVATIONS CALL

47 DUNDAS W.

392-7866

*Congratulations
to the Greek-Canadian Community
on the 30th Anniversary*

from

The ZIKOPOULOS Family
John, Georgina, Steven, Nicolette and Paul

ΘΕΡΜΑ ΣΥΓΧΑΡΗΤΗΡΙΑ

*We offer our
Congratulations*

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Georgakopoulos

Our Congratulations

from

JIM'S PIZZA - Cobourg

Mr. and Mrs. G. Zorbas
and Family

*Congratulations
to the Community*

Mr. & Mrs. Mike Fortis

*Congratulations
on the
30th Anniversary*

Mr. and Mrs. J. Trakkas

*Greetings and
Congratulations*

Mr. and Mrs. T. Jianopoulos

*Congratulations & Best Wishes
on your 30th Anniversary*

from

John, Barbara, Nikita & Eleni Nanos

*Best Wishes
on the*

30th Anniversary

Mr. & Mrs. George Patsios



It's *your* store for.. Perfection



Whether it's *Burger Perfection*, *Cookie Perfection*, or our popular *Pizza Perfection*, we guarantee freshness, because it's all made fresh daily at Semple's!
You haven't tasted food this good!



President's Choice & no name.

We carry a complete line of unique *President's Choice* products of exceptional quality, as well as *no name* products to help save you more! Shop Semple's for all of Dave Nichol's *Smile Report* items!



Service has been a Semple's tradition, and we will continue to offer our customers the friendly and courteous service you expect and deserve.

...AND ALWAYS THE FINEST AND FRESHEST IN OUR PRODUCE, DELI, AND BAKERY DEPARTMENTS



SEMPLER'S
173 Dundas St. E. Belleville, Ontario
STORE HOURS:
Mon. & Tues. 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Wed. - Fri. 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Sat. 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Closed Sunday

We're proud to serve the Belleville community

GREEK LANGUAGE SCHOOL TEACHERS

HERITAGE LANGUAGE SCHOOL

- 1968 - 1971: D. Demas, Father Bardouniotis,
G. Lambros, H. Diamantides
1972 - 1978: Paul Sdrolas, M. Div.
1978 - 1993: Bishop Theodosius, M. Kathis,
Father Marinos, C. Elilopoulos,
P. Angelatos, E. Kassalides,
A. Staikos, P. Xanthos, J. Poulos



Paul Sdrolas, M. Div.

HIGH SCHOOL GREEK LANGUAGE CREDITS

J. L. Zikopoulos, B.A., L.ès. L.



25th of March, 1973



25th of March, 1993



S. Papadopoulos
Award Winner - June, 1993



June, 1993 Graduation

ORGANIZATIONS

The Orthodox Greeks in Canada are organized into Communities, each incorporated under a provincial charter and having an elected council. They are under the spiritual guidance of the Metropolitan Bishop of Canada, and, through him of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of North and South America with headquarters in New York.

The aim of these organizations is the preservation of Greek religion, language and culture. Usually each Community supports its own Greek Language School.

The Anglo-Hellenic Educational and Progressive Association (AHEPA) is a fraternal organization which was introduced in Canada in 1928. It seeks to promote good citizenship and loyalty to Canada and to disseminate information on Greek Culture. Affiliated with AHEPA is a Women's Auxiliary Daughters of Penelope and two youth groups, Maids of Athena and Sons of Pericles.

The Greek Orthodox Youth of America (GOYA) is aiming at promoting religious, culture and social activities among the young people in the spirit of Greek Ideals.

In addition to these large organizations which cut across the Greek Community there are many regional societies whose members are coming from the same geographical area.

Only recently the PANARCADIAN Association was formed and it is the only organization outside the frame of the Community.

(notes from History of the Gr. Com.)

RESIDENTIAL COMMERCIAL INDUSTRIAL

PAINT AND ACCESSORIES

BYRD'S DECORATING CENTER

214 N. FRONT STREET
BELLEVILLE, ONT.
K8P 3C2
613-968-4822

DONALD MACALISTER

Compliments of Louis Tsiichlas and Family

Cozy Grill

962-9015

207 FRONT ST., BELLEVILLE, ONT.

~ Delicatessen Servings ~

OPEN 6 A.M. TO 8 P.M.

HARMONY MUSIC LTD.

"YOUR COMPLETE MUSIC STORE"

16 TRACK RECORDING STUDIO

76 Harriet Street
Belleville, Ontario
P.O. Box 455 K8N 5B2

WAYNE McFAUL
(613) 968-9975

Compliments of

DOUG ROLLINS SERVICE

416 BRIDGE ST., E. at Herchimer Ave.

966-8266

MR. PIZZA



HOMEMADE PIZZA

653-1999

39 FRONT ST. NORTH, CAMPBELLFORD

JOAN THOMPSON

TRAVEL SERVICE LTD.

AIRLINE TICKETS AT AIRPORT PRICES!



AIR, CRUISE, RAIL, HOTEL, CAR RENTALS
TRAVEL INSURANCE/BLUE CROSS
SPECIAL GROUP RATES
SPECIALLY DESIGNED HOLIDAYS
"SENIORS SPECIAL DISCOUNTS"

25 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

969-5222



365 NORTH FRONT, BELL TOWER MARKET PLACE (NEXT TO SWISS CHALET)
ONT. REG. NO. 2896593



STATE FARM INSURANCE COMPANIES
CANADIAN HEAD OFFICES: SCARBOROUGH, ONTARIO

ED FRANCEY
Agent

648 Dundas Street East
Belleville, Ontario K8N 1G7

Bus. 613 966-4041
Res. 613 548-1093

*Congratulations on your
30th Anniversary*

STATION SQUARE FOOD MARKET

Lunch Bar, Eat In or Take Out

(613) 962-4164

227 STATION ST., BELLEVILLE K8N 2T7

Open 7 Days a Week - 6:00 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.
T & H BALIOTIS



GREEK ORTHODOX ARCHDIOCESE OF NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA
9th DISTRICT TORONTO

GREEK-CANADIAN ORTHODOX COMMUNITY OF BELLEVILLE AND DISTRICT INC.
P.O. BOX 483
BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO

One of our main inspirations in undertaking the project of our Church undoubtedly has been the desire to pass on to the new generation our culture and language.

We take pride in listing here the names of the students who attended the Greek Language School, during the school year 1972 - 73.

GREEK LANGUAGE SCHOOL 1972 - 73

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

1. J. Tsiamatas, chairman
2. A. Tsuroulis
3. C. Giouroukas
4. A. Sdrolas, Teacher
5. J. L. Zikopoulos, Educational Supervisor

STUDENTS SCHOOL YEAR 1972 - 1973

CLASS A

1. Angelatos Georgios
2. Angelatos Spyridon
3. Angelatos Dionysios
4. Giouroukou Georgia
5. Drouka Panayota
6. Zamanis Georgios
7. Kalomoiri Zacharoula
8. Nanos Nikitas
9. Papakynazi Katerina
10. Tsoukala Kiki
11. Fournotis Gerasilmos
12. Christofondou Maria

CLASS B

1. Zegoura Maria
2. Zamanis Georgios
3. Zamanis Evangelia
4. Zamanis Eleni
5. Kopanas Ioannis
6. Kopana Anastasia
7. Kaparelioti Roula
8. Katsyanni Stavroula
9. Katsyanni Anastasia
10. Papakyrizis Kyriakos
11. Papakyrizis Stamata
12. Tsurouli Stavroula
13. Tsurouli Nedi
14. Christophoridis Anastasios
15. Christophoridis Agasthangelos
16. Christophoridou Anastasia
17. Fournotis Michael

CLASS C

1. Zamanis Angeliki
2. Kopana Dionysia
3. Kayara Kymaki
4. Retzos Demetrios
5. Tsurouli Maria
6. Tsurouli Niki
7. Tsiamata Christina
8. Christophoridou Georgia
9. Fournotis Savvas

DEMOGRAPHIC DATA GREEK IMMIGRATION

YEAR	CANADA TOTAL	QUINTE AREA
1871	30	0
1901	300	1
1911	3,614	12
1921	5,740	43
1931	9,450	51
1941	10,500	67
1951	14,000	92
1961	56,000	173
1971	180,000	340
1988	250,000+	640

DEMOGRAPHIC DATA GREEK POPULATION RECORDED SACRAMENTS

QUINTE AREA			
PERIOD	MARRIAGES	BAPTISMS	DEATHS
1955-1988	91	242	44
1989-1993	23	25	12

RESEARCH: J.L.Z.



MEMBERS OF THE GREEK CANADIAN
ORTHODOX COMMUNITY OF BELLEVILLE,
TRENTON AND DISTRICT
1973

Every member of our Community would like to express sincere thanks to all individuals and firms without whose generous support, time and effort the building of this Church would not have been possible.

- | | | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Mr. Angelatos | Mr. G. V. Haggis | Mr. A. Staikos |
| Mr. & Mrs. Costas Angelatos | Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Haggis | Mr. N. Staikos |
| Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Angelatos | Mr. & Mrs. G. Ioannou | Mrs. Beatrice Strot |
| Mr. & Mrs. Peter Anns | | Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Syndetos |
| Mr. & Mrs. J. R. Barnes | Mr. & Mrs. G. Giannopoulos | Mr. Peter Syndetos |
| Mr. & Mrs. John Ballotes | Mr. & Mrs. T. Kanelios | Mr. & Mrs. N. Syndetos |
| Mr. Spyros Ballotes | Mr. T. Katerianis | Mr. & Mrs. P. Sdrolas |
| Mr. & Mrs. Tom Ballotes | Mr. George Katsis | |
| Mr. & Mrs. T. Christoper | Mr. & Mrs. P. Kalomiris | Mr. Peter Thanos |
| Mr. & Mrs. G. Christopher | Mr. & Mrs. Peter Kobanas | Mr. & Mrs. T. Theodorou |
| Mr. & Mrs. B. Christophoratos | Mr. & Mrs. T. Koukoulis | Mr. & Mrs. T. Tsiamatas |
| Mr. & Mrs. James Christos | Mr. & Mrs. T. Kapacis | Mr. & Mrs. L. Tsiachas |
| Mr. Tom Christos | Mr. & Mrs. Menas Kathis | Mr. & Mrs. C. Tsokias |
| Mr. & Mrs. J. Christos | Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Kayaras | Mr. & Mrs. L. Tsokias |
| Mr. & Mrs. J. Christodoulou | Mr. & Mrs. J. Kayaras | Mr. & Mrs. N. Tsokias |
| Mr. Gus Contos | Mr. & Mrs. P. Kapareliotes | Mr. & Mrs. C. Tsoukalas |
| | Mr. & Mrs. T. Kufner | Mr. & Mrs. A. Tsuroulis |
| | Mr. & Mrs. Mike Karanias | Mr. & Mrs. H. Tsuroulis |
| Mr. P. Daskalopoulos | Mr. & Mrs. Socrates Kelpis | |
| Mr. & Mrs. E. Diakomas | Mr. & Mrs. N. Koutsoumbis | |
| Mr. & Mrs. J. Diamantopoulos | | |
| Mr. & Mrs. O. Diamantides | | |
| Mr. & Mrs. P. Dimitropoulos | Mrs. K. Laskaris | Mr. F. Vasil |
| Mr. & Mrs. A. Drosopoulos | Mr. Geo. Lampros | Mr. & Mrs. A. Vasiopoulos |
| Mr. & Mrs. Mike Droukas | | Brothers Varoutas |
| Mr. P. Dionisatos | Mr. & Mrs. M. Maniatis | Mr. & Mrs. G. Vitsentatos |
| | Mr. & Mrs. Alex Maniatis | |
| Mr. & Mrs. G. Eliopoulos | Mr. Louis Maraghas | |
| Mr. & Mrs. John Eliopoulos | Mr. & Mrs. M. Masnas | Mr. & Mrs. A. Xinaris |
| Mr. & Mrs. P. Eliopoulos | Mr. & Mrs. N. Markanastasiakis | |
| | | Mr. & Mrs. James Yeates |
| Mr. & Mrs. H. Fortis | | Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Yeates |
| Mr. & Mrs. Peter Fortis | Mr. & Mrs. J. Nanos | |
| Mr. & Mrs. Ted Fortis | Mr. & Mrs. C. Nastakos | Mr. & Mrs. J. Zamanis |
| Mr. C. Fountoukis | Mr. & Mrs. P. Nicolais | Mr. & Mrs. P. Zamanis |
| Mr. P. Fountoukis | Mr. & Mrs. J. Nanos | Mr. & Mrs. T. Zamanis |
| Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Fortis | | Mr. & Mrs. G. Zegouras |
| | Mr. & Mrs. P. Panelas | Mr. & Mrs. P. Zegouras |
| Mr. & Mrs. Emm. Georgiou | Mr. & Mrs. George Pappas | Mr. T. Zegouras |
| Mr. & Mrs. John Georgiou | Mr. & Mrs. S. Paterakis | Mr. & Mrs. J. Zikopoulos |
| Mr. & Mrs. C. Georgakopoulos | Mrs. George Poulos | Mr. & Mrs. P. Zouganelis |
| Mr. & Mrs. D. Gettas | Mr. & Mrs. G. T. Poulos | |
| Mr. & Mrs. C. Giouroukas | Mr. & Mrs. Tom Poulos | |

ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΟΝ ΣΧΟΛΕΙΟΝ

SCHOOL YEAR 1975 - 1976

GRADE ONE

- | | | |
|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Christopher, H. | Drosopoulos, V. | Zamanis, M. |
| Christos, A. | Giourounos, A. | Zegouras, H. |
| Drosopoulos, N. | Tsoukalas, J. | Zikopoulos, S. |

GRADE TWO

- | | | |
|---------------|------------------|------------------|
| Ballotes, G. | Giannopoulos, P. | Nikolopoulos, J. |
| Fournotis, K. | Nikiforuk, M. | Tsiamatas, P. |
| Nikiforuk, A. | Nikiforuk, S. | Vitsentatos, C. |

GRADE THREE

- | | |
|--------------|-----------------|
| Droukas, P. | Zegouras, M. A. |
| Zamanis, H. | Vitsentatos, F. |
| Zegouras, A. | |

GRADE FOUR

- | | |
|----------------|------------------|
| Giouroukas, G. | Nikolopoulos, C. |
| Nanos, N. | Xynaris, B. |

GRADE FIVE

- | | | |
|-----------------|------------------|---------------|
| Ballotes, M. | Fournotis, G. | Prinos, L. |
| Ballotes, M. A. | Fournotis, M. | Tsoukalas, K. |
| Christopher, A. | Kapareliotes, R. | Zamanis, A. |
| Christopher, M. | Panelas, C. | Zegouras, M. |

GRADE SIX

- | | | |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------|
| Tsiamatas, Chr. | Tsurouli, N. | Xynaris, P. |
| Tsurouli, M. | Tsurouli, S. | |
| Tsurouli, Ne. | Zamanis, A. | |

AWARD WINNERS

- | Community Medal | Alepe Ptzoue |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| S. Zikopoulos | Grade I M. Drosopoulos |
| J. Nikolopoulos | " II A. Nikiforuk |
| M. A. Zegouras | " III H. Zamanis |
| Giouroukas, G. | " IV N. Nanos |
| M. Zegouras | " V K. Tsoukalas |
| Zamanis, A. | " VI P. Xynaris |

Teacher: A. Sdrolas

School Committee: M. Tsurouli, Chairman, P. Nanos, C. Giouroukas, V. Kapareliotes, J. L. Zikopoulos, Supervisor.

CYPRUS

"... ἐς γῆν ἐναλίαν Κύπρον οὐ μ' ἐθέπισεν..."
Euripides, ELENH

..... The event that shook the Greek nation and the Greeks abroad in the summer of '74 was the brutal invasion of Cyprus by Turkey. The tragedy was felt closer in the Greek Community locally, because a sizable group of its members are Cypriots and the accounts had the poignancy of personal experiences. Members of their families were either displaced or still listed as "fate unknown". There was anger among the Members against traditional allies, like the U.S.A, which silently stood by and sided with Turkey. There was outrage for the loss of life and property. Equally deep were feelings of shame, because the antidemocratic military Junta in Greece attempted a coup against President Makarios of Cyprus, which gave the excuse to the Turks to invade Cyprus. Under the popular outcry the Junta fell from power overnight, democracy was restored in Greece but part of Cyprus is still occupied by the Turks.

The Greek Community reacted to the tragedy in many ways. Telegrams of protest were promptly sent to the U.N. O and U.S.A Embassies. A demonstration was held in front of Parliament in Ottawa, in which members of the Community took part along with other Greek Communities. An appeal was made to the Federal Government of Canada.

E.Staikos from Trenton had the idea of convening a meeting of all Greeks in Canada and form a Panhellenic movement. The small Greek Community of Belleville became the host. Representatives from across Canada gathered in the Church Hall. The organisations and individuals who took part in that meeting were too fragmented politically to cement together an acceptable common position. Donations were collected through the Archdiocese of North and South America. The Community took part in this.

Finally in frustration the local Community turned into more practical and achievable goals. The project "Adopt a Cypriot Orphan" had begun. Through contributions by individuals and organisations, like the Community, the Philoptochos and the AHEPA, 12 orphans were adopted. The monies were sent directly to the Ministry of Refugees of Cyprus. The wish of the contributors was to establish a direct link with Cyprus and avoid intermediaries. When the first letters and pictures arrived from Cyprus there was a sense that something tangible had happened. The Community reached and touched victims of the Turkish invasion. It was not so much the financial support. It was the human touch that consoled somehow those who were distraught about the tragedy of Cyprus.....

(Notes from the History of the Greek Canadian Community)

ΚΥΠΡΟΣ

"Τ' αηδόνια δεν σ' αφήνουνε να κοιμηθείς στις Πλάτρες.
Ποιές είναι οι Πλάτρες; Ποιός το γνωρίζει τούτο το νησί;"

Γιώργος Σεφέρης, από το ποίημα: Ελένη



THE INTELLIGENCER, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 1974 3

Local Greeks Demand Ottawa Act on Cyprus Situation

From The Ottawa Bureau of The Intelligencer
OTTAWA — Several thousand Greek-Canadians swarmed on to Parliament Hill Sunday urging increased federal involvement in Cyprus.

The orderly crowd of men, women and children milled quietly on the lawns and walkway in front of the Centre Block, waving flags and banners protesting the presence of Turkish troops on the Mediterranean island.

John Zikopoulos of Belleville urged the Canadian government to take a firm

and clear position on the Cyprus situation.

We believe Canada is well qualified to do that because of their outstanding record of Peacekeeping in Cyprus, Mr. Zikopoulos stated.

From the steps leading up to the peace tower, he told the assembled Greek-Canadian that Canada is a member of NATO and can influence her allies, Canada is a member of the United Nations and the Canadian Government has passed special legislation to accommodate Cypriot refugees.

We are grateful for all this, he declared. But at this stage we feel there is one more final step to take. That is to condemn the Turkish invasion to help restore the territorial integrity (of Cyprus) and to press for immediate withdrawal of all foreign troops from Cyprus.

Greek-Canadian from across Canada, including one from the Yukon, participated in the demonstration organized by the Pan-Canadian Hellenic Solidarity Committee for Cyprus of which Chris Tsoukalas of Belleville is secretary.

A few members of parliament

including Jack Ellis (MP-Hastings), also attended the demonstration and addressed the crowd expressing support for their resolution.

After the two-hour demonstration, a wreath was placed at the war memorial to honor those who have died in the Cyprus conflict.

NOTES

.... A motion by Panellas-Kalomiris was passed. In addition a motion confirmed Ph. Panellas as the Supervisor on the construction site. He had developed the blue-prints and he supervised the construction free of charge. The building today is almost the same building as described by Panellas on March 23. On July 23/1972 amidst pomp and ceremony the sod was turned and foundation stones were laid. The first Service "under our own roof" long last took place on Xmas Eve 1972.

As the bills were mounting, attention was turned to financing. Prior to 1972 a Fund Raising Drive was organized at Columbus Hall. Bishop Theodosius was presiding. The drive was moderately successful. Still there was a degree of hesitancy and incredulity among the general membership. The Community took the Xmas Service in the partially finished building acted as a catalyst and opened the door to generosity. The contribution was over the unprecedented step of imposing a compulsory \$200.00 "once-in-a-life time" contribution per family. The bulk of all the items needed and above the annual membership fee. A list of all the items needed came from voluntary contributions and other groups gave generously. A plaque at the entrance of the church with the names of donors testified to that effect. Unsolicited items had to be paid by the general revenue. The sculptured partition of Iconostasis, Chandeliers and religious items were brought from Greece. No generosity however can be compared to M. Maniatis' contribution. He bought the Iconostasis for \$7,000.00 in memory of his daughter Georgina. In his will he bequeathed to the Community an amount equal to the mortgage at the time of his death with one stipulation: Every year after his death a memorial Service to be held on Aug. 15, the day of the Assumption, in his memory. The Community declared M. Maniatis Great Benefactor and a special scroll was presented to him by Archbishop Iakovos in Ottawa.

In the mean time plans for the building of a Community Center went ahead. Repeated efforts to secure financial assistance from Wintario came to no fruition. On May 1983 a General Meeting was convened. The Council sought and received approval for three proposals. a) an initial loan of \$45,000 b) the site to be adjacent to the south wall of the Church and c) the formation of two ad hoc committees. Once more building fever gripped the Community.

The Fund Raising Committee consisted of: T. Varoutas, Chairperson, P. Dimitropoulos, J. Kayaras, J. Koutsoubis, B. Christophoratos, T. Christopoulos, T. Zamanis, H. Tsouroulis. Building Control Committee was composed of: P. Zegouras, Chairperson, J. Georgiou, T. Varoutas, J. Koutsoubis, C. Georgakopoulos, J. Kayaras. Larry Tsollos was appointed building supervisor on the site. He offered his services free of charge. Many volunteers joined him with personal labours. Others assisted with donations of material and equipment. The construction began promptly....

..... On Nov. 11/1971, Remembrance Day, M. Constantinou was killed in a car accident. His death shook the Community. Mike was the undisputed leader of the Cypriot clan and one of the most respected members of the Community. His advice was sought on private and communal matters. In his person the Community had a peacemaker, who at the time of his death was serving on the Council. In his honour the filling of the vacancy on the Council was postponed until next year and a motion passed on Nov. 5/1971 states: "a memorial plaque be placed in the future church building." Regrettably the matter was overlooked by subsequent Councils. The local Chapter of the AHEPA is named "Mike Constantinou C.J.28" in his honour.....

COMPLETE BODY REPAIR AND PAINT SHOP

FRAME STRAIGHTENING SERVICE

Don Hackett's Collision Service Limited

• OVER 36 YEARS EXPERIENCE •

R.R. 7
BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO
(AT ROSSMORE)

Telephones: (613) 962-1953
967-0877 or 967-0888
Fax: 962-2941



UNITED RESTAURANT

LIC. L.L.B.O.

349 MAIN ST., Deseronto



FREE DELIVERY

396-3611

DESTINATION: CANADA

Immigration is neither a curse as some contend nor a blessing, as others profess. It is a dire social need. And since time immemorial people moved from one place to another....

2		DESCRIPTION SIGNALLEMENT	
Profession Profession	Tailor	Wife-Femme	
Place and date of birth	Paphos, Cyprus		
Lieu et date de naissance	12 May, 1933		
Residence Résidence	Cyprus		
Height Taille	5 ft 6 in		
Colour of eyes Couleur des yeux	Light brown		
Colour of hair Couleur des cheveux	Black		
Special peculiarities Signes particuliers	None		
CHILDREN - ENFANTS			
Name Nom	Date of birth Date de naissance	Sex Sexe	



Hellenic Canadians from Nova Scotia, Ontario, Quebec and beyond stepped back in time this weekend in Halifax to relive the arrival of Greek immigrants at the port's Pier 21. In a re-enactment, Jerry Katsouris points out George's Island to nine-year-old Argyris Lacas, both of Halifax. The pier served as a landing place for overseas ships and many immigrants. See story page 3.

9		VISAS	
LANDED IMMIGRANT			

10		VISAS	

12		VISAS	

11		VISAS	
LANDED IMMIGRANT			

Congratulations from

CHAS. U. JOHNSON LTD. PLUMBING & HEATING

Specializing in Heating & Air Conditioning Installation

R.R. #7, Belleville, Ont.

962-8940

Best Wishes from

LA PIZZERIA

Pizza & Spaghetti House

17 Dundas St. W. Napanee

354-3361 or 354-3362

ONE HOUR

MARTINIZING

DRY CLEANING

- SUEDES & LEATHERS
- SILKS & DRAPES
- REPAIRS & ALTERATIONS
- 1 HOUR SERVICE

OPEN SIX DAYS A WEEK
(CLEANING 'TIL NOON ON SATURDAY)

322 PINNACLE ST.

962-4700

SMITTY'S NEW & USED APPLIANCES



• REFRIGERATORS • STOVES • MICROWAVES

- FREEZERS • DISHWASHERS
- WASHERS & DRYERS
- NEW APPLIANCES AT WAREHOUSE PRICES
- WE TAKE TRADE INS
- WE PAY CASH FOR GOOD USED APPLIANCES

RR 1, CORBYVILLE



969-0287

FRY FORD

SALES LTD.



BEFORE YOU LEASE OR BUY

SEE FRY

LARGE SELECTION NEW & USED

**Where the "USED" is
taken out of vehicles**

321 NORTH FRONT ST. - HWY 62
JUST SOUTH OF HWY 401 (QUINTE MALL)

962-9141

Best Wishes

James Salon

175 Main St., Picton, Ontario

476-4241



• Monuments • Markers •

100 Everett Street, Belleville, Ontario K8P 3K6
SHOWROOM

Hwy #2, Belleville, 1/4 mile west of Zellers

(613) 968-6897

1-800-563-2628

"We Represent Memories"

RIVERSIDE VARIETY RESTAURANT

Cake Decorating All Occasions

Specializing in Wedding
Dressed & Undressed
Male & Female Cakes



Call Doretta at (613) 967-4928

[illegible][illegible]

[Handwritten Greek text, mostly illegible due to extreme slant and bleed-through from the reverse side.]

[illegible][illegible][illegible]

SNAPSHOTS



Maniates Brothers-1922



P. Tsouroulis- 1927



Yeotes and Friends- circa 1945



John and Spiro Andrew circa 1946



Greek Youth circa 50's



The Yeote's Children - 1945



Mrs. Yeotes and Haggis Ladies circa 1947



The Maniates Family- circa 50's



Pete's Lunch-Dundas Sr.-1952



The Maniates Family with Friend - circa 1940's

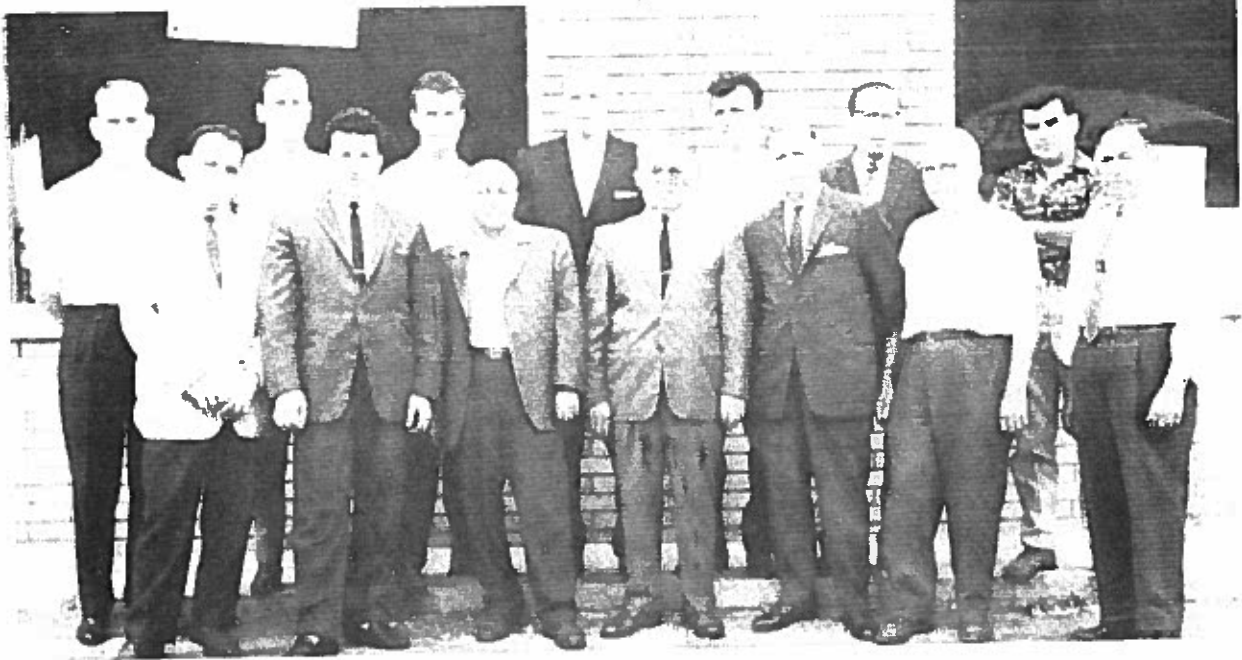


The Cypriot "Gang"- 1956



Fall 1956- Relatives and Friends

SNAPSHOTS



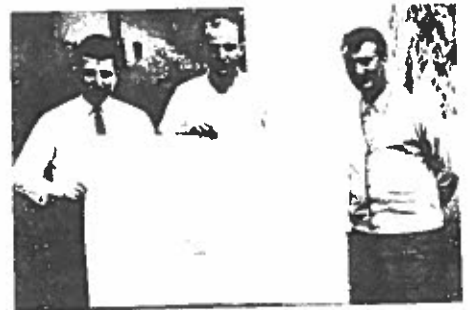
First Organizational Meeting- Febr 25, 1963



James Annis (+ 1970) with relatives- 1963



Philoptochos activities: " The Doll"-1963



The first Fund Drive-1963



Welcoming Father Glouftsis- 1963



A Social Gathering, Arm to Arm I-1964

SNAPSHOTS



WITH HIS EYES SHUT, five-month-old Peter Vitorianos of Trent, Belleville, yesterday lay on his patiently in the arms of his father, George Vitorianos, while his mother, Mrs. George Vitorianos, stands by. His father, George Vitorianos, of Toronto, is a Greek Orthodox priest. His mother, Mrs. Vitorianos, is a Greek Orthodox laywoman.

District Greek-Canadians Attend Orthodox Service

Christening - 1964



SUNDAY WAS EASTER for Belleville's Greek Orthodox community, and the "Agape" service was celebrated at Columbus Hall. In the picture, Mrs. Peter Fortis of Belleville, carrying her baby, accepts a traditional colored egg from priest Kostas Gluitis, of Toronto. In the Orthodox tradition, Mrs. Fortis kisses the back of the priest's hand.

The Red Eggs- Easter 1964



Christening-1965



Dancing Group performing in the first Philoptochos Dance-1964



Petition for the Provincial Charter with MPP Dr. Potter - 1964



Around the Evzon- 1966



Christening - 1966

THE GREEK CANADIAN ORTHODOX COMMUNITY OF BELLEVILLE, TRENTON AND DISTRICT INC.

BRIEF HISTORICAL OUTLINE

A TRIBUTE TO THE PIONEERS

Perhaps the greatest single fault of any organized group is their oversight right from inception, to set up and maintain proper archives. The anxiety and enthusiasm of having the job done prevents the pioneers from indulging into the luxury of recording in details their deeds.

Our Community today reached a milestone. In trying to reconstruct the history of our community many things are missing, details about persons and events. Some of the pioneers no longer live in Belleville, others have passed away and few are still with us.

This attempt therefore is more of a tribute rather than a detailed history.

- 1897:** Arrival of Epiortes, Nasios, the first Greek in the Quinte area.
- 1900-1925:** Arrival of the following pioneers: M. Pappas, P. Lambropoulos, N. Panos, N. Strategakos, N. Christopher, N. and K. Johnson, S. Pappas, J. Vasilakos, N. Tsagaris, D. Annis, M. Maraskas, M. Maniates, N. Doulas, V. Costouros, P. Gitsas, P. Moore, M. Laskaris, A. Kastaniotes, A. Hatzakos, G. Poulos.
- 1925-1941:** Arrival of the following: J. Kikkes, G. Mandolas, J. Gatzoulis, J. Trakkas, P. Tsouroulis, J. Yeotes, L. Petropoulos, T. Chris, S. Christos, J. Christos, G. Lambros, A. Chrites, A. Johnson, Steve Goulis, N. Lukakos, G. Brotsikas, Gus Yeotes, V. Fortis, S. Christodoulatos.
- 1946-1952:** First wave of post WW II immigrants.
- 1952-1962:** Influx of the most numerous group of immigrants.
- 1963:** **Founding Meeting:**
Steering Committee: G. Koutoulakis, P. Zegouras, A. Manjuris, B. Yeotes, L. Tsihlias.
Belleville Reps: A. Haggis, G. Christopher, P. Annis, G. Poulos, E. Vasilopoulos, Th. Baliotis, M. Maniates, C. Giouroukos, P. Kapareliotis, J. Kayaras.
Trenton Reps: T. Theophilatos, J. Nanos, A. Konidaris, J. Christophoratos.
Napane Rep: C. Ghanas.
First Council: President: A. Manjuris, Vice President: J. Koutoulakis, Treasurer: P. Zegouras, Secretary: J. Kayaras
- 1964:** **Council:** President: G. Christopher, Vice President: C. Giouroukos, Treasurer: J. Nanos, Secretary: P. Fortis - T. Vasilopoulos
- First portable icons by G. Maniates
- Founding of Philoptochos
- Granting of Provincial Charter
- 1966:** **Council:** President: T. Vasilopoulos, Vice President: K. Christopher, Treasurer: J. Nanos, Secretary: J. Varoutas
- Arrival of the Jimmy Christos Family thru Red Cross
- 1967:** Dissolution of Council - Steering Committee appointed: M. Maniates, J. Nanos, S. Kelpis, J. L. Zikopoulos, P. Zegouras, T. Zegouras, P. Nicholas, M. Constantinou
- Dictatorship in Greece
- 1968-1970:** 2 year term established. **Council:** President: P. Zegouras, Vice President: G. Poulos, Treasurer: M. Constantinou, Secretary: J. L. Zikopoulos, Members and Committees: P. Eliopoulos, J. Yeotes, L. Tsihlias, M. Maniates, J. Georgiou, P. Nicholas, J. Nanos, C. Giouroukos
- Appointment of Rev. Father E. Vardouniotes
- Greek School with D. Demas
- Visit by Bishop Theodosius
- 50/50 draw

APRIL 1986: - Elections produced the following Council: President: J. Eliopoulos, Vice President: J. Georgiou, Treasurer: J. Tsialamatas, Secretary: J. Koutsoubis, Members: C. Georgakopoulos, M. Kariamis, P. Zegouras

JUNE 1986: - Official opening of Community Centre, honouring of L. Tsokos, Varoutas Bros., M. Dimitropoulos

MAR. 1987: - Dissolution of council, constitutional crisis
- The following Council was produced by the elections of May 1987: President: P. Zegouras, Vice President: L. Tsokos, Treasurer: C. Tsoukalas, Secretary: C. Giouroukos, Members: K. Christopher, T. Syntetos, J. Tsialamatas
- Arrival of the Rt. Rev. C. Decavallas as Parish Priest, community honours L. Maraskas

MAR. 1988: Greek Week Celebrations

SEPT. 1988: Silver Anniversary Celebrations

1989: Application for Wintario Grant
- AHEPA redecorates small hall with a \$10,000 donation
- The Hon. Hugh O'Neill, Minister of Culture and Fitness visits the community and announces a \$50,000 grant for the project.
- Introduction of high school credits in Greek program
- Engagement of Bell-Con Engineering for the expansion of the community hall and outside renovations.
- By acclamation the following Council was formed: President: P. Zegouras, Vice President: S. Kelpis, Secretary: C. Giouroukos, Treasurer: C. Tsoukalas, Members: J. Tsialamatas, T. Syntetos, K. Christopher, Public Relations: J. L. Zikopoulos.

1990: J. Markanastasakis assumes duties of secretary and B. Zodiatas assumes duties as Treasurer to fill vacancies created by resignations.
- Completion of the hall expansion project
- Inventory of property and items

1991: Rev. E. Bardounitotes appointed Parish Priest
- Recognition of Peter Nicholas by the community on his retirement
- Increase in memberships
- Philoptochos donation of \$3,000 to the church
- Purchase of Sunday School material
- Approval of by-laws by general meeting
- By acclamation the following council was formed: President: Peter Zegouras, Vice President: S. Kelpis, Treasurer: Angie Christopher, Secretary: Joanne Markanastasakis, Members: Mike Fortis, Jerry Tsialamatas, Angelo Tsouroulis. Public Relations Officer: John L. Zikopoulos

1992: - Community hall operation regulations established
- Mortgage reduced to \$150,000 from the original \$375,000
- Belleville Cenotaph Ceremony
- Response by the community to the Macedonian question
- Participation in the demonstration in front of the Parliament in Ottawa
- Redecoration of the community hall with donations by the Daughters of Penelope

1993: - Departure of Rev. E. Bardouniotes
- Arrival of Rev. Father Nicholas Andreou as resident Parish Priest
- Participation in the Clergy and Laity Convention of the Diocese of Canada
- October mortgage countdown: \$45,000
- Arrival of the newest immigrant families: Fanourakis and Protopapas

OCT. 31ST: - 30th Anniversary Celebrations (1963-1993)

Congratulations and Best Wishes in the years ahead



354-9227

**20 DUNDAS ST. W., NAPANEE
FAST TAKE OUT SERVICE**

We have a variety of delicious submarines. Quality meats only.

Compliments of

Finkle

**THE ELECTRIC PEOPLE
Fine Lighting Fixtures
Qualified Electricians**

334 Pinnacle St. 962-5331



**— For The Serious FastFooder —
Michael Fortis and Nicholas Pearris
Proprietors**

**390 North Front St. Belleville, Ontario K8P 3E1
Quinte Mall (613) 968-8588**

Specializing in shishkebab and sub sandwiches.

Join us at the talk of the town!

Mike's RESTAURANT

TAKE OUT AVAILABLE

396-3734

**BREAKFAST SPECIALS
OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK**

Highway 401 & 49, Marysville, Ontario



RE/MAX

Empire Realty Ltd.
Independently Owned and Operated

David Denison
Associate Broker

**354 Victoria St. N., Box 490
Tweed, Ontario K0K 3J0
Office (613) 478-2030
Fax (613) 478-3773
Residence (613) 478-1208**



WEST CITY HONDA

Since 1975

• Sales • Leasing • Service • Parts •



**Highway 2 West
962-9513**



Warmest Regards



JEWELLERS LTD.

**304 Front St. DOWNTOWN BELLEVILLE
968-9041 or 969-9947**

A Family Tradition of Quality Gifts & Jewellery for over 40 Years



Congratulations on your 30th Anniversary

*Our New Downtown Belleville Store (224 Front St.)
and our Quinte Mall store are proud to be a part of
this area's ethnic community & look forward to
helping you celebrate future events.*

SNAPSHOTS



**KIWANIS GREEK NIGHT
1972**



**1976
COUNCIL**



**1978
COUNCIL**



**1984
COUNCIL**

SNAPSHOTS



Boarding the train to Montreal-Bishop's Ordination- 1972



Recitals 1973



Parade of costumes- 1972



Half Finished Church Interior-1972



2th of March Independence Day Celebration-1973



List of Donors-1973

Dedication Book

To Commemorate the Opening
of the New
HOLY TRINITY CHURCH



Official Opening
JUNE 10, 1973

GREEK - CANADIAN ORTHODOX COMMUNITY
OF BELLEVILLE, TRENTON & DISTRICT

1963 - 1973

SNAPSHOTS



Singing- 1974



The Zamanis children in National costumes -74



Delivering the Panegyric- 25th March 1975



School Awards Winner - 1976



The Iconostasis-Donated by M.Maniates-1976



The Council and Committee Chairs- 1976



Consecration - Bishop and Clergy-1976



Consecration - Clergy and Faithful - 1976

SNAPSHOTS



Honouring J Yeates-1976



St. George, Station Str. used between 1965-1972, photo taken 1977



Good-bye to Bishop Theodosius- 1977

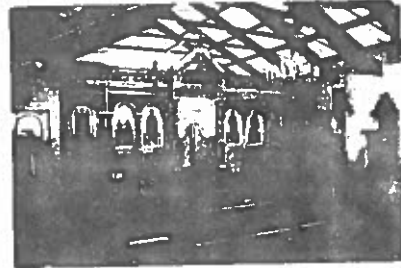


Let the children come to me... 1976



On Stage with the Bishop- 1976

HOLY TRINITY GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH



CONSECRATION

SUNDAY, JUNE 20, 1976

GREEK - CANADIAN ORTHODOX COMMUNITY

of Belleville, Trenton and District

BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO



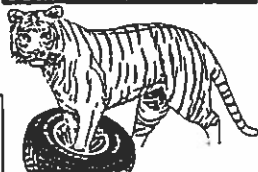
Easter 1977, the Bishop and the Young

BELLEVILLE TIRE & AUTO CENTRE

Quality Products • Expert Service

UNIROYAL

Looking Good
BFGoodrich
T/A Tires
COMPARE OUR PRICES



Oliver Retreading Systems
Vulcanizing & Repair
COMPUTER SPIN BALANCING
ON CAR BALANCING

• TUNE-UPS • TIRES • LUBRICATIONS • BRAKES •
• SHOCKS • ALIGNMENTS •

966-5722

30 DUNDAS W

BECAUSE IT'S A JUNGLE OUT THERE.

TINA'S PIZZERIA

"Home Made Pizza Our Specialty"

WE SERVE A FULL MENU



FAST
FREE DELIVERY

SPAGHETTI ★ RIGATONI
★ RAVIOLI ★ CANNELLONI
LASAGNA

966-0241

113 CANNIFTON RD



Weekend & Weekday
Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner Specials

Open: Sunday 7:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Mon. - Sat. 6:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.

205 North Front St. Belleville, Ont.

962-7119

Congratulations

from

QUINTE FOOD MARKET LTD.

NORTH TOWN PLAZA
135-137 CANNIFTON ROAD,
BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO

*Imported Greek food - Greek feta - kalamata - olives
olive oil - kasery & kefalotiri - Greek cheeses
fillo for baklava and Greek halva, many more.*

968-9289

Yours, from the family of
Theodore Christopher



SNAPSHOTS



25th of March 1984



The First Miss Hellas and Queen of Folkorama- 1984



Recitals- 1984



Rev. Vasilios Emmanuel - 1985



GQYA with Father Emmanuel-1985



Christening - 1986



The Olympians dancing for the Public.-1987

SNAPSHOTS



Council with Father Emmanuel- 1987



Rt.Rev Decavallas with Chief Chanter Nick Koutsoubis and helpers Yaya and Paul F.



Council Members -1988



Welcoming the Olympic Flame- 1988



" Παναγιώτης "- Group Name Day celebration, Aug 15, 1988



25th Anniversary
1963 - 1988



GREEK CANADIAN ORTHODOX
COMMUNITY
OF BELLEVILLE, TRENTON
AND DISTRICT INC.



Saturday, September 24, 1988

To all friends and relatives from the Greek
Community of Belleville, Trenton and District,

*Best Wishes for the celebration
of the 30th Anniversary*

of our church and its community.

As a member and former secretary of the
council of some past years, it gives me great
pleasure to see our community to achieve
such high goals successfully.

With warmest congratulations.

MR. & MRS.
CHRIS G. GIOUROUKOS
AND DAUGHTERS
GINA, ANGIE AND KATERINA



RESTAURANT & TAVERN

SPECIALIZING IN:

- STEAKS & CHOPS
- SEAFOOD
- PIZZA
- SPAGHETTI DISHES

BANQUET FACILITIES

FOR ALL OCCASIONS

OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK

~ TAKE OUT SERVICE ~

476-3111 or 476-2435

189 MAIN - PICTON

**KEITH STEIN
APPLIANCE SERVICE LTD.**

(Formerly Ernie Tuck Appliance Service)

SERVICE & PARTS FOR

Refrigerators
Ranges
Washers
Dryers
Dish Washers
Air Conditioners

**LOW
RATES**

**962-4048
966-6966**

Congratulations

**BELLEVILLE DODGE CHRYSLER
JEEP EAGLE**

Hwy. 2 West, Belleville, Ontario

"Serving the Greek Community"



Jack McCurdy
Sales

Bus.: (613) 966-9936
Parts: (613) 962-D.E.A.L.
(3 3 2 5)

where the best deal is always immediately better



SNAPSHOTS



25th of March -1993



Blessed be the 50's !



Good bye to Father Bardouniotes 1993



Folkorama 1993



Council Members with the new Priest Father Nickolas Andreou-1993



Philoptochos- Welcoming Father Nickolas and Presbytera Zoe-1993

Compliments of
**GATEWAY
 RESTAURANT**

~ Home Cooked Meals ~

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Specials
 Open Daily 6:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Pizzeria, Souvlaki, Submarines

478-2530

327 Victoria St., N. Tweed, Ont.
 Licenced under LLBO

*Best Wishes from
 The Migas Family*

*Congratulations on your
 30th Anniversary*

Parsons **CLEANERS &
 LAUNDERERS**
for all Your Cleaning Needs

DRY CLEANING & LAUNDERING

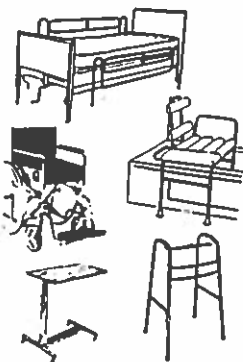
CDR. GRAHAM & SIDNEY STS.
 BELLEVILLE, ONT.

962-5377

kelly's
home health centre

SERVING THE QUINTE REGION SINCE 1957

OUR AIM
to provide Quality Home Care



- Hospital Beds
- Wheelchairs
- Walkers
- Sports Injury Aids
- Incontinence Supplies
- Commodes
- Bathseats
- Diabetic Supplies
- First Aid Supplies
- Orthopedic Appliances

Certified Orthopedic Fitters On Staff To Assist You.
 Private Consultation Rooms Available.

411 Bridge St. E. **966-4302**

EVERYTHING YOU NEED FOR COMPLETE HOME CARE.



"GET TO KNOW YOUR GUARDIAN PHARMACIST"

- Weekly Specials
- Belleville East Post Office
- Cosmetics & Gifts
- Dairy Products
- Large Greeting Card Selection
- City Wide Delivery Service



Lottery Centre

PLENTY OF FREE PARKING - 411 Bridge St., East, Belleville

962-5387

HOURS: Mon - Sat. 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
 Sundays & Holidays 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.



Greek Folk Dance Group

Greek Folk Festival

presented by the
Greek Canadian Community of Belleville
and District Inc.
Centennial Secondary School
Palmer Road, Belleville

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27th, 1971
8.00 p.m.

THE INTELLIGENCER, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1971 3

Greek Festival to Be Held at Centennial

The Quinte Arts Council, in co-operation with the Greek Canadian community of Belleville and district, will sponsor...

Folk Dance Group of Toronto which will be returning to Belleville on Saturday, November 27. The performance will be at the Centennial Secondary School.

The dance group will be a group of 1453 on G. The group will be...

Greek Folk Festival

By LENNY WILLIAMSON
Staff Reporter

Ethnic Dance Has Deep Meaning

...revolution with education and... also created a sympathy... feeling among European... actuals toward Greek in... endence. Outstanding... ng them were Goethe in... Chateaubriand in... ice and the poet Byron...

classes at Queen Alexandra School for 40 children and hold church services in St. George Hall every other week. The community here shares a priest with a Toronto congregation. The community owns land at the corner of Avondale and Harder Drive and hopes to...

1915 and the population has increased steadily through immigration since. The first organization of Greeks took place in 1940, when they united to bring a priest to Belleville from Ottawa for services. The present community organization set...

Goal of City's Greeks Is Nearing Reality

If all goes well, the Greek Canadian Orthodox Community of Belleville and District Inc. could start construction on their church this year. It won't be a bit surprised if we get it started this year...

Through the efforts of various fund-raising drives, the families have slowly built up funds for their own place of worship. For several years they have used the St. Thomas Church...

But they...

THE INTELLIGENCER, MONDAY, APRIL 12, 1971



Gifts from Greece

Only Wendy Robertson can't claim to descend from Greek origin. She and Nick Markanastakis, owner of Front...

Barber Salon, are looking at hand-made dolls dressed in native costumes which have been carried down through...

the years. The dolls, along with pottery replicas are on display at the Four Corners shop today and tomorrow.



AHEPA Comes to Belleville

Members of the Belleville Greek community filled the banquet room of the Sun Valley for the inauguration of the AHEPA...

*Congratulations
for your
30th Anniversary*

From

**LARRY TSOKOS
CONSTRUCTION LIMITED**

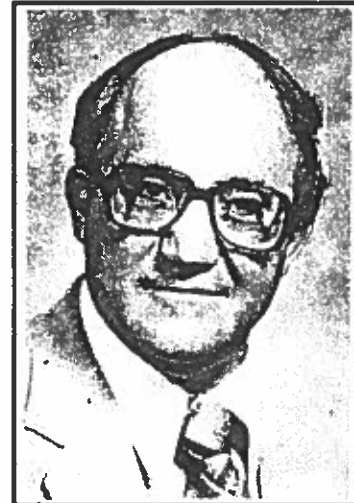
392-8515

Compliments of
Discount Carpet Mart

"Your Local Discount Floorist"

164 Moira St. E., Belleville, Ont. K8P 2S6

(613) 966-9120



JOE COX

KARIAMIS CONSTRUCTION LTD.

- New Homes
- Commercial & Residential
- All Types of Renovations
- Free Estimates



R.R. #6, Belleville, Ontario
K8N 4Z6

MIKE KARIAMIS
(613) 966-4543

Happy 30th Anniversary



~ Fresh Fruits & Vegetables ~
~ Full Line Frozen Foods ~

P.O. Box 964, 50 Albion St.,
Belleville, Ontario K8N 5B6

(613) 962-5391-1-3

Zegouras Realty - 962-1400
George A. Zegouras Peter A. Zegouras



George Zarnas was one of a number of Greek Community children who took the evening off language classes to help present a look at Greek culture for the Belleville Kiwanis Club last night. Above he pours Commanderie St. John, a fortified wine, for Kiwanians and their wives.

Kiwanis Guests For Greek Dinner

The sun came out for a while last night, and "bear blue waves washed Mediterranean Sands. Bel' Greek Community was taining the Belleville Club members and grand style.

Greek salad, chicken tenderloin and a cereal - he called galactobour the four - course and wine was at it down.

Dinner over, were led deep standing of Greek illustrated Zikopoulos, h languages at dery Schoo' changing re' gods from

present day importance of "to-
"ion in n' reves and its rela-
son to changes in the arts,
philosophy and lifestyle of the



Brian Amaras

The First Cry

Spiros James Jianopoulos emerges from sacred water as most 16-month-old children would — with a mighty wail. The son of George and Helen Jianopoulos, 330 Albert Street, was the first baptized in Greek community's still uncompleted

divine. Priest is Nicolas Avgoustinakis of



Planning a Demonstration

Belleville's Greek community is gearing for a demonstration Sunday on Parliament Hill to call for a Canadian government stand on freedom for

ΜΕΓΑΛΟΣ ΔΩΡΗΤΗΣ ΚΑΙ ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΗΣ 73

ΜΠΕΛΒΙΑ Οντάριο — Με-
γίλος Δωρητής και Ευεργέ-
της της Ελληνορθόδοξου
Κοινότητας του Μπελβιλ.



Ο κ. Μηνάς Μανιάτης

Οντάριο, άνεκρηχυθή ο κ. Μηνάς Μανιάτης, διά τας προς αυτήν υπηρεσίας και δωρεάς του. 'Ος γνωστόν, ο κ. Μανιάτης προσέφερε διά την εκκλησίαν της 'Αγίας Τριάδος, της Κοινότητος, 30,000 δολλαριών, αφού προηγουμένως είχε καμει πολλές άλλας δωρεάς. Μεταξύ τούτων συμπεριλαμβανέτο και τό Ευλογητόν τεμπλον τού ναού, τό όποιον ο κ. Μανιάτης έδωρκεν εις μνήμην της ευγατρίας του Γεωργίας, η ό-ποια διετέλεσε και πρώτη πρόεδρος της Φιλοπτώχου 'Α-ελεότητος της Κοινότητος.

Ο κ. Μηνάς Μανιάτης ε-γεννήθη εις Πάραν, της Μ. 'Ασίας τό 1902. Μετηνάστευ-σεν εις Καναδά τό 1921. Εν έ-τος πριν την Μικρασιατικήν καταστροφήν. Κατ' άρχην έν-κατεστάθη εις Τορόντο, όπου και παρμένει μέχρι τό 1939. Εις τό Τορόντο ένυμφεύθη τό 1929 και απέκτησε μίαν κό-ρην, την Γεωργίαν, η όποια απέδωκε τόν 'Οκτώβριον τού 1973. Κατά τό 1939 ένκατε-στάθη εις Μπελβιλ, 'Οντάριο, όπου διέπρεψεν ως επιχειρη-ματίας.

Κατά την μακράν παραμο-νήν του εις την πόλιν Μπελ-βιλ, υπήρκε πρωτοπόρον μέ-λος της τότε αναδιοργανώτου 'Ελληνορθόδοξου Κοινότητος και έν συνεχεία εις έκ τών φλογερών και ακαμάτων έ-δρυτών της. Διετέλεσε Πρός-δρος και ταμίας αυτής επί έτη και δραστήριον μέλος.

Greeks Protest

Canadians of Greek origin gathered on Parliament Hill Sunday afternoon to ask the Canadian government to take a stand on indepen-

dence for Cyprus. With the Belleville delegation was Ted Christopoulos, left, and Joan Zikopoulos, public re-lations officer for the Pan-

Canadian Hellenic Solidarity Committee for Cyprus, an organization that originated in this city.

1974

Greeks Observe Good Friday Week Later Than Most

By BRIAN AMARON
Staff Reporter

First Easter service in the newly-completed building Augustinakis of Toronto consecration of a lengthy memorial



Man of the Year

The Belleville area Greek community honored one of its members as man of the year.

presents the award to Belleville resident Jim Yeates "for contributions to the

The Bishop Comes Calling

Distinguished visitor to Belleville area Greek Orthodox community during

weekend was Bishop Constantinos Sotirios, head of Church's Canadian diocese.

The bishop met Saturday at Holy Trinity Church council members including (from

left) Peter Zesouras, Chris Giouroukos and John Zikopoulos.

Family Unit Nucleus of Society Says Greek Orthodox Bishop

The decline of the family unit in modern society has reached its ebb and is heading for renewal, says

Bishop Constantinos Sotirios, spiritual leader of the Greek Orthodox Church in Canada. Bishop Sotirios believes a

view. "I think the nucleus of society is the family. Any long-term solution for social

to find solutions together. He admits to bear proud" of the family with it.



Church Blessing

Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church located near Ellis Arena is consecrated Sunday in the church's official opening. The outdoor portion of the three-hour service lasted about half an hour as clergymen and parishioners attended the build-

ing three times. Inside, icons and vestments were also consecrated. Officiating at the service were Bishop Soterios, Bishop Theodosios, Father Constantine, Father Joseph, Father Nicholas from Greece and Deacon Porphyrios.

'Εγκαίνια Ναού

BELLEVILLE, ONT. (Τού άγια πακατού μας). Την Κυριακή 20 Ιουνίου 1974 έ γιναν στó BELLEVILLE (ONT.) με κάθε μεγαλοπρέπεια τὰ έγκαίνια τού 'Ιερού Ναού τής ΑΓΙΑΣ ΤΡΙΑ ΔΟΣ τής Ελληνικής Κοινότητας BELLEVILLE, TRENTON και πύ ανώων με διασημεριατική λειτουργία

Στή ευαγγελία μας σημειώνου πο από την τελετή των έγκαίνιων. Διακρίνονται οι 'Επισκοποι κ.κ. Σω τηριος και Θεοδοσιος, οι ιερείς, ο ιεροδίακονος τής 'Επισκοπής υπό Τσόντο, ο πρωτοκαλής τής Κοινότητας 'Οττάβα, που έβαλε έμφε λίστατα κατά τη θεία αυτή λειτουργία, και οι πιστοί τού ακολουθούν την περιφορά των 'Ιερών Λειψάνων.

Greek Community Marks 75th Independence of Homeland

The Belleville and Trenton area Greek community gathered in the city Sunday to celebrate the anniversary of independence from Ottoman Empire rule which ended in 1837. On March 3, 1821 the

The Sunday celebration, held in Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church on Harder Dr. was a festival of young people involvement. John Zikopoulos

attached to independence." The young people, dressed in colorful national folk costumes, spent the day reciting patriotic verses, recounting of the

Compliments of

**Mr. Michael Xanthos
and Family**

*Congratulations and Best Wishes
to the Community*

George & Helen Jianopoulos and Family

TOWN & COUNTRY RESTAURANT

- Home Cooked Meals Daily
- Breakfast Specials

223 Front St., Belleville, Ont.

968-4755

Life

is what you make it.

Make it feel just right.



LOYALIST MAZDA

HWY. 2 W., BELLEVILLE

962-9236

REID'S

**PLUMBING, HEATING
& AIR CONDITIONING**

ALL PLUMBING REPAIRS

GAS INSTALLATION

RESIDENTIAL - COMMERCIAL - INDUSTRIAL

968-9344

IF BUSY CALL 968-9379

(487 DUNDAS ST. W.) WESTGATE PLAZA



**BURGER
PALACE**

Take Out - Eat In Restaurant

MAIN & TALBOT ST., PICTON

476-4477

*Congratulations
to the Greek Orthodox Community
of Belleville on the
30th Anniversary*

Thomas and Helen Zegouras & Family
Adam, George



Campbell Monument

(Established 1090)

Co. Ltd.

Dundas St. West at Wallbridge
- Loyallist Road, RR2, Belleville

BELLEVILLE

966-5154

The Campbell-Craft name and
Seal assures you of our best
quality and continuous care.

1-800-267-0512

CAMPBELL MONUMENT CO LTD



**Beaver
Lumber**

Your Lumber One Store

AND A WHOLE LOT MORE

445 Dundas St. East

968-3451



Anniversary celebrated

Kelly Fortis, 12, of Belleville, and Toulia Lazarakos, 17, of Napanee, giggle nervously as they wait in the wings at Belleville Collegiate Institute's auditorium, ready to go

on. The pair were part of a skill celebrating Greek dependance Sunday in which Greek school students (traditional costumes participated.



Epiphany

In Belleville's Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, Rev. Konstantine Marinos prepares for the special Epiphany service of sanctification of the waters. The water is then used to bless the households of

church members which the priest visits carrying the cross, the special pot of holy water and spraying the water with a (fragrant plant called vasilikos. (Photo-Jack Evans)

Greeks celebrate Easter

By Intelligence Staff

Good Friday—the Greek Orthodox Church calls it Holy Friday—was the beginning of one of the Christian religion's holiest observances—Easter.

Friday, as Christians throughout the world gathered to commemorate the crucifixion of the son of God—Jesus bar Joseph, called the Christ or the Messiah—the Greek Orthodox Church observed the solemn occasion.

The church bases observance of Holy Friday on instructions from the First Ecumenical Council of 325 AD and the Julian Calendar. This means the orthodox celebration falls after the



Greek community planning major dance

On May 24, the Greek-Canadian Orthodox Community of Belleville, Trenton and District will hold its first large public dinner and dance.

Martha Dimitropoulos, dance instructor for the Olympian Greek Dancers—an amateur local group said

Tuesday, the dance is called the First Annual Spring Dance, and is expected to become an annual event.

Mrs. Dimitropoulos said her two classes—one for children 8 to 13 and one for those 13 to 18—have been practising Greek dances since October on Mondays

and Wednesdays respectively at the Greek Orthodox Church on Harder Drive. She said money raised from the dinner and dance will go towards the costumes the children wear in their dances.

Mrs. Dimitropoulos doesn't hold a certificate in teaching, but said the dances are ones she did when she was a teenager on Cyprus—dances performed to raise money to help students with less money go to school. She said she began teaching the dances three years ago. They help, she said, to get Greek children together and be less shy.

The group entered Rotary Music Festival dance competition this it did well, she said, but it do even better next time group also performs for area service clubs and schools.

Mrs. Dimitropoulos said the Greek food buffet will be something special with the best Greek food available.

There will also be a Zorba disc jockey, and dancing from 9 p.m. on. The dance is scheduled to be held at Ben Blecker which will be decorated with Greek and Canadian flags and arbors leading to the dance floor. The arbors will be sold at the end of the dance.

Greeks mark independence with gala festival Sunday

By PENNY GORDON Staff Reporter

On March 25, 1821, the people of Greece declared their independence from 40 years of Turkish rule.

Each year, on the Greeks throughout the world mark the anniversary of that declaration. Sunday, children of Quinte area Greek celebrated the anniversary—five because the actual during a school we

There were potluck and singing the occasion, with the children in traditional Greek

Peter Zegouras been chairman Greek educational committee for the area community, said the come from Belleville, Nap Picton—wherever Greeks in the Q He said their students at taught by Mary

most ever taught in the area—and they range in age from six to 14. The school is sponsored by the provincial government and run by the Greek community. It is open to everyone and, said Zegouras, there are currently six non-Greek

tion, he said, the last was maintained in secret schools run by teachers who primarily priests. Today, he said, the anniversary of the declaration of Greek independence is celebrated by



Honored for service

Mrs. Evangelia Chatzopoulos, 66, was honored by the members of the Belleville Greek Orthodox Church Saturday evening, for her many years of service to the church. Here, Father Constantine Marinos congratulates her for work at the church. Mrs. Chatzopoulos has been working at the church for a number of years, doing everything from helping out in the kitchen to assisting the minister in his services.

(Photo—Chris Malette)



These six Greek children were among the more than 50 who helped celebrate their homeland's National Day Sunday in Belleville Collegiate Institute. The six were putting on a short play about their country's independence from 400 years of Turkish rule. The six are, from left to right, Tom Poulos, Bessie Zegouras, Helen Nanos, Vasilio Mark, Georgina Syndetos and Nick Koutsoubis. Songs and national dances were also featured Sunday before an audience of about 300. The local Greek community was officially organized in 1963.

300 attend local service

Greeks celebrate independence

By HENRY BURY
Staff Reporter

The Greek community in the

Quinte world home day

Sun added mark of the comp. Pel of th said grow "but lol "

Abi Gree the B audit grarr river ing th of Tu The singr anthi songi readi Gree noon the G Zei actus is ce "but celeb befor "It

our children," he said. A regular Sunday service was held earlier that day in the Holy Trinity Orthodox Church for the Greek community and that was

ject, he said, was raised through its 50-50 draws, as well as donations from area service clubs, private individuals and its own community.



Finishing touches

Stephanie Georgiou, left, lends a helping hand to Elena Christopher at the Rotary Festival of Stars, Sunday. The girls are

members of the Olympian Greek Dancers and performed with 22 other groups at the 13th annual Rotary show.

(Photo - Chris Malette)



Greek goodies

Greek food, namely souvlakia, was one of the more popular fares at Centennial Park, Trenton, Sunday as that city put on its Canada Day colors and had a mammoth celebration kicked off by a parade through the streets of the city. Organizers clapped with glee at the delightful weather on Sunday as thousands of people from

the Trenton area flocked to the parade in the celebration. Seen here displaying treats at the Greek food stand, at u from left, Adam Zegouras, Chris Gio, and Ted Christopher, president of the Community in the Quinte area.

(Photo - Chris Malette)



Miss Folklorama '84

Nina Drosopoulos, 16, is the queen of the 1984 ethnic festival, Folklorama. She was crowned Friday in a contest at the Italo Canadian Club, Bay-side. The Trenton High School student was chosen by a panel of five judges Friday evening, following a display of ethnic dancing from a variety of groups who will be represented in this year's festival. Runner-up in the Miss Folklorama contest was the Irish Canadian representative, Lorraine Lang, 13. (Photo - Chris Malette)



Freedom song

The local Greek community celebrated their homeland's National Day Sunday, with songs, plays and dances in the Belleville Collegiate Institute's auditorium. The Hellenic National Day celebrates the 162nd anniversary of the 1821 Greek uprising that led to the end of 400 years of Turkish rule. Here, Maria Marinos, left, and Dimitre Eliopoulos, sing one of their national songs in front of an audience of about 300. See story Page 3.

(Photo - Henry Bury)

NIKE 27/82



Ο Θεός, Έπίσκοπος και ο κ. Ιωάννης Καϊάρας (Πρόεδρος) μαζί με τον κ. Πάτρ Ζύγουρα κατά το κάπνισμα της ύπατης.

ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΗ ΠΟΡΕΙΑ

ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΗ ΟΡΘΟΔΟΞΟΣ ΚΟΙΝΟΤΗΣ
ΚΟΙΝΟΤΗΤΑ BELLEVILLE, TRENTON AND DISTRICT.
ΙΕΡΟΣ ΝΑΟΣ ΑΓΙΑΣ ΤΡΙΔΑΔΟΣ

CHRIS AND MARIA ZAVOS
OF AJAX, ONT.

*Wishing Your Community
Continued Success*



MIKE & FRANCINE RIGOS

RESTAURANT
282 Main Street
Picton, Ontario
K0K 2T0
(613) 476-5454

Good food & prompt service.
Reasonable prices.

Dining room available for
special parties & group dinners.

Licensed under LLBO.

MOIRA GLASS-MIRROR LTD.

RESIDENTIAL



COMMERCIAL

GLASS, SCREEN REPAIRS

Replacement Doors & Windows - Storm Doors & Windows
Patio Doors - Table Tops - Mirrors - Plexiglass -
Aluminum Store Fronts, Windows & Entrance Systems -
Thermo-Insulated Glass - Door & Closer Repairs
- Insurance Claims -

SAME DAY SERVICE

24 HOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE

969-5175

314 PINNACLE
FAMILY BUSINESS

HOUSE OF MARBLE



- CERAMIC TILE & MARBLE
- SALES & INSTALLATION
- COMMERCIAL & RESIDENTIAL
- CARPET SALES & INSTALLATION

TRENTON

394-5452

RIVERSIDE INDUSTRIAL PARK
TRENTON

Congratulations and Best Wishes!



JDS FOOD LIMITED

185 N. FRONT ST.
BELLEVILLE, ONT K8P 3C1
(613) 962-7400



Ray & Jim's
Signs & Trophies (Belleville) Ltd.

LARGE STOCK - PROMPT SERVICE
ENGRAVING ON PREMISES - CUSTOM EMBROIDERY

Printed Ribbons - Club Pins - Buttons - Name Badges
Silver Trays - Gift Ware - Custom Glassware
Business Awards - Rubber Stamps - Team Jackets

313 FRONT

962-3663



EQUIPMENT RENTALS

COMPLETE LINE OF EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES



CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS

966-2822

392-9278

354-2105

547-4200

680 SIDNEY N.,
BELLEVILLE

R.R. 3
TRENTON

26 DARY AVE.,
NAPANEE

171 BINNINGTON CRT.
KINGSTON

Four Seasons SPORTS SHOP

COMPLETE LINE OF SPORTING GOODS & REPAIRS
Custom Embroidering And Trophy Engraving On Our Premises

Baseball - Hockey - Sportswear - Uniforms
Jackets - Crests - Skates

968-4823

218 NORTH FRONT
Ike & Taso Christopher



Team Supplies
Skate
Sharpening



ΜΑΚΕΔΟΝΙΑ

.... Η Κοινότητα και πάλι ανταποκρίθηκε στο εθνικό κάλεσμα και έδωσε το παρόν στην διαδήλωση για το Μακεδονικό μπροστά στο Κοινοβούλιο στην Οττάβα.

THE INTELLIGENCER, Saturday, March 7, 1992 — 8

Quinte Greeks showing concern

By Nancy Gummow

The Intelligencer

Quinte's Greeks fear Yugoslavia's civil strife could spill over into their homeland.

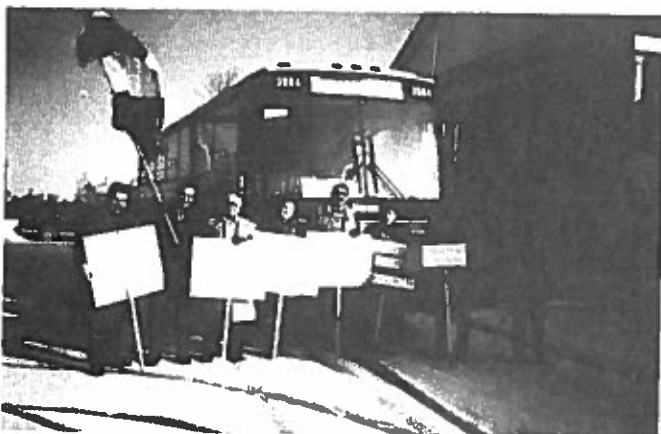
Many of the region's Greek-Canadians have relatives living in the Mediterranean country of Greece, said community spokesman John Zikopoulos.

And some worry bordering Slavic violence could force Greece into an armed conflict.

"There are people certainly in the border areas," said Zikopoulos.



OTTAWA, PARLIAMENT



ON THE WAY TO OTTAWA



OTTAWA, PARLIAMENT

QUINTE FUNERAL CENTRES

LOCALLY OWNED AND OPERATED LTD.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS



DOUGLAS RUSHNELL



SHEILA RUSHNELL



DON McKINNEY



DOUG CAMPBELL



CHRIS RUTLEDGE



RICK CADDICK



GARNET BABCOCK

- FREE CONSULTATION ON PRE-ARRANGEMENTS & CREMATION
- RECEPTION CENTRE AVAILABLE FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS
- PRICES TO ACCOMMODATE ALL FINANCIAL NEEDS
- BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT SERVICES

JOHN R. BUSH FUNERAL HOME

80 HIGHLAND AV.
BELLEVILLE

968-5588

W. J. THOMPSON CHAPEL

38 EVERETT ST.
BELLEVILLE

962-8651

RUSHNELL FUNERAL CENTRE

60 DIVISION ST.
TRENTON

392-2111

RIVERVIEW

RESTAURANT & TAVERN
FULLY LICENSED UNDER L.L.B.O.

OUR FINE CUISINE FEATURES:

- CHAR-BROILED STEAKS & CHOPS
- SEAFOOD • CHICKEN • SPAGHETTI

GLASSED IN LICENSED PATIO BY THE RIVER

GOURMET COOKING DAILY SPECIALS



OPEN WEEKDAYS 7 am - 11 pm
SUNDAY 8 am - 10 pm



For Reservations & Take-Out Call

653-2553

6 FRONT N - CAMPBELLFORD
LOCATED DOWNTOWN
NEAR THE BRIDGE

395 DUNDAS ST., EAST

BELLEVILLE, ONT.

TAYLOR'S

REFRIGERATION & AIR CONDITIONING
(BELLEVILLE) LIMITED

BILL TAYLOR

962-7971

J M Seven Seas TRAVEL

(JEFFREY-MORPHY)

J M SEVEN SEAS TRAVEL JEFFREY-MORPHY

"From our small corner to any
corner of the world"

966-6586



Ontario License Number 1971174

191 DUNDAS ST., EAST
BELLEVILLE, ONT.

"Dedicated to Making Travellers Happy"

Congratulations from

中華樓 CHINA GATE restaurant

FULLY LICENSED UNDER L.L.B.O.

SERVING BELLEVILLE'S
FINEST CHINESE FOOD

TAKE OUT ORDERS

CATERING

GIFT CERTIFICATES

PRIVATE BANQUET FACILITIES

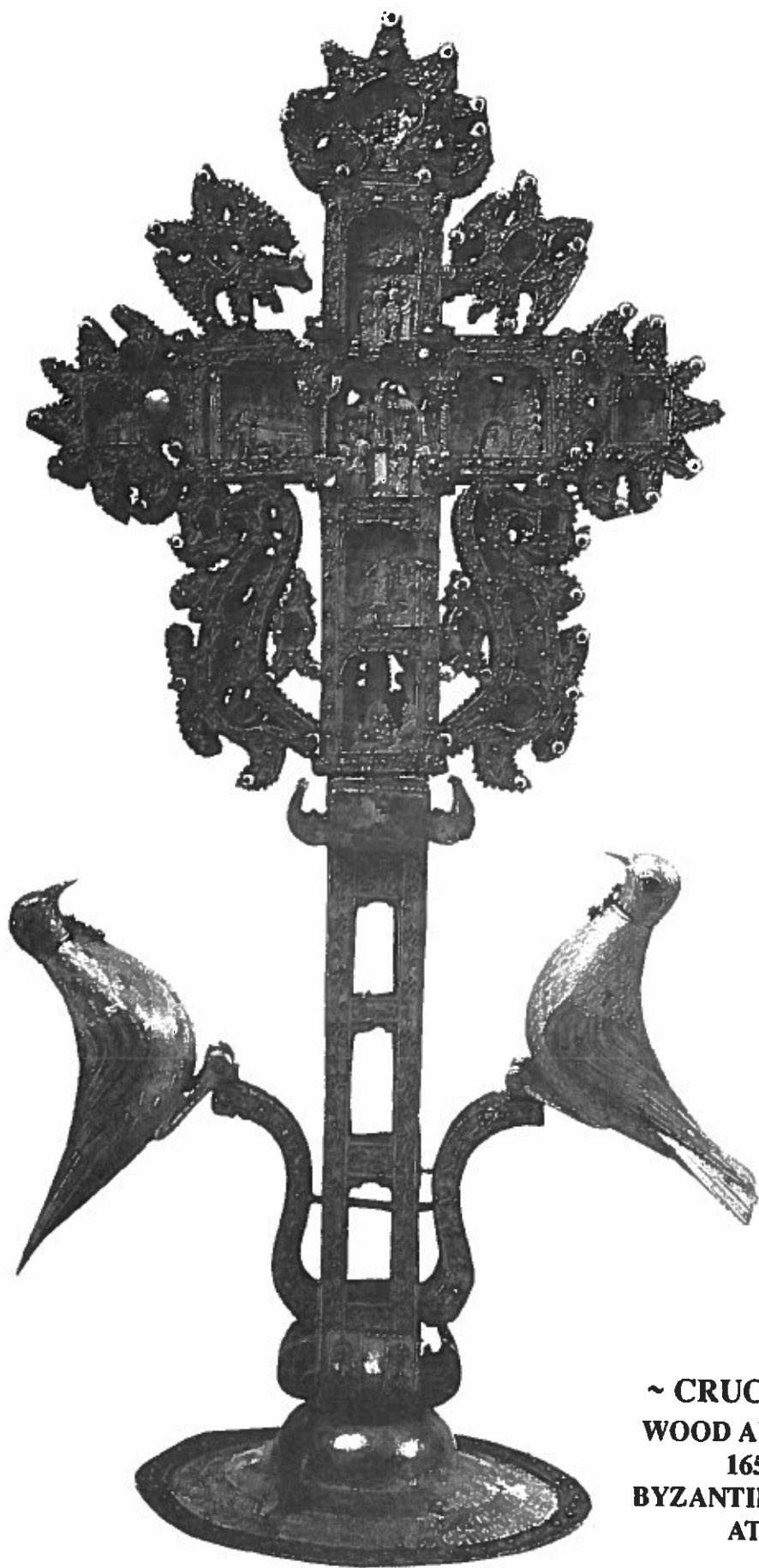
WEDDINGS - RECEPTIONS - MEETINGS

DINING ROOM

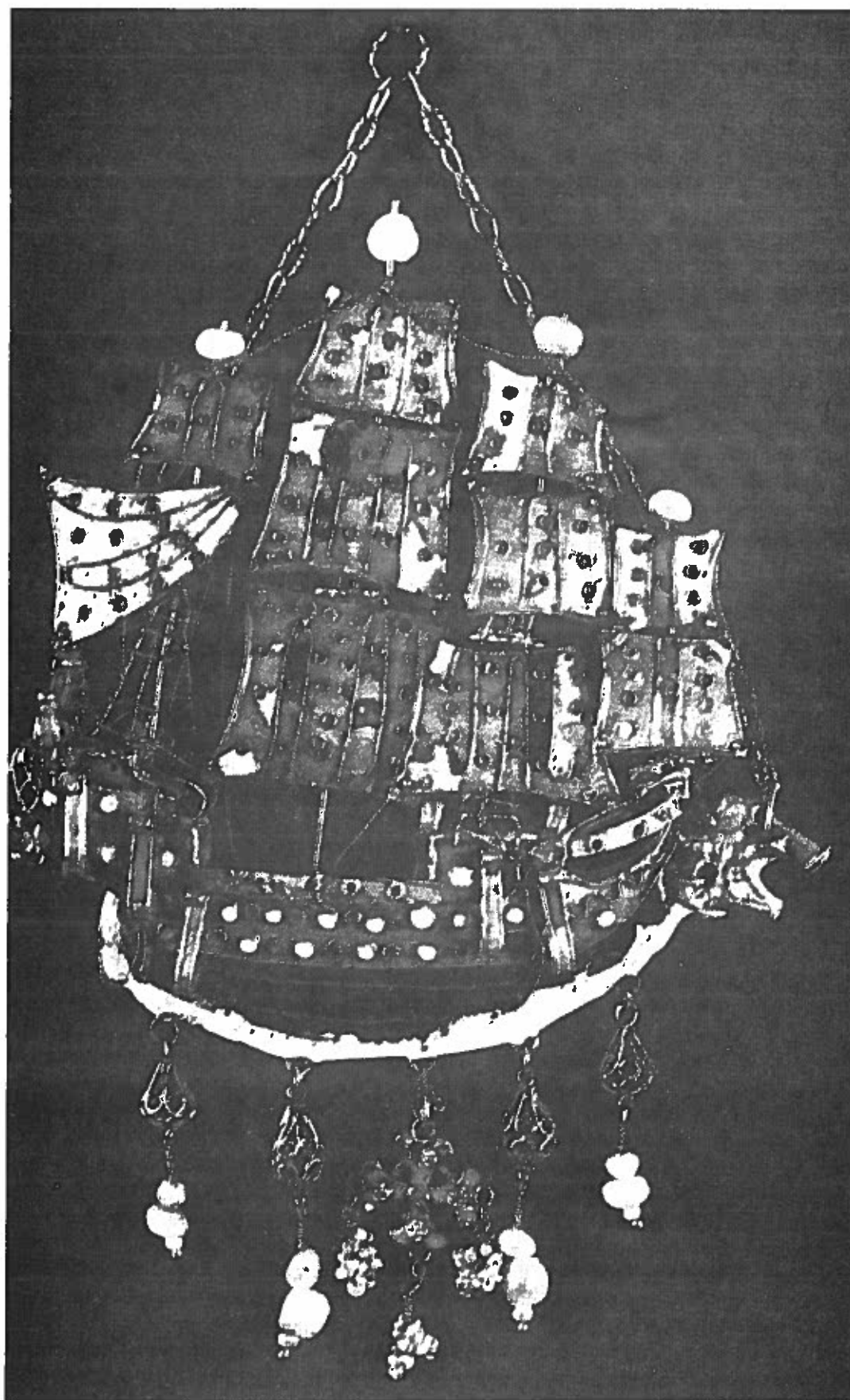
BUSINESSMEN'S LUNCHEONS

966-3444

249-253 FRONT S.



~ CRUCIFIXION ~
WOOD AND ENAMEL
1654 A.D.
BYZANTINE MUSEUM,
ATHENS



CARAVELLE AMULET • FOLK ART • 18TH CENTURY • BENAKI MUSEUM, ATHENS

ΑΠΟ ΤΗΝ ΣΚΟΠΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΕΚΔΟΤΗ

" Οπου και να ταξιδέψω, η Ελλάδα με πληγώνει. . .

" Παραπετάσματα βουνών, αρχιπέλαγα, γυμνοί γρανίτες. . . "

Γιώργος Σεφέρης

" Ηδεία ετι

του μεν παρόντος η ενέργεια,
του δε μέλλοντος η ελπίς,
των δε γεγεννημένων η μνήμη. "

Αριστοτέλης

Η επέτειος της τριακονταετηρίδας είναι ένα ακόμη ορόσημο στην Κοινοτική ζωή. Τριάντα χρόνια μεταναστευτικής εμπειρίας, προσωπικής και συλλογικής. Προ πάντων συλλογικής εμπειρίας.

Το 1973 όταν έκδωσα το Λεύκωμα για τα Θυρανοίξια το είπαμε ορόσημο, γιατί η περιπατητική μας Ελληνική Κοινότητα είχε πιά την δική της μόνιμη στέγη, σαν σημάδι πως είχαμε υπερτερήσει τά εμπόδια και τις δυσκολίες κι απλώσαμε τελικά ρίζες σε ξένη γή.

" Η Ελλάδα με πληγώνει. . . " λέει ο ποιητής. Και η Ελλάδα μας "πλήγωσε" με την οδύνη του χωρισμού από την πατρώα γή, με τον μόχθο προσαρμογής σε ξένη γή, με την νοσταλγία για τα οικεία και τα ηλιοφανή, την αγωνία για τις εθνικές περιπέτειες και κρίσεις. Αλλά τα υπερτερήσαμε και τριάντα χρόνια αργότερα έχουμε κάτι νά αφήσουμε στην καινούργια γεννιά που μας διαδέχεται.

Τα Εγκαίνια του Ναού της Αγίας Τριάδας το 1976 επιβεβαίωσε τον προσανατολισμό των μεταναστών προς τις αξίες εκείνες που εκφράζονται στην ελληνικότητά μας, σε ο τι λέμε κληρονομιά.

Το τραγούδι τις συνοψίζει αυτές τις αξίες:

" Κι είτε με τις αρχαιότητες είτε την Ορθοδοξία

κάνουν οι Έλληνες Κοινότητες σε άλλο Γαλαξία. "

Είμαστε οι Έλληνες της Διασποράς, οι κινούμενοι στον εξωελληνικό χώρο, όπου δημιουργούνται οι Μικρές Ελλάδες του Εξωτερικού. Σαν νά συνεχίζουμε την φυλετική, σχεδόν επίκτητη, τάση προς την αποδημία. Η μεταστάστευση δεν είναι ούτε ευλογία ούτε κατάρα. Είναι αδήριτη κοινωνική ανάγκη. Και η μικρή μας

Κοινότητα είναι κομμάτι αυτής της εμπειρίας.

Στις σημειώσεις για την ιστορία της Κοινότητας αυτές τις εμπειρίες προσπάθησα να περισώσω, αυτήν την κατασταλλαγμένη συλλογική εμπειρία που έγινε βίωμα για μας.

Και φυσικά η Κοινότητα δεν φύτρωσε μονομιάς το 1963. Πίσω από την επίσημη οργάνωση υπάρχει μιά μεγάλη σειρά από πρωτοπόρους μετανάστες που άνοιξαν το δρόμο κι εβαλαν τα θεμέλια. Το 1897 ήρθε ο πρώτος Έλληνας στην περιοχή του Κουίντε, ο Ηπειρώτης Νάσιος. Το 1912 δημιουργήθηκε η πρώτη Ελληνική οικογένεια στο Μπέλβιλ, του Μ. Μαράσχα. Κι ακολούθησαν όλοι οι άλλοι. Έτσι οι εμπειρίες συνεχίζονται από τον πρώτο μετανάστη, πριν τρεις γενιές, μέχρι τις πιο πρόσφατες αφίξεις το -93 των οικογενειών Λ. Πρωτόπαπα και Φανουράκη. Και ο κύκλος ξαναρχίζει, χωρισμός από τα οικεία, προσαρμογή στα ανοίκεια και αγωνία και μόχθος και για την αποκατάσταση και την διατήρηση των πατρών. Η μοίρα των αποδήμων, η δική μας μοίρα. -

Γιάννης Λ. Ζηκόπουλος



Congratulations to the Greek Community

A. R. (Art) Bunnett
Sales Supervisor



T.C.C. Bottling Ltd.
The *Coca-Cola* Bottling System of Canada.

Belleville, Ontario
Tel. 1-800-267-0268

Coca-Cola
Trade Mark Reg.

Welcome to refreshment

