# ST. MICHAEL'S HOME



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## 2023 APRIL NEWSLETTER

## **CHRISTOS ANESTI - CHRIST IS RISEN!** Wishing you a blessed and joyous Paschal Season



Heartfelt appreciation to the following for their magnanimous pledges/donations

Jill & Harry Giannoulis - Resident Lounge

**Despina & Nick Hantzis** – Elevator

Kalliope & Spiros Bantis – Conference Room

#### **Connie & Nick Lambros** - Elevator

Naming Opportunities are quickly being taken so NOW is the time if you want to donate a room in memory or in honor of a loved one. Scan the QR code below to view the remaining opportunities.





On Palm Sunday, His Grace Bishop Andonios, visited Transfiguration of Christ Church (Corona, NY) to thank the community for their extremely generous and laudable decision to donate \$25,000 annually for the next 10 years (i.e., \$250,000) to St. Michael's in support the expansion project and the operation of the new facility. Pictured with His Grace is the Very Rev. Chrysostom Panos, Proistamenos of the parish, along with members of the Parish Council (on the right) and the ladies of the Philoptochos Society (on the left) who presented the Bishop with their donation on this occasion. Words are inadequate to express heartfelt appreciation but also to applaud the magnanimity of this community.

### **BEFORE AND AFTER**

The next few newsletters will feature some of the spaces planned in the new facility - photos of what those spaces look like NOW, compared to architectural renderings of those areas when construction is completed. To bring about the transformation of these rooms, **WE NEED YOUR ASSISTANCE NOW**. Scan the QR code to donate and/or to see Levels of Giving and remaining Naming Opportunities.



# **Chapel of the Archangels**





# **Community Lounge**





**Memory Care Terrace Garden** 





**Main Visitor Lobby** 





**Resident Library** 





Contact the Development Office(<u>development@stmichaelshome.org</u>) to discuss making a pledge or to confirm the availability of a *Naming Opportunity*. You can download a Pledge Form on the website <u>www.stmichaelshomeuniondale.org</u>, at the bottom of the Naming Opportunities link.

### VIRTUALLY TOUR THE UNIONDALE SITE

As announced in the March newsletter, "Group Tours" (contact Lily Katos (917-817-5387- <a href="lilykat365@yahoo.com">lilykat365@yahoo.com</a> or Maria Skiadas 646-996-3363 - <a href="smc1651@aol.com">smc1651@aol.com</a>) will be available after Pascha; however, for those who for whatever reason may not be able to visit Uniondale, follow the link below. A new video was produced the end of March which will give the viewer an appreciation for the magnitude and scope of the project as well as highlight progress in the construction of this new magnificent state-of-the-art continuum care facility.

https://www.stmichaelshomeuniondale.org/videos
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QDtLxDoy9 k&t=19s



#### CRITICAL JUNCTURE IN THE PROJECT

We have arrived at a critical juncture in the project and your assistance is needed to keep the construction moving at its current pace so that the new facility can open in 2024. Before we can access the construction loan which has already been secured, we need to bridge a funding gap between received pledges and the loan. This amount is an increase in the original cost of the project as a result overwhelmingly because of historic inflation in the construction industry which is between 15%-20%.

Therefore, **NOW IS THE TIME** to participate in the Capital Campaign by making a donation in one of the Levels of Giving and/or remaining Naming Opportunities.

#### SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, November 12, 2023

St. Michael's Home Annual Name Day Gala

Celebrating the 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Home

METROPOLITAN CLUB One East 60th Street New York, New York

Cocktail Reception 4:00 – 5:00 pm Dinner & Dancing 5:00 -9:00pm

All contributions to St. Michael's are deductible to the extent provided by the law as the Home is a tax exempt organization under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

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