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Dear Philoptochos Sisters and Friends of Philoptochos,

Under the High Patronage of His Eminence Archbishop Elpidophoros of America, and with the blessing of His Eminence Metropolitan Alexios of Atlanta, the Metropolis of Atlanta Philoptochos is deeply honored to host the **20th Biennial National Philoptochos Children's Medical Fund Luncheon** on **Saturday, September 27, 2025**, at Flourish in Atlanta, Georgia.

The Greek Orthodox Ladies Philoptochos Society, Inc., a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, is proud to be the largest Christian women's philanthropic organization in the United States, focusing on serving those who are sick, elderly, and in need—especially children. One of our most impactful initiatives is the Children's Medical Fund, which has distributed **over \$4,000,000** in grants since its inception, thanks to the generosity of donors like yourselves. Today, we provide funding for equipment, programs and research which benefit children with serious medical or surgical diagnoses, as well as mental health needs throughout the country. It is our hope to reach a significant level of giving, offering us the opportunity to grant substantial awards to children's health care organizations which would benefit children throughout the Metropolis of Atlanta.

We humbly come to you, requesting your partnership in this vital cause. We are seeking your support with a donation to sponsor this event and help continue the legacy of aiding children in desperate need of medical care, life-saving equipment, and vital research. Your contribution will directly impact countless young lives and offer hope where it is needed most.

This donation is tax-deductible, and all gifts should be made payable to National Philoptochos, earmarked for the 2025 Children's Medical Fund, and submitted along with the enclosed sponsor form to: National Philoptochos, 126 East 37th Street, New York, NY 10016 or via our online giving link. We kindly ask that you submit your donation by Friday, May 30, 2025.

With sincere gratitude for your consideration and with hope for your continued support of our philanthropic endeavors, we remain,

In Christ's Service,

Debbie George

National Philoptochos President

General Chair

Irene Politis

Metropolis of Atlanta Philoptochos President

Luncheon Chair

Valine Georgeson

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