

Welcome to our Parish

Our Bishop, clergy and faithful welcome you to Annunciation Parish. We are delighted that you have joined us for our Divine Liturgy. Our Church follows the teaching of Jesus Christ as found in the Gospel and passed on to us through the teachings of the Apostle and tradition. If you are looking for a spiritual home, try our parish. If you have questions, feel free to ask any of our clergy. Join us again real soon! God bless you!

DIVINE LITURGIES & INTENTIONS

FOR LITURGY INTENTION REQUEST & CANDLE REQUEST use the envelopes available on the Greeting Shelf in Church or use your own envelope with your request and drop it into the collection basket or hand it to Father.

- Sat 5/9** NO SERVICES
- Sun 5/10** **SUN OF THE MAN BORN BLIND, p. 189 & Mother's Day**
 9:00 am Choir Rehearsal
 10:00 am *For the members of our parish*
Coffee Social & NO Eastern Christian Formation
Classes due to Mother's Day
- Mon 5/11** **Fathers Cyril & Methodius, p. 374**
 9:00 am +*Manuok Mykeloff by Kathy Mykeloff*
- Tue 5/12** **Fathers Epiphanius, Bishop of Cyprus & Germanus, Patriarch of Constantinople, p.374**
 9:00 am +*Sally Pasmant by Ron Pasmant*

- ASCENSION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST**
Holyday of Obligation
- Wed 5/13** **Vesper/Liturgy with the Blessing of the loaves, wheat, wine and oil**
 7:30 pm *for our parish family members*
- Thu 5/14** **Feast Day Liturgy, p. 191**
 9:00 am *God's blessing on Msgr. George Vida -68th Anniversary of Priesthood and Msgr. Michael Moran on his 52nd Anniversary of Priesthood by Sally Rock*

The Feast of the Ascension of our Lord In his human body, the Lord returned to the glory he has at the right hand of his Father on high. In this way, he lifts our human nature to deification and is enthroned as the High Priest who has suffered human death, yet is risen for the sake of human life. We glory the Lord and await his coming again in glory.



Fri 5/15 **Postfestive of the Ascension, p. 191**
 9:00 am *God's blessing on Fr. Harold Drexler by Kay Terry*

Sat 5/16 *No Services Scheduled*
Sun 5/17 **SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS AT THE FIRST NICEAN COUNCIL & POSTFESTIVE OF THE ASCENSION, p. 196**
 9:40 am THE THIRD HOUR
 10:00 am *for the members of our parish*

CONFESSIONS ½ hour before all Liturgical Services, on request or by appointment during the week.

PRAYER REQUESTS Anne Wolf, Stella Navarette, Nicholas Moyta, Jean Anderson, Betty Blanger, Betty Perebzak, Sister Kathy Izer, the sister to Fr. Wes Izer, Robert O'Loughlin, the father of Fr. Michael, David, the brother of Marilyn Cooper, Richard Sesma, Deanna Keefe, Jean Mayo, Rita Pipta's mother, Ron Lowery & Family, Libby Distefano, Alex Vida, Susan Dovin, Evdokiya Obushko, Kay Weil, Janet Lambert, and Ron, Carol & Gilbert Pasmant, Ethan McArthur. Our Christian friends undergoing persecution in Pakistan, Iraq, Iran, Syria, Egypt and other lands. For "gentle showers" upon our land that it fill our reservoirs.

7 DAY CANDLE OFFERING

Eternal Light:

Intention of Sally Rock

Icon of our Lord:

Special Intention for Kay Terry

Icon of the Theotokos

+Helen, Moon's sister by Mary Washko

+HELEN, the sister of Moon Gilbert fell asleep in the Lord last Sunday afternoon. Funeral Services were held at the gravesite at Rose Hill Cemetery. Kindly, keep +Helen and the family in your prayers. Eternal Memory and Blessed Repose.

REMEMBER THOSE WHO SERVE OUR COUNTRY Dennis Lloyd, Scott Nale, Michael Perko, Matt Reynolds, Robert Skopeck, Jr.

Parish Calendar & Upcoming Events

TODAY—Mother's Day

ASCENSION OF OUR LORD-Holyday of Obligation

Wed 5/13 7:30 pm Vesper/Liturgy

Thur 5/14 9:00 am Divine Liturgy

Mon 5/18-5/22 Fr. Stephen will be in Phoenix, AZ for a Intereparchial Liturgy Commission Meeting. No Daily Liturgy for this week.

Sat 5/23 **5TH ALL SOULS SATURDAY**
9:00 am Liturgy & Panachida

Mon 5/25 **MEMORIAL DAY PENTECOST MON**
9:00 am Liturgy w/ Procession

Fri 5/29 **NINTH ANNUAL ROMAN & EASTERN CATHOLIC AND ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN ECUMENICAL SERVICE** of prayer for Christian Unity celebrating Pentecost. Our choir will be singing. See Bob Pipta for info 7:00 pm at Christ Cathedral Arboretum, Garden Grove, CA

MYRRH-BEARERS RETREAT—MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW! EPARCHIAL EVENT

"Women, be heralds of the Good News!" is the call to all women of this parish to participate in this year's Myrrh-bearers Retreat at the Franciscan Renewal Center in Scottsdale, AZ **from Friday, June 26th to Sunday, June 28th.**

The theme is Myrrh-bearers--Women of Faith with a focus on Heart to Heart Evangelization! The retreat is for girls 7-11 years, teen girls from 12-17 and for women 18+ years.

Costs range from \$75 to \$175 per person based on Track and room accommodations Registration forms are available on the table at the entrance to the church. **Contact: Sister Jean Marie 602-861-9778 or [e-mail--jean.sister@cox.net](mailto:jean.sister@cox.net)**

ALIVE IN CHRIST RETREAT CAMP FOR BOYS AND THEIR FATHERS

What could be better than a long weekend of prayer, sports, spiritual talks, games and skits in the beautiful Palomar Mountain Range The "Alive in Christ" ascetically boot camp for Byzantine Catholic boys and their fathers will be held this year July 30- August 2, at "Palomar Christian Conference Center" Northeast of San Diego, CA. Boys and young men 7-17 will join bishop Gerald in the decade long tradition, and return enlivened and enlighten. (Boys 7-19 are required to have a male guardian with them.) **Application deadline: June 29th. Application packets available on the Greeting Shelf in church in a special folder.**

GIFT SHOP Open after the Sunday Liturgy. See Sue Petyo for more information.

COFFEE SOCIAL HOST *Thank you!*
MAY- Jean Berardi & Margaret Hatton
JUNE- Malinick Family

READER/CHOIR REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

TODAY- Rehearsal 9:00 - 9:45amMike Petyo
5/17-The Third Hour 9:40 amGeorge Petyo
5/24- Rehearsal 9:00 - 9:45 amSteve Kopko
5/31- The Third Hour 9:40 amJon Weil
See our Cantor Bob Pipta for more information or if you want to join our school of cantors & readers.

TITHING AND ATTENDANCE REPORT

May 3—Sunday of the Samaritan Woman

Attendance: Sun: 10:00 am 88 Souls

Adult Tithes : \$3,206.00

Youth Tithes: \$15.83

Bishop's Appeal: \$2,415.00

Catholic Home Missions: \$20.00

Recycling: \$20.00

Mortgage Reduction: \$435.00

T-Mobile: @2,300.00

Thank you for your support and love for our Parish.

FYI—PLEDGE COMMITMENT UPDATE

Started: December 2013- —Ends: March 30, 2016

Purpose: to reduce the principle on our church mortgage

Pledge Goal: \$200,000

Amount Pledged: \$181,679

Pledges Paid to Date: \$139,478

Difference: \$18,321

You may call the office to check on your payment schedule.

PARISH OFFICE E-MAIL sgwashko@icloud.com

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS: you have an opportunity to reserve your space/table.

First come first serve.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR—ANAHEIM CRAFT & VINTAGE FAIR *September 26, 2015*

Here at Annunciation from 9:00 am to 4:00pm. Local crafters and artist, food sale, jams, baked goods, raffle, balloon animals, books sale. Open to the Public —Church tours 11am till 2pm.

Contact: Nicole at 714-906-9630

anaheimcraftfair@gmail.com

BISHOP'S APPEAL 2015

Parish Goal: 87 households X \$200 = \$17,400.00

Paid up Pledges: \$10,313.00

Needed: \$7,087.00

30% Rebate (when we make our goal—\$5,220)

Thank you to those who have already made their pledges. We are waiting for the our members to make their Bishop Appeal pledge asap.

The appeal will end on May 31st. Every donation counts. Use the form below and drop it into the Sunday collection with your check made out to "Annunciation Church," mail it or give it to Father. Thank you for your consideration and care.

Don't forget that when we make our goal that 30% of the goal comes back to our parish.

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FR. JAMES BARRAND'S ADDRESS:

St Eugene's Cathedral, 2323 Montgomery Drive
Santa Rosa, CA. 95405

CINO DE MAYO LUNCHEON last Sunday after the Liturgy was a great success. Great homemade Mexican food made in our parish kitchen. Thank you for the dedicated work in the kitchen, the decorations and raffle. The children enjoyed a Pinada breaking in the patio. Great Day which benefits everyone.

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Bishop's Appeal Pledge

*As a sign of my love for God and my continual commitment to His Church,
I have enclosed my/our gift so that God's Work will continue in the Eparchy of Phoenix.*

I Pledge:

Please Print

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

* Please make your checks *payable to your parish.*

* Return this form with your check *to your parish.*

\$ 10,000

\$ 5,000

\$ 1,000

\$ 500

\$ 200

Other:

\$ _____

Bishop's Appeal ends on May 31st.

FOR PARISH OFFICE USE ONLY

PASTORS: Please return this form when pledges are paid in full.

Pledge Amount: \$ _____

1st payment: (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____

2nd payment: (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____

3rd payment: (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____

4th payment: (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____

5th payment: (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____

6th payment: (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____

7th payment: (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____

8th payment: (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____

Final Payment (\$ _____) = Balance \$ _____