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In order for this monthly newsletter to reach everyone, we need your help with news articles, essays, observations or anything else of import to our Federation

NEW PHOTO AND VIDEO FEATURE

We have opened an adjunct site for photos and videos! If you have any pictures or videos, please send them on to leonk@bellsouth.net and I'll upload them onto the site. To view them, **and there are lots from the Greece Trip**, please visit it by clicking on [our new photo site](#).

If you missed submitting anything for this issue, and apparently almost everyone did, please contact leonk@bellsouth.net and we can coordinate putting Christmas or Epiphany pictures and videos on the site.



Epiphany and Theophany are celebrated in all regions of Orthodoxy, oftentimes more important than Christmas. Sometimes in swimming pools, sometimes breaking ice to dive for the Cross and always in Tarpon Springs. Other parishes in our Metropolis celebrate following January 6 so that His Eminence can join in the celebration. Please contact your local parish for details about a celebration close to home if you cannot attend the Tarpon Springs or West Palm Beach celebrations.

The West Palm Beach celebration has been occurring for 9 or 10 years now and we encourage all choir members of all jurisdictions of Orthodoxy to join us, practice with us and pray the Divine Liturgy at St. Catherine's on the Saturday after January 6 which this year will be January 10, under the musical direction of Jackson King of St. George's Antiochian Orthodox Church in Coral Gables, Florida. Please contact him at (305) 342-7683, Leon Karahalis at leonk@bellsouth.net or Father Stavroforos Mamaies at St. Sophia in Miami at telephone number 305 854 2922.

This year we have gotten very organized with a joint website for keeping current. See [the link by clicking HERE!](#)



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