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MUNICIPAL ELECTION TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 2026

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a General Municipal Election will be held in the City of Glendale on Tuesday, June 2, 2026 for the following Officers:

For Three Members of the City Council	(Full term of four years)
For One Member of the City Clerk	(Full term of four years)
For One Member of the City Treasurer	(Full term of four years)
For Three Members of the Glendale Unified School District Governing Board;	
Trustee Areas B, C & D	(Full term of four years)
For Two Members of the Glendale Community College Board of Trustees;	
Trustee Areas 2 & 3	(Full term of four years)

VOTE-BY-MAIL-DROP-OFF BOXES
WILL BE OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY UNTIL 8:00 PM ON JUNE 2, 2026

11-DAY VOTE CENTERS WILL BE OPEN
ON MAY 23, 2026, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10 A.M. - 7 P.M.

4-DAY VOTE CENTERS WILL BE OPEN
ON MAY 30, 2026, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10 A.M. - 7 P.M.

ELECTION DAY JUNE 2, 2026
VOTE CENTERS WILL BE OPEN
between the hours of 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Visit Glendalevotes.org for locations
Office of the Glendale City Clerk

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VOTE ON OR BEFORE JUNE 2, 2026

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- ✓ Former Mayor
- ✓ Small Business Owner
- ✓ TV Executive and Host
- ✓ Professional Engineer
- ✓ Community Activist

Armenian Engineers and Scientist of America, Former President
Armenian Society of Los Angeles, Chairman

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More info to follow.

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DAILY HOLY BIBLE VERSES

PREPARED BY JACK NALJIAN

DAY 1: FRI. MAY 15, 2026

The LORD says, "I will rescue those who love me.

I will protect those who trust in my name." (Psalm 91:14)

DAY 2: SAT. MAY 16, 2026

Don't lust for her beauty.

Don't let her coy glances seduce you.

For a prostitute will bring you to poverty

but sleeping with another man's wife will cost you your life. (Proverbs 6:25-26)

DAY 3: SUN. MAY 17, 2026

The Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word. After he had provided purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty in heaven. (Hebrews 1:3)

DAY 4: MON., MAY 18, 2026

We pleaded with you, encouraged you, and urged you to live your lives in a

way that God would consider worthy. For he called you to share in his Kingdom and glory. (1 Thessalonians 2:12)

DAY 5: TUE., MAY 19, 2026

We will not hide these truths from our children;

we will tell the next generation about the glorious deeds of the LORD, about his power and his mighty wonders. (Psalm 78:4)

DAY 6: WED., MAY 20, 2026

And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. (Ephesians 2:6-7)

DAY 7: THU., MAY 21, 2026

What a wretched man I am! Who will rescue me from this body that is subject to death? 25 Thanks be to God, who delivers me through Jesus Christ our Lord! (Romans 7:24-25)

To What Extent Are Diaspora Armenians' Opinions Considered in Foreign Policy Decisions? Armenian Foreign Minister Elaborates



YEREVAN — Armenian Foreign Minister Ararat Mirzoyan addressed the question of how much the opinions of Diaspora Armenians are taken into account when Armenia's authorities make foreign policy decisions.

Mirzoyan discussed the issue during a panel held within the framework of the "Yerevan Dialogue" international forum.

"Yes, we have a large Armenian Diaspora. Yes, it is an important resource, and they are our compatriots. But we must all understand that they are citizens of different countries, and their views may not directly align with the opinions of Armenians living elsewhere.

"For example, I am not certain that the interests and priorities of Armenians living in Australia, the United Kingdom, or the United States necessarily coincide with those of Armenians living in Russia. And something even more important is that I am not

sure the interests and priorities of Armenians living abroad necessarily align with the interests, priorities, and needs of Armenians living in Armenia.

"We are having a very honest discussion. I will be frank: we must understand that a significant part of the Diaspora consists of descendants of Armenian Genocide survivors. They had to flee, seek refuge, and establish their lives far away from these lands. Therefore, many Diaspora Armenians want to see a greater Armenia, a historical Armenia, an Armenia with a glorious and rich past. But today, that is a dream — it is not the Armenia that exists in reality.

"Today, we live in this region with these specific neighbors, and we do not want to spend the next decade, century, or millennium fighting with our neighbors, suffering greater casualties on the battlefield, and enduring further losses as people leave Armenia because of conflict and seek solutions in other countries," Mirzoyan explained.

He noted that the perspectives and needs of Armenians living in Armenia may differ from the views of Armenians living abroad.

According to Mirzoyan, this is an important and complex issue that requires deep discussion and practical solutions.

Khachkar Studios Unveils a New World-Class Template for U.S. Armenian Churches Annual Financial Transparency



In a decisive move toward institutional excellence, Khachkar Studios has released a comprehensive template that brings professional-grade transparency and accountability frameworks to Armenian churches throughout the United States, establishing new paradigms for religious organizational governance.

This significant May 1, 2026 initiative delivers transparency, accountability, and performance (T•A•P), supporting Biblically inspired world-class benchmarking and management excellence, the "Framework". The 23-page template equips church leaders with objective assessment tools designed to address highly destructive, massive systemic misconceptions through evidence-based methodologies and rigorous institutional analysis.

The framework encompasses four critical areas: church attendance tracking and analysis, financial profile construction, the "Framework" and T•A•P principles, and pilot implementation materials. Through independent, thorough examination of Saints Sahag and Mesrob Armenian Apostolic Church in Providence, Rhode Island, Khachkar Studios developed a practical model that applies world-class standards to religious institutional management.

"We at Khachkar Studios strongly recommend that all Armenian leaders seriously study the template, the 'Framework', and T•A•P," the organization emphasizes, understanding that

financial transparency builds trust and confidence across all sectors.

Structured sessions support practical application and learning. Senior leaders and individual church members of all faiths who embrace T•A•P and the "Framework" are invited to participate in 30-minute Zoom sessions scheduled Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 12:00 PM EDT (09:00 AM PDT). Requests should be sent to tap@khachkarstudios.com with preferred session dates. Selected participants who complete sessions successfully earn an honorarium from \$100 to \$1,000.

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