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# OUR LADY OF WISDOM

## ITALO-GREEK BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am - 4:30pm

# July 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017

### **PARISH SERVED BY:**

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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: 8:00 AM



Our Lady of Mount Carmel

### **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, July 15 – Vladimir the Great, Equal to the Apostles**

**5:00pm – Mt Carmel Devotions with Divine Liturgy**

**Giving the Bread of the Prophet Elias +Gordon MacAuley Sr.**

Readings: 1 Kings 18:41-46 & Gal 1:11-19; Jn 10:1-9

**Sunday, July 16 – Sunday of the Fathers of the Six Ecumenical Councils**

**10:00am – Third Hour**

**10:30am – Mt Carmel Devotions & Candlelight Procession / Divine Liturgy**

**+Gordon MacAuley Sr.**

**5:00pm – Mt Carmel Devotions and Candlelight Procession**

**Divine Liturgy and Pot Luck Intention: Pro Popolo**

Readings: 1 Kings 19:1-5; 8-13 & Heb 13:7-16; Mt 9:1-8 & Jn 17:1-13

**Monday, July 17 – Marina – Great Martyr Bl. Paul Gojdich**

**8:00am – Third Hour and Communion**

Readings: 1 Cor 5:9-6:11; Mt 13:54-58

Readings for the Martyr: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Lk 7:36-50

**Tuesday, July 18 – Hyacinth and Emilian, Martyrs**

**8:00am – Third Hour and Communion**

Readings: 1 Cor 6:20-7:12; Mt 14:1-13

**Wednesday, July 19 – Macrina, Venerable**

Readings: 1 Cor 7:12-24; Mt 14:35-15:11

**Thursday, July 20 – Elijah – Great Prophet**

**8:00am – Third Hour and Communion**

**11:00am – Divine Liturgy: +Mrs. Yang**

Readings: James 5:10-20; Lk 4:22-30

**12:30pm – Mt. Carmel Raffle Drawing**

**7:00pm – Divine Liturgy: +Eddie Hein**

Readings: James 5:10-20; Lk 4:22-30

**Friday, July 21 – Simeon and John, Venerables**

**8:00am – Third Hour and Communion**

Readings: 1 Cor 7:35-8:7; Mt 15:29-31

**Saturday, July 22 – Mary Magdalene, Equal to the Apostles**

**5:00pm – Vesper Liturgy: +Deceased of the Schaeffler and Kunkel Families**

Readings: Rom 12:1-3; Mt 10:37-11:1

Readings for St. Mary Magdalene: 1 Cor 9:2-12; Jn 20:11-18

**Sunday, July 23 – 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

**10:00am – Third Hour**

**10:30am – Divine Liturgy: + Francis Manzi**

**+Panahida for Pauline Schmidt**

Readings: Rom 15:1-7; Mt 9:27-35

15<sup>th</sup> – **St. Vladimir the Great**, Equal to the Apostles, Grand-Duke of “Rus,” took the name “**Basil**” at his baptism, A.D. 988, thus enlightening the realm of “Rus” in the reign of the Greek Emperor Basil II. He died A.D. 1015, after an edifying and penitent life, and was laid to rest in the church which he built in Kiev by his tithes in honor of the Blessed Mother of God. **SS. Kirykos**, and his mother, **Julitta**, Martyrs, martyred A.D. 296, during the reign of the Emperor Diocletian.

16<sup>th</sup> – **SS. Athenogenes**, Priest-Martyr. Bishop of Sebaste (Armenia) **with ten of his Flock** who were put to death A.D. 302, during the great persecution under Diocletian and his colleagues. **Fathers of the Six Ecumenical Councils.**

17<sup>th</sup> – **The Holy Great-Martyr Marina at Antioch (270). Our Venerable Father and Confessor Paul Gojdich**, Bishop of Preshov, who defended the Byzantine Catholic Church A.D. (1969).

18<sup>th</sup> – **SS. Hyacinth and Aemilian**, Martyrs. Hyacinth of Amastris in Paphlogonia, died in prison of wounds received from torture. Aemilian was a Christian of Dorostrium on the Danube (Silistria). He was burned to death under Emperor Julian the Apostate A.D. 362.

19<sup>th</sup> – Our **Venerable Mother, Macrina**, sister of St. Basil, at an early age, in the reign of Emperor Gratianus, consecrated herself to the service of God. She helped to educate her brothers, was instrumental in founding several Religious houses and presided as Hegumena-Abbess over one of these. She died in the same year as her brother, St. Basil the Great, A.D. 379, and was buried in the grave of her mother, **St. Eumelian**, in the church of the Forty Martyrs in Caesarea. Our **Venerable Father, Dios**, flourished during the reign of Theodosius the Great, Emperor.

20<sup>th</sup> – **Saint Elias of Thesbite**, Glorious Prophet, about 850 B.C., raised up in the Kingdom of Israel of the stock of Aaron, to reprove the ten fallen Tribes.

21<sup>st</sup> – Our **Venerable Father, Simeon**, surnamed Salus (fool) and John, his co-faster, Hermits. Simeon lived as a hermit in a desert for nearly 30 years near the Red Sea, but afterwards at Emesus in Syria. **St. Ezechiel**, the Third of the Four Greater Prophets and writer of a canonical Book of Scriptures. Tradition says he was put to death while in captivity in Babylon by one of the Jewish Headmen turned pagan, 525 B.C.

### **ST. MACRINA, SISTER OF ST. BASIL THE GREAT**

St. Macrina was the eldest sister of **St. Basil the Great**. Together with her mother, Emelia, she received the monastic tonsure in a convent, where they lived a life of asceticism. They lived from the labor of their hands, devoting a greater part of their time to godly thoughts, prayer, and the constant uplifting of their minds to God. In time, her mother died and, afterward, her brother, Basil. Nine months after the death of St. Basil, **St. Gregory of Nyssa** came to visit his sister and found her on her death bed. She reposed in peace in 380. A portion of her right hand is to be found in Iveron Monastery, Mt. Athos.

# +++ **PARISH INFORMATION AND IMPORTANT DATES** +++

**MOUNT CARMEL RAFFLE** will be on **Thursday, July 20<sup>th</sup>**, after the **11:00am Liturgy**.

**BLESSING OF FRUIT** will be after the Saturday Liturgy, August 5<sup>th</sup>. Please bring a basket of fruit from your home to be blessed.

**BLESSING OF PLANTS** will be after the Dormition of the Theotokos Liturgy, August 15<sup>th</sup>. Please bring a plant and flowers from your home to be blessed.

**MYSTAGOGIA** will be held as follows:

- + August 27 - All the Hours and Vespers
- + August 28 - All the Hours and Divine Liturgy at 7:00pm
- + August 29 - All the Hours and Divine Liturgy at 7:00pm

**NEW YEARS VESPERS** of Saint Mammas and Breaking of the Plates will be celebrated on Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup>, at 6:00pm. Please bring a plate from home for the breaking of the plates. We will also be having a Pot Luck that evening.

**SAINT GABRIEL'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL** at **2170 E. MAULE AVE**, is registering Pre-K - 8th Grade. The Nevada School Choice Scholarship program has just received double its tax funding and also the scholarship application period for incoming students has been extended through 28 July. These scholarships have ranged from \$1,200 - \$5,500 per student, per year, making a Catholic School education in Nevada more affordable than ever before! For more information regarding scholarships and registration, please call the Saint Anne School office at [702-487-9696](tel:702-487-9696).

## **CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY**

The seven practices of charity toward our neighbor, based on Christ's prophecy of the Last Judgment, which will determine each person's final destiny:

*Feed the hungry  
Give drink to the thirsty  
Clothe the naked  
Shelter the homeless  
Visit the sick  
Visit those in prison  
Bury the dead*

*Mt 25:34* "Then the King will say to those at His Right Hand, 'Come, O blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave Me food, I was thirsty and you gave Me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed Me, I was naked and you clothed Me, I was sick and you visited Me, I was in prison and you came to Me.' Then the righteous will answer Him, 'Lord, when did we see Thee hungry and feed Thee, or thirsty and give Thee drink?' And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of My brethren, you did it to Me.'"

The Corporal Works of Mercy are oriented toward the body. The Spiritual Works of Mercy are oriented toward the soul.





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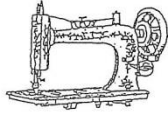
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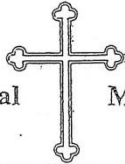
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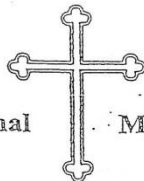
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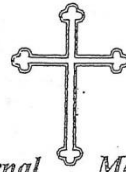
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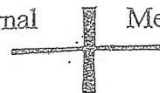


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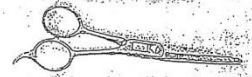
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