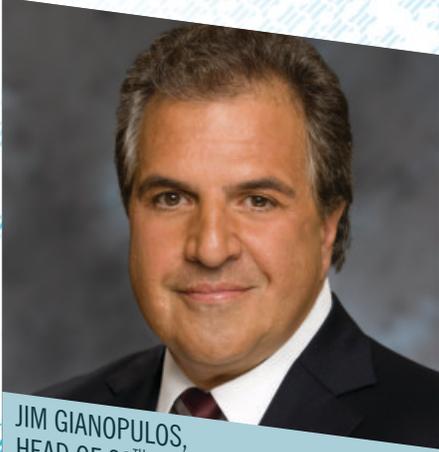
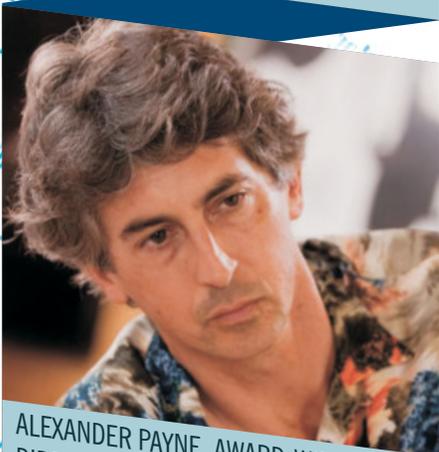


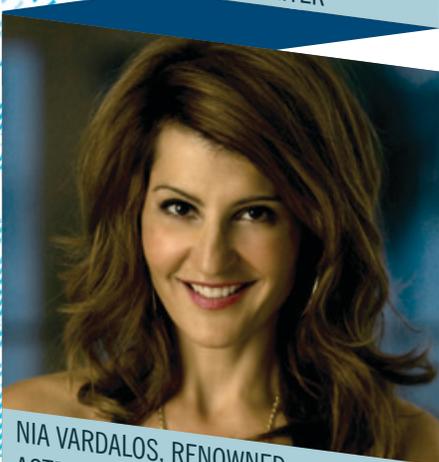
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# MESSAGE FROM OUR CHAIRMAN



*Charles H. Cotros*

As we enter the joyous holiday season, I am happy to report good news. Our membership efforts, after stirring events in New York and Houston, have resulted in 35 new members toward our goal of 50 by the Leadership 100 Annual Conference next February, when we will likely reach 900. We are moving steadily toward our goal of 1,000 members by our 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2014. Our portfolio now stands at \$74.8 million with total assets of \$87.1 million.

At the same time we have not neglected our primary purpose, which is to support the National Ministries of our Church and respond to humanitarian need. The Executive Committee has followed a long-standing tradition of acting in emergency situations and has voted unanimously to grant \$100,000 to the Hurricane Sandy Relief Fund established by His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios. The Archbishop has designated His Grace Bishop Andonios, Chancellor and Director of Philanthropy, to oversee relief efforts with clergy in the affected areas, as well as with agencies such as the International Orthodox Christian Charities (IOCC).

Meanwhile, the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Leadership 100 Conference is turning into a star-studded event. The lineup now includes Jim Gianopulos, Chairman and CEO of Twentieth Century Fox, Alexander Payne, the Oscar-winning director and screenwriter, Nia Vardalos, the renowned actress, screenwriter and producer, Fr. John Bakas, the dynamic Dean of St. Sophia Cathedral in Los Angeles, as well as two of our own members, Michael S. Johnson, the pioneering petroleum geologist, and Mary J. Mitchell, fashion illustrator for top designers.

As always we look forward to the inspiring and educational Bible Study of Archbishop Demetrios and a full program of delightful entertainment, which will feature the sisters, Lexy and Stephany Prodromos, at the Hellenic Festival on Friday evening, February 8 and Dean Vali & Keffe both at the Hellenic Festival and the Grand Gala on Saturday evening, February 9.

The Executive Committee, Board of Trustees and General Assembly will hear reports on the new grants, newly elected members of our governing bodies, as well as our plans to continue to promote Leadership 100 and its unique mission across the country in 2013 and 2014. Needless to say, our commitments to support Holy Cross seminarians preparing for the priesthood and for the National Ministries will remain at the center of our concern. Our grants, which now exceed \$33 million since our inception 28 years ago, will increase substantially in the years to come if we continue to attract Greek Orthodox Christian leaders with commitment to our common values.

Connie and I look forward to greeting you in California in February and wish you and yours a Blessed Christmas and Happy and Healthy New Year.

*Warmest regards,*  
*Charles H. Cotros*

**Charles H. Cotros**  
Chairman

# LEADERSHIP 100 GIVES \$100,000 EMERGENCY GRANT FOR HURRICANE SANDY DISASTER

Charles H. Cotros, Chairman of Leadership 100, announced that the Executive Committee of Leadership 100, at an extraordinary teleconference call November 19, unanimously voted to grant \$100,000 immediately to the *Hurricane Sandy Relief Fund*, established by the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese on November 6 in the wake of the devastating storm that hit hardest in most Northeastern states, especially New York and New Jersey, as well as in the Middle Atlantic and Midwest.

The Archbishop visited the Greek Orthodox Church of Holy Trinity/St. Nicholas in Staten Island, N.Y. on Sunday, November 4, which was hard hit by the storm. He presided over the Divine Liturgy and offered a Trisagion prayer service for the repose of the souls of those who lost their lives. He also led the congregation in prayer for strength and comfort from God for all the people who lost their homes, their businesses and property and are suffering in the aftermath of the superstorm.

Cotros said: "We have been witnesses to yet another great national tragedy, but we are comforted by the response of Archbishop Demetrios and the designation of Bishop Andonios. Just as with Hurricane Katrina, for which we provided \$100,000 and the September 11 Relief Fund, for which we raised more than \$500,000, Leadership 100 always stands ready to support humanitarian efforts during national crises."



His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios designated His Grace Bishop Andonios, Chancellor of the Archdiocese and Director of Philanthropy, to coordinate all relief efforts with the International Orthodox Christian Charities (IOCC) and other agencies, as well as with the clergy in the affected areas. He will also monitor the distribution of funds.

The Archbishop also had designated Sunday, November 11, 2012 as a day of prayer and offering on behalf of the victims of Hurricane Sandy and, on behalf of the Holy Eparchial Synod, issued an Encyclical in which he called upon *all the faithful throughout the Church in America to pray fervently for comfort from above. We offer prayers of remembrance for those who perished and of solace for those who lost family members. We pray for the many who have lost their homes, and for those who are facing uncertainty regarding their jobs and livelihood.*





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November 20, 2012

Mr. Charles H. Cotros, Chairman  
Miss Paulette Poulos, Executive Director  
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Dear Mr. Cotros, Miss Poulos, Board of Trustees  
and Members of Leadership 100,

It is with praise to God that I write to you today to extend my gratitude for your valued contribution of \$100,000 to the Hurricane Sandy Relief Fund.

Your generosity in assisting those impacted by Hurricane Sandy captures the genuine spirit of almsgiving described by Saint John Chrysostom as *the mother of love, of that love which is the characteristic of Christianity, which is greater than all miracles, by which the disciples of Christ are manifested* (Chrysostom Homilies on the Acts of Titus).

May the grace of these good works return to each of you with increase. With my best wishes for a spiritually enriching journey to the Feast of the Nativity and my prayers that you will continue, through your good deeds, to give witness to the abiding love of God and grow continuously in your love to Him and in your faith in His life giving presence, I remain

With love and esteem in Christ,

*Archbishop Demetrios of America*

+ DEMETRIOS  
Archbishop of America

# STAR-STUDDED PROGRAM

FOR 2013  
CONFERENCE



JIM GIANOPULOS

Jim Gianopulos, Chairman & Chief Executive Officer of Twentieth Century Fox Film, overseeing News Corporation's motion picture companies, including Twentieth Century Fox Film Corp., Fox 2000, Fox Searchlight Pictures, Fox Animation Studios, Blue Sky Studios, Fox International Productions, and their related entities, will highlight a star-studded program at the 22nd Annual Leadership 100 Conference that brings together the best and brightest from our beloved Church and Community, announced Charles H. Cotros, Leadership 100 Chairman.

The Conference, to take place February 7-10, 2013, at The Ritz-Carlton, Laguna Niguel in Dana Point California, will feature an address with special feature video by Gianopulos on Thursday afternoon, February 7, who will be introduced by his pastor, Fr. John Bakas, Dean of Saint Sophia Cathedral in Los Angeles, who will also speak to conferees, and will also include Alexander Payne, the award-winning director, screenwriter and producer, Nia Vardalos, the actress, screenwriter,

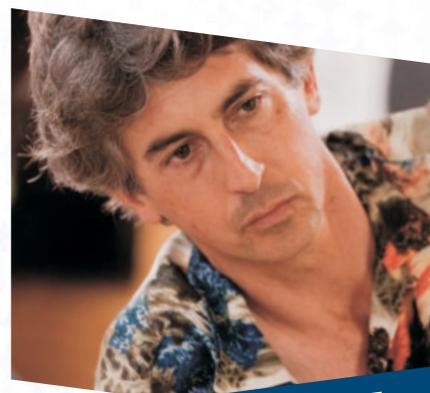
director and producer, Michael S. Johnson of Denver, Colorado, a member of Leadership 100 and an award-winning petroleum geologist, and Mary J. Mitchell of Omaha, Nebraska, also a member of Leadership 100, who is the author of *Drawn to Fashion*. Entertainment will feature the sisters, Lexy and Stephany Prodromos, at the Hellenic Festival on Friday evening, February 8. Dean Vali & Keffe will also perform at the Hellenic Festival, as well as at the Grand Gala on Saturday evening, February 9.

One of the longest-tenured studio chairmen in the film industry, Gianopulos oversees all feature film production and marketing, as well as global distribution through all windows and platforms spanning the theatrical, broadcast, cable, home entertainment, digital and mobile markets. During his time as Chairman of Fox, the studio has had its most profitable years ever. He has been involved in the evolution of new entertainment media and technologies for more than 25 years, and is considered a leading strategist in the industry. During his tenure at the studio, he has overseen the release of a broad range of successful films, including *Life of Pi*, the *X-Men* series, *Rise of the Planet of the Apes*, *Night At The Museum*, *Taken* (and its sequel), *The Simpsons Movie*, *Borat*, *The Day After Tomorrow*, *Walk the Line*, the *Star Wars* Trilogy, *Live Free or Die Hard*, *Minority Report*, and *Moulin Rouge*. He also has the unique distinction of having championed two of the biggest gambles, and the two highest grossing films of all time: *Avatar* and *Titanic*.

Under his leadership, the studio's animation division, Blue Sky Studios, produced successful films such as the *Ice Age* series, and Fox Searchlight Pictures, the studio's specialized division, produced commercial and critical successes such as *The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel*, *The Descendants*, *Black*

*Swan*, and the Oscar-winning *Slumdog Millionaire*, among many others. Prior to his current post, Gianopulos was Chairman & CEO of Fox Filmed Entertainment and before that, he was President of Twentieth Century Fox International, a position he held since 1994. Among the many notable successes during Gianopulos' tenure at Fox International are the Oscar winners *Titanic* and *Braveheart*, in addition to at one point having four of the five top grossing pictures of all-time internationally: *Titanic*, *Star Wars*, *Independence Day* and *Star Wars: Episode 1 – The Phantom Menace*.

The son of Greek immigrants and a native New Yorker, Gianopulos attended the Master's program at the New York University School of Law, the Fordham School of Law, earning a Juris Doctor in 1976 and Boston University, earning a BA in 1973. He resides in Los Angeles with his wife Ann and their three daughters.

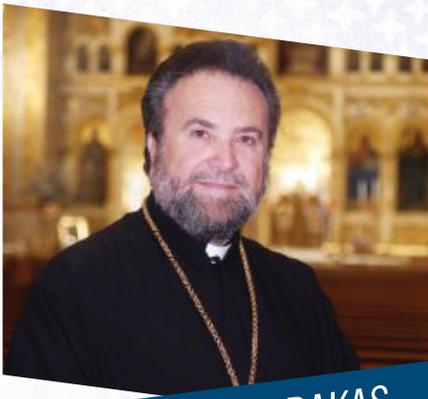


ALEXANDER PAYNE

Alexander Payne, who will speak on Friday afternoon, February 8, will be introduced by his former pastor in Omaha, Nebraska, Very Rev. Fr. Eugene N. Pappas, now of Three Hierarchs Church in Brooklyn, New York. Payne made his feature film debut with *Citizen Ruth* (1996) and followed up with *Election* (1999), which won Best Screenplay from the Writers' Guild of America and the New York Film Critics Circle, as well as an Oscar nomination for Best Adapted Screenplay. *About Schmidt* (2002) premiered in competition at the Cannes Film Festival and opened the New York Film Festival. Both *Sideways* (2004) and his latest film, *The Descendants* (2011), won Oscars for Best Adapted Screenplay and were nominated for four others, including Best Picture and Best Director.

# STAR-STUDED PROGRAM

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FATHER JOHN BAKAS

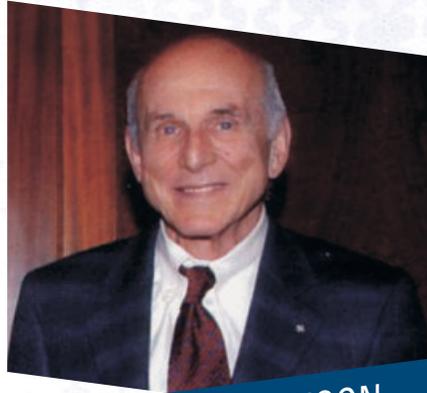
Father John Bakas, the dynamic and renowned Dean of Saint Sophia Cathedral of Los Angeles since 1995, is Founder of the Diocesan Camp AGAPE, "Kids N' Cancer" program for disadvantaged children with cancer, the Rotary House Children's Hospice in Fresno, CA, Project Nino, Mexico, offering free medical care for poor children in Mexico, Camp Axios for Los Angeles inner-city at risk youth, and the Byzantine-Latino Quarter of Los Angeles-inner city redevelopment program. He has served as a consultant on Steven Spielberg's *Prince of Egypt*, and on Mel Gibson's *The Passion of Christ* and as on-air commentator for the A&E production of *Christianity, The First Thousand Years*, and *Banned from the Bible*.



NIA VARDALOS

Nia Vardalos, the Canadian-American actress best known for the 2002 Academy Award-nominated film *My Big Fat Greek Wedding*, will speak on Friday evening, February 8. She made her directing debut in 2009 with the independent feature *I Hate Valentine's Day*. This was followed by *My Life in Ruins*, the first American production given permission to film at the Acropolis. In 2011, Vardalos and Tom

Hanks wrote the romantic comedy film *Larry Crowne*. She is set to star in the upcoming films *Talk of the Town* and *A Wilderness of Monkeys*.



MICHAEL JOHNSON

Michael Johnson, who will speak at the opening of the Conference on Thursday morning, February 7, has been recognized for his contribution to the discovery of Parshall Field in North Dakota, one of the world's major oil discoveries. Born in Maryville, Missouri of Greek immigrant parents, his interest in the oil business began when his family moved to Tulsa, Oklahoma in 1931, then called the oil capital of the U.S. He graduated from The Ohio State University with a B.Sc. degree and an M.S. degree, both in geology.



MARY MITCHELL

Mary Mitchell, who will speak at a special program on Saturday, February 9, is acknowledged for her 30-year career as a fashion illustrator for top designers and major department stores. Born Mary Kafasis to Greek immigrant parents in South Buffalo, New York, she

graduated from the Albright Art School in conjunction with the University of Buffalo. Recently, The Department of Textiles, Merchandising and Fashion Design of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln announced the dedication of the Mary Mitchell Fashion Studio. Celebrated designer Oscar de la Renta called her "a true artist, elegant and masterful."



LEXY PRODROMOS



STEPHANY PRODROMOS

Lexy and Stephany Prodomos are third generation Greek American sisters from the Chicago area who are devoted to their Greek heritage, who have translated into English and performed in Greek and English popular Greek songs from the 1960s, 70s and 80s by Manos Hadzidakis and Niko Ignatiadis. Their YouTube videos have more than 250,000 views and they have been featured on Fox, NBC and WGN television. Their remake of "Eye of The Tiger", written specifically for them by the song's composer, was popular on radio in the UK. Both also perform classical music. Their goal is to show young Greek Americans that modern Greece, not just Ancient Greece, has produced top flight cultural achievements. They make their CD available, free of charge, to the various Greek organizations that send young Greek Americans to Greece.



*L-R New Members, Mark and Sevasti Lagos, Leadership 100 Founder Peter M. Dion, Chairman Charles Cotros, New Members, Nikitas and Marika Drakotos and Members, Helen and John Psaros shared an evening of Christian fellowship at the New York Leadership 100 Recruitment Event.*

## NEW YORK AND HOUSTON EVENTS BRING IN NEW MEMBERS

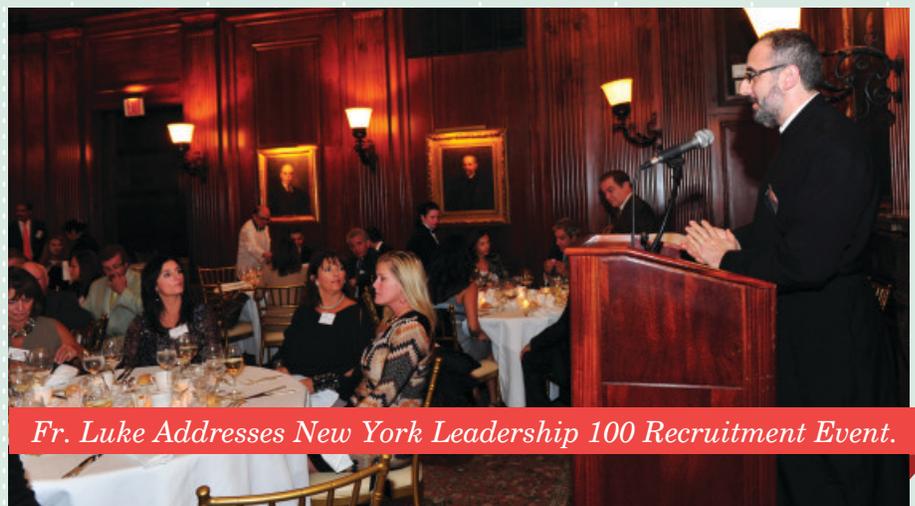
Leadership 100 organized membership events in New York City on September 25 and in Houston, Texas on November 7 that together brought new membership for 2012 to 34, representing the Direct Archdiocesan District and the eight Metropolises. Total membership increased to 895. The events included remarks from Charles H. Cotros, Chairman, who outlined the 28 year-long mission of Leadership 100 in support of the National Ministries of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese and the more than \$33 million distributed in grants.

In New York, Leadership 100 Founder Arthur C. Anton, Chairman Emeritus Stephen G. Yeonas, Executive Committee and Board of Trustees member, Peter J. Pappas, also addressed the gathering. Fr. Luke Meleckrinos, Dean of St. Paul Cathedral, Hempstead, New York, a special guest, related his own experiences to the group in having benefited from the Leadership 100 Scholarship Program.

In Houston, the event was sponsored by Board member, Christopher Pappas, and his wife, Maria, along with Leadership 100 members Marian and Spyros Catechis and Cynthia Kostas.

Paulette Poulos, Executive Director, in summing up the evening at both events, expressed gratitude to the Board of

Trustees for their involvement in the new drive to recruit members. She said that other events are planned in Chicago and Boston and that the goal was to reach 900 members by the 2013 Annual Conference and a milestone of 1,000 members by the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Leadership 100 in 2014.



*Fr. Luke Addresses New York Leadership 100 Recruitment Event.*

# FOURTH NATIONAL LEADERSHIP 100 SUNDAY OBSERVED



*Arthur C. Anton with V. Rev. Cleopas Strongylis at the Annunciation Cathedral*

*Photo: Alex Mavradis*



*Ted Zampetis with Fr. Stratton Dorozenski, wife, Ann, and granddaughter, Marianna Zampetis-Budman at St. Nicholas Church in Troy, Michigan*

The Fourth National Leadership 100 Sunday was observed in hundreds of Greek Orthodox parishes across the country on Sunday, October 21. Parish Priests read the Encyclical issued by His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios on behalf of the Holy Eparchial Synod and members of Leadership 100 spoke of the 28-year-old mission of the organization founded in 1984 to support the National Ministries of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese and to advance Orthodoxy and Hellenism. The date was chosen at the initiation of the event in 2009 as the Sunday prior to the Feast Day of St. Iakovos, a tribute to Archbishop Iakovos of Blessed Memory, the visionary Founder and namesake of the Archbishop Iakovos Leadership 100 Endowment Fund.

Ted K. Zampetis, a member of the Board of Trustees, who was named Chairman of National Leadership 100 Sunday by Charles H. Cotros, Leadership 100 Chairman, said other members of the Board of Trustees joined him in organizing programs in the Direct Archdiocesan District of New York and the Metropolises of Chicago, Pittsburgh, Boston, Denver, Atlanta, Detroit, San Francisco and New Jersey.

Among those speaking and organizing programs at parishes across the country were Leadership 100 Founding Member and former Chairman, Arthur C. Anton, at the Annunciation Greek Orthodox-New England Cathedral in Boston, MA, Chris W. Caras of the Executive Committee, at St. Katherine Greek Orthodox Church in Redondo Beach,

CA, George S. Tsandikos, Leadership 100 Vice Chairman, at the Archdiocesan Cathedral of the Holy Trinity in New York City, Chairman Emeritus Stephen G. Yeonas and James and Theodore Pedas at Saint Sophia Cathedral in Washington DC, Ted Zampetis at St. Paul Church in North Royalton, OH, and John Sitolides, a member of the Board of Trustees and Chairman of the Grant Committee, at St. George Church in Bethesda, MD.

Zampetis said programs were also held at Holy Trinity Church in Wilmington, DE and at Annunciation Cathedral in Houston TX. He also held a special commemoration on Sunday, November 4, at St. Nicholas Church in Troy, MI.



*Mary Jaharis cuts ribbon at opening of new galleries as family and special guests look on. (L-R) Archbishop Demetrios, Douglas Druick, Art Institute of Chicago Director, Mary and Michael Jaharis, and their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Steven and Elaine Jaharis.*

The new Mary and Michael Jaharis Galleries of Greek, Roman, and Byzantine Art opened at the Art Institute of Chicago, in the couple's hometown, at a special preview and gala dinner on November 10, 2012. The galleries are the latest philanthropic gift, joining similar galleries dedicated to the art of the Greco-Roman and Byzantine world, primarily at New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art, and also at Boston's Museum of Fine Arts. The opening was especially meaningful to Mary Jaharis, who had studied at the Art Institute of Chicago and who expressed joy that the Jaharis Family Foundation was able to establish and support the new galleries and the hope that the new galleries "will serve as a great resource for the Art Institute, its many educational programs, its many visitors and the various communities of the city." The Art Institute receives 1.6 million visitors a year.



*Mary and Michael Jaharis at entrance of new galleries named in their honor.*

## NEW JAHARIS GALLERIES OPEN AT ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO



*View of inaugural exhibit.*



*Archbishop Demetrios and Mary Jaharis tour inaugural exhibit.*

Both Mary and Michael Jaharis are long-time, devoted members of Leadership 100. He is among its Founding Members and serves on the Executive Committee and Board of Trustees. He is also Vice Chairman of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America.

Among the speakers and special guests were His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios of America who congratulated and thanked the Jaharis family for their latest philanthropic offering, Sir Peter Westmacott, the British Ambassador to the United States, on hand for the visiting exhibition of Byzantine Art from the British Museum, Metropolitan Iakovos of Chicago, Ioanna Efthymiadou, Greek Consul General, Emily Rafferty, President of New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art, and Helen Evans, the Michael and Mary Jaharis curator for Byzantine Art at the Metropolitan.

*Dr. Steven Jaharis and Michael Jaharis with Karen Manchester, Curator of Ancient Art and Chair of the Department of Ancient and Byzantine Art.*



*Reporting and photos courtesy of The National Herald.*

# ST. MICHAEL'S HOME HONORS ARGYRIS VASSILIOU FOR SERVICE

St. Michael's Home presented Argyris (RJ) Vassilou with the Archangel Michael Award for a decade of service as a dedicated member of its Board of Trustees and as Treasurer, at the Annual Name Day Gala on November 11, 2012, citing him for embodying and promoting "the finest qualities and traditions of our Greek Orthodox heritage through his charitable gifts of selfless time, energy and talent." Vassilou is also a member of the Leadership 100 Executive Committee and Board of Trustees and its Treasurer.



*Bishop Andonios, Director, Archbishop Demetrios, and Haeda Mihaltzes, President, present Archangel Michael Award to Argyris Vassilou.*

Vassilou is currently the President of Acme Pallet Company, Inc. in New York City and Di-Cor Industries, Inc. in Bristol, Connecticut. He received a B.C.E. degree from The Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art in 1989 and a M.S. degree from Princeton University in 1991. He also serves on the Board of Anatolia College in Thessaloniki, Greece, is an alumnus member of the National Leadership Council for the Campaign for Stuyvesant High School, and an active member of AHEPA, as well as an Archon of the Ecumenical Patriarchate. He is married to the former Ann Pappajohn. They have two children and attend the Church of the Archangels in Stamford, Connecticut.

Since its opening in 1958, St. Michael's has been the only Greek Orthodox adult home offering assisted living in the United States. The Home has always been self-sufficient, thanks to the generosity of steadfast friends.

## Considering Camp Emmanuel 2012

*By Jenny Stasinopoulos, staff*



*Metropolitan Isaiah of Denver visits with campers at Camp Emmanuel.*

It's around this time of the year that my mind feels most like a cool, deep lake; a place where there is plenty of sustenance and the clarity is remarkably inviting. I say this because I had the distinct pleasure to attend Camp Emmanuel- A Greek Orthodox youth camp- for my twelfth year. It was my fifth year as a staff member, and I cannot even begin to put in words the appreciation and admiration I have for this program. As it heads towards midnight here, I have two choices.... I can feebly attempt to explain my thoughts, or I can let them go to waste as the hours go by. I chose to write this in hopes that when I am old and grey, my memory of camp will never fade.

Really, none of us is born lost. We are all born in communion with God. We have no choice of it.... What we do choose in our lives is every subsequent step we take away from God- from the point of our births to our deaths. The thing that makes camp such a resonating life experience is that it is one of the few places on this earth in which we remind ourselves just how much we miss God in our day-to-day existences. We remind ourselves that no matter how fleeting and distant our meetings with one another are, they are somehow the most important

relationships that we have in our lives. We love being faithful to God much more than the alternative, and in doing so, we love each other through God.

Unfortunately, mine is one of the first generations raised without God. My contemporaries live in a world with strong religious impulses, but with nowhere to channel them. I see people struggle with loneliness and aimlessness all the time, and I thank God that I have The Faith to direct me through life. The Church guides me, and most importantly, it gives me hope that I can be a person of great faith.

When most people hear others talk about their heroes the feeling must often be lost in cliched phrases and sentiments. Every time I hear someone talk about their heroes, I smile knowing that I have more heroes than most people will ever know. In fact, I think the word "hero" devalues how I feel about the people who I have come to know and love through camp. *Every* clergy member, *every* camp director, *every* staff member, and *every* friend that I have come to know at Camp Emmanuel has become a saint in my life, a champion of The Faith. I mean that from the very bottom of my heart.

*Leadership 100 awarded the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese Department of Youth and Young Adult Ministries Camping Ministry \$270,000 for the second successive year in 2012 (\$30,000 for the camps of the Direct Archdiocesan District and for those of each Metropolis) to enable Greek Orthodox youth who do not have the financial means to participate in a summer camp program, enabling more than 2,000 young people to attend camp programs.*



Archon Nikitas Drakotas, President, Mrs. Evangeline Douris, General Chair, and Archon John Catsimatidis present the "Man of the Year" Award to Dr. Anthony J. Limberakis.



Drake Behrakis



Lazaros Kircos



James Pantelidis



George Frangiadakis

## LIMBERAKIS, ARCHONS HONORED BY HANAC OTHER LEADERSHIP 100 MEMBERS APPOINTED

The Hellenic-American Neighborhood Action Committee (HANAC) recognized The Order of Saint Andrew and its National Commander, Dr. Anthony J. Limberakis, a member of Leadership 100, during their 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner Dance Gala in New York City, Friday, October 26.

Archon John A. Catsimatidis, a member of the Leadership 100 Executive Committee and Board of Trustees, introduced Dr. Limberakis as HANAC's "Man of the Year".

Dr. Limberakis then accepted and dedicated the Award to His All-Holiness Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew, His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios of America, and the 750 Archons of the Ecumenical Patriarchate in America, and most specifically Fr. Alex Karloutsos, Spiritual Advisor, the Officers, National Council and Regional Commanders.

Prior to the event, Dr. Limberakis, with the blessing of His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios of America, Exarch of the Ecumenical Patriarchate, and in consultation with His

Eminence Metropolitan Methodios of Boston, appointed Drake G. Behrakis, Archon Maestor, Regional Commander for the Archons of the Metropolis of Boston, and in consultation with His Eminence Metropolitan Nicholas of Detroit, appointed Lazaros Evangelos Kircos, Archon Orphanotrofos, Regional Commander for the Archons of the Metropolis of Detroit.

Archon Behrakis joins fellow Regional Commander Archon Gregory G. Demetrakas of the Metropolis of Boston and Archon Kircos joins fellow Regional Commander Archon Mark D. Stavropoulos of the Metropolis of Detroit.

Behrakis is a member of the Leadership Board of Trustees and Kircos is a long-time member of Leadership 100.

Two other Leadership 100 members, James Pantelidis, a member of the Board of Trustees, and George Frangiadakis were newly invested as Archons of the Ecumenical Patriarchate in October.

## COTRONAKIS NAMED LEGAL COUNSEL



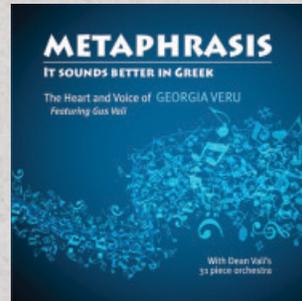
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Emanuel J. Cotronakis, of Juno Beach, Florida, was named Legal Counsel to Leadership 100 and elected to the Board of Trustees, according to Charles H. Cotros, Chairman. Cotronakis, who with his wife, Elaine, joined Leadership 100 in 2008, is Executive Vice President and General Counsel of Jacob Investments, Inc., of North Palm Beach, Florida. He was previously a partner and internal team leader with Baker & Hostetler LLP, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Cotronakis received his J.D. degree from Georgetown University Law Center in Washington, D.C. in 1998. He graduated with a B.A. in Economics from Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland in 1992. While in law school, he served as White House Legal Intern in the Office of the Vice President of the United States and as Legal Intern in the Office of the Treasurer of the United States. He also served as an Associate for Squire, Sanders & Dempsey LLP in Cleveland from 1998-2000 and as Law Clerk in 1997. Previous employment included consulting for Contronakis Enterprises in Cleveland from 1993-1995 and construction manager for Nakis Builders, Inc, also in Cleveland, from 1986-1992.

He also served as a member of the Organizing Committee for the United States – China Legal Exchange in connection with the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Ministry of Commerce of the People’s Republic of China. He was a Trustee and Secretary of the Greater Cleveland Multimedia Development Corporation. He is currently Vice President of the Parish Council of St. John Chrysostom Greek Orthodox Church of Martin County, Florida.

## GEORGIA VERU RELEASES ALBUM



Georgia Veru has released an album, *Metaphrasis*, a celebration of Greek-American culture, capturing her lifelong passion for Greek music and American musical style. She and her husband, Ted, are long-time members of Leadership 100. The album features the Greek sounds of Zembekiko and Sirto, as well as Greek songs arranged in swing mode and American Country style. Highlights include Greek adaptations of “Don’t Cry for Me Argentina”, “An Affair to Remember” and “Alejate” and feature the styling of the popular Greek-American musician, Gus Vali. The album was produced by Ted Veru and Dean Vali.

Georgia attributes her love of the Greek language to her Greek American heritage beginning with her great grandfather’s arrival in the United States a century ago and continuing down to her American-born parents. She pursued her interest in music from a young age, graduating from the Fiorello H. LaGuardia School of Music and Art and Performing Arts in New York City, which gained world-wide renown through the TV series *Fame*.



Georgia Veru

For more information on Georgia Veru and *Metaphrasis*, go to [www.soundsbetteringreek.com](http://www.soundsbetteringreek.com)

# ZAMPETIS, NAMED ENTREPRENEUR OF THE YEAR, CHAIRED NATIONAL LEADERSHIP 100 SUNDAY



*Ted and Ann Zampetis with Award*

Theodore K. “Ted” Zampetis of Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, a member of the Leadership 100 Board of Trustees, was named an Entrepreneur of the Year by Ernst & Young. He served as 2012 Chairman of National Leadership 100 Sunday.

Zampetis, who is the President and Chief Executive Officer of Shiloh Industries,

Inc. a leading full service automotive supplier to the U.S., European and Asian automakers in North America, was recognized as an Entrepreneur of the Year in Industrial and Engineered Products and Materials by Ernst & Young, which cited him for taking on the leadership of Shiloh in the face of bankruptcy and turning the company around and creating an innovation finance structure that is attributed with saving the company, increasing the worth of its shares and ensuring its continued growth in revenue, staff size and its product line. He has been a key player in the global automotive industry for more than 40 years, focusing on sustainable improvement of operational strategies, team building and leadership development, process optimization and effective execution.

Born in Samos, Greece, he immigrated to the United States, to Cleveland, Ohio, in 1971. He worked for some 30 years at The Standard Products Company, a global automotive supplier, where he rose from Maintenance Engineer to President, Chief Operating Officer and a member of its Board of Directors, in 18 years. He is married to Ann Saviolis and they have two children, Constantine and Callie, and four grandchildren. All four members of the Zampetis family are individual members of Leadership 100.

A graduate of the Greek Merchant Marine Academy, where he studied Electro-Mechanical Engineering, he received both a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration, concentrating in International Marketing, and a Masters Degree in Business Administration, concentrating in International Finance, from the University of Toledo in Toledo, Ohio.

# MANATOS RAISES FUNDS FOR MAKE-A-WISH

Mike Manatos, of Bethesda, Maryland, a member of the Leadership 100 Board of Trustees who competed in his first Make-A-Wish Triathlon in 1997, has generated more than \$500,000 for Make-A-Wish Mid-Atlantic to grant the wishes of 75 local children with life-threatening medical conditions. “The more I learned about Make-A-Wish, the more wish kids I met, the more deeply involved I wanted to get in the Foundation. It went from being a wonderful charity that I supported to one of my life's passions,” said



*Mike Manatos*

Manatos. Manatos, who is Senior Vice President at Manatos & Manatos, a government relations and public policy company in Washington, D.C., started out as a volunteer at the Foundation and later became a member of the chapter's fundraising advisory board. In 2008, he joined the Mid-Atlantic governing board of directors.

Manatos has had many memorable moments with Make-A-Wish over the years. His second date with his future wife and fellow Make-A-Wish Triathlon competitor, Laura, also a member of Leadership 100 and the Fox 5 News Anchor in the Washington, D.C. area, was spent at a wish send-off celebration. Also sharing in the joy are his three young children who join him each year in crossing the finish line.

“The moment I became a father, my commitment to and passion for the Foundation increased exponentially,” said Manatos. “The thought of how difficult it would be if one of my children ever had a life-threatening illness made me appreciate the power of a wish that much more.”

The Manatos family's commitment to the Foundation does not end with his wife and children. His mother, Tina, also became involved with the Foundation, first as a volunteer and now as an enthusiastic wish granter, and his sister-in-law's chocolate company, Edward Marc, has partnered with Make-A-Wish Mid-Atlantic for a number of events. Both parents, Andrew, President of Manatos & Manatos, and Tina are long-time members of Leadership 100.

Founded in 1983, Make-A-Wish Mid-Atlantic has granted the wishes of more than 7,000 local children fighting life-threatening medical conditions such as cancer, pediatric AIDS, cystic fibrosis, Duchene's muscular dystrophy, kidney and heart disease. In 2011, the Mid-Atlantic chapter granted a record number of 404 wishes.

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