

# ΑΔΕΛΦΟΤΗΤΑ ΠΟΝΤΙΩΝ ΤΟΡΟΝΤΟ «ΠΑΝΑΓΙΑ ΣΟΥΜΕΛΑ»



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Dear members and friends,

The Brotherhood Pontion Toronto «Panagia Soumela» honouring the memory of 353,000 Pontian Greek victims of the Turkish atrocities during the period of 1914 - 1923, is organizing memorial events on Saturday May 14<sup>th</sup> and Sunday May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Please find the schedule of events below.

SATURDAY MAY 14 <sup>TH</sup> 2016 AT 6PM	SUNDAY MAY 15 <sup>TH</sup> 2016
<p>Greek Community of Metropolitan Toronto 30 Thorncliffe Park Drive, Toronto, ON</p> <p>Master of Ceremonies: Kostas Tsilfidis Vice President of Brotherhood Pontion Toronto</p> <p>Welcome by Christos Kotsaboidis President of Brotherhood Pontion Toronto</p> <p>Greetings</p> <p>Speaker: Savvas Kalenteridis “Greek Communities of Asia Minor”</p> <p>Refreshments</p> <p>Speakers: Savvas Kalenteridis “Geopolitical developments of Syrian Refugee Crisis”</p> <p>Speaker: Emilio Eden “Heroes of Pontos”</p> <p>Finding our Pontian Roots Booth: Search the Asia Minor Refugee Archives to find the origins of your Pontian ancestral roots</p>	<p>10:30 AM: Liturgy &amp; Memorial Service St. Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church 30 Thorncliffe Park Drive, Toronto, ON</p> <p>12:30PM: Wreath Laying Ceremony Greek Pontian Memorial 170 Memorial Park Avenue</p> <p>2:00PM: Guest Speakers &amp; Youth Presentation Greek Community of Toronto 30 Thorncliffe Park Drive</p> <p>Master of Ceremonies: Kostas Tsilfidis Vice President of Brotherhood Pontion Toronto</p> <p>Welcome by Christos Kotsaboidis President of Brotherhood Pontion Toronto Greetings</p> <p>May 19<sup>th</sup>: Genocide Memorial Day Dedication Presentation by Brotherhood Pontion Dance Groups</p> <p>Speaker: Savvas Kalenteridis “The geopolitical &amp; humanitarian impact of the recognition of the Greek Pontian Genocide”</p> <p>Speaker: Emilio Eden Dedication to Kotza Anastas</p> <p>Refreshments</p>

Your presence and participation during these events in the memory of our fallen Pontians would honour us. If you are interested in placing a wreath at the monument please ensure to RSSVP via email at [info@brotherhoodpontion.com](mailto:info@brotherhoodpontion.com) as soon as possible so we may make the necessary arrangements.

For the Executive Council,  
Chris Kotsaboikidis President



Panagiota Ammanatidou Secretary General

