

+ 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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May 14th and May 15th, 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 5:30pm Divine Liturgy
Tuesday 11:00am Divine Liturgy
Wednesday 11:00am Divine Liturgy
Thursday 11:00am Divine Liturgy
Friday 11:00am 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.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, May 14th St. Isidore, Martyr

11:00am Divine Liturgy

5:00pm Vesper Divine Liturgy *Livestream*

**Intention: +Delia Teresa Villalba Garcia +George Sirgo +Judy Jones
Panachida for the souls from Mona Campbell Family**

Readings: Acts 12:1-11; Jn 8:31-42

Sunday, May 15th SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN

10:00am Third Hour

10:30am Divine Liturgy

Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Reading: Acts 11:19-26 & 29-30; Jn 4:5-42

Monday, May 16th Our Venerable Father Theodore

5:30pm Divine Liturgy

Intention: John C Danovich

Readings: Acts 12:12-17; Jn 8:42-51

Tuesday, May 17th St. Andronicus and others Apostles

11:00am Divine Liturgy

Intention: Patty Drechsler

Readings: Acts 12:25-13:12

Wednesday, May 18th St. Theodotus and Others Martyrs

11:00am Divine Liturgy

Intention: +Bishop Kuzma with Panachida

Readings: Acts 13:13-24; Jn 6:5-14

**Thursday, May 19th St. Patrick, Bishop-Martyr of Prusa, in Bithynia
(Asia Minor) and his companions.**

11:00am Divine Liturgy

Intention: +Michael Spencer

Readings: Acts 14:21-27; Jn 9:39-10:9

Friday, May 20th St. Thalaeus, Martyr and Others

11:00am Divine Liturgy

Intention: +Michael Spencer

Readings: Acts 15:5-34; Jn 10:17-28

**Saturday, May 21st SS. Constantine the Great, King and Equal to the
Apostles and Helen, his mother.**

5:00pm Vesper Divine Liturgy *Livestream*

Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Readings: Acts 26:1-5&12-20, Jn 10:1-9

Sunday, May 22nd SUNDAY OF THE MAN BORN BLIND

10:00am Third Hour

10:30am Divine Liturgy

Intention: +Matthew Doyle with Panachida

Reading: Acts 16:16-34; Jn 9:1-38

14th – St. Isidore, Martyr on the island of Chios, was put to death A.D. 250, under the reign of Decius, Emperor.

15th – Our Venerable Father Pachomius the Great. Egyptian by birth, soldier by profession, convert to Christianity, received tonsure from the hermit Palaemon, founded monasteries grouped Religious Houses subject to one Rule under the jurisdiction of a Head Hegumen Abbot. He died AD. 438. — **Isaiah, Bishop**, Wonderworker of Rostov.

16th– Our Venerable Father Theodore, disciple of St. Pachomius, Hegumen-Abbot of Taberna, died A.D. 367 in the reign of Valentinian, Emperor. — *SS. Vitus, Modestus, and Crescentia, Martyrs.* Vitus, a child with his nurse, Crescentia, and her husband, Modestus, by whom he was instructed in the Christian Faith, was driven from home by his inhuman parents. They suffered martyrdom together about A.D. 302, under Diocletian, Emperor.

17th– St. Andronicus, Apostle, and others with him. — St. Junia.

18th– St. Theodotus of Ancyra in Galatia (Asia Minor), grain dealer by trade, seeking to recover the bodies of holy women martyrs from quicksand, was himself made to share the same fate in the reign of Diocletian. A.D. 304. — *SS. Petrus, Dennis, Andreas, Paul, Christina, Heracleus, Paulinus, and Venedimus, Martyrs.* — *SS. Seven Virgins; Alexandra, Thekusa, Claudia, Falina, Evphrasia, Matrona, and Julia.*

19th– St. Patrick, Bishop-Martyr of Prusa, in Bithynia (Asia Minor) and his companions. After many tortures for Christ, he was put to the sword with Menander and Acatius A.D. 363, in the reign of Julian the Apostate, Emperor.

20th– St. Thalaeus, Martyr and Others. At the sight of his constancy in Faith, Asterius and Alexander, his executioners and other bystanders, declared themselves Christians, and all shared his fate A.D. 272, in the reign of the Emperor Aurelian.

21st– SS. Constantine the Great, King and Equal to the Apostles and Helen, his mother. Constantine reigned in ancient Rome and Byzantine (Constantinople), and became the first Christian Emperor, champion of the Faith and builder of many Christian edifices. He died A.D. 337. St. Helen, mother of this Great Emperor, discovered the true Cross of Jesus in Jerusalem.

22nd– St. Basiliscus, Martyr, kinsman of Theodore of Tyrone, was a Christian soldier, crucified at Comona in Pontus (Asia Minor) A.D. 308, with Two Comrades, in the persecution under Maximian Galerius, Emperor.

SUNDAY OF THE SAMARITAN WOMAN – May 15, 2022

“We have heard for ourselves and we know that this is indeed the Savior of the world, the Christ.” The saving love of Christ quenched the thirst of the Samaritan woman. He wants all to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. Are you open to bringing that saving love to the world by becoming a priest, deacon, monk or nun? 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. All parishioners received in the mail Bishop Olmsted's letter and pledge form. Please kindly support to your best ability our Parish goal of \$30,739.19. ***THANK YOU for your contributions. As of April 29, 2022, we have reached \$15,546.00 of our goal with 27 families or 50.57% participation.***

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

- **May 26th** - Ascension Thursday; Parishioners 55+ are invited, after Divine Liturgy, to an outing in Pahrump, Nevada at the home of Catherine Brunst. A Luncheon will be provided as well as Comradery. Please make your plans accordingly.
- **June 4th** -Last All Souls Saturday, 11:00am Divine Liturgy with Panachida
- **June 30th to July 3rd** – Byzan Teen Rally held at Mt. St. Mary University in Emmitsburg, Maryland. Teens 13-19 are invited to a nationwide gathering of Byzantine Catholics to grow together to love and serve the Lord. For more info visit: <https://archpitt.org/byzan-teen>.
- **July 14-17** -Alive in Christ at Black Diamond Camps near Auburn, Washington. Boys 7-17 and their fathers are invited to an Ascetical Boot Camp full of competitions, prayer and brotherhood in Christ. For more info, contact Fr Michael Mandelas Vocation Director at frmandelas@ephx.org
- **July 8th to July 16th** - **OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CELEBRATION**, 33rd anniversary of the Mount Carmel Novena

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: *Stephen Melancon's Vocation*

Jesus Christ: *Ronan Quick Bear Birthday*

Theotokos: *+Margaret Lynott*

St. Nicholas: *Brandon Bankhead Birthday*

Good Shepard: *Good Health Parh & Carolyn Bear*

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!
Christós Anésti! Alithós Anésti!