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The
5th Annual

ROMANIAN FESTIVAL of GREATER DETROIT

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ROMANIAN FESTIVAL WELCOMES ALL OF METRO DETROIT

The **Fifth Annual Romanian Festival of Greater Detroit** welcomes the public to Saint George Romanian Orthodox Cathedral, on **Saturday, September 19 (12pm-11pm) and Sunday, September 20 (12pm-9pm)**. A variety of events, displays and attractions will offer you and your family a wonderful and memorable experience — promising to be the biggest and best event yet!

Delicious homemade foods and pastries will be available for dine in or take home. Try traditional sarmale (cabbage rolls), fresh sausage, mămăliga (polenta), and more. Watch grape pressing demonstrations, and sample imported wines, beer and mineral water. Purchase pastries, tortes, nut rolls and more in the bakery, and enjoy warm doughnuts, clatite (crepes), and coffee at our outdoor cafe!

Displays will educate you, and a new marketplace bazaar with a variety vendors will provide the opportunity to purchase icons, t-shirts, art, books and other gifts. Tours of the Cathedral offer a chance to view iconography and learn about the Orthodox Church, and the exhibit area will share the rich diversity of Romanian life. Children will surely love our kids area with games, face painting and more!

We welcome the world-renowned JUNII SIBIULUI ENSEMBLE & ORCHESTRA direct from Romania with soloists to entertain you! Dance and enjoy traditional and modern music with orchestra and DJ! Also, we anticipate Detroit's own "Românașul" Folk Ensemble, Windsor's "Rhapsodia" Ensemble and members of the Cathedral's "Archbishop Valerian" Choir offering unique entertainment as well!

We sincerely request that businesses, corporations and families support us with a (tax-deductible) donation or sponsorship. Help your business by placing an ad in our commemorative booklet that will be distributed to all guests! Your assistance through participation, and if able, with a financial gift is much appreciated!

Admission is only \$5.00 per person (children under 6 free!). Pricing is affordable and parking is free! For more information, please call (248) 569-4833 or via www.sgroc.org. For over 96 years St. George Cathedral has been the mother community of the Romanians of Detroit — that values its customs and heritage. From the beauty of our costumes to our ancient Christian Faith, to wonderful food and music – we and look forward to sharing our culture with you!

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