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OUR LADY OF WISDOM

ITALO-GREEK BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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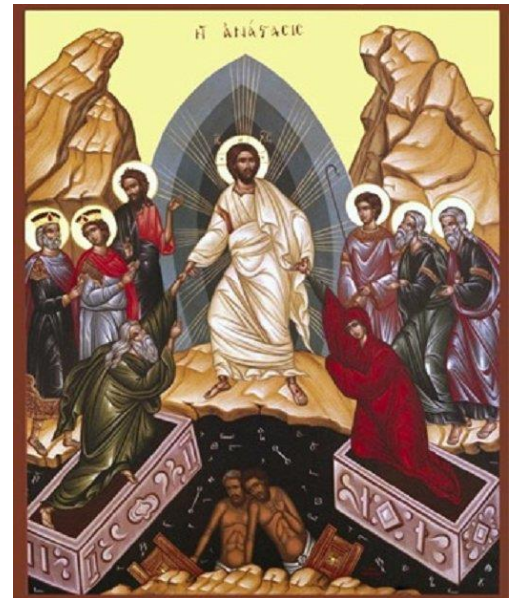
Christos Anesti!

PARISH SERVED BY:

Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Francis M. Vivona, S.T.M., J.C.L., Pastor
Rev. Subdeacon Paul F. Kilroy (Contact for Parish Safe Environment Program)
Rose Watkins, Christodoulah
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Mary Weishaar, ECF Director
William St. George, Prayer Line Director (702-379-5268 / Bill@lvac.com)
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LITURGIES AND SERVICES:

Vesper Divine Liturgy: Saturday, 5:00 PM
Third Hour – Sunday: 10:00 AM
Divine Liturgy – Sunday 10:30 AM
Third Hour and Communion – Mon, Tues, Thurs, and Fri: 9:00 AM
Confessions: 15 minutes before each Liturgy or by appointment
Supplicatsia: [Prayer of Supplication]
Last Thursday of every month: all day adoration 9AM-7PM
Closing with Divine Liturgy and Moleben to Saint Jude
Myrrh-Bearers: 2nd Monday of every month: 7PM



The Resurrection

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 RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, March 26 – Holy Saturday
9:30am - Jerusalem Matins with Blessing of Easter Baskets
7:00pm - Resurrection Divine Liturgy and Procession
Intention People of Our Lady of Wisdom
Pot Luck following Liturgy
Readings: 1 Cor 5:6-8; Gal 3:13-14; Mt 27:62-66

Sunday, March 27 – Resurrection of Our Lord - Pascha
9:30am - Resurrections Matins
10:30am - Resurrection Divine Liturgy: +Fr. Tom Smith
Easter Egg Hunt for Children following Liturgy
Readings: Acts 1:1-8; Jn 1:1-17

Monday, March 28 – Bright Monday
9:00am - Third Hour
7:00pm - Divine Liturgy of Pascha: +Fr. Francis White
Reading: Acts 1:12-17.21-26; Jn 1:18-28

Tuesday, March 29 – Bright Tuesday
9:00am - Third Hour
7:00pm - Divine Liturgy of Pascha: Living Intention Ruth Spernak
Readings: Acts 2:14-21; Lk 24:12-35

Wednesday, March 30 – Bright Wednesday
7:00pm - Divine Liturgy of Pascha: +Mary Marlene Santo
Readings: Acts 2:22-36; Jn 1:35-51

Thursday, March 31 – Bright Thursday
9:00am - Third Hour
7:00pm - Divine Liturgy of Pascha: +Francios Quinson
Readings: Acts 2:38-43; Jn 3:1-15

Friday, April 1 – Bright Friday
9:00am - Third Hour
Readings: Acts 3:1-8; Jn 2:12-22

Saturday, April 2 – Bright Saturday
5:00pm - Vesper Liturgy: +David Perez
Readings: Acts 3:11-16; Jn 3:22-33

Sunday, April 3 – Thomas Sunday Breaking of Arthos
10:00am - Third Hour
10:30am - Divine Liturgy: + Anna Battistella and Family
Readings: Acts 5:12-20; Jn 20:19-31

26th – **Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel.** His chief ministry to mankind was his appearing to the Blessed Virgin Mary to tell her that she was chosen Mother of the Messias. St. Gabriel was the Angel sent to Zachary also, to announce the conception of St. John the Baptist.

27th – Our Holy Mother, **Matrona of Seluna, Martyr,** was imprisoned and cruelly tortured with fire to death.

28th – Our Venerable Father, **Hilary,** Monk, and **St. Stephen,** Wonderworker, died during the reign of Leo the Armenian. **St. Jonas** and his brother, **St. Barachisius** of Bethasa, Martyrs, and others, suffered cruel tortures under King Sapor of Persia and died A.D. 327, in the reign of Constantine, Emperor.

29th – Our Venerable Father, **Mark,** Bishop of Arethusa, and **Cyril,** a Palestinian Deacon, **and other Martyrs,** suffered death from tortures under Julian the Apostate A.D. 362, for destruction of idol temples.

30th – Our Venerable Father, **John Climacus,** Hegumen-Abbot, born in Palestine. At the age of 16, he declined a brilliant worldly future and retired to a Monastery on Mt. Sinai, where, at the age of 75, chosen Hegumen-Abbot, wrote the famous “Ladder of Perfection.” He died A.D. 605. Venerable **John the Silent,** Bishop of Colonia, in Armenia. Resigned his Bishopric and retired into the Monastery of St. Sabbas, where, concealing the face that he was a Bishop, he did menial work. Called for ordination by St. Sabas, his true state was revealed in confidence. Aged 104, he died A.D. 558.

31st – Venerable Father, **Hypatius,** Bishop of Gangra, In Paphlagonia, he attended the Ecumenical Council of Nicea A.D. 25, and defended the Faith. Returning from Nicea, heretics attacked and stoned him to death, during the reign of Constantine, the Great, Emperor.

1st – Our Venerable Mother, **Mary of Egypt,** lived in infamy at Alexandria for 17 years, was converted at the threshold of the Holy Sepulchre at Jerusalem. She retired into the desert of the River Jordan, did penance for 47 years. She died about A.D. 421.

2nd – Our Venerable Father, **Titus,** Wonderworker. **SS. Amphianus and Edesius,** Martyrs, half-brothers. Amphianus, a youth arrested for his Christianity, reproached his idolatrous judge, was partially burned at the stake and thrown into the sea at Caesarea to die, A.D. 305, in the reign of Maximian, Emperor.

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!

Christós Anésti! Alithós Anésti!

++++ *Parish Information and Important Dates* +++++

DAY OF SUPPLICATION will be Thursday, March 31st. Please sign up as to what hour you will be here with the Holy Mysteries to pray. Thank You

DEATH OF METHODIUS, APOSTLE TO THE SLAVS Divine Liturgy will be celebrated Wednesday, April 6th at 7:00pm.

RESURRECTION LAMB ROAST DINNER will be held on Sunday, April 24th, at 4:00 pm. Ticket donation is \$30.00 per person; drinks are included. Please purchase your tickets early so we do not have another cancellation. Thank you!

HOLY MYSTERIES – We are very happy to have the upcoming baptisms:

Sunday, April 17, 2016 at 10:30am for Margaret Kelso

Saturday, April 30, 2016 at 5:00pm for Vivian St. George

Sunday, May 1, 2016 at 10:30am for Helena Francis St. George

BISHOP'S APPEAL!! Thank you to those who have already completed their pledges! Please remember that this is a parishioner obligation and the recommended sacrificial pledge is \$200.00 per household, which can be paid in monthly installments until May 31, 2016. God Bless You!

+++++ *Pascha Services* +++++

Bright Week Monday, March 28	7:00pm	Divine Liturgy of Pascha
Bright Week Tuesday, March 29	7:00pm	Divine Liturgy of Pascha
Bright Week Thursday, March 31	9:00am	Third Hour, Moleben to Jesus and Communion
	Noon	Sixth Hour, Moleben to Jesus and Communion
	3:00pm	Ninth Hour, Moleben to Jesus and Communion
	6:30pm	Moleben to Jesus, Benediction and Divine Liturgy of Pascha
Bright Saturday, April 2	5:00pm	Vesper Liturgy
Thomas Sunday, April 3	10:00am	Third Hour
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy – Breaking of the Orthos

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