



## Worksheet #2

# Ypapantis

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## Kalamata / Greece

### Worksheet

1. **Why is the street named “Ypapanti”?**
2. **What should someone see at Ypapanti’s church?**
3. **When the church is being celebrated?**
4. **Mark each sentence as True or False:**



i) “Ypapanti tou Sotiros (Presentation of the Saviour)” is the metropolitan church of Kalamata.

ii) In the Byzantine rhythm church of “Ypapanti”, there is the historical icon of Jesus.

iii) The historical icon is dated from the second half of 7th century A.D.

iv) The holy icon is painted by the Evangelist John.

v) The church was built and inaugurated the first half of 19th century A.D.

vi) “Ypapanti” celebrates February 2nd, which is a local holiday, as Virgin Mary is the patron saint of Kalamata.

5. **“Ypapanti tou Sotiros (Presentation of the Saviour)” in Greek means the first entry of Jesus into a church, 40 days after He was born, and the “Ypapanti” church is dedicated to this event. Why do you think Virgin Mary is the patron saint of Kalamata?**