

## TAYBEH, PALESTINE THE PILLAR OF BIBLICAL EPHRAIM

The Greek Orthodox School was founded by my late father, Economos Zacharia Nasr, in 1949. He was the first principle and was instrumental in building the first six classrooms before he came to the United States in 1955. The school was forced to close, until supporters raised enough financial aid to reopen its doors. Throughout the years, faithful priest and teachers have continued to serve its worthy cause.

In 2000, an anonymous Orthodox donor from Oklahoma City, along with the IOCC, collaborated with me to build another eight classrooms. In 2010, we raised funds from the Taybeh families living in the U.S. to hire an architect and build a new wing with the assistance of the U.S. Aid. It was completed and dedicated in 2012.

Today the school has over 400 students, all who come from 5 surrounding villages. It is set on a high hill overlooking the Dead Sea.

The school is very dear to me. I was reared in it. I want to continue to assist and improve the conditions to be more comfortable for students and ensure a high education of excellence.

As pillars of Ephraim, you enabled me to accomplish many of these programs I have described. I am indebted to your contribution and prayers.

We commend the former mayor of Taybeh, Dr. Daoud Khoury, and others who assisted in promoting this expansion.

Finally, to my dear brother, Dr. Nabih Asal, I give my gratitude for accompanying me as a witness to this holy ministry.

Yours in Christ,  
Fr. Constantine Nasr

## TAYBEH POST OFFICE IN OPERATION



### LETTER OF THANKS

Dear Fr. Constantine,

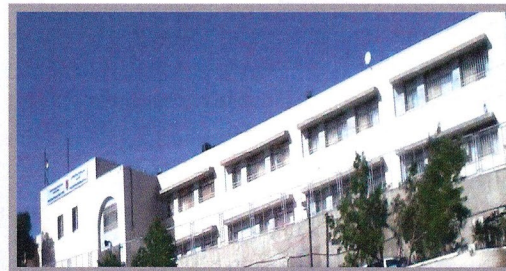
My name is Ayman Daragmeh. Words cannot express how honored I am to have been awarded the Nasr's scholarship for this year. (\$500)

Thank you for providing this scholarship to our school.

I am extremely grateful for your generous support which will not be forgotten.

Faithfully,

### GREEK ORTHODOX SCHOOL



14709 Brasswood Parkway  
Edmond, Ok 73013  
405-503-6277

revnasr@yahoo.com  
www.nasrorthodoxfoundation.com  
All donations are tax deductible.  
501 (c)(3)

# NASR ORTHODOX FOUNDATION

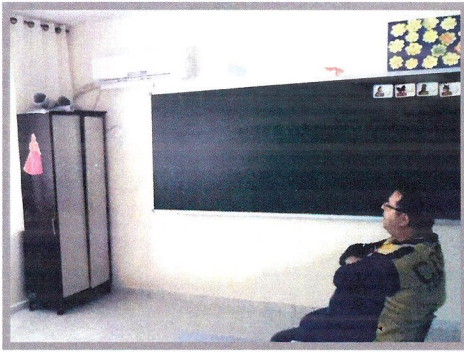
NEWSLETTER 6  
MARCH 2015



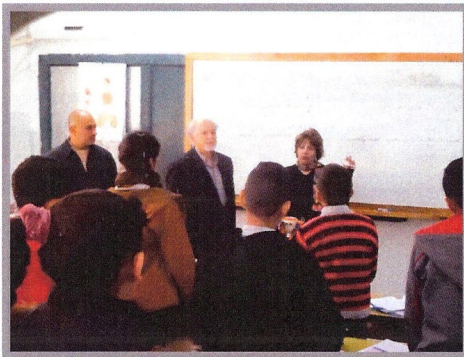
TAYBEH, PALESTINE  
THE RETREAT OF JESUS CHRIST  
BEFORE HIS PASSION  
JOHN 11:54

www.nasrorthodoxfoundation.com





8 HEATERS AND AIR  
CONDITIONERS INSTALLED  
IN 8 CLASSROOMS



WITH THE PRINCIPLE,  
MS. ABEER KHOURIEH



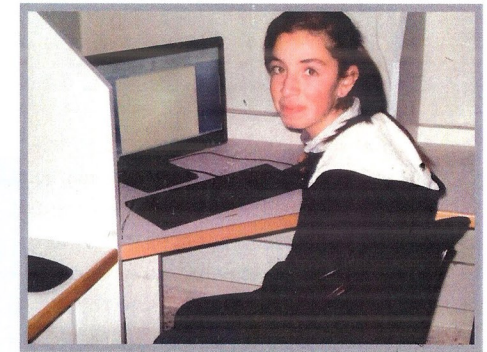
STUDENTS USING THE  
COMPUTER LAB

## PROJECTS COMPLETED IN 2014

1. Sponsored the First Lego League in the Greek Orthodox School in Taybeh
2. Installed 8 heaters and air conditioner units in 8 classrooms in the same school
3. Granted scholarships to 6 college students
4. Presented financial gifts directly to 15 families in Taybeh and 5 families in Jerusalem to assist in their children's school registration
5. Financial gift to seminarians in the Holy Land and the U.S.
6. Distribution of books and materials for outreach
7. Financial support to 5 families in need
8. Maintaining the Guest House, the Church of the Holy Cross, and the Grotto of the Twelve Apostles
9. Sponsoring a Youth Retreat in Taybeh
10. Mission and Evangelism Outreach
11. Held Canna Encounter Marriage Retreat
12. Priest/Council Synergy Seminar
13. Lectures on co-existence of Christians, Muslims, and Jews in the Holy Land

## CURRENT PROJECTS

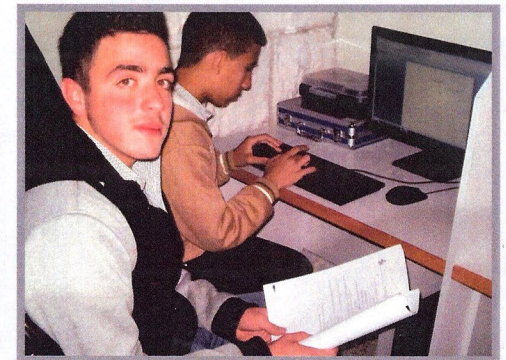
1. Enhancing the computer lab software
2. Sponsoring the First Lego League (2nd year)
3. Installing 8 more heaters and air conditioner units
4. Grant scholarship to 6 graduate students
5. Tuition for 15 students in Taybeh and Jerusalem
6. Financial support to needy families
7. Financial gift to seminarians in the Holy Land and the U.S.
8. Financial gift to the Ephraim Nursing Home of Taybeh
9. Printing and distribution of books
10. Maintaining the Chapel of the Cross and the Grotto of the Twelve Apostles
11. Publication of a new Orthodox book



HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT



YOUTH RETREAT AT THE  
CHAPEL OF THE CROSS



HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS