

# 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**

E-mail: [annbyzcathchurch@sbcglobal.net](mailto:annbyzcathchurch@sbcglobal.net)

Website: [www.annunciationbyzantine.org](http://www.annunciationbyzantine.org)

[facebook.com/annunciation.byzantine](https://www.facebook.com/annunciation.byzantine)

**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 12/10 No Services Scheduled**  
 Hebrew Readings for Sunday:  
 Judges: 13: 1-5, 24-25, 14: 1-20  
 & Isaiah 25: 1-9

**Sun 12/11 SUNDAY OF THE FOREFATHERS  
 TONE 5, P. 146 & 281**  
 9:30 am Confessions  
 9:40 am THE THIRD HOUR  
 10:00 am Members of our Parish & Friends,  
**ECF CLASSES FOR OUR CHILDREN**  
**BAKE SALE SUNDAY AND CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE**

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**Mon 12/12**  
**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE**  
*Troparion- Tone 4:*  
 When you appeared in the New World, O Mother of God, you fixed your image on Juan Diego's rose-laden films. All the poor, hungry and oppressed seek you, Lady of Guadalupe. We gaze upon your miraculous icon and find hope, crying out to your Son concealed in your womb: Hear our plea for justice, O Most merciful Lord.



*Kontakion, Tone 7:* No longer shall the New World lie wounded in useless blood sacrifice, for she who is clothed with the used has revealed the Son to us. O Mother of the Americas, imprint his name upon our hearts, just as you wove your image into the cactus cloth. Teach your children to cry out: O Christ God, our hope, glory to you.

9:00 am *God's blessing on the priests and religious by Dennis & Sally Rock*

**Tue 12/13 Virgin Martyr Lucy, p. 391**  
 9:00 am *God's blessing on Fr. James Barrand by Ron Pasmant*

**Wed 12/14 NO DIVINE SERVICE**

**Thu 12/15 NO DIVINE SERVICE**

**Fri 12/16 Prophet Haggai, p. 366**  
 9:00 am *God's blessing on Jacob & Katy Hoskinson by Jessica Hoskinson*

**Sat 12/17 No Service Scheduled**  
 Hebrew Readings for Sunday:  
 SIRACH 4: 1-15 AND ISAIAH 11: 1-9

**Sun 12/18 SUNDAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS OF THE HOLY FATHERS, TONE 6, P. 152 & 283**  
 9:00 am Choir Rehearsal  
 9:30 am Confessions  
 10:00 am Members of our Parish & Friends

**PRAYER REQUESTS** Fr. Joseph Hutsko, Fr. Mel Rybarczyk, CR, Carol Petyo, Bruce Terry, Lenny & Ramona Morris, Jan Vogel, Andy Spisak, Jerry Aken, Dennis Rock, Stella Navarette, Joanne Kopko, Stephen Torday, Robert, Joseph Hliviak, Nina Erickson, Catherine Terry, 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.

**COFFEE SOCIAL HOSTS:** Thank you for your love and service to the parish community.  
**December:** Robert & Carmela Yarosik  
 Don't forget to help our hosts by following the same rule as you do at Starbucks and McDonalds. Thank you.

**7 DAY CANDLE OFFERING**  
**Eternal Light:**  
*Intention for Dennis & Sally Rock*  
**Icon of our Lord:**  
*William & Vivian Pham @ Express Cleaners by Helen Bruce*  
**Icon of the Theotokos**  
*Available for Intention*

**Final Week for the FALL ADULT ON-LINE CLASSES**  
 All Classes Are Free Tuesday Night Ongoing Classes  
**Eastern Christian Spirituality**  
 12/13/16 • Fr. Joseph Stanichar  
 Thursday Night Stand Alone CLASS  
**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](http://eparchyofphoenix.org/faith_formation.html)  
 E-mail Deacon Basil Ryan Balke with questions or to register at [dcnbasil@eparchyofphoenix.org](mailto:dcnbasil@eparchyofphoenix.org)

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

**TODAY**

12/11	3 <sup>rd</sup> Hour Nick Olszyk	9:40 am Colossians 3: 4-11
12/18	REHEARSAL Steve Kopko	9:00 - 9:45 am Hebrews 11: 9-10, 32-40
12/25	3 <sup>rd</sup> Hour Mike Petyo	9:40 am Galatians 4: 4-7
1/1/2017	REHEARSAL Sherill Franklin	9:00 - 9:45 am Colossians 2: 8-12 Hebrews 7:26-8:2

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.

**LAST SUNDAY WE CELEBRATED OUR NOVEMBER & DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES—God Grant Them Many Happy and Blessed Years!**

**November Birthdays**

- Connie Sheftic 11-2
- Regina Brown 11-10
- Natalie Paige 11-17
- Robert Yarosik 11-18
- Jessica Hoskinson 11-19
- Danielle Terry 11-20
- Bill Kopko 11-23
- Jan Vogel 11-27
- Sue Petyo 11-28
- Dennis Rock 11-29

**December Birthdays**

- Linda Malinick 12-2
- Carol Petyo 12-5
- Fr. Michael Moran 12-8
- Robert Pipta 12-17
- Betty Bohner 12-17
- Sophia Terry 12-20
- Gary Kopko 12-24
- Becky Halahan 12-26
- Mike Hamaker 12-26
- Rebecca Halahan 12-28
- Nina Erickson 12-29

**PARISH CALENDAR & EVENTS**

**12/11 Sunday CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE**—time to pick up your orders & **CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE** in the parish hall. You may want to do your Christmas Shopping for that very special person. See our Sue.

**RETIRED RELIGIOUS COLLECTION** please do not forget our Retired Religious—Give what you can to help.

**12/18 Sunday CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE** in the Church Gift Shop for those last minute shoppers.

**12/23 Friday 9:00 am OFFICE OF READINGS W/ HOLY COMMUNION**

**12/24 SATURDAY—AT ST. NICHOLAS IN FONTANA, CA**  
**6:00 PM VESPER /LITURGY OF SAINT BASIL THE GREAT**

**12/25 SUNDAY—CHRISTMAS DAY** The Birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ

**9:30 am Christmas Carols**  
**10:00 am LITURGY OF SAINT BASIL THE GREAT**

**December Wedding Anniversary**

- Michael & Sue Petyo 50th .....12-17
- Greg & Beth Gath.....12-19
- Lance & Silva Flambrues 44th 12-23



**TITHING AND ATTENDANCE REPORT**

**Our Stewardship December 4**

**Attendance: Sun: 10:00 am 116 Souls**

Adult Tithes : \$4,522.00

Youth Tithes: \$15.25

Retired Religious Collection: \$1,100.00

Thanksgiving: \$175.00

Medical Insurance: \$100.00

Mortgage Reduction: \$360.00

Pool Maintenance: \$165.00

Thank you for your support and love for our Parish.

Special Thank you to our director of our ECF Program Marya Weil. our staff of teachers, our Cantor Michael Petyo and students for giving us beautiful memories of our celebration of Saint Nicholas. God Bless You.

**CHRISTMAS & THEOPHANY SCHEDULE**

**Dec 23 Friday —Meatless Day**

Office of Readings.....9:00 am

**Dec 24 Saturday *No Services***

**Dec 25 Sunday CHRISTMAS DAY**

Christmas Carols .....9:30 am

Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great...10:00 am

**Dec 26 Monday Solemn Holy Day**

**Synaxis of the Theotokos**

Divine Liturgy.....7:30 pm

**Dec 27 Tuesday Feast of St. Stephen**

Divine Liturgy.....9:00 am

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**Jan 1 Sunday Circumcision of our Lord & the  
Feast of Saint Basil the Great**

Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great.....10:00 am

**THEOPHANY-BAPTISM OF OUR LORD**

**Jan 4 Wednesday Office of Readings.....7:30 pm**

**Jan 5 Thursday Vigil for Theophany**

**Holy day of Obligation**

Vesper/Liturgy of St. Basil the Great....7:30 pm

**Jan 6 Friday The Feast Day**

Divine Liturgy.....9:00 am

*After both Divine Liturgies there is the Great Blessing  
of Water. Be sure to bring your containers for the  
Holy Water.*



From last Week's  
Celebration of  
St. Nicholas.  
Clare Weil  
leading  
the Special  
Mollenben Service  
Remembering the  
Poor and least  
among us for  
our Holy Father  
Nicholas.

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!**  
ANNUNCIATION BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH  
**NEW YEAR LUNCHEON**

**WHEN:** SUNDAY, JANUARY 8, 2017  
**TIME:** AFTER THE DIVINE LITURGY,  
APPROXIMATELY 11:30AM  
**WHERE:** IN THE SOCIAL HALL,  
995 N. WEST ST., ANAHEIM, CA 92801  
**COST:** ADULTS \$12.00, CHILDREN 4-12 \$6.00  
\*\*TICKETS FOR THIS LUNCHEON MUST BE PURCHASED  
IN ADVANCE\*\*

TRADITIONAL PORK TENDERLOIN WITH APPLE  
SAUCE, MASHED POTATOES,  
ICE CREAM AND MORE!

FOR TICKETS: SEE RITA PIPTA, OR  
CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE AT:  
714-533-6292  
CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED

TAKE OUT MEALS  
AVAILABLE!

RAFFLE  
&  
DOOR  
PRIZES!

**FOR SAINT NICHOLAS OF MYRA—  
FONTANA, CA**

**CHRISTMAS & THEOPHANY SCHEDULE**

**Dec 21 Wednesday Meatless Day**

Office of Readings & Confessions .....7:00 pm

**Dec 24 Saturday Vigil for Christmas**

Christmas Carols.....5:30 pm

Vesper/Liturgy of St. Basil.....6:00 pm

**NO SUNDAY LITURGY—DECEMBER 25**

**Dec 26 Monday Solemn Holy Day**

**Synaxis of the Theotokos**

Divine Liturgy.....9:00 am

**Dec 31 Saturday Circumcision of our Lord & the  
Feast of St Basil the Great—New Year's Eve**

Vesper/Liturgy of St. Basil the Great.....6:00 pm

**NO SUNDAY LITURGY JANUARY 1**

**THEOPHANY-BAPTISM OF OUR LORD**

**HOLY-DAY OF OBLIGATION**

**Jan 6 Friday Vesper/Liturgy of St. Basil the Great  
with the Great Blessing of Water.....7:00 pm**

*Be sure to bring your container for Holy Water*