

Annunciation Byzantine Catholic Church

Established on July 20, 1969

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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

Website: www.annunciationbyzantine.org

facebook.com/annunciation.byzantine

Schedule of Divine Liturgies

PLEASE observe the social distancing and wear your mask during the Divine Liturgy. Our ushers will answer your questions. **Bishop John has reminded us to wear the mask while attending the Divine Liturgy in church or remain in the yard in front of the church. Plastic wrapped Masks are available from the ushers.**

Confessions are heard in the garden under the umbrella north of the church anytime before 8:30 during the week and 9:30 am Sunday, after the Divine Liturgy or by appointment.

Give a call before coming to the church.

Our Liturgies are live streamed through **FACEBOOK** with our cantors and altar servers. [facebook.com/stephen.washko](https://www.facebook.com/stephen.washko)
Also available @annunciation.byzantine

INDEPENDENCE DAY,
244 Anniversary of the Independence of the
United States from Great Britain.

4 Saturday Archbishop of Jerusalem
Facebook Live Stream.....9:00 am
Happy Anniversary Dan & Collene Canter by Mary Washko

HEBREW SCRIPTURE
1 Samuel 16: 14-23 & Zachariah 12: 10, 13: 1-2

5 5TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, TONE 4, p. 141
Facebook Live Stream.....10:00am
For our parish members and friends.

6 Monday Venerable Father Sisoës, p. 376
Facebook Live Stream.....9:00 am
+The Priest Francis Vivona

7 Tuesday Venerable Fathers Thomas & Acacius, p. 378
Facebook Live Stream.....9:00 am
+Forgotten Souls by Angla Lipovac

8 Wednesday Great Martyr Procopius, p. 379
Facebook Live Stream.....9:00 am
+The Priest Francis Vivona

9 Thursday Martyr Pancratius, Bishop of Taormina, p 358
Facebook Live Stream.....9:00 am
+Forgotten Souls by Angla Lipovac

10 Friday Venerable Anthony of the Caves, p. 376

Facebook Live Stream.....9:00 am
+The Priest Francis Vivona

11 Saturday Martyr Euphemia, p.
Facebook Live Stream.....9:00 am
+The Priest Francis Vivona

HEBREW SCRIPTURES
Jeremiah 31: 27-34 & Jonah 3: 1-10

12 6TH SUNDAY PENTECOST & Tone 5, p. 146
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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 by Sally Rock

Tetrapod Lamps

Available

Our Lord

God's blessing of Msgr George Vida by Ingrid Spisak

The Mother of God

+Gregory Vida by Msgr George Vida

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

Edward Pribonic

Special Intention

Irene Lovas

Rob Yarosik

Albert Hatton

Charles Bivens

Msgr Michael Moran

Marc & Matt Lowery

Carol Petyo

Kathy Mykeloff

Margaret Holston

Robby Dugan

Charlotte Marie Moran

Msgr George N. Vida

Joel Rivera

Bill Drahusz

Deanna Keefe

Elaine Nale

Ron & Isabel Christian

Margarette Samul Family

Ruth Terry

Veronica Navarette

Alex Gomori

For prayer requests: call Fr. Stephen or E-mail to

abcc72069@gmail.com

Chester & Sherill Franklin

Petrice (Podhayny) Duncan

Margaret Dessureault

Gloria Solis

Brian Safian

Margaret Kessel

Stephen Demora

Rosa Navarro

John Galamba

Frank Malinick

Betty Perebzk

Jessica Kanenbley

John Galamba

Janet Lambert

Judy Livingston

Chuck Johnson

Stella Navarette

Fr. Chris Petruska

Bob & Rita Pipta

Adrian Flores

Fr. Marcus Gomori

Helen Malinick

BISHOP'S APPEAL 2020

Please contribute to our Bishop's call to support the Eparchy. Forms are available in the narthex of the church. You may want to donate online,

please go to ephx.org

then "Home- Eparchy of Phoenix"

then: "Giving"

Make sure you note that you are from ANNUNCIATION Our parish GOAL \$30,954.20. Kindly give what you can to help our Eparchy and our Church.

AS OF 5-8-20

28 Households have pledged \$10,850.00

35% of our Goal

Balance: \$20,104.20

Thank you for your support.

FROM THE PASTOR

SUBDEACON GREG GATH will be ordained the Holy Order of Deacon, Thursday July 16 by Bishop John Pazak. Be sure to mark your calendar for the ordination which will be here at Annunciation.

Please RSVP to the Gaths if you will be attending Subdeacon Greg's Diaconal Ordination. To ensure proper spacing and safety, it is important to RSVP if you plan to be in Church. RSVP: bethgath@gmail.com or 562-377-5877 by Tuesday July 7th

ATTENTION PARENTS contact the parish office to set up the dates for the baptism of your children. If this is your first born child be sure to meet with Father for the Baptismal Instructions.

ONLINE ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The screenshot shows the GodWithUs.org website with a navigation bar and several course thumbnails. The thumbnails include:

- BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST**: The Mystery of Initiation & Identity of the People of God. By Rev. Darin Deiter.
- THE GIFT OF GOD**: Preparing for the Nativity of the Lord. By Rev. David Anderson.
- UNLOCKING THE MYSTERY**: An introduction to Eastern Christian Bible Study. By Joshua Mengels.
- MAKING DISCIPLES**: The Art of Bringing Others to Christ. By Rev. Alexander Wroblewski.
- THE FACE OF GOD**: An Introduction to Byzantine Faith and Spirituality. By Rev. Daniel Dastie.
- LEARNING TO SEE AGAIN**: Embracing Light for Life. By Rev. Deacon Elias Boman.

GODWITHUS.ORG

Here are some of the topics available. Set up an hour and a half to learn about our Faith and Eastern Church.

TITHING AND ATTENDANCE REPORT

Our Stewardship June 28

Attendance: 93 souls

Adult Tithes: \$2,691.00

Online 'DONATE': \$1,142.49

Youth Tithes: \$42.00

Principle Reduction: \$35.00

Peter's Pence: \$10.00

Sts Peter and Paul: \$135.00

Please remember our parish in your **Will & Bequests.**

MORTGAGE BALANCE 5-10-20

\$714,260.87

\$2,650.00 was paid on the principle this past month. Thank you for your generous donations *on the principle of* our mortgage. Thank you.

THANK YOU FOR SENDING your tithing to the parish office by mail, by E Checks or by dropping your envelope in our Secure Locked Mail box by the door of the church to help us meet our financial obligations.

ONLINE GIVING IS WORKING Thank you. Go to our Web page annunciationbyzantine.org click on "donate"

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JULY

8 Wednesday —EASTERN CATHOLIC PASTORAL ASSOCIATION OF SOL CAL 1:00pm Zoom Meeting

15 Wednesday—Evening rehearsal for the Ordination

16 Thursday-ORDINATION OF SUBDEACON GREG GATH by Bishop John Pazak 7:00 PM

20 Monday PARISH ANNIVERSARY FEAST OF SAINT ELIJAH THE PROPHET.

"Are you saved?"

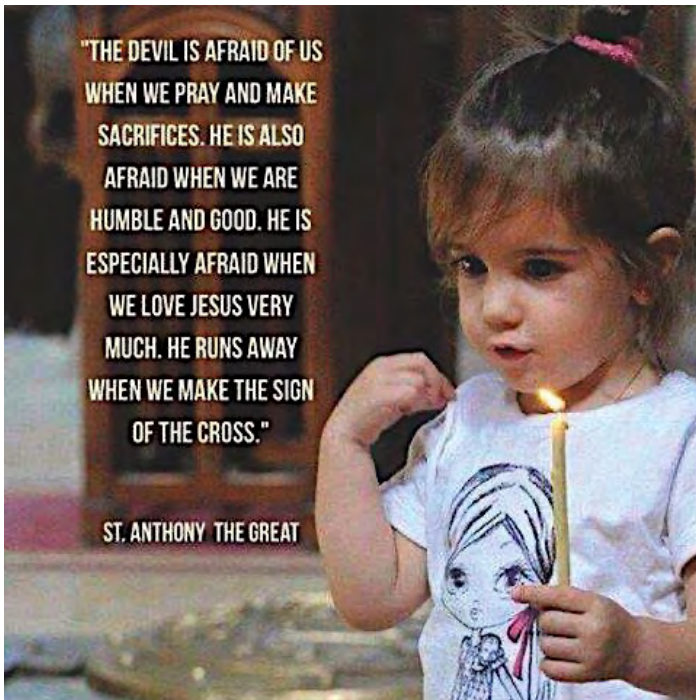
The Catholic should reply: "As the Bible says, I am already saved (Rom. 8:24, Eph. 2:5-8), but I'm also being saved (1 Cor. 1:18, 2 Cor. 2:15, Phil. 2:12), and I have the hope that I will be saved (Rom. 5:9-10, 1 Cor. 3:12-15). Like the apostle Paul I am working out my salvation in fear and trembling (Phil. 2:12), with hopeful confidence in the promises of Christ (Rom. 5:2, 2 Tim. 2:11-13)."



FOR CONSIDERATION**by St. Nikolai Velimirovich**

Abba John the Dwarf asked his monks: "Who or what sold Joseph into slavery?" One of them answered: "His brethren." To this the staretz said: "Not his brothers, but his humility." Joseph could have revealed that he was their brother, and thus opposed the sale. But he kept silent. By humility, then, was he sold, and this same humility later made him ruler of Egypt. We guard ourselves too carefully from the outward difficulties encountered in giving ourselves over to the will of God, and so we lose the good fruits that are reaped in difficult circumstances endured with humility.

During a period of unrest in Constantinople in the time of Emperor Constantine, some embittered men knocked the nose and ears off the statute of the Emperor of the city. Some hurried to the Emperor and, as though with great disgust, informed him of how rebels had done this thing, asking the Emperor to punish the miscreants with the harshest punishments. But this great Emperor touched his nose and ears, and then said to the petitioners: "I can feel my nose and ears whole and untouched." The petitioners were shamed and removed themselves. With such kingly greatness of soul must we endure insults from others.


5th Sunday After Pentecost
St. Simeon the New Theologian

The whole warfare of the demons against us is waged with the one purpose of alienating those who obey them from the glory of God and the grace of the Holy Spirit. But, as I see it, we have already deprived ourselves of such a gift before they even attack us, because we have forsaken the

commandments of God and have not been eager to seek Him with all our soul. Had we sought Him we should not have lived so idly and carelessly! Had we been concerned for the things of heaven we should not have shown such great eagerness for the things of earth. Had our thoughts been on things incorruptible we should not have gaped greedily after the things that are transitory and corruptible. Had we striven for things eternal we should not thus have pursued things temporal. Had we loved God we should not thus have turned away from those who guide us to Him. Had we sought to acquire virtues we would not have abhorred the teachers of virtues. Had we gladly embraced fasting we should not have complained of the lack of food and drink. Had we fought to gain control over our passions we should not have given ourselves unrestrainedly to pleasures. Had we a right and firm faith we should not have performed the works of faithlessness...Had we been found worthy to attain true love we should have known God.

Mrs. CHESTERTON * convict * Famous CONVERT

Mrs. G. K. Chesterton, the wife of the great English convert, became a Catholic three years after her husband. When asked the reason for her action, she would reply. "The Devil made me a Catholic."

A consideration of the moral evil in the world, of man's desperate need of deliverance from it, and continual strength to oppose it, had inspired her search.

In the Catholic doctrines of the Redemption and Grace, she found the answer to her difficulties.

—Source Unknown.



**LORD JESUS CHRIST,
SON OF GOD,
SAVIOR**