

## St. Andrew's Celebrating its 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Greek Festival

Dear Friend,

You may be familiar with St. Andrew's Greek Orthodox Church for our festive Greek "Festival" every July. This year is special for this event as we are celebrating our **50<sup>th</sup> Festival Anniversary**. Over 5,000 people from the Chicago area, nearby suburbs as well our own Edgewater community attend this annual event. This year's festival will be held on **Saturday, July 9 and Sunday July 10, 2011**.

The festival serves as our major fundraiser, with the net proceeds supporting approximately 15% of our church's budget, which includes services to the Edgewater community through the use of our facilities, at no charge, for various programs such as the monthly Mather Lifeways Senior Outreach luncheon, senior exercise programs held on a weekly basis, and various Edgewater group meetings, as well as providing additional parking for neighboring schools, churches and businesses.

We are asking for your support to help us offset some of the costs associated with this community event by purchasing an ad in our program book, which will be passed out to all the people attending the festival. Here are a few ways in which you can help.

Purchase a page in our ad book that will be handed out to each patron at our festival (send in a copy of your business or a message):

1. \$125 for a full page (8 X 5)
2. \$80 for a half page
3. \$40 for a quarter page
4. \$25 for "Friends of the Festival" section where you may list your business's name, address, and telephone number

Also available are Raffle Tickets:

5. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes are \$5,000 each. 10 additional prizes are \$500 each. Price is \$50 per ticket.

The church greatly appreciates your consideration in making this event more successful for us and thus offering a wonderful event to the Edgewater area.

Contact us at [info@standreworthodox.org](mailto:info@standreworthodox.org) or by calling (773) 334-4515 by Monday, June 20, 2011, if you have any questions or need further information.

Thank you in advance for your support,