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Parish established on January 29, 1993 – Church blessed on October 4, 2007

OUR LADY OF WISDOM

ITALO-GREEK BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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October 17th and 18th, 2020

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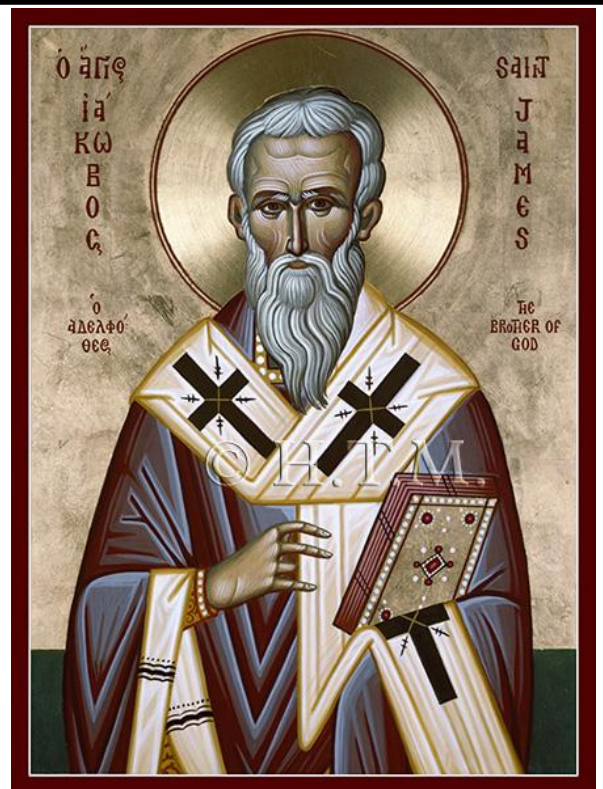
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WEEKEND LITURGIES:

Saturday, 4:30 PM – Akathyst to Mary
Saturday, 5:00 PM – Vesper Divine Liturgy – **Livestream**
Sunday, 10:00 AM – Akathyst to Mary
Sunday, 10:30 AM – Divine Liturgy – **Livestream**

WEEKDAY LITURGIES:

Monday, 11:00 AM – Divine Liturgy
Tuesday, 11:00 AM – Divine Liturgy
6:00 PM Divine Liturgy, Panachida, and
Inurnment of Rev Stephen Casmus – **Livestream**
Wednesday, 11:00 AM – Divine Liturgy
Thursday, 7:00 PM – Divine Liturgy
Friday, 11:00 AM – Divine Liturgy



St. James, Apostle and Brother of Our Lord

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, October 17th – St. Hosea, Prophet

4:30pm – Akathyst to Mary

5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy – Livestream

Intention: +Gordon Forman with Panachida

Readings: 2 Cor 1:8-11; Lk 9:12-18

**Sunday, October 18th – 20th Sunday After Pentecost /
Holy Apostle Luke**

10:00am – Akathyst to Mary

10:30am – Divine Liturgy – Livestream

Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Readings: Gal 1:11-19; Lk 8:5-15

Readings for the Apostle: Col 4:5-9, 14-18; Lk 10:16-21

Monday, October 19th St. Joel Prophet

11:00am Divine Liturgy

Intention: +Dmytro Drechsler by Drechsler family

Reading: Phil 2:10-23; Lk 9:18-22

Tuesday, October 20th – St. Artemis, Great Martyr

11:00am – Divine Liturgy Intention: Kathy and Donald Anniversary

Readings for the Martyr: 2 Tim 2:1-10; Jn 15:17-16:2

6:00pm – Divine Liturgy with Panachida

Inurnment Service for Rev. Stephen Casmus – Livestream

Readings: Col 1:1-2, 7-11; Lk 9:23-27

Wednesday, October 21st – Our Venerable Father Hilary the Great

**11:00am – Divine Liturgy Intention: Lealie Brenners
by Mary Weishaar**

Readings: Col 1:18-23; Lk 9:44-50

Readings for the Venerable: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Lk 6:17-23

Thursday, October 22nd – St. Abercius, Bishop-Equal to the Apostles

7:00pm – Divine Liturgy Intention: Suzette Owen

Readings: Col 1:24-29; Lk 9:49-56

Friday, October 23rd – St. James, Apostle and Brother of Our Lord

11:00am – Divine Liturgy

Intention: Maria and Francisco Anniversary

Readings: Col 2:1-7; Lk 10:1-15

Readings for the Apostle: Gal 1:11-19; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday, October 24th – SS. Arethas and Other Martyrs

4:30pm – Akathyst to Mary

5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy – Livestream

Intention: +Michael Spencer

Readings: 2 Cor 3:12-18, Lk 7:1-10

Readings for the Martyrs: Heb 11:33-40; Mt 10:32-33, 37-38; 19:27-30

Sunday, October 25th – 21st Sunday after Pentecost

10:00am – Akathyst to Mary

10:30am – Divine Liturgy – Livestream

Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Readings: Gal 2:16-20; Lk 16:19-31

17th – **St. Hosea, Prophet**, a descendant of Isachar, lived in the 8th Century B.C. — **St. Andrew of Crete**, Venerable-Martyr, opposed the Iconoclasts and reproached the Emperor Constantine for his impiety. The enraged monarch ordered him to be seized and tortured, from which he died A.D. 761.

18th – **St. Luke, Apostle and Evangelist**, was a physician of Antioch in Syria, converted to Christianity, became the fellow-worker of St. Paul. He is the inspired writer of the Third Gospel and of the Acts of the Apostles, as revealed to the Prophet Ezechiel in the vision on a calf, six centuries B.C.

19th – **St. Joel, Prophet** was of the Tribe of Ruben in the 8th century B.C. — **St. Varus, Martyr**, a Roman soldier who, while guarding some condemned monks in prison for their Faith, on seeing one of them expire in his dungeon, took his place and shared the torture and cruel death of the others A.D. 307. — **St. Sadoth, Priest Martyr**, a Bishop in Persia who, with 128 of his fellow Christians, was put to death A.D. 345, by King Sapor near Ctesiphon.

20th – **St. Artemis, Great Martyr**, a veteran officer in high command, was charged with breaking down the statue of an idol. After cruel torture, he was beheaded, A.D. 363, under the Apostate, Emperor Julian.

21st – **Our Venerable Father, Hilary the Great**, Hegumen Abbot. After a long life of severe fasting and prayer, and having founded many monasteries in Palestine, died at age 80 in Cyprus A.D. 371.

22nd – **St. Abercius**, Equal to the Apostles, Bishop of Hieropolos, Wonderworker, died about A.D. 167. — **SS. Seven Youths of Ephesus (Confer August 4)**. — **Our Holy Father John Paul II, Pope of Rome**.

23rd – **St. James the Just, Apostle**, brother of the Lord, the first Bishop of Jerusalem. He composed the First Liturgy, which was later abbreviated somewhat by St. Basil the Great and, still more, by St. John Chrysostom. At 96 years of age, he suffered martyrdom at the hands of the Jews, who cast him down from the pinnacle of the Temple A.D. 61. — **Our Holy Father Ignatius**, Confessor, was the son of the Byzantine Emperor Michael. Successively, he was monk, Hegumen-Abbot, Presbyter and became Patriarch of Constantinople A.D. 842. After nine years of exile, he died at age 80, A.D. 878.

24th – **SS. Arethas and other Martyrs** with him, endured death A.D. 523.

25th – **SS. Marcian and Martyrius**, Martyrs. Marcian, a Lector and Martyrius, a Sub-Deacon, in Constantinople were put to death A.D. 351. — Holy and Just **Tabitha** the Merciful.

*Christ is Among us!
He is and always will be!*

+++ **PARISH INFORMATION AND IMPORTANT DATES** +++

Due to the Coronavirus and Directives from our Bishop and Eparchy, Services will be livestream according to the bulletin. Please go to our website for the Livestream links <https://ourladyofwisdom.net>

October 20th, 6:00pm Divine Liturgy with Panachida and Inurnment Service for Rev. Stephen Casmus after the Divine Liturgy, followed by refreshments. If you would like to help with refreshments, please contact Fr. Milan or Maria.

The ECF year is approaching. Our new ECF Director is Mary Albert. Registration forms for the 2020-2021 ECF year will be in your boxes. Please complete as soon as possible and return to Mary or Fr. Milan.

EPARCHIAL APPEAL 2020 — The Eparchial Appeal (formally Bishop's Appeal) continues. If you have not completed your pledge, please do so. Our parish goal is \$19,177.58. Our Lady of Wisdom parishioners have pledged \$19,677.58 toward our goal. THANK YOU

EPARCHIAL PRIESTS HEALTH INSURANCE COLLECTION Sunday, October 18. This collection is taken for the Eparchy to assist in the cost of funding health insurance for priests in the Eparchy of Phoenix. 100% of proceeds go to the Eparchy of Phoenix. Thank you for your generosity!

CANTOR EDUCATION - Free Public Classes. The Metropolitan Cantor Institute (MCI) continues to offer online classes throughout the year for those interested in learning about the liturgy and musical traditions of our church. The free public classes that are open to all include The Plainchant of the Byzantine Catholic Church, Introduction to Liturgy, Introduction to Church Singing, and Introduction to the Typikon. Learn how to enroll and find more information about the MCI course offerings at <https://mci.archpitt.org/classes/index.html>

The Byzantine Catholic Seminary of Saints Cyril and Methodius is pleased to host the "Come and See" Weekend of Discovery on Friday, November 6 and Saturday, November 7, 2020. This year's retreat will be given virtually online. There is no tuition for this "Come and See" Retreat of Discovery. The application deadline is October 28, 2020. To register, please visit the Seminary website at www.bcs.edu or go to: <https://www.bcs.edu/2020/09/03/come-and-see-virtual-retreat-of-discovery/>

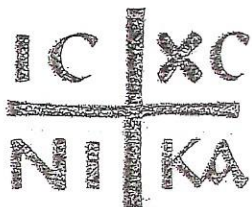
SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS LAMPS — The Sanctuary and Triptychs Lamps are very special candles that remain perpetually lit to honor Our Lord Jesus' Eucharistic and Mystical Presence. If you are interested in sponsoring a vigil candle, the usual donation is \$10.00. Forms are in the back of the church. Please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

SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS INTENTIONS:

Nativity Triptych Joseph:
Resurrection Triptych John, Baptist:
Nativity Triptych Our Lady:
Resurrection Triptych Apostles:
Prodigal Son:
Saint John the Baptist, Forerunner:
Jesus Christ: +Donald Iglinski
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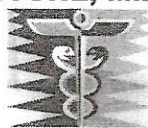
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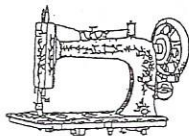
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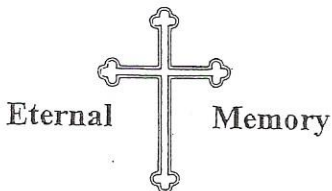
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Our Papas
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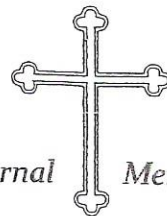


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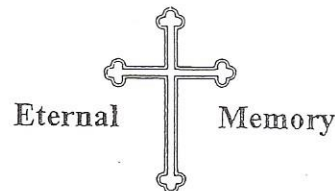
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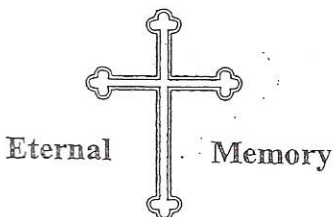
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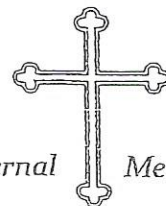
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