



Philoptochos is the women's philanthropic society of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America.

Philotimo is the highest of the Greek virtues: honor, integrity, duty, pride, dignity and courage. Philotimo is respecting and helping others; doing something honorable and righteous, even if it is not in your interest. Meaning: Friend of Honor

Therefore the mission of Philoptochos is...

...to help the poor, the destitute, the hungry, the aged, the sick, the unemployed, the orphaned, the imprisoned, the widowed, the handicapped, the victims of disasters, to undertake the burial of impoverished persons and to offer assistance to anyone who may need the help of the Church through fundraising efforts.

The members of Philoptochos are dedicated parishioners who offer countless hours to the philanthropic, humanitarian, and Christian mission of the Church. Our primary aim is to promote the church's traditions, doctrines and canons through a variety of charitable and philanthropic activities. All parishioners are invited to become members and provide assistance to all those in need.

If you are interested in helping or joining our St. Demetrios chapter of the Ladies Philoptochos Society please contact any of the following Executive Board Members

Executive Board

Nancy Paganis - President
Dr. Mary Nunchuck - Vice President
Zacharoula Moberg - Treasurer
Nikoleta Tziavaras - Corresponding Secretary
Brenda Costopoulos - Recording Secretary
Fr. Thomas Alatzakis - Spiritual Advisor
Fr. John Sardis - Spiritual Advisor

Our meetings are the first Thursdays of the month at 7:00pm in the Church Hall. Please join us as we strive to make positive contributions to our community.

"Come and See...Witnessing our Faith in Christ through Works"

