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in its fullness as faithful members of the Body of Christ."

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Dear Reverend Fathers, GOYA Advisors, Parents, Coaches, and GOYAns,

Holy Trinity Pittsburgh is thrilled to host the upcoming Metropolis of Pittsburgh GOYA Basketball Tournament on **February 14-16, 2020**, which will include a recognition of all of the graduating GOYA seniors. We cordially invite your youth and parish to participate in the tournament.

To register your team(s), please complete the enclosed registration form and email it to tournament@holytrinitypgh.org by **February 1**. Your team registration payment of \$200 per team must be postmarked no later than **February 4**. As per Metropolis Athletic Guidelines, a late fee of \$25 per team will be assessed for all late registrations.

We have blocked rooms at 2 hotels for the tournament: *Home 2 Suites by Hilton Pittsburgh McCandless* and *Fairfield Inn by Marriott Pittsburgh North at McCandless Crossing*. Hotel reservations must be made by **January 24** to obtain the negotiated room rate of \$114 + tax. Please see the attached flyer for more details.

Registration will take place in the Holy Trinity Fireside Room on Friday, February 14 from 7 pm to 10 pm. In addition to the team fees, there will be a \$25 fee per GOYA Player / Non-player and a \$10 fee per additional Chaperone/Adult, due at registration (a single check per parish for these fees is preferred). Photo identification is required for all GOYAns, as is proof of Orthodox Baptism for any first year GOYAns.

A full schedule of the weekend's events is included in this packet. On Friday evening, we will have a **Graduation Party Night**, with typical graduation party food and games. Our theme for Saturday's dinner dance is "**The Roaring 20's**." GOYAns are asked to dress in semi-formal attire. We remind you that it will be a fast-free period during the tournament.

Lastly, our GOYAns are sponsoring an eyeglasses collection to benefit the *Lions Recycle for Sight* program. (see [Lions Recycle for Sight Website](#) for more information) GOYAns and their families are encouraged to bring their used glasses, including sunglasses and reading glasses, to the tournament.

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions by contacting Pres. Becky Touloumes at 724-874-5195 or goya@holytrinitypgh.org. We look forward to hearing from you very soon and treating you to Holy Trinity's hospitality in the 'Burgh!

In Christ,

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