



In Loving Memory of
 †Rev. Mother **THEONYMPHIE**,
 Foundress & Abbess of St. Mary of Egypt—
 † Reposed in the Lord September 1, 2013



AN INVITATION

All are invited to contribute to the work of the Mission.

- Pray for those whom we serve
- Volunteer at our Food Distribution Center to provide food and necessities to those less fortunate
- Attend monthly services held in the St. Mary of Egypt Chapel

“Come and see...” - John 1:39



Donations Are Tax-Deductible

This Mission is primarily supported by individual donations.

*Please give generously
 May God richly bless you*

Thank You!

To donate or volunteer,
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St. Mary of Egypt Orthodox Mission & Chapel



Mission Statement

To respond to the call of our Lord Jesus Christ through prayer and the offering of love and charitable service to the stranger and those in need

“As you have done it to the least of these, you have done it unto Me...” Matthew 25:40

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Troparion Hymn of St. Mary of Egypt



The image of God was truly preserved in you, O Mother Mary, for you took up the cross and followed Christ. By so doing, you taught us to disregard the flesh, for it passes away, but to care instead for the soul, since it is immortal. Therefore your spirit, O Holy Mother Mary, rejoices with the angels.

HISTORY

With the blessing and guidance of His Eminence Metropolitan MAXIMOS of the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of Pittsburgh, St. Mary of Egypt was established in 1992 in the heart of Cleveland, Ohio. The mission was registered as a non-profit corporation in the State of Ohio in 1993 with the stated purpose to provide charitable and humane assistance to the needy.

Over a 20-year period, St. Mary of Egypt has been designated as "Orthodox Women's Sanctuary," "Orthodox Mission," "Orthodox Mission and Monastery," and "Orthodox Monastery" (2005-2014). The Monastery has provided hospitality to guests, refugees, and travelers from around the world.

St. Mary of Egypt has received Proclamations from the Mayors of Cleveland (7) and the Governors of Ohio (2), honoring our commitment to the community. More than 250,000 individuals and families have received humanitarian aid. In partnership with the Greater Cleveland Food Bank since 1997, St. Mary of Egypt has distributed more than 730,000 lbs. of food, and has been commended by that agency for its achievements in volume of food distributed and for its faithfulness to the community. Food is purchased from the Food Bank and donated by caring people, like you.

Thank You!



Visit of the myrrh-streaming
Hawaiian Iveron Icon of
the Mother of God to
St. Mary of Egypt—
October 24, 2012

ST. MARY OF EGYPT ORTHODOX MISSION & CHAPEL

In 2014, St. Mary of Egypt resumed the name of "Mission," continuing with the founding purpose of serving the poor and providing help to the needy of our community through charitable outreach.



✙ **Divine Liturgy of the Eastern Orthodox Church is celebrated monthly in the Chapel. Please visit our website for a schedule of services. Prayer requests are welcome. The St. Mary of Egypt Orthodox Chapel is served under the authority of the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of Pittsburgh.**



*"Let the children
come to Me..."
Matthew 19:14*

*FRIEND-TO-FRIEND OUTREACH



*Registered Ohio trade name

The Outreach Program provides aid without restriction to:

Women, children, men, elderly, shut-ins, handicapped, homeless, refugee families

- We maintain regular and emergency food distribution
- Other necessities provided as available include donated clothes, baby needs, furniture and house wares
- Cars and other major donations are transferred directly to someone in need
- Our 24-hour phone lines permit response to calls for emergency help. As appropriate, referrals are made to other services/agencies in the Greater Cleveland area

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