



Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church

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Strategy Objectives – Religious Education

Vision: Sunday School will provide an education and a scholarship incentive to students in our K-12 program with the goal of developing knowledgeable and Christ centered Orthodox adults.

1 year:

1. Objective: Successful second year of Sunday School since being restarted.
2. Goal: Averaging 70% attendance throughout the school year.
3. Goal: Lessons in the chapel- teaching students about Orthodox topics
4. Goal: Bringing the church home
 - Monthly Newsletter: Sunday School Videos
 - Resources for accessing the faith outside of church
 - Church wide events
5. Goal: Providing service and community gatherings for our children.
 - Trunk or Treat
 - Christmas Pageant
 - Foster Bags
 - Cards for Police
 - Oratorical Festival
 - Lenten Retreat
6. Goal: Complete year two of a five year curriculum cycle
7. Goal: Update Parent information Handbook – Joint effort with Greek School
8. Budget: \$3,000

3 year:

1. Goal: Increase Sunday School Registration by 25%.
 - Send out kindergarten and preschool letters to incoming children's parents
 - Parents who baptize children in the church will receive a letter from Sunday School informing them of our program
 - Add a classroom and a teacher to our Sunday School
 - Preschool
 - Kindergarten
 - 1-2- Recruit new teacher
 - 3-5
 - 6-8
 - Complete technology upgrade to all classrooms
 - Add a High School program to our Sunday School
 - Teen Coffee Hour
 - Recruit new teacher/s
2. Goal: Continue to involve Sunday School into the church community as a whole
 - Presentations in church
 - Showcase projects in the hall
 - Present perfect attendance in Church media formats, Bulletin, Good News, etc.
3. Budget: \$5,000



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5 year:

1. Goal: Continue to increase registration in Sunday School each year by at least 10%.
2. Goal: Have a set curriculum, using our videos and lessons that covers a five-year cycle
 - Year 1 and 2: Old Testament
 - Year 3 and 4: New Testament
 - Year 5: Liturgical Year
3. Goal: Scholarship program starting in 8th grade. Criteria and rubric is already created for this program.
4. \$5,000 would need to be added to the Sunday School budget in order to fund this program.
5. Earn points each year based on different criteria.
6. Pillars of Living an Orthodox Life:
 - Church
 - Knowledge of Orthodox Faith/Biblical Knowledge
 - Community Service
7. Budget: \$13,000