# Mr. Matthew DeRaad, Organist-Choir Director Pastor Makarios Darawi

11:00 A.M.

May 27, 2007

We welcome all who are worshiping with us, especially guests and newcomers. We invite you to take part in worship, to engage in the activities of the church and make this your home church.

A supervised nursery is available for children age two and under.

ORGAN PRELUDE CALL TO WORSHIP

\*OPENING HYMNS- #3 "O Worship The King" (Vv. 1,2) #121 "Love Lifted Me" (Vv. 1,2) "Glorify Thy Name" (Insert)

INVOCATION

ANTHEM
ANNOUNCEMENTS
JOYS & CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH FAMILY
PRAYER
OFFERING

SCRIPTURE IN ARMENIAN: Ephesians 1: 15-23 (Pp. 1818)
MESSAGE IN ARMENIAN: "The Inheritance Of The Saints"

**HYMN**- "Seek Ye First" (Insert)

SCRIPTURE IN ENGLISH: Matthew 6:25-34 (P.1505)
MESSAGE IN ENGLISH: "Worry Stress and Anxiety"

**HYMN:** "Seek Ye First" (V.1)

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> \*Congregation is requested to stand \*\*\* Latecomers may be seated

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**BOARD OF DEACONS** The month of May meeting will be held **today at 12:30** p.m. in the Christian Education Room.

**THE LORD'S TABLE** will be celebrated next Sunday **June 3**.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

- 1. June 3<sup>rd</sup> children's message Sunday.
- 2. June 10 is the **last Sunday** of the current Sunday school year.
- 3. **Summer Sundays**. Families, bring your children to church this summer. Children will be dismissed to a combined class before the sermons. Children's messages will be taught on the first Sunday of each month. A summer Scripture challenge to complete at home will be announced June 10.

**SERVICE OPPORTUNITY.** Volunteers are needed for church clean-up day on **Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup>; from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.** Lunch will be provided. Families please plan on donating a few hours of your time to help.

**GRADUATION NOTICE!** ACC would like to honor our graduates by publishing their names and degrees in the monthly bulletin and at church on Sunday, June 10. Please submit names of your loved ones graduating this year from Elementary School, Junior High, High School, College, Graduate or post Graduate School, deadline for submission is **June 3**rd.

**MISSIONARY VISIT**. Join us on **Wednesday June 13<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m.** for a special time with Kirk and Laura Slater, missionaries ministering in Uganda. They will be sharing with us what God is doing in that part of the world. Refreshments and a time of fellowship will follow the presentation.

**DANIEL DECKER.** The Armenian Congregational Church 90th Anniversary presents international recording artist **Daniel Decker on Saturday, June 2, 2007 at 7:30 p.m.** Admission is \$25.00. For more information see Bob or Gayaneh Kachadourian.)

#### ACC FATHER'S DAY PICNIC

On **Sunday June 17, 2007**, the church family will gather at **Martindale Beach in Kensington Metropark starting at 10:00 a.m.** for the Father's Day Picnic. There will be a **church service at 11:00 a.m.** followed by lunch, games and fun activities. Please add your name to the sheet posted on the bulletin board.

## **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS)**

VBS will be held **June 25-28 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** This year, children will become detectives investigating God's Word. Participants will enjoy skits, puppet shows, crafts, games, Bible lessons, and music. VBS will be geared towards children ages 3-10. Older students are encouraged to assist with the younger groups. Return registration forms by June 1<sup>st</sup>, or speak to Mrs. Leslie Banerian or Mrs. Ann Bayleran for more information.

#### **CHURCH IOYS & CONCERNS.**

Pray for Helen Vartanian, Charlie Ayanian, and Garo Koundakjian.

### **Synopsis of the Armenian Message**

(Ephesians 1:15-23)

In verse 15 two qualities that marked the Ephesian church are mentioned. First, they had **faith** in Jesus. More than passive belief, more than reciting a creed, or an intellectual assent to certain facts, this meant complete trust. Second, their faith was demonstrated by **love** for the saints (the word "saint" in Scripture does not refer to some super-spiritual giant, but to every Christian). In verses 16-19 three specific things that every Christian needs to know when praying are mentioned. The **hope** He has given us, the **glory** that He shares with us, and His **power** that is available to us. In verses 20-23 we are reminded of three facts about Christ: He was **raised** from the dead, He was made to **sit** in heavenly places, and He is **head** over the church.