

# Annunciation Byzantine Catholic Church

*Established on July 20, 1969*

**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 LITURGY**

10:00 am

**Third Hour**

9:40 am

## **DAILY LITURGIES**

Monday, Tuesday  
Wednesday, Friday  
9:00 am

## **HOLYDAYS**

Vigil Vesper/Liturgy  
7:30 pm  
Feast Day  
Divine Liturgy  
9:00 am



## **WELCOME TO OUR PARISH**

On the Feast of Saint  
Elijah July 20th, we  
will be celebrating 50  
years of faithful  
Service to the  
Catholic Community.

We ask for your  
prayers and support  
as we look to the  
future in our  
mandated mission to  
bring our Lord, Jesus  
Christ to the people  
of California.

**BAPTISM** Membership is required &  
preparation class.

**CONFESSIONS** Sun 9:30-9:50 am,  
Daily 8:30-8:50 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, Bruce Terry,  
Helen Malinick, Nina Erickson, John Sheftic & Beth Gath

## **PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL**

Andy Spisak, Stephen Kopko & Robert Erickson

## **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 attends our  
Eastern Christian Formation Program.

## **EASTERN CHRISTIAN FORMATION**

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

**For registration information, please contact the Parish Office.  
Served by Right Reverend Stephen G Washko, pastor**

E-mail: [abcc72069@gmail.com](mailto:abcc72069@gmail.com)

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

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

**Schedule of Divine Liturgies & Intentions**

Please join us in the Parish Hall for refreshments and fellowship

**7 Saturday** *No Divine Services Scheduled*

Hebrew Scriptures for Sunday's Readings  
Numbers 12: 1-15 & 2 Kings 5: 1-19

**8 26th SUN AFTER PENTECOST, Tone 1 & the Maternity of Anna, P. 125 & 277 & Our Parish PotLuck Celebration of Saint Nicholas.**

**Confessions** ..... 9:30-9:50 am

**The Third Hour** .....9:40 am

**Divine Liturgy** .....10:00 am

*For our parish members and friend*

*Holy Anointing (Mirovnije) & Blessed Bread celebrating*

*Our Holy Father Nicholas of Myra*

*Special Program featuring the youth of our Eastern*

*Christian Formation Program in church after the Divine*

*Liturgy*

**9 Monday Venerable Patapius, p. 376**

9:00 am +*Jamie Anderson by Charles Lavenia*

**10 Tuesday Martyrs Mennas & Others, p. 381**

9:00 am +*The Nun M. Victoria by Dennis Paranoc*

**11 Wed Venerable Daniel the Stylite, p. 376/ 281**

9:00 am +*The Priest Benjamin Fama by Diana Fama*

**12 Thurs FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE**

9:00 am +*Family & Friends of Sally Rock*

**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.

**13 Friday Martyrs Eustratius & Others, p. 381**  
9:00 am +*The Priest Francis Vivona*

**14 Saturday No Service Scheduled**  
**Hebrew Scriptures for Sunday**  
Ecclesiastes 2: 1-11 & Sirach 11: 10-27

**15 SUNDAY OF THE FOREFATHERS, TONE 2**

Confessions.....9:30-9:50 am

The Third Hour .....9:40 am

**Divine Liturgy** .....10:00 am

*For our members and friends of our parish*

*ECF classes for our children after the Liturgy*

**OUR COFFEE HOST FOR THIS MONTH**

*John Kopko & the Terry Family special thank you for sponsoring our social.*

**LET US JOIN WITH THE SAINTS IN HEAVEN TO PRAY FOR THOSE IN NEED**

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|-------------------------|--------------------|
| Rob Yarosik             | Fr Stephen Casmus  |
| Albert Hatton           | Gloria Solis       |
| Charles Bivens          | Brian Safian       |
| Tom Atwood              | Margaret Kessel    |
| Marc & Matt Lowery      | Stephen Demora     |
| Carol Petyo             | Rosa Navarro       |
| Kathy Mykeloff          | John Galamba       |
| Margaret Holston        | Frank Malinick     |
| Robby Dugan             | Betty Perebzak     |
| Charlotte Marie Moran   | Jessica Kanenbley  |
| Cherie Loewe            | John Galamba       |
| Joel Rivera             | Janet Lambert      |
| Bill Drahusz            | Judy Livingston    |
| Deanna Keefe            | Chuck Johnson      |
| Elaine Nale             | Stella Navarette   |
| Ron & Isabel Christian  | Fr. Chris Petruska |
| Margarette Samul Family | Bob & Rita Pipta   |
| Ruth Terry              | Adrian Flores      |
| Veronica Navarette      | Fr. Marcus Gomori  |
| Alex Gomori             | Fr. Mel Rybarczyk  |
| Fr John Kovach          | Mary Washko        |

Msgr George N. Vida  
For prayer requests: call Fr. Stephen or E-mail to [abcc72069@gmail.com](mailto:abcc72069@gmail.com)

**GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST!  
GLORY TO HIM FOREVER!**

**7 DAY CANDLE OFFERING  
ICONS OF OUR LORD & THEOTOKOS**

The special envelopes are available on the greeting table.  
The donation for the Icon Candles are \$5.

**Eternal Light-Candle**  
*Special Intention for Sally Rock*

**Tetrapod Lamps***Special Intention by M/M Solis**Gloria by Sal***Our Lord***Mary Washko by Helen Bruce**Fr Stephen Washko by Helen Bruce***The Mother of God***Fr. Stephen Casmus by Helen Bruce**Betty Bohner by Helen Bruce***The Great icon of the Annunciation 2 Lamps***M/M James Lavenia by Charles Lavenia***2019 ONLINE EDUCATIONAL OFFERINGS**

All courses are offered as live webinars, free of charge.

Register at [EasternCatholic.org/events](http://EasternCatholic.org/events)

You may want to save this part of the bulletin &amp; paste it into your calendar.

The Gift of God by Rev David Anderson

*Preparing for the Feast of the Nativity***Wednesday, December 16 @5:00-6:00 pm PST**

Baptized into Christ

*The Mystery of Initiation & Identity of the People of God***Wednesdays January 8, 15, & 22 @5:00-6:00 pm PST****SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**ANGEL TREE FOR SAINT NICHOLAS** This year as part of our celebration of St. Nicholas Day, we will again bring gifts for the residents of the Precious Life Shelter in Los Alamitos which provides housing and support for mothers in crisis pregnancies. Everyone is invited to take an angel from the tree and bring the gift listed on December 8, the day of our St. Nicholas POTLUCK celebration.

Please note the following:

- \* The gift should be in a bag UNWRAPPED
  - \* Each child should have a gift to give St. Nicholas when they visit with him
- Please see Beth Gath if you have any questions.  
Thank you!

**TITHING AND ATTENDANCE REPORT****Our Stewardship December 1****Attendance: Sun—105 souls****Thanksgiving Vigil 7:30 pm : 15 souls****Thanksgiving 9:00 am 40 souls**

Adult Tithes: \$4,013.00

Youth Tithes: \$23.00

Flowers: \$20.00

Mortgage Reduction: \$400.00

Thanksgiving: \$456.00

Retired Clergy Collection: \$815.00

Principle Reduction: \$200.00

Pool Maintenance: \$165.00

Recycling: \$42.80

T-Mobile: \$2,645.00

Jelly Sales: \$24.00

Christmas Presale Bake Sale: \$638.00

Please remember our parish in your **Will & Bequests.****MORTGAGE BALANCE 11-10-19****\$768,510.26**Thank you for your generous donations *on the principle of* our mortgage. Thank you.**\*\* REMINDERS \*\*****FOR OUR PENITENTIAL PREPARATION****Recycling – ABCC recycles ‘CA CRV’ beverage**

containers from our luncheons and also from parishioner.

There are two blue barrels in the hall for those who wish to donate their CRV cans, plastic bottles, and glass bottles.

Please be sure they are empty.

**Food Bank** – We have been collecting non-perishable food items for the food bank located at Saint Boniface Church.

There is a bed bucket in the hall for those wishing to donate. This is usually near the bulletin board.

## FROM ANDY SPISAK, THE KEEPER OF THE BOOKS

### Maximize your charitable giving while minimizing your taxable income.

An IRA QCD is a rewarding and easy option for donors age 70 1/2 and older.

#### Benefits

##### How It Works

An IRA QCD offers financial benefits and allows you to see the difference you're making at Benedictine University. during your lifetime.

Once you reach the age of 70.5, the IRS allows you to donate up to \$100,000 per year, tax-free, directly from your IRA to charitable organizations of your choice. If your spouse is also 70.5 years old or older, and has a separate IRA, you each may contribute up to \$100,000. The amount of the IRA QCD is limited to the amount of the distribution that would otherwise be included in income.

You'll have the flexibility to choose where your money goes. You may direct your gift to the BenU Fund, an option that allows us to use your contribution where it's needed most, or opt to designate your gift for a specific program or effort on campus that has special meaning to you.

#### More Details

This giving option, as its name implies, is only allowable through IRAs, not other retirement funds, such as 401(k) or profit-sharing plans. Gifts also may not be distributed to donor-advised funds.

IRA QCDs are not subject to income tax, so they do not qualify for a charitable deduction. The benefits of this planned giving option, as highlighted above, come from reduced taxable income.

#### Next Steps

First, contact your IRA plan administrator to start the distribution process. When they're ready to send your contribution, they can make the check payable to "Annunciation Byzantine Catholic Church" and mail to:

Annunciation Byzantine Catholic Church  
Charitable Contribution  
995 N. West Street  
Anaheim, CA. 92801

## CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

*BE SURE TO MAKE YOUR CALENDAR*

### Dec 23 Monday —Meatless Day

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

### Dec 24 Tuesday-CHRISTMAS EVE

Great Compline.....6:00 pm

### Dec 25 Wednesday CHRISTMAS DAY

Christmas Carols .....9:30 am  
Liturgy of Saint John Chrysostom...10:00 am

### Dec 26 Thursday Solemn Holy Day

#### Synaxis of the Theotokos

Divine Liturgy.....7:30 pm

### Dec 27 Friday Feast of St. Stephen

Divine Liturgy.....9:00 am

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### CIRCUMCISION OF OUR LORD & THE FEAST OF SAINT BASIL THE GREAT SOLEMN HOLY DAY

### Dec 31 Tuesday Vigil for the Feast

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

### Jan 1 Wednesday New Year's Day

Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great.....9:00 am

### Jan 3 Friday Meatless Day

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

## THEOPHANY-BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

### Jan 6 Monday Theophany of our Lord

#### Holy day of Obligation

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

*At the Ambon Prayer the Great Blessing of Water will take place. Be sure to bring your containers for the Holy Water.*