

11TH ANNUAL SAINT DEMETRIOS WELCOME SUNDAY OCTOBER 4, 2009

On Sunday, October, 4, 2009, the following new members of our Saint Demetrios Parish were recognized in Church after the Divine Liturgy, and were honored during coffee hour in the Social Hall:

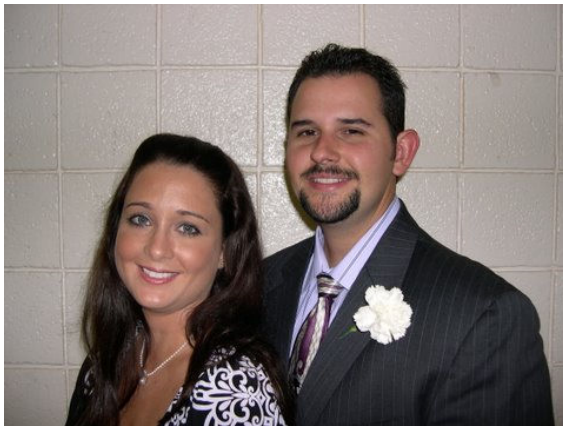
1. Dr. Maria Mouratidis:



Maria is a native of Queens, New York, and moved to the Baltimore area about 18 months ago. She attended Loyola University for her undergraduate and masters' degrees, and has established a private practice for clinical psychology. She worked at Johns Hopkins University and was on the faculty at Yale University for 5 years. She was recruited by the U.S. Department of Defense to treat wounded soldiers at Bethesda Naval Hospital. Over a 5-

year period, she sat with about 2000 of them. This past August, she became the chair of the Psychology Department at the College of Notre Dame here in Baltimore. Maria owns a Cavalier King Charles named Barkley. She enjoys cooking and traveling, and owns a bell collection.

2. Chris and Dawn Murray:



The couple has been married for 4 years. Chris grew up in the Saint Demetrios Parish, attended Dulaney High School and then Salisbury State University. He works in the Service Department for Honda. Dawn is from Glen Arm and attended Perry Hall High School. She works as an accountant for G.E. Tignall, a mechanical contractor.

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3. Christina Samaras and daughter, Anna Christina:



Christina grew up in Harford County and was christened at Saint Demetrios. She obtained a degree in Early Childhood Education from Towson University, and works as an Inclusion Helper for special needs children Riverside Elementary School. Her hobbies include dancing and playing the guitar. Her husband, Tony, is from Annapolis and works as a painter. The couple has a 6-year old daughter, Anna Christina, who attends Seneca Elementary School, and a 22-month old step-daughter named Amanda.

4. George and Joy Stathakis and son, Brian:



George is from the Philadelphia area and attended Temple University. He is a pharmacist at Franklin Square Hospital, and coaches football for middle schoolers. Joy is from the Baltimore area and attended the College of Notre Dame. She is an oncology nurse at Johns Hopkins Hospital. The couple enjoys hiking and biking. Their 13-year old son, Brian, attends Patterson Middle School in Abingdon.

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5. Michael and Stephanie Scolinos and their son, Billy, and daughter, Alina:



The family moved from the Los Angeles, California area where Michael grew up and attended college at Cal Poly-Pomona. He has been hired to coach the Coppin State University baseball team. Stephanie is from Charlotte, North Carolina and went to school at the University of North Carolina- Chapel Hill. She is home schooling her 12-year old son, Billy, and 11-year old daughter, Alina. **(Note: Billy was the recent winner of the Saint Demetrios Oratorical Festival's Junior category. Further note: We are sad to report that the family is returning to Los Angeles next month).**

Other individuals and families who have become members of Saint Demetrios between August 2008 and August 2009:

Mr. Billy Apostolou
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Banach
Ms. Anastasia Daskalakis
Ms. Kellie Daskalakis
Mr. Charles Diakoparaskevas
Mr. Constantine Diamantidis
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Diamantidis
Mr. and Mrs. Cory Doss
Mr. and Mrs. George Economas
Mr. Joseph Fellner
Mr. and Mrs. Rick Flanagan
Mr. and Mrs. Naim Kahoush/Ms. Angela Qreitem
Mr. and Mrs. Antonios Karias
Mr. and Mrs. John Koutsantonis
Mr. and Mrs. Stelios Limneos
Mr. and Mrs. Dave Madden
Mr. and Mrs. Pantelis Martsoukos
Mr. and Mrs. Alexandros Meritis
Mr. Maurice Mufareh
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Panageotou
Mr. Kostas Parakevaidis & Family
Mrs. Juliet Sackleh

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Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trintis
Mr. and Mrs. Michael Vasilios
Mr. Deon Wansel

We wish each of these new members all of God's blessings as we welcome them into our Saint Demetrios Church family.

Louis N. Triandafilou
Welcome Committee
July 16, 2010