



You Heard it through...

THE GRAPEVINE

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April Meeting, Thursday, Apr 6, 7 PM

FRESNO AHEPA 151

THE BUCK
STOPS HERE
for a brief rest
and then continues
on its journey to
the IRS.



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Give Unto Ceasar...

...that which is Ceasar's. So we are admonished in the scriptures. How fitting that at this season, we are presented with the opportunity to "give" as we wrestle with the ever more complicated tax forms in order to ensure that our "giving" is correct. O simple task.

But that admonition is not complete if we do not consider the other half of the phrase. The Apostle Matthew completes it by saying "...and to God that which is God's".

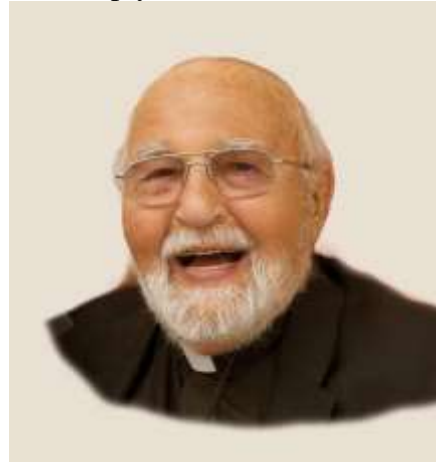
It is fitting then, that as we approach Holy Week and the Glorious Resurrection, we stop to drop our tax forms in the mail, or file online. The juxtaposition of Pascha and the tax deadline is freighted with meaning that can't be missed.



Special Meeting Notice

In order to avoid conflict with Holy Week
April meeting
 will take place on
Thursday Evening, April 6 at 7 PM

The Empty Chair



It has been many years since Fr. Constantine Raptis served the Fresno community. Few will remember that he was an AHEPAN, though not a member of our chapter. Serving from 1986 to 1992, he immediately preceded Fr. Jim Pappas. His was an unusual tenure, as he had to commute from Las Vegas on a weekly basis.

Fr. Dean served in many capacities and many parishes. Most notable was his tenure at the St. Nicholas Cathedral in Tarpon Springs, FL, where he is still well remembered. According to the Metropolis of San Francisco, though officially retired, he continued serving “flying over 200,000 miles to serve the parishes of Sts. Constantine and Helen in Great Falls,

Montana; St. John the Baptist in Pueblo, Colorado and many other churches and missions in Utah, New Mexico, Arizona, Washington and Idaho.

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Have You Paid Your Dues?

Dues are always payable on January 1 and can be paid in advance as far as you like.

Thanks to those brothers who have paid for 2017.

April Birthdays

Antonis Antoniou
 Michael Gomez
 Rick Kazanjian
 Demetrios Mavrikis
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