

+ 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 21st and May 22nd, 2022

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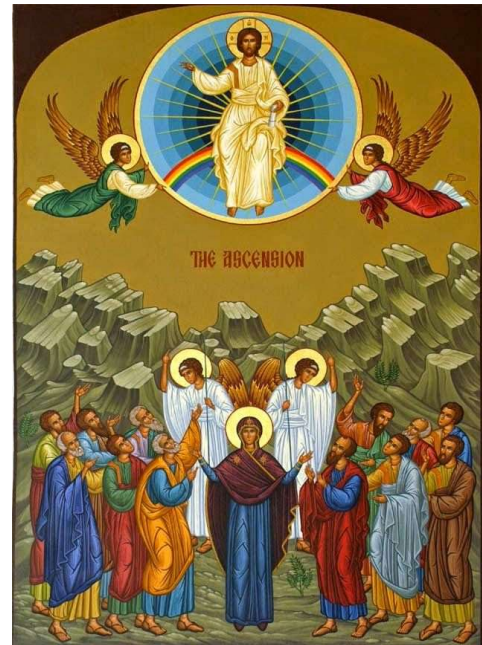
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THIS WEEKEND'S LITURGIES:

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 5:30pm Vesper 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 21st - SS. Constantine the Great, King and Equal to the Apostles

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

Monday, May 23rd - Our Venerable Father and Confessor Michael

5:30pm Divine Liturgy

Intention: *+George and Seda Dennis with Panachida*

Readings: Acts 17:1-15; Jn 11:47-56

Tuesday, May 24th - Our Venerable Father, Simeon

11:00am Divine Liturgy

Intention: *+Michael Spencer*

Readings: Acts 17:19-28; Jn 12:19-36

Wednesday, May 25th - The Third Finding of the Venerable Head of St. John, the Glorious Prophet Baptist

5:30pm Divine Liturgy with Anointing

Intention: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Readings: 2 Cor 4:6-15; Mt 11:2-15

Thursday, May 26th - ASCENSION OF OUR LORD

11:00am Divine Liturgy with Anointing

Intention: *Members of the Third order Lay Carmelites*

Readings: Acts 1:1-12; Lk 24:36-53

Friday, May 27th - Therapont, Bishop-Martyr

11:00am Divine Liturgy

Intention: *Sister Marie Holt with Panachida*

Readings: Acts 19:1-8; Jn 14:1-11

Saturday, May 28th - Nicetas, Bishop of Chalcedon

5:00pm Vesper Divine Liturgy *Livestream*

Intention: *Victor & Becky Cole Anniversary*

Readings: Acts 20:7-12; Jn 14:10-21

Sunday, May 29th - SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS OF THE 1ST ECUMENICAL COUNCIL

10:00am Third Hour

10:30am Divine Liturgy

Intention: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Reading: Acts 20:16-18 & 28-36; Jn 17:1-13

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.

23rd– Our Venerable Father and Confessor, Michael, Bishop of Synnada at Phrygia, was a disciple of St. Tarasius, Patriarch of Constantinople. Because of his fearless opposition to the Iconoclast, Emperor Leo the Armenian, he was banished into Galatia and died about A.D. 820.-Venerable mother, **Euphrosenia,** of Polotsk.

24th– The Third Finding of the Venerable Head of St. John, the Glorious Prophet, Baptist and Precursor of our Lord, A.D. 867. At that time, St. Ignatius was Patriarch of Constantinople in the reign of Emperor Michael III.

25th– Our Venerable Father, Simeon of the Wonderful Mountain, Stylite, spent 45 years on a pillar; lived to the age 85, died A.D. 574. — **Venerable Nicetas the Stylite,** Wonderworker.

26th– St. Carpus, Apostle, one of the 70 Apostles and considered by some Greek authors as Bishop of Berea, by others as Bishop of Berylus, and by some as Bishop of Crete.

27th– St. Therapont, Priest-Martyr, died for the Faith A.D. 259, in the reign of Valerian, Emperor.

28th– Our Venerable Father, Nicetas, Bishop of Chalcedon, A.D. 836 — St. Helladius, Priest-Martyr. — St. Eutyches, Martyr in Miletus.

29th– St. Theodosia, Venerable-Virgin Martyr of Tyre, who, on seeing some martyrs led to their execution, asked them to pray for her. She was seized, tried, tortured, and cast into the sea A.D. 308, in the reign of Constantine and Galerius, Emperors.

***Glory to Jesus Christ!
Glory to Him Forever!***

SUNDAY OF THE MAN BORN BLIND – May 22, 2022

“One thing I do know: that though I was blind, now I see!” The healing love of Christ gave sight to the man born blind. Have you received the eyes to spiritually see your calling in life? Is he calling you to help the world see Him more clearly by a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate, monastic or religious 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. 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** – ByzanTeen 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:

Jesus Christ:

Theotokos:

St. Nicholas:

Good Shepard: Good Health Parh & Carolyn Bear

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