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# OUR LADY OF WISDOM

## ITALO-GREEK BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 3:00pm

# August 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019

### 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  
Divine Liturgy – Tuesday 11:00 AM  
Divine Liturgy – Wednesday 11:00 AM  
Divine Liturgy – Thursday 7:00 PM  
Divine Liturgy – Friday 11:00 AM  
Jesus Prayer – Monday - Sunday 6:00 AM



Transfiguration of Our Lord

### 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, August 3<sup>rd</sup> – Fathers Isaac, Dalmatus, & Faustus, Venerables**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy: *Intention: +Eddy Hein, Agnes Ulanicki, Joseph & Bernice Sikora By Marianne Hein*  
Readings: Rom 13:1-10; Mt 12:3-37

**Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
10:00am – Third Hour  
10:30am – Divine Liturgy: *Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*  
Readings: 1 Cor 1:10-18; Mt 14:14-22

**Monday, August 5<sup>th</sup> – Eusignius, Martyr**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
7:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy: *Intention: Carnota Family Healing by Mary Wieshaar*  
*Anointing / Blessing of Honey and Fruits*  
Readings: 1 Cor 11:31-12:6; Mt 18:1-10

**Tuesday, August 6<sup>th</sup> – TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
11:00am – Divine Liturgy: *Anointing and Blessing of Honey and Fruits*  
*Intention: +Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Francis M. Vivona with Panchida*  
Readings: 2 Pet 1:10-19; Mt 17:1-9

**Wednesday, August 7<sup>th</sup> – Domitius, Venerable Martyr**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
11:00am – Divine Liturgy: *Intention: Michele Greger*  
Readings: 1 Cor 13:4-14:5; Mt 20:1-16  
Readings for the Martyr: Eph 6:10-17; Jn 15:17-16:21

**Thursday, August 8<sup>th</sup> – Emilian, Bishop-Confessor**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
7:00pm – Divine Liturgy: *Intention: =Victor Greger by Michele Greger*  
Readings 1 Cor 14:6-19; Mt 20:17-28

**Friday, August 9<sup>th</sup> – Matthias, Apostle**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
11:00am – Divine Liturgy: *Intention: Salvation of All by Michele Greger*  
Readings: Acts 1:12-17.21-26; Lk 9:1-6  
Readings for the Day: 1 Cor 14:26-40; Mt 21:12-14.17-20

**Saturday, August 10<sup>th</sup> – Lawrence, Archdeacon-Martyr**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy: *Intention: Good Health Marianne Hein*  
Readings: Rom 14:6-9; Mt 15:32-39

**Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
6:00am – Jesus Prayer  
10:00am – Third Hour  
10:30am – Divine Liturgy: *Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*  
Readings: 1 Cor 3:9-17; Mt 14:22-34

3<sup>rd</sup> – **Our Venerable Fathers, Isaacius, Dalmatius, and Faustus.** Isaacius died A.D. 368, in the reign of Valens, Emperor. He had predicted the death of Valens, the Arian, going into battle. This prediction fulfilled, Dalmatius and Faustus died in the reign of Theodosius the Great, Emperor (379-395).

4<sup>th</sup> – **SS. Seven Youth of Ephesus, Martyrs,** their names being: **Maximilian, Dionisius, Amblichus, Martin, Antonin, John and Marcell.** — **St. Eudokia,** Venerable Martyr.

5<sup>th</sup> – **St. Eusignius,** Martyr, an old soldier in the army of Constantine Chlorus, Emperor who, at the age of 110 years, refused to sacrifice to idols on command of Julian the Apostate, Emperor. He was scourged and beheaded as a Christian at Antioch in Syria A.D. 362.

6<sup>th</sup> – **The Transfiguration of our Lord, God and Saviour, Jesus Christ.** By this manifestation of His Divine Glory, Jesus, Who has just foretold His Passion to the Apostles, strengthened their Faith and prepared them for His sufferings and death.

7<sup>th</sup> – **St. Domitius,** Venerable-Martyr, Julian the Apostate, Emperor, irritated, it is alleged, by the reproaches Domitius ventured to address to him, had him stoned to death A.D. 362.

8<sup>th</sup> – **St. Pulcheria** was the daughter of the Eastern Emperor Arcadius. On the death of her brother, Emperor Theodosius II, a fallen away Catholic, she became Empress and ruled wisely and well. She died A.D. 453. The Ecumenical Council of Chalcedon salutes Pulcheria as “Guardian of the Faith, maker of peace, pious, orthodox and a second St. Helen.”

9<sup>th</sup> – **St. Emilian,** Confessor, Bishop of Cyzicus, fearlessly denounced the Iconoclasts. He was brought before the emperor, Leo the Armenian, subjected to many indignities, and died in exile A.D. 820. — **SS. Eleutherius and Leonidas,** Martyrs.

10<sup>th</sup> – **St. Lawrence,** Archdeacon-Martyr, one of the most famous martyrs of Rome. He was a Deacon of Pope St. Sixtus II. This holy deacon was tortured and, in the end, was roasted alive on a gridiron A.D. 258, under Emperor Valerian.

11<sup>th</sup> – **St. Euplus,** Archdeacon-Martyr, endured death A.D. 304 during the reign of the Emperor Diocletian. He was put on the rack and bidden to worship Apollo, Mars, and Aesculapius. He replied that he adored only the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

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

**PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF PERPETAUL HELP** – The 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Perpetual Help will be held on August 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, and 18<sup>th</sup> in Olympia, WA at St. George's Byzantine Catholic Parish. The pilgrimage is designed to provide a unique opportunity for the spiritual enrichment of the entire family. If you have no plans for a summer vacation, consider a trip to the Pacific Northwest to enjoy spectacular scenery and, possibly, make the trip a Byzantine experience by also visiting our parishes in Portland, OR and Seattle, WA. Brochures are available in the back of the church.

### **UPCOMING:**

**Saturday, July 27, 2019 – Panteleimon, Great Martyr**

**Thursday, August 1, 2019 – Beginning of the Dormition Fast**

**Thursday, August 1, 2019 – The Holy 7 Maccabees (*blessing of water*)**

**Tuesday, August 6, 2019 – Transfiguration of Our Lord (*blessing of honey & fruit*)**

**Thursday, August 15, 2019 – Dormition of the Theotokos (*blessing of herbs & flowers*)**

**ATTENTION ECF TEACHERS:** An organizational meeting for all ECF teachers and those who would like to teach children's ECF classes will be held on Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup>, after Divine Liturgy. We will meet in the social hall. Please attend. If you have not turned in your class binder from last year, please bring it to the meeting, because new assignments will be made. If you cannot attend, please see Mary Weishaar to get information about what we will discuss. If you are a returning teacher or want to be a teacher, you must register with the Eparchy for a background check. If you haven't done this yet, do it right away. Look for the link "Protecting God's Children" on the Eparchy website.

**ATTENTION PARENTS:** *Children's ECF classes will begin on Sunday, Sept 8<sup>th</sup>. Our new meeting time for classes will be in the morning, before Divine Liturgy. Details to come. Please register your children as soon as possible so that supplies can be ordered and planning can begin, and so that the ECF Director knows who you are and how to contact you. Registration forms for children's ECF classes will be available in our mail room. If you have any questions, see Mary Weishaar.*

**ATTENTION OLOW:** *Come celebrate Our Lady of Wisdom's Seminarian, David Vondorohe, as he prepares to leave for his 2<sup>nd</sup> year of Seminary! We are having a traditional Italian and Greek feast, so bring your appetite on Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, after Divine Liturgy.*

**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:**

**Resurrection Triptych John, Baptist:**

**Nativity Triptych Our Lady:** *Brent & Catlen St. George, Vicky St. George*

**Resurrection Triptych Apostles:**

**Prodigal Son:**

**Saint John the Baptist, Forerunner:**

**Jesus Christ:**

**Theotokos:** *Brent & Catlen St. George, Vicky St. George*

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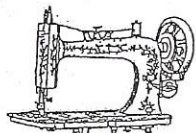
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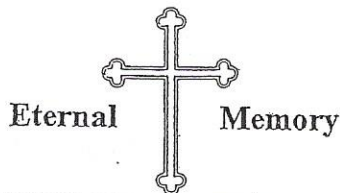


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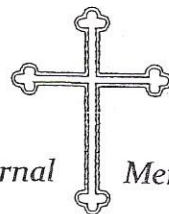


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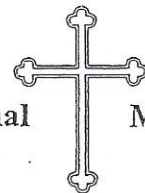
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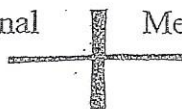


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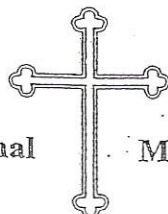
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