

+ Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Francis M. Vivona, S.T.M., J.C.L., 1943-2017 – Founding Pastor +
Parish established on January 29, 1993 – Church Consecrated on December 10, 2019

OUR LADY OF WISDOM

ITALO-GREEK BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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March 12th and 13th, 2022

PARISH SERVED BY:

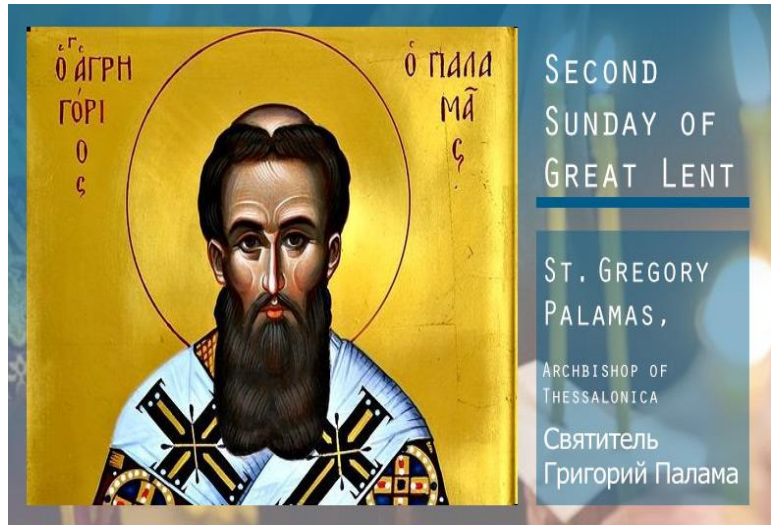
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THIS WEEKEND'S LITURGIES:

Saturday, 5:00pm - Vesper Divine Liturgy – *Livestream*
Sunday, 10:00am - Third Hour
10:30am - Divine Liturgy

THIS WEEKDAY'S LITURGIES:

Monday, 5:00pm Teaching The Way of the Pilgrim
Tuesday, No Divine Liturgy
Wednesday, 7:00pm – Presanctified Divine Liturgy
Thursday, No Divine Liturgy
Friday, 5:00pm – Presanctified Divine Liturgy



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, March 12th - Our Venerable Father and Confessor, **Theophane of Sygrian Mountain**
11:00am 2nd All Souls Saturday Divine Liturgy with Panachida
5:00pm Vesper Divine Liturgy *Livestream*
Intention: Christodula Rose Watkins
Readings: Heb 3:12-16; Mk 1:35-44

Sunday, March 13th – 2nd SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST
ST GREGORY PALAMAS
10:30am Divine Liturgy
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom
Reading: Heb 1:10-2:3; Mk 2:1-12

Monday, March 14th - Our Venerable Father, **Benedict Abbot**
5:00pm Teaching; The Way of the Pilgrim
Readings: Gen 6:9-22; Prov 8:1-21

Tuesday, March 15th - St. **Agapius Martyr**
No Divine Liturgy
Readings: Gen 7:1-5; Prov 8:32-9:11

Wednesday, March 16th - SS. **Sabinus and Papas, Martyrs**
7:00pm – Presanctified Divine Liturgy
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom
Readings: Gen 7:6-9; Prov 9:12-18

Thursday, March 17th - Our Venerable Father **Alexis**
No Divine Liturgy
Readings: Gen 7:11-8:4; Prov 10:1-22

Friday, March 18th – **Cyril of Jerusalem, Archbishop**
5:00pm – Presanctified Divine Liturgy with teaching following
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom
Readings: Gen 8:4-21; Prov 10:31-11:12

Saturday, March 19th - SS. **Chrysanthus and Daria Martyrs**
11:00am 3rd All Souls Saturday Divine Liturgy with Panachida
5:00pm Vesper Divine Liturgy *Livestream*
Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom
Readings: Heb 10:32-38; Mk 2:14-17

Sunday, March 20th - 3rd SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST
VENERATION OF THE CROSS
10:30am Divine Liturgy with Baptism
Intention: Preborn Babies by Claire Lynott
Reading: Heb 4:14-5:6; Mk 8:34-9:1

Glory to Jesus Christ!
Glory to Him Forever!

12th – Our Venerable Father and Confessor, **Theophane of Sygrian Mountain**, was banished by the Emperor Leo the Armenian, for his stand against the Iconoclasts at the Second Council of Nicea, A.D. 787. Died in exile A.D. 818, bound and starved to death. — **Our Holy Father, Gregory the Great, Dialogus**, Pope of Rome, who probably composed the Liturgy of the Presanctified for the Eastern Churches. He died A.D. 604, in the reign of Emperor Phocas.

13th – Translation of Relics of our Father, **Nicephor, Patriarch of Constantinople**. He defended the practice of the Veneration of Icons in the persecution of Leo the Armenian. He died in the 15th year of his exile, A.D. 771, in the reign of Constantine V Copronymus, Emperor

14th– Our Venerable Father, **Benedict, Abbot**. He founded, in Italy, in the 6th century, the Benedictine Order based on the rules of St. Basil the Great, hence merited the title of “Patriarch of the Western Monks.” Died A.D. 543. — **St. Alexander of Pidna, Priest-Martyr**, suffered and died in Thrace A.D. 272, in the reign of Aurelian, Emperor.

15th – **St. Agapius, Martyr**, and with him six others: Timolaus, two Alexanders, Romel, two Dionisii. These were put to death A.D. 290, in the reign of Diocletian, Emperor

16th – **SS. Sabinus and Papas, Martyrs**, Egyptians, were thrown into the River Nile A.D. 296, in the persecution under Diocletian. — **St. Julian, Martyr**, died A.D. 298, in the reign of Maximian, Emperor. — **St. Alexander, Priest-Martyr**, Pope of Rome, passed away about A.D. 119, under Hadrian, Emperor

17th – Our Venerable Father, **Alexis**, Man of God, was the only son of a Roman Senator; died A.D. 404. Pope Innocent I and the Emperor Honorius are said to have been present at his burial.

18th – Our Holy Father, **Cyril, Archbishop of Jerusalem**. His “Catechetical Instruction,” given to the Catechumens on the elements of the Faith are among the most precious documents of Catholic teaching. He was named by Pope Leo XII among the Doctors of the Church. He died A.D. 386, in the reign of Theodosius, Emperor. — **SS. Alexandra, Claudia, Evphrasia, and other Martyrs** who suffered death in Missena A.D. 237, during the reign of Maximian, Emperor.

19th – **SS. Chrysanthus and Daria, Martyrs**, came from the East to Rome, where they suffered death by being buried alive A.D. 283.— Our Venerable Father, **Thomas, Patriarch of Constantinople**, died in peace during the reign of Phocas, Emperor A.D. 608.

20th – Our Venerable Fathers, martyred in the Monastery of St. Sabbas.

SECOND SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST – March 13, 2022

“Arise, take up your mat and go to your house.” Our Lord healed the paralysis of the suffering man brought through the roof. His words of healing centered on spiritual healing by forgiving his sins. In response to God’s love and forgiveness, are you being called to a life of prayer and intercession as a religious, monastic, or a priestly life? Contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org

Services will be Livestream according to the bulletin. Please go to our website for the Livestream links at <https://ourladyofwisdom.net>

The Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix subscribes to the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People adopted by the United States Catholic Conference of Bishops. The Eparchy, within all its parishes, institutions, and programs, is committed to assuring a safe environment in ministry for its children and young people that conforms to the Charter requirements. For information regarding the Eparchial Safe Environment Program, please contact:

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EPARCHIAL APPEAL 2022 has started. You should have received in the mail Bishop Olmsted's letter and pledge form. The goal for our parish this year is \$30,739.19. Please remember this is parishioner obligation. Thank you for your kind support.

UPCOMING EVENTS: Mark your calendars and watch for further information:

- **Mondays, March 14th and March 21st** at 5:00pm we will have online class in the social hall. THE WAY OF THE PILGRIM Unlocking the Jesus Prayer by Rev. Hieromonk Maximos Davies.
- **Friday, March 18th 5:00pm** - Presanctified Divine Liturgy with teaching following
- **Saturday, March 19th and Sunday March 20th** - Veneration of the Cross; wear your cross to church and kiss the cross each morning with bow.
- **Sunday, March 20th** we will celebrate St. Patrick's Day, please bring traditional St. Patrick meal to share.
- **Thursday, March 24th** - Annunciation of the Theotokos Vesper Divine Liturgy at 5:30pm.
- **Friday, March 25th** - Annunciation of the Theotokos Divine Liturgy at 11:00am.
- **Sunday, March 27th** - In partnership with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), the Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix is providing urgent aid to those suffering amidst the war in Ukraine with the 2022 Special Collection: Aid to Ukraine.
- **Monday, March 28th** - Man of God. Exiled unjustly, convicted without trial, slandered without cause. Man of God depicts the trials and tribulations of Saint Nektarios of Aegina, as he bears the unjust hatred of his enemies while preaching the Word of God. Please talk to Fr. Milan we can order group tickets.

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.

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: *For my father, Oleh Tomkevych, for his soul to rest in peace by Olha*

Jesus Christ: *Christodula Rose Watkins*

Theotokos: *Christodula Rose Watkins*

St. Nicholas: *For my father, Oleh Tomkevych, for his soul to rest in peace by Olha*

Good Shepherd: