

+ Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Francis M. Vivona, S.T.M., J.C.L., 1943-2017 – Founding Pastor +  
Parish established on January 29, 1993 – Church blessed on October 4, 2007

# OUR LADY OF WISDOM

## ITALO-GREEK BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

# January 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019

### **PARISH SERVED BY:**

Reverend Milan Kasperek, Parochial Administrator  
Rose Watkins, Christodoulah  
Toni Ritchey, Secretary  
Claire Lynott, Finance Officer  
Mary Weishaar, ECF Director  
William St. George, Prayer Line Director (702-379-5268 / Bill@lvac.com)

### **LITURGIES AND SERVICES:**

Vesper Divine Liturgy: Saturday, 5:00 PM  
Third Hour – Sunday: 10:00 AM  
Divine Liturgy – Sunday 10:30 AM  
Divine Liturgy – Wednesday 11:00 AM  
Jesus Prayer – Daily 6:00 AM



Three Holy Hierarchs

### **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 BORN! GLORIFY HIM!

### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

**Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup> – Father Xenophon & Wife, Mary, Venerables**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

**5:00pm – Vespers Liturgy: Intention: +Paul Parquette  
+Panachida by Toni Ritchey**

Readings: Col 1:3-6; Lk 16:10-15

**Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup> – 36<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

**10:00am – Third Hour**

**10:30am – Divine Liturgy: Intention: Pro Popolo**

Readings: 1Tim 1:15-17; Lk 18:35-43

**Monday, January 28<sup>th</sup> – Ephrem the Syrian Venerable**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

Readings: James 2:14-26; Mk 10:46-52

**Tuesday, January 29<sup>th</sup> – Translation of the Relic of Ignatius-Martyr**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

Readings: James 3:1-10; Mk 11:11-23

Readings for the Saint: Heb 4:14-5:6; Mk 9:33-41

**Wednesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> – THREE HOLY HIERARCHS**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

**11:00am – Liturgy Intention: +Mary Marlene Santo + Panachida**

Readings: Heb 13:7-16; Mt 5:14-19

**Thursday, January 31<sup>st</sup> – Cyrus and John Unmercenaries**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

Readings: James 4:7-5:9; Mk 11:27-33

**Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup> – Tryphon Martyr**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

**5:00pm – Vesper & Liturgy Intention: +Mary Marlene Santo  
+ Panachida, Agape & Anointing**

Readings: 1 Pet 1:1-2.10-12; 2:6-10; Mk 12:1-12

Readings for the Saint: Rom 8:28-39; Lk 10:19-21

**Saturday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> – ENCOUNTER OF OUR LORD  
WITH SIMEON AND ANNA**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

**5:00pm – Vespers Liturgy: Intention: +Mary Marlene Santo  
+ Panachida, Agape & Anointing**

Readings: Heb 7:7-17; Lk 2:22-40

**Sunday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> – SUNDAY OF ZACCHAEUS**

**6:00am – Jesus Prayer**

**10:00am – Third Hour**

**10:30am – Divine Liturgy Intention: Pro Popolo**

Readings: 1 Tim 4:9-15 Lk 19:1-10

26<sup>th</sup> – **Our Venerable Father, Xenophon, his wife, Mary, and sons, Arcadius and John**, died in the year A.D. 520, in the reign of Justin. — **Theodore, Hegumen-Abbot of Monks of Studites**, and his brother, **Joseph**, who died A.D. 826, during the reign of Michael the Stutterer, Emperor.

27<sup>th</sup> – **Translation of the Relics of our Father, St. John Chrysostom**, took place in A.D. 435 (*confer January 30 and November 13*).

28<sup>th</sup> – **Our Venerable Father, Ephrem**, Prophet of Syrians and an “instrument of Holy Spirit,” a great poet, orator, exegete, and defender of Orthodoxy. He died about A.D. 373, as a Deacon.

29<sup>th</sup> – **Translation of the Relics of St. Ignatius, the “God-Bearer,” Priest-Martyr, Bishop of Antioch**. He was devoured by lions at Rome. His disciples carried his relics to Antioch into his Church in the year A.D. 109, in the reign of Trajan, the persecutor (*confer Dec 20*) — **SS. Roman, James, Philotheus, and St. Aphraates, Martyrs**.

30<sup>th</sup> – **Feast of the Three Holy Hierarchs; i.e., The Three Great Fathers of the Church; namely, St. Basil the Great, St. Gregory, the Theologian and St. John, the Chrysostom**. — **St. Hippolytus, Priest Martyr, Bishop of Porto**. He was put to death by drowning, under Alexander Severus, Emperor.

31<sup>st</sup> – **SS. Cyrus and John, Wonderworkers and Unmercenaries; i.e., Physicians without remuneration: suffered death with Athanasia and her three daughters: Theodotia, Theopista and Eudokia**, in the year A.D. 292, in the reign of Diocletian, Emperor.

1<sup>st</sup> – **St. Typhoon, Martyr**, put to death A.D. 250, by Akylinus, during the reign of the persecutor Emperor Decius.

2<sup>nd</sup> – **Encounter of our Lord with Simeon and Anna**, This is one of the most ancient of all the feasts, for we find it established at Jerusalem in the 4<sup>th</sup> century.

3<sup>rd</sup> – **St Simeon**, the Venerable-Senex and “God-Bearer,” lived to see and hold the Infant Jesus, the consolation of Israel, in his arms. — **St. Anna**, Prophetess, prophesied concerning Christ. She remained in widowhood, consecrated to the service for 54 years, not leaving the Temple, she persevered night and day in prayer and fasting. At the age of 84, she beheld the Infant Jesus at the Presentation. (*confer Aug. 28*)

**IRS STATEMENTS** – All registered parishioners will be given a 2018 IRS statement for your taxes. If you are NOT registered, but contributed monetarily in 2018, please fill out the form below and return it to the Parish or place in Toni Ritchey’s mail box. Thank you.

### 2018 IRS CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

**UPCOMING INPORTANT EVENTS:** Mark your calendars and watch for further information.

- **Parish Potluck Sunday February 3<sup>rd</sup> 2019** and every first Sunday in the month. Please bring some dish for sharing.
- **COMBINED BOARD MEETING** – There is a combined **Advisory Board, Finance Board and ECF Board meeting on Wednesday, February 6th, at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall. If you are a current member of one of these boards, please plan on attending.**
- **Irish Luncheon:** You are cordially invited to attend the Parish Irish Luncheon Sunday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, following the Divine Liturgy. Tickets can be purchased now. Please see Dani Arnot.

**SPIRITUAL RETREAT** with Christ the Bridegroom Monastery held February 8-10, 2019:

- **02-08-2019 5:30 PM – Divine Liturgy followed Talk by Mother Theodora and Social**
- **02-09-2019 3:00 PM – Spiritual Talk by Bridegrooms, 5:00PM Vesper Divine Liturgy**
- **02-10-2019 10:30 AM – Divine Liturgy and Social; opportunity for confession**

**CONFERENCE AT THE CATHEDRAL** in Phoenix: Safe environment, Accounting and Evangelization held February 19-21, 2019.

**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 stipend is \$10.00. Forms will be in the back of the church. Please fill them out and, along with your stipend, place in the collection basket or see Fr. Milan.

### ***SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS INTENTIONS:***

- Nativity Triptych Joseph:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- Resurrection Triptych John the Baptist:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- Nativity Triptych Our Lady:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- Resurrection Triptych Apostles:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- Prodigal Son:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- Saint John the Baptist, Forerunner:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- Jesus Christ:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- Theotokos:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- St. Nicholas:** +Mary Marlene Santo
- Good Shepard:** +Mary Marlene Santo

