

MULTI-CULTURAL FESTIVAL

THE ORTHODOX CHURCH OF SAINT MATTHEW

7271 Eden Brook Drive, Columbia, MD 21046

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To Our Business Sponsors,

In October 2008, The Orthodox Church of St. Matthew held its first Multi-Cultural festival. This two-day event was patronized by more than 4,000 people who appreciated the homemade international cuisine, authentic crafts, and professional live entertainment. Considered the largest Multi-Cultural Festival in Howard County, we have expanded each year. In 2018, we were host to over 6,000 people for our three-day event. The festival has built bridges across the cultural diversity of our community by fostering an atmosphere of understanding, affinity, and respect for one another.

This year, on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, October 4, 5, and 6, 2019, your business can be a part of this successful community festival by becoming a business sponsor. As a business sponsor, your company will receive ad placement in our program book, given to our more than 6,000 guests as they are welcomed to the festival.

Our structure for Business Sponsors is as follows:

\$ 200.00 – Full Page Advertisement (8 ½ x 5 ½ inches)

- Full page ad in program book, given to guests upon entry
- Link to your website on the festival website, <u>http://stmatthewfestival.org</u> for 12 months
- Several "Thank You" announcements from the stage in the entertainment and dining tent

\$150.00 - Half Page Advertisement (4 x 5 inches)

- Half page ad in program book, given to guests upon entry
- Link to your website on the festival website, <u>http://stmatthewfestival.org</u> for 12 months
- "Thank You" announcement from the stage in the entertainment and dining tent

\$ 100.00 – Quarter Page Advertisement (2 x 2 ½ inches)

- Quarter page ad in program book, given to guests upon entry, perfect for business cards.
- Link to your website on the festival website, <u>http://stmatthewfestival.org</u> for 12 months

For any questions, please contact Festival Chairperson Cooper Pappas at 202-391-6362, ckpappas@verizon.net, to discuss your support for this one-of-a-kind event in Howard County.

Once you have created your ad, please send it to <u>orthodoxfestivalprbook@gmail.com</u>. Preferred formats are .jpeg, .tiff, .doc. If you would like to submit a hardcopy, preferred resolution for graphics is at least 300 DPI. Please feel free to direct any questions for the committee at this email address as well.

Please make checks payable to The Orthodox Church of St Matthew (with Festival Ad in the notes) and mail to:

The Orthodox Church of St Matthew P.O. Box 2003, Columbia, MD 21045

To ensure adequate time for production, our ad acceptance deadline is **September 25, 2023.** We sincerely appreciate your support of the St Matthew's 2023 Festival Program Book and respectfully request your assistance in preserving our publishing deadline.

We look forward to your partnership in this very fruitful community event! We hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

Festival Chairperson