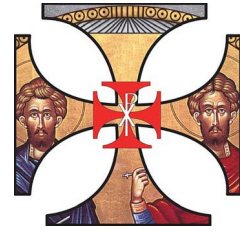


## National Philoptochos Society 2014-2016 Committee Report



### Cancer & Other Major Illnesses

*Chair:* Martha Driscoll  
*Liaison:* Jeannie Ranglas  
*Members:* Bessie Drogaris  
Diana Jianas

- Provides support and financial assistance to those with a life-threatening illness whose treatments and medications are only partially covered by health insurance
- Offers assistance according to the procedures and guidelines of the National Philoptochos Social Services Committee
- Coordinates with each Metropolis Philanthropy Committee and Chapter Social Services Committee to provide assistance
- Researches opportunities for local support for patients and families
- Plans for a future Call Help Line to provide individual support for cancer patients and families
- Plans for webinars to provide support and discussion for patients and families
- Total 2015 Cancer and Major Illnesses assistance to individuals and families: \$59,393.00
- Total Jan 1- Apr 30, 2016 Cancer and Major Illnesses assistance to individuals and families: \$18,313.00
- Suggested annual chapter donation: \$250 in the month of January.