



## HOLY TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH

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We welcome you, with pleasure, to our 16<sup>th</sup> annual Labor Day Middle Eastern Food Festival! This Festival event is our largest annual fundraiser. We plan this event yearly to reach out to the Greater Washington, DC Community, to share our love of Jesus Christ, to provide the best in Middle Eastern food and to offer you our warm Middle Eastern hospitality.

We find joy in the thousands of people that have come to share in our Festival. With the help of God, parishioner support and the generosity of our kind friends, we continue to build our Church to meet the growing needs of our Parish. Our newly built classrooms provide a place to educate our children in the Melkite Greek-Catholic Faith. Our 25-year old kitchen continues to serve countless meals to the bereaved and to those in need. Our growing Church continues to offer our prayers and blessings to all of our friends in the community.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those who contributed to and supported our efforts in these events:

- The "**Guardian Angels**" who donated funds, products, and/or services to help underwrite Festival expenses.
- The **Seed Money and Adopt-a-Food Donors** who generously donated financially to our pre-Festival campaign.
- The **Sponsors** who donated supplies and/or services to help produce our Festival.
- The **Annual Ad Book Donors** who have supported us by placing advertisements in our ad book.

Please help by using the services of our **Festival Sponsors** and **Advertisers**.

We want to thank you all, from the bottom of our hearts, for your participation in our Festival. Look for our Hafli, **TONIGHT**, September 5th, from 7-11pm with Live Music. Admission is free. We look forward to having you with us again at our future events!

God bless you all

Joe and Mona Samaha  
Hani and Marianne Tahhan  
2009 Festival Co-Chairs