

Annunciation Byzantine Catholic Church

Established on July 20, 1969 + Church Blessed May 16, 2006

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Located on West Street just south of La Palma

Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix

Bishop John S. Puzak, C.Ss.R

DIVINE LITURGIES

SUNDAY 10 am

HOLY DAYS

Vesper/Liturgy
7:30 pm
Feast Day 9 am

DAILY LITURGIES

Mon, Tues, Wed &
Fri 9:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Sun 9:30 -9:50 am
Daily 8:30 8:50 am

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday
10am-4pm

Closed on Thursdays
*Give a courtesy call
before coming to the
Office. Use the
doorbell.*

BAPTISM/ CHRISMATION & COMMUNION

Membership &
Preparation Classes
required.



**ANOINTING OF
THE SICK & SHUT-
INS** the parish office
must be contacted.

**CROWNING OF
MARRIAGE**
Arrangements must be
made 6 months in
advance.

**EASTERN
CHRISTIAN
FORMATION**
September - June on
Sunday after the
Parish Liturgy. Marya
Weil Religious
Coordinator.
Preschool through
High School

PARISH CHOIR
Cantor Robert Pipta.
Rehearsal every other
week. Want to join? See
our Cantor.

QUINCEANERA
available for parish
members.

Welcome to our Parish

*Be sure to put your cell phone on "Airplane Mode"
and join us for the celebration of the Divine Liturgy
and God's Holy Mysteries of our Faith*

Let your time with God be Uninterrupted and Sacred.

***For Registration Information,
See one of our Ushers or Fr. Stephen.
You may contact the Parish Office.***

Served by Father Stephen G Washko, pastor

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Schedule of Holy Services

Sat 7/28 No Divine Liturgy Scheduled

Hebrew Readings for
Sundays Gospel
Numbers 14: 2-11& Daniel
6: 1-23

**Sun 7/29 10th Sunday After Pentecost Tone 1, p. 125**

9:00 am Choir Rehearsal
9:30-9:50 am Confessions
10:00 am *Members of our Parish & Friends*

Mon 7/30 Apostles Silas and Others, p. 370

9:00 am +*The Priest Gregory Petrushka*
by *Anelica Villarín*

Tue 7/31 Venerable Eudocimus, p. 376

9:00 am *God's blessing on the family and friends*
of *Sally Rock*

Wed 8/1 Procession of the Holy Cross & Little Blessing of Water, p. 360

9:00 am +*The Priest Francis Vivona*

The Dormition Fast August 1-14 is traditionally a strict abstinence with the usual mitigation for Saturday, Sunday and for the Feast of the Transfiguration August 6. It is observed as a Fast.

Our Ruthenian Metropolitan has identified this period as a penitential season. The observance of this fast is voluntary. You may keep Wednesdays and Fridays as meatless days.

Thu 8/2 No Service Schedule*Meatless Fast Day***Fri 8/3 Venerables Isaacius & Others, p. 378**

9:00 am *Souls in most need of God's Mercy*
by *Sally Rock*

Sat 8/4 No Liturgy Scheduled

Hebrew Reading for Sunday
Deuteronomy 15: 1-11 & Nehemiah 5: 1-3

Sun 8/5 11th Sunday after Pentecost, Tone 2, p. 130

9:30- 9:50 am Confessions
9:40 am The Third Hour
10:00 am *for our parish member and friends*

Robert & Nina Erickson
Frances Bisaha
Christopher Torday
Stephen Torday
Andy Spisak
Ruth Terry
Veronica Navarette
Judy Livingston
Bill Drahusz
Betty Perebzkak
Deanna Keefe
Johnny Dushanko
Janet Lambert
Ethan McArthur
Kutzner & McCalse Families
Chuck Johnson

Joel Rivera
Fr Milan & Maria Kasperek
Stella Navarette
Fr. Christopher Petruska
Bob & Rita Pipta
Adrian Flores
Jessica Kanenbley
Brian Safian
Lauren Harnett
Richard Sesma
Ron Lowery & Family
Susan Dovin
Ron, Carol & Gilbert Pasmant
Henry Zuggar
Elaine Nale
Margarette Samul Family

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

**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

For needs of the parish by Richard Sesma

Tetrapod

Special Intention by Sally Rock
Libby Distefano by Sandy Anchondo

Our Lord

Helen Bruce by Robert & Nina Erickson

The Mother of God

God Bless Richard Sesma

Schedule of Readers

7/29	REHEARSAL Ron Pasmant	9:00 - 9:45 am 1 Corinthians 4: 9-16
8/05	3rd Hour Greg Gath	9:40 am 1 Corinthians 9: 2-12
8/12	REHEARSAL Bradley Franklin	9:00 - 9:45 am 1 Corinthians 15: 1-11

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- * **2018 PHOTOS FOR OUR PARISH DIRECTORY**
We have a group photo of our Christmas and Easter Bakers, choir and cantors and for our readers. We need a group photo of our Altar Servers.
- * **50/50 RAFFLE** a big thank you to *Joanne Kopko*, she will be selling the tickets for the **Sanctuary Fund**. The sale of the tickets will take place in the parish hall.
\$5 per ticket \$20 per five tickets. The drawing will take place at the end of the month. Need not be present to win.
- * **PARISH DIRECTORY FOR OUR 50th ANNIVERSARY** Each family will receive a *complimentary 8 X 10 photograph & directory* for

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

David Bohner
Moon Gilbert
Cherie Loewe

Joy Graff
Fr. Marcus Gomori
Ron & Isabel Christian

participating. If you missed the photo sessions at Annunciation—don't worry. We will provide you with the addresses and locations where you can get your photo taken.

Contact people: Jan Washicko & Irene Lovas

- * **PICTURES FROM THE PAST** Stephen Kopko is collecting old photos of past events at Annunciation parish. Thank you for your response. Many of the photos have already been recorded and returned.

TITHING AND ATTENDANCE REPORT

Our Stewardship JULY 22

Attendance: Sun: 102 Souls

Adult Tithes : \$4,029.00

Youth Tithes: \$25.51

Mortgage Reduction: \$35.00

Craft Fair: \$35.00

Dividends: \$29.07

Honor of our 49th Anniversary: \$49.00

Jelly Sales: \$25.00

Thank you for the donations.

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

Thank you for your generous support and contributions to the Lord's Holy House.

Don't forget our parish as you go on vacation. We need to keep the AC and lights on for the summer.

COFFEE SOCIAL HOST

Thank you for your love and service to the parish community.

August Host: Robert & Carmella Yarosik

We thank our parishioners for helping our hosts keep our parish hall clean after the Coffee Social.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS COMING UP

1 Wednesday-9:00 am Procession of the Cross, Lesser Blessing of Water & the Start of the Dormition Fast. Keep Wednesdays and Fridays meatless.

FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD—Solemn Holy Day with blessing of fruit
6 Monday.....7:30 pm Divine Liturgy

10 Friday Student Film Crew will be shooting a scene for upcoming movie. 6pm-6am Saturday

FEAST OF THE DORMITION OF THE THEOTOKOS, HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION with blessing of flowers
14 Tuesday7:30 pm Vesper/Liturgy
15 Wednesday9:00 am Divine Liturgy

PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP The 19th Annual Pilgrimage will be held on **August 17th, 18th & 19th** in Olympia, WA at St. George's Byzantine Catholic Parish. The pilgrimage is designed to provide a unique opportunity for the spiritual enrichment of the entire family. If you have no plans for a summer vacation, consider a trip to the Pacific Northwest to enjoy spectacular scenery, and possibly make the trip a Byzantine experience by also visiting our parishes in Portland, OR and Seattle, WA. Brochures are available on the Greeting Table.

19 Sunday—10:00 am Baptism/Chrismation of Dianna, daughter of Marcus & Sara Cabrera

September 22 Saturday Anaheim Craft & Vintage Fair

10th Sunday After Pentecost
Matthew 17:14-20

The incident of the possessed boy took place after the disciples had been traveling with Jesus for some time. The disciples must have been seen by others as men touched by God or the father of the possessed boy would not have asked them to heal his son. Jesus, however, saw their true spiritual state; he knew that despite outward appearances, their faith was very fragile. Their doubts prevented them from performing the deeds which would show forth God's glory.

The fact that the disciples came to Jesus asking why their prayers had failed proves that they wanted to grow. Jesus responded by encouraging them and eventually by giving them his own Holy Spirit at Pentecost; in the Acts of the Apostles, we find the disciples performing great and miraculous works in Jesus' name.

Reasons Why the Pro-Life Movement Will Win! (Part I).

One day, there will be an end of abortion in America. There are around 69 million Catholics in the U.S. and if more of us would be prepared to commit ourselves to assist and get involved, that day will be sooner rather than later. If so, fewer innocent, unborn babies will be victims and have to lose their lives.

This week and next we will outline the reasons why we are winning and why there is reason to be optimistic:-

- (1). The most sure sign of our ultimate victory is the strong and ever-growing involvement of young people who are pro-life and fighting for an end to abortion. Today's generation have the benefit of being more scientific and so they know that life begins at conception and cannot be deceived that the child in the mother's womb is anything other than that---a child!

(2). The flow of conversions is virtually all in one direction ... that is, from death to life. Have you ever heard of a pro-life advocate become pro-abortion (other than possibly a few politicians who are notorious for abandoning principles in exchange for votes)? Yet there are thousands of doctors, nurses, technicians, security guards, etc. who have worked at abortion clinics and who have repented and who are now staunchly pro-life.

(3). Another clear sign of progress is the wave of women who are speaking out about how they regret having had an abortion. The "Silent No More Awareness Campaign" provides an opportunity to share the testimonies of these brave women and they reveal that instead of "solving" a problem, abortion creates more problems of its own. Moreover, these testimonies put the pro-abortion lobby in a huge dilemma because for years, they have been saying, "Listen to the voices of women!" Now, those women's voices increasingly repudiate the lie of abortion.

(4). Over half of America's freestanding abortion clinics have closed since 1993. That is because no matter how much money and media access the abortion movement has built up, they cannot remove the stigma that is attached to abortion. In fact, the abortion industry's greatest fear is not that Roe v. Wade will be reversed, rather, it is that abortion will remain legal but there will not be any medical personnel to do abortions.

AUGUST 1 WEDNESDAY—PROCESSION OF THE WOOD OF THE HOLY CROSS It was a tradition to carry the Wood of the Venerable Cross through the streets of Constantinople for the sanctification of the city at the beginning of August.

This was done because illnesses were more common in August at that time. The Cross continued to be venerated until the Feast of the Holy Dormition of the Mother of God.

From Matins Canon

Moses, working wonders in times past with his staff, struck the sea with a cross and parted it, and sank Pharaoh while he was driving his chariot, yet it saved Israel who fled across on foot while singing a hymn to God.

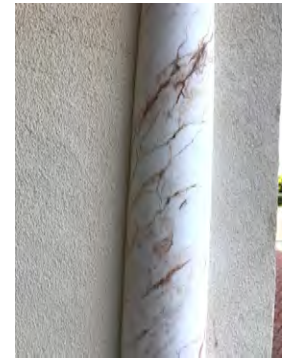
Refrain: Glory to your precious Cross, O Lord.

The life-bestowing Cross, which lies before us, sends down a luminous radiance of grace. Let us draw near and receive the enlightenment of gladness, salvation, and pardon as we offer praise to the Lord.

The precious Cross lies before us as a strange sight to the beholder. As a fount it pours forth gifts of grace for the soul, it causes sins to cease and delivers from disease. The Cross strengthens the thoughts of those who faithfully venerate it.

Our School of Cantors and Choir Members invite you to join them in helping to lead our Sunday Liturgy in Traditional Byzantine Chants.

We all have a voice we just need a little tuning and training. See Mr Robert Pipta if you are interested.



Before **Columns at the Entrance of the Church** is being refinished with a very special process, donated by one of our parishioners. The artist is using Venetian Plaster with ground marble and special paints to make the columns appear like polished marble with all its markings. The columns have been faded and chipped over these last few years by the usual traffic of people, strollers, wheelchairs and cleaning carts. "Blessing those who love the beauty of your house, O Lord."

Save the Date



What: Annunciation Byzantine Catholic Church 50th Anniversary

Luncheon & Program: Saturday, July 20, 2019

Where: Fullerton Hotel

Hierarchical Divine Liturgy & Brunch: Sunday, July 21, 2019

Where: Parish hall, 995 N. West St., Anaheim, CA 92801

Details to follow