

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

***Mask are required
on church property***

All Our Holy
Services are Live-
streamed on
**[facebook.com/
stephen.washko](https://www.facebook.com/stephen.washko)**

SUNDAY LITURGIES

****Saturday Vesper/
Liturgy 4:00 pm
Sunday
Divine Liturgy
10:00 am**



LENTEN SERVICES

**Mon, Tues, Fri
Matins w Communion
9:00 am
Wednesday
Presanctified Liturgy
7:30 pm
Saturday Liturgy
9:00 am**

HOLIDAYS

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

**BAPTISM /
CHRISMATION & HOLY
COMMUNION** Membership is required &

CONFESSIONS Before Daily Services 8:30-8:50 am
and 9:30-9:50 am or by appointment.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 10 am - 4pm
Closed on Tuesdays & Wednesdays
Please call before coming to the office.

PARISH ADVISORY BOARD

Jan Washicko, Marya Weil, Bruce Terry, John Crans
Helen Malinick, Nina Erickson, John Sheftic & Beth Gath

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

Andy Spisak, Stephen Kopko & Jan Washicko

ANOINTING OF THE SICK & SHUT-INS

Family members must contact the parish.
Anointing may 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
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[facebook.com/annunciation.byzantine](https://www.facebook.com/annunciation.byzantine)

DIVINE LITURGIES

FOR THIS WEEK & INTENTIONS

SUNDAY & DAILY SERVICES ARE LIVE STREAMED ON
[FACEBOOK.COM/STEPHEN.WASHKO](https://www.facebook.com/STEPHEN.WASHKO)

12 SAT No Morning Liturgy

Confession (in the chapel).....3:30 pm
Vesper/Liturgy for Sunday.....4:00 pm
God's blessing on Stephen Washicko by George & Jan Washicko

HEBREW SCRIPTURES FOR SUNDAY

Deuteronomy 11: 1-15 & 1 Kings 10: 1-10, 13-23

13 THIRD SUN AFTER PENTECOST & TONE 2, P. 130

Confession (in the chapel).....9:00 am
Third Hour.....9:40 am
Divine Liturgy.....10:00 am
For our Parish Family and Friends
COFFEE SOCIAL in the hall

14 Mon Prophet Elisha, p. 366

Divine Liturgy with Panachida.....9:00 am
+Bishop Gerald Dino

15 Tue Prophet Amos, p. 366

Divine Liturgy.....9:00 am
God's blessing on Jean Washicko by George & Jan Washicko

16 Wed

NO MORNING LITURGY-PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

17 Thur Martyrs Manuel, Sabel & Ishmael, p. 381

Divine Liturgy.....9:00 am
God's blessing on Breanda Washicko by George & Jan Washicko

18 Fri **NO MORNING LITURGY**

Ecumenical Service [OCTOC.ORG](https://www.octoc.org)

at Holy Cross Melkite Church7:00pm

19 SAT The Apostle Jude, p. 368

Divine Liturgy.....9:00 am
God's blessing on the Family & Friends by Sally Rock

HEBREW SCRIPTURES FOR SUNDAY

1 Kings 17: 8-24 & Malachi 1: 6-11

LAST TIME FOR THE 4PM VESPER/LITURGY

VESPER/LITURGY for Sunday p. 143.....4:00 PM
God's blessing on our Fathers by Sally Rock

FOURTH SUN AFTER PENTECOST TONE 3 & FATHER'S DAY, P. 135

Confession in the chapel.....9:00 am
The Third Hour.....9:40 am
Divine Liturgy.....10:00 am
For our Parish Family and Friends
COFFEE SOCIAL in the Hall

**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

Icon of the Theotokos

Tanya Johnson by Donna M. Safian

Icon of Our Lord

Robert Yarosik by Helen Malinick

Tetrapod

Frank & Linda Malinick by Helen Malinick

Helen Malinick by Mary Washko

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

Andy Spisak	Deacon Don Gath
Cameron Bower	Robert & Rita Pipta
Eddie Chow	Ruth Terry
Robert Yarosik	Bill Drahusz
Michael Mykeloff	Margarette Samul Family
Helen Malinick	Veronica Navarette
Alex Gomori	Brian Safian
Tanya & Chuck Johnson	Stella Navarette
Petrice (Podhayny) Duncan	Deanna Keefe
Rob Yarosik	Margaret Dessureault
Albert Hatton	Gloria Solis
Charles Bivens	Elaine Nale
Judy Livingston	Margaret Kessel
Marc & Matt Lowery	Stephen Demora
Rosa Navarro	Adrian Flores
Kathy Mykeloff	John Galamba
Margaret Holston	Frank Malinick
Robby Dugan	Fr. Chris Petruska
Irma Contera	Jessica Kanenbley
Ron & Isabel Christian	Joel Rivera
Janet Lambert	

For prayer requests: call Fr. Stephen or E-mail to
abcc72069@gmail.com

+**LUIS RODRIGUES** the father of Luis fell asleep in the Lord. Kindly remember him and the family in your prayers. Eternal memory and blessed repose.

READERS SCHEDULE 10AM LITURGY

Jun 13—Kester Bailey Jun 20—Marc Brown
Jun 27—Michael Petyo Jul 4—Ron Pasmant
Jul 11—George Petyo

Please let Stephen Kopko know if there is schedule change.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THIS WEEK

FATHER’S DAY WEEKEND- we will discontinue the Saturday 4:00 pm Vesper/Liturgy and keep our parish family together at the Sunday 10:00 am Parish Liturgy.

SUNDAY, JULY 18. DIVINE LITURGY in thanksgiving for the payoff of the mortgage followed by parish dinner. Our Bishop John Pazak will join us for the celebration. Watch your mail for dinner RSVP / ticket information.

COFFEE SOCIAL SIGN UP—we are changing our schedule to weekly sign up instead of monthly. Check the list located at the coffee table.

ONLINE MUSIC FILES - Access to ALL of the Metropolitan Cantor Institutes music files for the year 2021 can be found at [HTTPS://MCLARCHPITT.ORG/LITURGICALCALENDAR2021.HTML](https://MCLARCHPITT.ORG/LITURGICALCALENDAR2021.HTML)

BISHOP’S APPEAL Report #3

The 2021 Bishop’s Appeal - Please submit your Appeal form as soon as possible and help us to reach not only our financial goal, but our goal of 100% participation. Annunciation parish is thankful for the many families and individuals who have generously given in the past, enabling us to reach our financial goals. May we continue to be blessed with your generous support! For more information, print the pledge/donation form, and to pay online, please visit [HTTPS://EPHX.ORG/EPARCHIAL-APPEAL/](https://EPHX.ORG/EPARCHIAL-APPEAL/)

Parish Goal: \$35,962.78
 Pledges to date: \$18,255.00
 Balance: \$17,707.78
 50.76% of our Goal
 41 Households have responded.

2021 MYRR-BEARERS WOMEN’S RETREAT—BE NOT AFRAID

Saturday, June 26, 2021 8:30 - 12:30 pm

Our presenters will be, *Mother Gabriella & Sister Natalia* —Prayer Life and Vocations, *Siobhan Sullivan* —Icon Writing, *Fr. Thomas Loya*—Byzantine Theology of the Body and *Lynne Wardach* —ByziMom. Join the women, teens and girls of our Eparchy for our retreat. We will be meeting virtually via zoom this year. Before you say “ugh,” because we know it’s not the same as meeting with each other in person, this venue is a blessing of a different kind. Make some time to set aside all earthly cares. Give your ears some exercise and your mind, heart, and soul your freshman. Please join us for enriching experience. Cost is minimal, the renewal is priceless!

There will be three tracks, each 45 minutes in length. Three groups rooms will be available for appropriate age levels for all three tracks.

Myrrh-Bearers Retreat ATTENDEES

Women 18+

Teens 12-17

Girls 7-12

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION EXTENDED

Name (Adult): _____ email: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip _____

Name of Teen: _____ Name of Teen: _____

Name of Child: _____ Name of Child: _____

Method of Payment:

Online (www.ephx.org/myrrhbearers) under news/events

Mail check payable to Eparchy of Phoenix

Cost: \$15 per individual, or \$35 per family (same household)

TOTAL SUBMITTED: _____

TITHING AND ATTENDANCE REPORT

Our Stewardship June 6

4pm Vesper/Liturgy 24 souls

10am Sun Liturgy 77 souls

Adult Tithes: \$3,079.00, Peter’s Pence: \$460.00, Candles: \$30.00, Coffee Social: \$89.00, Jelly Sales: \$43.00,

Bishop’s Appeal: \$300.00

tithe.ly on-line Donate Tithes: \$366.35

From the Christian Gerola Estate: \$169,516.89

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

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 AVAILABLE be sure to select the account(Tithe, Bishop’s Appeal etc..) you want your donation to serve. Thank you.

Go to our Web page annunciationbyzantine.org click on “donate” or click on tithe.ly or enter it into your browser.

UPCOMING EVENTS—mark your calendars

Fri Jun 18 7pm at Holy Cross, Melkite	14TH Annual Roman & Eastern Catholic & Orthodox Christian Eumenical Prayer Service
Sat Jun 19 4:00 pm	THE LAST VESPER/LITURGY we will see everyone again together on Sunday at the 10am Parish Liturgy
Sun Jun 20 After Liturgy	Safe Environment Training in the parish hall. (Dr. Luis Sandoval)
SOLEMN HOLY DAY Wed Jun 23 Thurs Jun 24	BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST 7:30 pm Vesper/Liturgy 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
Sun Jun 27 10:00 am	Adult Baptism/Chrismation of Doug Ward & Parish Liturgy

Third Sunday after Pentecost

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION Mon Jun 28 Tue Jun 29	STS. PETER & PAUL 7:30 pm Vesper/Liturgy 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
Sat June 26 8:30 am to 12:30 pm	WOMEN'S RETREAT ON-LINE we encourage all women of all ages to register for this on-line retreat. under news/events. \$15 per person or \$35 per family.
Sun Jul 18 10am Liturgy	Special celebration—Burning of our Mortgage with Bishop John Pazak



Third Sunday After Pentecost

By Fr. Vladimir Berzonsky

It takes just a bit of imagination to be with the Lord Jesus on the hillside at the time when the anemones and scarlet poppies, here called lilies of the field, burst into an array of exciting colors. They last but for a few days, then dry up, and they were gathered by the women to heat up their ovens. Why then bother to offer the world such beauty if but for a few days? It remains a sublime mystery. Some are curious, others don't care. For those, however, who do see the loving Creator in nature, it's proof if evidence is needed that He is responsible for it all. Whether noticed in a rose, a newborn kitten or from the vantage of a space ship orbiting the earth, one finds it difficult to refute Sachmo Armstrong's gravel lyric: "It's a wonderful world."

On a given day we may pass by dozens of persons. Most will ignore us and go on their way. We hardly remember their faces. Some may cut us off on the highways; nevertheless, now and then one will perform an act of kindness that makes the day worthwhile, causing us to be glad we were in a position to touch that soul with warmth, and giving God the glory for creating us for the capacity to care about one another.

We may perform the spiritual calisthenics of morning and evening prayer, reciting the terms we had learned from childhood when all of a sudden a word leaps up from the flow of phrases to illumine our hearts with a warmth that

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captures us in a thrill of meaning that we had not quite understood before. It may be that we had some experience that lighted the passage in a new way. When that happens we are aware that we had been touched by the Spirit, and we thank the Lord for coming to us in that epiphany of union even if it lasts but for an instant.

All of the above are ways that the spiritually astute will affirm not just God's existence, but ways that God abides within us. Nature with its beauty, order and majesty is for those with eyes to see, the most self-evident proof. Those whom the Master calls our brothers and sisters every now and then prove by their kindness and affection that He lives in them as well as in us. The third place we find Him is within ourselves. Perhaps the third location is most difficult of all, especially in these days when so much of society is constantly calling attention to what's happening outside, training us to be bored with silence, carrying cell phones because we can't wait to talk on those connected to walls, urging us to pay attention to the trivialities and nonsense that take up much of television. Despite that, we can, if we train ourselves to cherish our souls and flee from noise and distractions, nourish the bond with the Holy Spirit within our souls.

Finally but first and most precious is our life in Christ. Read slowly the Sermon on the Mount and ponder on who but He could conceive of such a program for spiritual perfection. Granted, for the cynic it may be absurd, but for those who are serious about salvation, it lays out the only way to the Kingdom. Then read the last chapters of any or all the gospels and ask who but He would do that for the life of the world? He, Jesus Christ, is the greatest proof for the existence of God, Himself being of the same nature and essence of the Father Whom He presents to the world.

Selected from Counsels from the Holy Mountain From the Letters and Homilies of Elder Ephraim

Why do you worry and grieve more than necessary for the various incidents? We are not outside of Divine Providence, so as to be directed by mere chance. Therefore, whatever happens to us happens with God's knowledge, and so nothing will happen to us beyond our strength! Let those who do not believe in Divine Providence drown in worry; they are certainly justified. But we, who believe that God is present everywhere and that there is no creature outside His providence, are not justified when we worry more than necessary, for through this action we show a lack of faith and illumination.

"Blessed is the man who hopes in God, for as a lion he will trust in Him." (Prov.28:1). If God is the One Who permits it, Thy will be done, Lord. "Who has known the mind of the Lord? Or who has become His counselor?" (Rom. 11:34). Who is able to search out the will of the Lord! "If you do not become as little children, you will by no means enter the kingdom of heaven," (Mt.18:3) that is through faith and innocence.