

Annunciation Byzantine Catholic Church

Established on July 20, 1969 + Church Blessed May 16, 2006



995 N. West Street - Anaheim, CA 92801-4305 - (714) 533.6292

Located on West Street just south of La Palma

Holy Protection of the Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix

SUNDAY Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM

HOLY DAYS—Vesper/Liturgy 7:30 PM & Feast Day 9:00 AM

DAILY— Mon, Tues, Wed & Fri 9:00 AM

FOR LENT Matins/Communion 9:00 am Mon, Tues & Fri

Pre sanctified Liturgy 7:30 pm Wed

CONFESSIONS Sun 9:30 am,
Daily 8:30 am or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 10 am - 4pm

Closed on Thursdays & Holy Days

Please call before coming to the office.

PARISH ADVISORY BOARD

Stephen Kopko, Jan Washicko, Marya Weil, Burce Terry,
Helen Malinick, Nana Erickson, John Sheftic & Beth Gath

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Andy Spisak, Stephen Kopko & Robert Erickson

BAPTISM/CHRISMATION/COMMUNION

Membership required & Preparation
Class required.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK & SHUT-INS

Family members must contact the parish
office. Anointing of the Sick is
given in church after the Liturgy.

MYSTERY OF CROWNING

Arrangements must be made 6 months in
advance.

QUINCEANERA

Member of the parish and attend our
Eastern Christian Formation Program.

EASTERN CHRISTIAN FORMATION

September- June on Sunday after the
Parish Liturgy Marya Weil Coordinator

Served by Right Reverend Stephen G Washko, pastor

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Divine Liturgies, Services & Intentions *You are invited to join us daily for the Divine Liturgy in the Little Chapel. The Liturgy is usually 45 minutes and Father is available for Confession before and after the Liturgy.*

Sat 10/8 **No Service Scheduled**
Hebrew Readings for Sunday:
2 Kings 4:8-37 and Isaiah 57: 14-21

Sun 10/9 **21st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST,
TONE 4, P. 141**

9:00 am Choir Rehearsal
9:30 am Confessions
10:00 am *For the members of our parish family & friends*

ECF CLASSED IN THE CLASSROOMS UPSTAIRS

Mon 10/10 **Martyrs Eulampus & Eulampia p. 381**
9:00 am *God's blessing on Baby Audrey Kate Loch
by Jessica Hoskinson*

Tue 10/11 **Deacon & Apostle Philip, p 368**
**8:30 am *+The Priest Wes Izer*

Wed 10/12 **Martyrs Probus, Tarachus &
Andronicus, p. 381**
**8:30 am *God's blessing on Carol Pasmant
by Ron Pasmant*

Thu 10/13 **No Services—Office is Closed**

Fri 10/14 **Venerable Mother Parakevia, p. 397**
9:00 am *God's blessing on Joseph Tan
by Jessica Hoskinson*

Sat 10/15 **No Services Scheduled**
Hebrew Readings for Sunday:
Isaiah 55: 6-11 and Ezekiel 2:1-3:11

Sun 10/16 **22nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
& MEMORY OF THE FATHERS AT
THE SEVENTH ECUMENICAL
COUNCIL, TONE 5, P. 263 & 146**

9:30 am Confessions
9:40 am THE THIRD HOUR
10:00 am *For members of our parish*
ECF CLASSED IN THE CLASSROOMS UPSTAIRS

PRAYER REQUESTS Julie Kacarab, Jan Vogel, Andy Spisak, Jerry Aken, Dennis Rock, Stella Navarette, Joanne Kopko, Stephen Torday, Robert, Joseph Hliviak, Nina Erickson, Catherine Terry, Sister Kathy Izer, Charles Krofchik, Fr. Gregory Petruska, Chet Vogel, Joseph Moran, Ruth Terry, Adrian Flores & Veronica Navarette, Jessica Kanenbley, Judy Livingston, Bob & Rita Pipta, Margaret Bevins, Nicholas Moyta, Brian Safian, June Yontos, Jean Anderson, Betty Perebzak, David, the brother of Marilyn Cooper, Richard Sesma, Deanna Keefe, Ron Lowery & Family, Alex Vida, Susan Dovin, Janet Lambert, and Ron, Carol & Gilbert Pasmant, Ethan McArthur.

JULIE ELLEN KACARAB, baptized, chrismated and received Holy Communion September 26. Kindly welcome her into our faith community. She is battling cancer and her dream was to be baptized into our Byzantine Catholic Church. She lives in Riverside, California and asks that you pray for her. Many Happy and Blessed Years.

MARTYR EULAMPIUS AT NICOMEDIA OCT 10
Saints Eulampius and Eulampia were brother and sister. They lived at the beginning of the fourth century in the city of Nicomedia. Eulampius became upset after reading the decree of the Emperor Maximian (284-305) sentencing all Christians to execution. Eulampius was horrified that the Emperor was taking up arms against his own subjects rather than fighting the enemies of his country. The youth was brought to trial and commanded to renounce the Christian Faith. When he refused, they first raked him with iron hooks and then placed him upon a red-hot bed of coals. All of a sudden, the sufferer expressed a wish to visit the pagan temple. The judges were delighted, supposing that they had turned him from Christianity. In the pagan temple of Mars, the Saint approached the idol and cried out, "In the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ I command you to fall to the floor and crumble into dust!" The idol immediately crashed down to the floor and was destroyed.

The people exclaimed, "The Supreme God is the Christian God, Who is great and mighty!" St Eulampius was again taken away for torture. This time his sister, Eulampia, appeared before the judges and declared that she also was a Christian. Eulampius told her, "Sister, do not fear those who kill the body but are unable to kill the soul" (Mt. 10:28).

The martyrs were tortured and thrown into a red-hot furnace, but the Lord protected them from the fire. Finally, they beheaded Eulampius, but Eulampia died from her torments before she could be beheaded.

WANT MORE FROM YOUR PREPARATION FOR SUNDAY you may want to read the Old Testament Readings from Vespers related to the Sunday morning readings for the Divine Liturgy. SEE SATURDAY.

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU SHARING YOU TIME AND TALENTS

To the gentlemen who painted the two large planters in front of the church.

To the gentleman who installed the chair rails in the chapel.

To the Prospora Bakers who baked the Altar Bread for the upcoming months. (Let Father know if you want to join our Prospora Bakers.)

To the gentleman who replaced the burned out florescent tubes in the parish hall and classrooms.



PROS-FO-RA—BREAD USED FOR HOLY COMMUNION. One loaf is used for the Divine Liturgy

EASTERN CHRISTIAN FORMATION have officially started. Parents are kindly reminded to make sure that the children take a break with a donut and orange juice before the bell. We are counting on our parents and grandparents to make sure our children do not miss any of the classes. It is an important part of our development as Byzantine Catholics and faith of our community. The class runs a little over one hour. Our children will pick up your view and how important the program is to you. They learn from you. Make it a priority Sunday morning.

CHRIST CALLS EACH OF US TO “MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS

How many of us anxiously await the return to the church of our missing family, friends, neighbors, and co-workers! Yet, are our hearts really open to greet and embrace them in their tentative steps to return to the fold of the Good Shepherd? How often do we refuse to engage with others about our glorious Faith? Perhaps, we equate parish activities with actually sharing our faith. Or we are caught up in a false humility, thinking that telling others about the true faith makes us seem judgmental. Maybe we feel it is just better to have the “live and let live” attitude so that we can hold on to our own sense of faith; this way,

we can avoid all discussion of our faith and not have to explain or defend it.

Our Holy Father Pope Francis continually implores us to give concrete witness to our Christianity – by following the call of Jesus to seek out the stranger, minister to the sick, and welcome the lost and weary that surround us in our daily lives. Each day brings fresh opportunities to answer the call of Christ to witness to our faith.

To call ourselves Christians truthfully, we must put into action the words of Our Lord: “Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.” (Matthew 28:19-20). We share our faith with others not because we think it is a good idea or believe that we are good at it. No, we evangelize because God told us to and we must obey His orders. Sharing our faith is essential to being a Christian. We cannot excuse ourselves from this. Our lives will end and we will be judged – did we feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, counsel the doubtful, and clothe the naked? Let us not abandon our posts; but be ready to act as St. Peter writes: “Have no fear of them, nor be troubled... Always be prepared to make a defense to anyone who calls you to account for the hope that is in you. (1 Peter 3:14-15)

Mix and knead for 1/2 hour-Rise for 1/2 hour, Make small loaves use seal and Bake at 350 for 1/2 hour.

7 DAY CANDLE OFFERING

Eternal Light:

Intention for Dennis & Sally Rock

Icon of our Lord:

Thanksgiving by Helen Bruce

Icon of the Theotokos

Special Intention for Chester & Sherill Franklin

READERS & REHEARSAL SCHEDULE for more information or would like to join the choir —contact our Cantor Robert Pipta.

TODAY

10/9	REHEARSAL Marc Brown	9:00 - 9:45 am Galatians 2: 16-20
10/16	3rd Hour Nick Olszyk	9:40 am Galatians 6: 11-18

PARISH CALENDAR AND EVENTS

10/11 Tuesday 7:00 pm Introduction of Eastern Christianity by Fr. Milan Kasperek. On-Line Presentation.

10/15 Saturday—Casino Night 5:00 pm till 9:30 pm in the Parish Hall. Cost: \$35 per person and this includes \$100 in play money and 2 drink tickets. For tickets call the parish office at 714-533-6292 or see Rita Pipta in the parish hall .

10/17 —21 Monday—Friday Eparchial Clergy Retreat in Carefree, Arizona

11/13 Sunday Chicken Paprikash Luncheon

TITHING AND ATTENDANCE REPORT**Our Stewardship October 2**

Attendance: Sun: 10:00 am 98 Souls

Adult Tithes : \$3,627.00

Youth Tithes: \$1.50

Candles: \$184.00

Mortgage Reduction: \$240.00

Coffee Social: \$245.00

Craft Fair: \$300.00

Thank you for your support and love for our Parish. We accept credit, Apple Pay and debit cards by way "The Square." Your receipts are e-mailed. Let us know if it works well for you.

FINAL REPORT ON THE CRAFT AND VINTAGE FAIR

Net Profit: \$3,555.46 Expenses: \$671.78

This does not include the cost of hours spent on Facebook and web page event, mailings gifts for vendors and food for kitchen, visiting other fairs around town to promote our event. Sincerely thank you for a event well done.

THE HOLY DAYS ARE COMING don't forget our collection of groceries for Saint Boniface Food bank. Kindly leave your bags of non-perishables in the parish hall in the large orange tub. Thank you Bob and Helen for taking the food down to St. Boniface.

Join Annunciation Byzantine Catholic Church for

Casino Night

Tickets are on sale now!

When: Saturday, Oct. 15, 2016
 Time: 5:00PM to 9:30PM
 Where: 995 N. West St.,
 Anaheim, CA 92801

Cost: \$35 per person and this includes \$100 in play money and 2 drink tickets

For Tickets: Call 714-533-6292
 or see Rita

NEXT SATURDAY

Buy your tickets now, for a night of fun! Enjoy hors d'oeuvres, and a host bar.

Try your luck at the silent auction!

Play the horseracing game, where you get to share in the winnings!

Play to your heart's content, at the exciting casino style gaming tables and redeem your winnings for fun prizes!

FALL ADULT ON-LINE CLASSES

All Classes Are Free

Tuesday Night Ongoing Classes

Introduction to Eastern Christianity

9/20/16 - 11/1/16 • Fr. Milan Kasperek

Eastern Christian Spirituality

11/8/16 - 12/13/16 • Fr. Joseph Stanichar

Thursday Night Stand Alone CLASS

Reading the Sacred Scriptures

9/29/16 • Fr. James Barrand

On the Holy Icons

10/6/16 • Fr. Michael O'Loughlin

Life and Legacy of Blessed Theodore Romzha

10/27/16 • Fr. Chris Zuger

The Traditions of Philip's Fast

11/10/16 • Fr. Anthony Hernandez

The Traditions of Christmas and Theophany

12/15/16 • Fr. Michael Bezruchka

For more information or to register visit: http://eparchyofphoenix.org/faith_formation.html E-mail Dcn. Basil Ryan Balke with questions or to register at dcnbasil@eparchyofphoenix.org