## Vatopedi Mother of Consolation icon at Cathedral in Nea Epidavros



Emotions ran high on Wednesday afternoon with the arrival of the icon of the Panaghia Paramythia, known as Vatopedi Mother of Consolation or Comfort, at the Cathedral of the Arch-angels in the southern Greece coastal town of Nea Epidavros.

The miraculous 8th century icon of the Virgin Mary was conveyed from Holy and Great Monastery of Vatopedi by the Elder Archimandrite Ephaim, the Mt. Athos monastery's Abbot, and was received at the Cathedral by the Metropolitan of Argolida, His Eminence Nektarios.

Nea Epidavros is the coastal town near the ancient theatre of Epidaurus, in the northeast Peloponnese, in southern Greece.



