September 2013

Congratulations Deacon Rubik
15th Anniversary as Music Director at
St. John Armenian Church

General Membership Meeting Thursday Evening November 14, 2013

If you would like to be nominated for the 2014 Board of Directors contact Charlene Apigian (734) 844-1768 charlene.com



Church Festival Volunteers

Contact Denise Karakashian to volunteer to serve shish-kabob dinners at the Church Festival on Friday, Saturday or Sunday, September 27-29. (248) 489-4076 denisekar@hotmail.com

Publicity, Media and Communications

Contact Linda Jevahirian if you are interested in joining a newly formed committee to create publicity, marketing and media history for the choir. (248) 471-3443 linda@legalsearchonline.net

Concerts at St. John Armenian Church

Detroit Symphony Orchestra Players November 10 - 3:00 p.m.

Oakland Choral Society Concert December 7 – 7:00 p.m.



Sacred Armenian Music Workshops St. John Armenian Church 7 – 9 p.m.



Music of the Divine Liturgy - September 19
Music of the Sacraments - October 24
Music of the Holy Week – February TBA
Contact Deacon Rubik to register
(248) 569-3405 rubik@sjachurch.org

Komitas Visitors Report

Linda and Lucy visited Sirvart Mezian at Notting Hill. She has returned to Manoogian Manor and welcomes visitors. Sylvia Bjornstad is undergoing eight weeks of rehab at home. Harry Avagian is on the mend and expects to rejoin the choir soon. Ed Papelian is in good spirits and has extended an invitation to dinner at Fox Run.

Our condolences to Margaret Lafian on the loss of her sister, Agnes LeClair, on September 7.

St. John \$100 Raffle Win! \$2,000, \$500, \$250, \$250

Drawing on September 29 at 4:00 p.m.

Need not be present to win

Contact Linda Jevahirian for tickets (248) 471-3443 <u>linda@legalsearchonline.net</u>

Recruiting New Voices

The Komitas Choir is recruiting new members for the choir and for a series of concerts to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the Armenian Genocide. Contact Deacon Rubik (248) 569-3405 rubik@siachurch.org

Komitas CD Recording

Watch for the release date for *Songs of Glory: Armenian Sacred Music* featuring Deacon Rubik Mailian, the Komitas Choir, and selected soloists.