

December 1, 1975

The Very Reverend Houssig Bagdasian  
Pastor and President of Parish Council  
St. Mary Armenian Church  
200 West Mount Pleasant Avenue  
Livingston, New Jersey 07039

Dear Father Houssig:

It has been some time since our parishes made group pilgrimages to St. Vartan Cathedral, and it is our hope that we may be able to reinstitute this practice on a regular basis. These pilgrimages proved to be a wonderful experience in the past, with valuable benefits, not only to the Cathedral, but to the participating parishes.

We have programs that we can offer as supplements to worship in the Cathedral. It would make us happy if you could organize a group pilgrimage to St. Vartan Cathedral in your parish during 1976. We would want you, of course, to celebrate the Divine Liturgy.

Please give this your earliest consideration and confirm the date, since we would like to announce it and make preparations for a noontime meal and a brief program for the day.

Let us hear from you at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely yours,

Reverend Mampre Kouzouian  
Canon Sacrist

cc: Mr. Arthur Tevanian  
Council Chairman

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