

+ Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Francis M. Vivona, S.T.M., J.C.L., 1943-2017 – Founding Pastor +  
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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Website: <https://OurLadyOfWisdom.net>

# October 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### PARISH SERVED BY:

Reverend Milan Kasperek, Pastor  
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Claire Lynott, Finance Officer  
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### THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES AND SERVICES:

#### WEEKEND LITURGIES:

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

#### WEEKDAY LITURGIES:

Monday, Divine Liturgy 7:00 PM  
Tuesday: Divine Liturgy 11:00 AM  
Wednesday: Divine Liturgy 11:00 AM  
Thursday: Divine Liturgy 7:00 PM – **Livestream**  
Friday: Divine Liturgy 11:00 AM



Our Venerable Mother Pelagia

### 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 3<sup>rd</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost /  
Denis the Areopagite**

**4:30pm – Akathyst to Mary**

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

*Intention: +Dr. William Stone with Panachida*

Readings: 1 Cor 15:39-45; Lk 5:17-26

**Sunday, October 4<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost**

**10:00am – Akathyst to Mary**

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

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

Readings: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Lk 6:31-36

**12:30pm – Divine Liturgy Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom**

Readings: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Lk 6:31-36

**Monday, October 5<sup>th</sup> – St. Charitina, Martyr**

**7:00pm – Divine Liturgy**

*Intention: +George and Seda Dennis with Panachida*

Readings: Phil 1:1-7; Lk 6:24-30

**Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> – St. Thomas, Holy and Glorious Apostle**

**11:00am – Divine Liturgy Intention: +Jan Chmurovic**

Readings: 1Cor 4:9-16; Jn 20:19-31

Readings for the Day: Phil 1:8-14; Lk 6:37-45

**Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> – SS. Sergius and Bacchus, Martyrs**

**11:00am – Divine Liturgy Intention: +Zuzana Mikulova**

Readings: Phil 1:12-20; Lk 6:46-7:1

Readings for the Martyrs: Heb 11:33-40; Lk 21:12-19

**Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup> – Our Venerable Mother Pelagia**

**7:00pm – Divine Liturgy – Livestream**

*Intention: +Sylvia Gutierrez Rocha*

Readings: Phil 1:20-27; Lk 7:17-30

**Friday, October 9<sup>th</sup> – St. James the Lesser, Son of Alphaeus,  
Apostle and Brother of St. Matthew**

**11:00am – Divine Liturgy Intention: Shana Davis**

Readings: 1Cor 4:9-16; Lk 10:16-21

Readings for the Day: Phil 1:27-2:4; Lk 7:31-35

**Saturday, October 10<sup>th</sup> – SS. Eulampius and Eulampia, Martyrs**

**4:30pm – Akathyst to Mary**

**5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy**

*Intention: Thanksgiving to St. Joseph by Agnes Roybal*

Readings: 1Cor 15:58-16:3; Lk 5:27-32

**Sunday, October 11<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost / Memory of the  
Fathers at 7<sup>th</sup> Ecumenical Council**

**10:00am – Akathyst to Mary**

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

*Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Readings: 2Cor 11:31-12:9; Lk 7:11-16

Readings for the Fathers: Heb 13:7-16; Jn 17:1-13

3<sup>rd</sup> – **St. Denis, the Areopagite**, Priest-Martyr, first Bishop of Athens, converted by St. Paul, the Apostle and, with him, **Rusticus** and **Eleutherius**, Athenian converts.

4<sup>th</sup> – **St. Hierotheus, Priest-Martyr**, Bishop of Athens, disciple of St. Paul. Tradition has it that he was translated on a cloud to Jerusalem to be present at the Dormition (*Assumption*) of the Blessed Virgin Mary. — **Venerable St Francis of Assisi**.

5<sup>th</sup> – **St. Charitina**, Martyr, suffered Martyrdom A.D. 304, at Amasa on the Black Sea, under Emperor Diocletian.

6<sup>th</sup> – **St. Thomas**, the Glorious Apostle, otherwise called Didymus (twin). He is stated to have preached the Gospel in Pathia, in Media and in India, where he is said to have suffered martyrdom.

7<sup>th</sup> – **SS. Sergius and Bacchus, Martyrs**, were officers, in the Imperial Army and were put to death A.D. 296, during the reign of Maximian

8<sup>th</sup> – **Our Venerable Mother Pelagia**. Public sinner, but later penitent in a cave on Mt. Olivet near Jerusalem. Pelagia died A.D. 457.

9<sup>th</sup> – **St. James the Lesser, Son of Alphaeus**, Apostle and Brother of St. Matthew, the Apostle and Evangelist. — **Our Venerable Father Andronicus and his wife, Athanasia**, from Antioch of Syria. On the death of their children, they agreed to separate and, thenceforth, led lives of prayer and penance in the solitude of Upper-Egypt.

10<sup>th</sup> – **SS. Eulampius and his sister, Eulampia**, Martyrs at Nicomedia A.D. 302, under the reign of Maximian Herculeus. They were young children who, for their Faith, were cast into a cauldron of boiling oil, but miraculously came out unhurt and; thereupon, were beheaded. Two hundred soldiers, witnessing this, became converts and were put to death as Christians.

11<sup>th</sup> – **St. Phillip, One of the Seven Deacons**, converted the Samaritans, baptized the Eunuch of Candace, Queen of Ethiopia (*Acts 8*), and was the host of St. Paul at Caesarea (*Acts 21.8*). His four daughters are honored as Saints with him. He became Bishop of Tralles, Lydia and there, suffered martyrdom.

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

*Prayer is the place of refuge for every worry,  
a foundation for cheerfulness,  
a source of constant happiness,  
a protection against sadness.*

*Saint John Chrysostom*

## +++ **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>**

*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**

**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*

**Theotokos:** +*Theresa Ruckrigge*

**St. Nicholas:** +*Donald Iglinski*

**Good Shepard:** *Cathie Atkin*

**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.**

Invited to register for this online retreat are men, ages 18 to 35, single or married, who may be considering a vocation to the priesthood in the Byzantine Catholic Church. In the interests of facilitating the necessary disconnection from the world, this year's challenge of a virtual weekend includes creating as much as possible an atmosphere that is prayerful, positive, and fraternal. A selection of pre-recorded talks introducing the Seminary formation program will be offered as well as a recorded witness talk with the seminarians. A panel discussion will be live-streamed along with at least one liturgical service.

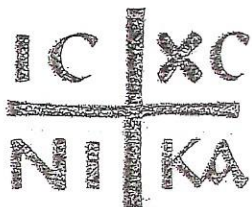
One of last year's participants summed up his experience, saying: “Discerning God's Will is important for me; I have been personally praying in front of my icon corner at home and at the Divine Liturgy asking for a clearer understanding of God's Will for me for a long time and, attending this weekend, was a significant part of my continued discernment.”

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](http://www.bcs.edu) or go to: <https://www.bcs.edu/2020/09/03/come-and-see-virtual-retreat-of-discovery/>



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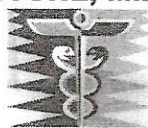
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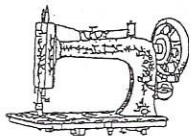
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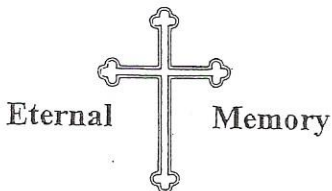
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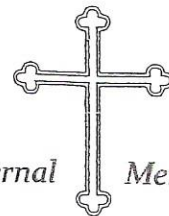


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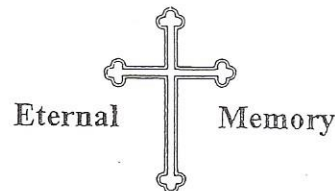
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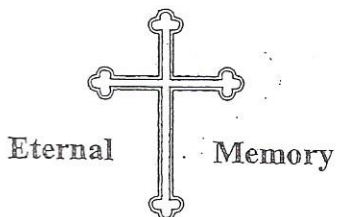
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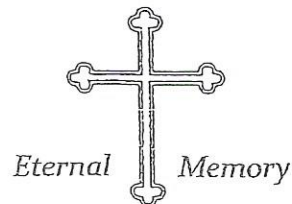
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