

+ Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Francis M. Vivona, S.T.M., J.C.L., 1943-2017 – Founding Pastor +  
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# OUR LADY OF WISDOM

## ITALO-GREEK BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

2120 Lindell Road, Las Vegas, NV 89146 – (702) 873-5101  
Website: <https://OurLadyOfWisdom.net>

# June 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### PARISH SERVED BY:

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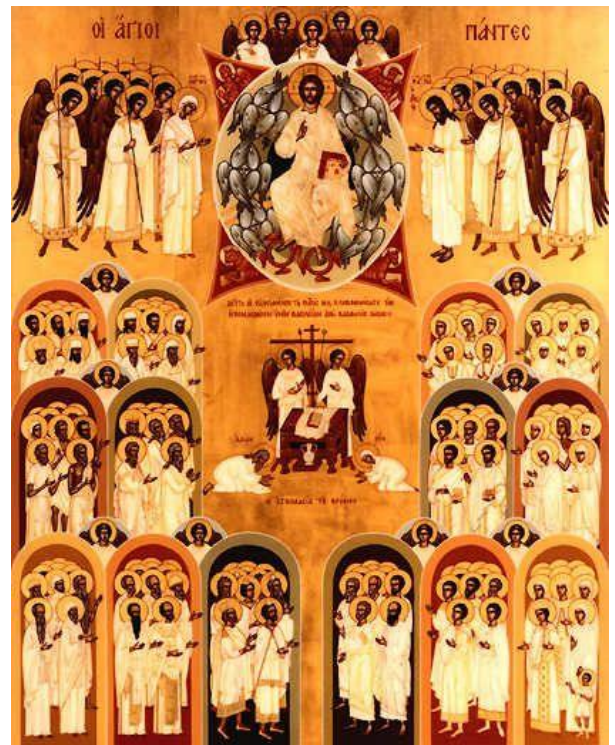
### THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES AND SERVICES:

#### WEEKEND LITURGIES:

Vesper Divine Liturgy: Saturday, 5:00 PM – **Livestream**  
Third Hour: Sunday 10:00AM  
Divine Liturgy – Sunday 10:30 AM – **Livestream**  
Divine Liturgy – Sunday 12:30 AM

#### WEEKDAY LITURGIES:

Monday: Divine Liturgy 6:00 PM – **Livestream**  
Tuesday: Divine Liturgy 6:00 PM – **Livestream**  
Wednesday: Divine Liturgy 11:00 AM – **Livestream**  
Thursday: Divine Liturgy 6:00 PM – **Livestream**  
Friday: Divine Liturgy 11:00 AM – **Livestream**



All Saints Sunday

### Our Lady of Wisdom Mission Statement

*Our mission is to foster a Catholic and Godly renewal with worship through the awe-inspiring Liturgy of the Byzantine Catholic Church; in order to bring the message of the Living Lord to the faithful and seekers of truth.*

### Parish Membership

The Family of Our Lady of Wisdom is open to any Catholic, and to anyone:

- who is interested in seeking the Lord Jesus Christ through His Word and Sacred Mysteries (Sacraments)
- who accepts the teachings of the Catholic Church
- who will help us form a community based on the Lord's love
- who is willing to grow as a Christian within the legitimate traditions of the Byzantine Catholic Church
- who acknowledges the authority of the Pope, Bishop and Pastor
- who will attend Liturgical Services on Saturday or Sunday, and on the Great Holy Days
- who is willing to support the growth of the Church by sharing their Time, Talent and Treasure (financial support)
- who will participate in the yearly Bishop's Appeal

**For registration information, please contact the Parish Office.**

## CHRIST IS AMONG US! HE IS AND ALWAYS WILL BE!

### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

**Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup> – Bessarion and Hilary, Venerables**

**5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy – Livestream**

*Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Readings: Rom 1:7-12; Mt 5:42-48

**Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup> – SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS**

**10:00am – Third Hour**

**10:30 – Divine Liturgy – Livestream**

*Intention: +Archbishop Joseph Raya with Panachida*

Reading: Heb 11:33-12:2; Mt 10:32-33.37-38; 19:27-30

**12:30pm – Divine Liturgy**

*Intention: Rico*

Readings: Heb 11:33-12:2; Mt 10:32-33.37-38; 19:27-30

**Monday, June 8<sup>th</sup> – Translation of Relics of Great Martyr Theodore**

Readings: Rom 2:28-3:18; Mt 6:31-34; 7:9-11

**Tuesday, June 9<sup>th</sup> – Cyril of Alexandria, Archbishop**

**6:00pm – Divine Liturgy – Livestream**

*Intention: Blessing of our President Donald Trump*

Readings: Rom 4:4-12; Mt 7:15-21

Readings for Archbishop: Heb 13:7-16; Mt 54-19

**Wednesday, June 10<sup>th</sup> – Timothy, Bishop-Martyr**

**11:00am – Divine Liturgy – Livestream**

*Intention: Blessing of our President Donald Trump*

Readings: Rom 4:13-25; Mt 7:21-23

**Thursday, June 11<sup>th</sup> – Bartholomew and Barnabas, Apostles**

**6:00pm – Divine Liturgy – Livestream**

*Intention: Blessing of our President Donald Trump*

Readings: Acts 11:19-26.29-30; Lk 10:16-21

Readings for the Day: Rom 5:10-16; Mt 8:23-27

**Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup> – Onuphrius and Peter, Venerables**

**11:00am – Divine Liturgy – Blessing of Animals – Livestream**

*Intention: Blessing of our President Donald Trump*

Readings: Rom 5:17-6:2; Mt 9:14-17

Readings for the Saints: Gal 5:22-6:2; Mt 11:27-30

**Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> – Aquilina, Martyr**

**5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy – Livestream**

*Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Readings: Rom 3:19-26; Mt 7:1-8

**Sunday, June 14<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**10:00am – Third Hour**

**10:30am – Divine Liturgy – Livestream**

*Intention: +Richard Caprio by Joseph & Marlene Caprio*

Readings: Rom 2:10-16; Mt 4:18-23

**12:30pm – Divine Liturgy**

*Intention: Blessing of our President Donald Trump*

Readings: Rom 2:10-16; Mt 4:18-23

6<sup>th</sup> – **Our Venerable Father, Bessarion**, Wonderworker. Because of his virtues and miracles, the Greek writers compare him with Moses, Elias, and others of the Prophets. He is thought to have died before A.D. 400. — **Venerable, Hilarion**, the “Newer,” monk in Dalmatia. He suffered exile for his resistance to the Iconoclasts. He died A.D. 864.

7<sup>th</sup> – **St. Theodotus**, Priest-Martyr, Bishop of Ancyra. “Wonderworker” was cruelly tortured to death for the Faith.

8<sup>th</sup> – **Translation of the Relics of St. Theodore the Great** Martyr. (*For the other Feast of this Saint, see the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February*) — **Our Holy Father, Ephrem**, Patriarch of Antioch.

9<sup>th</sup> – **Our Holy Father Cyril**, Archbishop of Alexandria. (*For the other Feast of this Saint, see the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January*) — **SS. Thecla, Martha, and Mary**, Martyrs, suffered in Persia A.D. 315, in the reign of the Emperor Constantine.

10<sup>th</sup> – **St. Timothy**, Priest-Martyr, Bishop of Prusia in Bithynia (Asia Minor), suffered death in the persecution under Julian the Apostate, A.D. 362. — **Alexander and Antonina**, Martyrs.

11<sup>th</sup> – **SS. Bartholomew and Barnabas**, Apostles. Bartholomew is thought by many to be Nathaniel the “Israelite without guile” of St. John’s Gospel. He suffered death in Greater Armenia. His relics are enshrined in his church in Rome (*Confer August 25*). Barnabas was one of the SS. Seventy disciples. He labored with St. Paul of Antioch., Seleucia, etc., and is said to have been stoned to death by the Jews on the Isle of Cyprus.

12<sup>th</sup> – **Our Venerable Father, Onuphrius the Great**, Hermit, lived alone for 60 years in the desert of Thebes. He died about A.D. 345, in the reign of Constantius. — **Our Venerable Father, Peter** of Athos.

13<sup>th</sup> – **St. Aquilina**, Martyr, suffered death A.D. 117, under the Emperor Trajan. — **St. Trephillus**, Bishop of Levkusia in Cyprus, suffered at the hands of the Arians, especially because of his loyalty to St. Athanasius. He died about A.D. 370.

14<sup>th</sup> – **St. Elisha**, Prophet, was of the Tribe of Rubin and son of Saphath B.C. 816. On him fell the mantle of Elias and he continued the work of that great Prophet. In the age of St. Jerome, his grave in Samaria was shown as containing also the body of St. Abdias, the Prophet. He died in the 8<sup>th</sup> century B.C. — **Our Holy Father, Methodius**, Patriarch of Constantinople, native of Sicily, was induced by the Empress Theodora to accept the See of Constantinople as successor to the Patriarch, Nicephorus. He was celebrated for his sanctity in the Episcopate of his successor, St. Ignatius. He died A.D. 846.

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*Having celebrated the Feast of Feasts, the Lord’s Pascha, and Pentecost 50 days thereafter, we are about to embark upon the Apostles’ Fast, which this year begins on June 8, 2020, and ends with the commemoration of the Holy Apostles Peter and Paul on June 29. The Apostles’ Fast is a prescribed fasting period of the Church, lasting from the day after the Sunday of All Saints to the 29<sup>th</sup> of June, the feast of the Apostles Peter and Paul. It is a sad truth that many neglect this particular fast for a variety of reasons inconsistent with the apostolic and patristic tradition. Prior to reflecting upon the importance of the Apostles’ Fast, a review of the ancient History of this particular fast may help us to recognize its integral place in the life of each and every one.*

## +++ PARISH INFORMATION AND IMPORTANT DATES +++

**Due to the Coronavirus and Directives from our Bishop and Eparchy, our Services may be seen livestream through ZOOM.US Updated daily, the link for each Liturgy is at <https://OurLadyOfWisdom.net> under the menu “Livestream”**

### *EPARCHIAL APPEAL 2020*

The Eparchial Appeal (formally Bishop’s Appeal) has begun. The pledge form and information for the appeal has been sent to you directly from the Bishop’s office. Again, this year, we are requested to send our pledges directly to the Bishop’s office in Phoenix, AZ. Checks are to be made out to the Eparchy of Phoenix; write “Eparchial Appeal 2020” in the memo. Our parish goal is \$19,177.58 Please support. Our Lady of Wisdom has raised \$ 11,605.00 toward our goal.

**NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL** — Mount Carmel Devotions are July 8<sup>th</sup> through July 16<sup>th</sup> with devotions, teaching and/or Liturgy daily. In the interest of safety and well-being of all, we will follow the lead of so many others and adhere to the guidelines provided. It is our intent, however, to work on providing a series of zoom services, which all can watch from their own homes. So, this year we will be making a pilgrimage of the “heart.” All weekday Liturgies will be at 7:00pm. Please come and pray with us (we will make a special schedule so that you can attend some of the services according to the guidelines from the state) or join us through Zoom!

**SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS LAMPS** – The Sanctuary and Triptychs Lamps are very special candles that remain perpetually lit to honor Our Lord Jesus’ Eucharistic and Mystical Presence. If you are interested in sponsoring a vigil candle, the usual donation is \$10.00. Forms are in the back of the church. Please fill them out and, along with your donation, place in the collection basket or see Fr. Milan.

### **SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS INTENTIONS:**

**Nativity Triptych Joseph:** *Hein, Sikora, Collins, Bohon and Munns families*

**Resurrection Triptych John, Baptist:** *Sandra Sirgo with family*

**Nativity Triptych Our Lady:** *Hein, Sikora, Collins, Bohon and Munns families*

**Resurrection Triptych Apostles:** *Matthew & Karen St. George with family*

**Prodigal Son:** *William & Vicky St. George with family*

**Saint John the Baptist, Forerunner:** *Judith Stone with family*

**Jesus Christ:** *Hein, Sikora, Collins, Bohon and Munns families*

**Theotokos:** *Hein, Sikora, Collins, Bohon and Munns families*

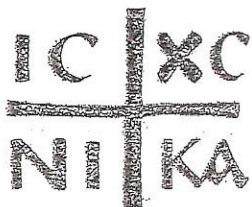
**St. Nicholas:** *Rose Watkins with family*

**Good Shepard:** *Hein, Sikora, Collins, Bohon and Munns families*



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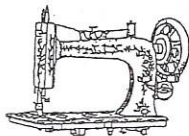
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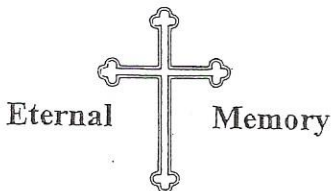
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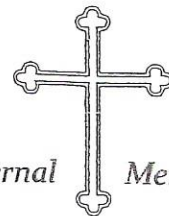


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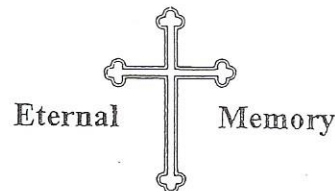
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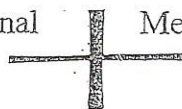


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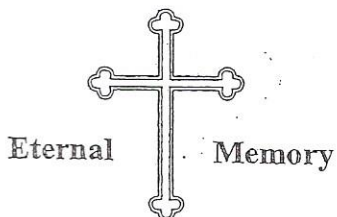
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