

+ 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 – 3:00pm

September 14th and 15th, 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



Sophia & her three Daughters, Faith, Hope & Charity

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, September 14th EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

9:30am – Divine Liturgy *Intention: Caprio Family & Melnik Family*

5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy & Anointing

*Intention: + Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Francis M. Vivona
with Panachida*

Readings: 1 Cor 1:18-24; Jn 19:6-11.13-20.25-27.30-35

Sunday, September 15th – SUNDAY AFTER THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

10:00am – Third Hour

10:30am – Divine Liturgy *Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Readings: Gal 2:16-20; Mk 8:34-38

Monday, September 16th – Euphemia, Great Martyr

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

Readings: Gal 2:11-16; Lk 3:19-22

Tuesday, September 17th – Sophia and Others Martyrs

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

11:00am – Divine Liturgy *Intention: Carol Weishaar, Janië Weishaar
Van, Father Stephen Casmus (heal him Lord)
by Mary Weishaar*

Readings: Gal 2:21-3:7; Lk 3:23-4:1

Wednesday, September 18th – Eumenius, Bishop

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

11:00am – Divine Liturgy *Intention: +Mary Jo Alwright, +Lavdie
Adamske, victim of violence by Mary Weishaar*

Readings: Gal 3:15-22; Lk 4:1-15

Thursday, September 19th – Trophimus and Others Martyrs

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

7:00pm – Divine Liturgy *Intention: For this Republic the U.S.A.
that we remain free by Mary Weishaar*

Readings: Gal 3:23-4:5; Lk 4:16-22

Friday, September 20th – Eustace and His Companions

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

5:00pm – Divine Liturgy *Intention: Poor Souls in Purgatory
by Marianne Hein
Teaching After Liturgy*

Readings: Gal 4:8-21; Lk 4:22-30

Saturday, September 21st – Saturday After the Exaltation of the Cross / Codratus of Magnesia, Apostle

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

5:00pm – Divine Liturgy *Intention: +Cecilia Eliades
by Steve & Patty Drechsler*

Readings: 1 Cor 1:26-29; Jn 8:21-30

Sunday, September 22nd – 15th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

6:00am – Jesus Prayer

10:00am – Third Hour

10:30am – Divine Liturgy *Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Readings: 2 Cor 4:6-15; Lk 5:1-11

14th – **Exaltation of the Holy and Life-Giving Cross.** Discovery of the Holy Cross on which Our Lord suffered, together with the nails, is credited to Empress Helen, mother of Constantine the Great. The finding was made in Jerusalem, A.D. 326. In the Church of Jerusalem, erected by St. Helen over the Sepulchre of Our Lord, the Patriarch, St. Macarius, elevated the Cross and all the people beholding it cried out, “Lord, have mercy!”

15th – **St. Nicetas**, the Great-Martyr, was a Goth and a victim of the fury of King Athanaric, ruler of the nations settled about the Danube. He was a disciple of the celebrated Ulphilas (Theophilus). He was burned to death about A.D. 78.

16th – **St. Euphemia**, the Great Virgin-Martyr. She was burned at the stake for the Faith of Christ in the city of Chalcedon in the reign of Galerius, about A.D. 107

17th – **SS. Sophia and her Three Daughters, Faith, Hope and Charity.** The Holy Martyrs Saint Sophia and her Daughters Faith, Hope and Love were born in Italy. Their mother was a pious Christian widow, who named her daughters for the three Christian virtues. Faith was 12, Hope was 10, and Love was 9. Saint Sophia raised them in the love of the Lord Jesus Christ. Saint Sophia and her daughters did not hide their faith in Christ, but openly confessed it before everyone. These three Virgins suffered death for Christ while still children, under the Emperor Hadrian. Three days later, their mother, praying at their tomb, passed away.

18th – **Our Venerable Father, Eumenius, Wonderworker**, Bishop of Gortyna on the Island of Crete, was conspicuous for his charity. He died in exile in the latter half of the 3rd century.

19th – **SS. Trophimus, Sabbatius and Dorymedont**, Martyrs. They were tortured and beheaded as Christians, most probably at Antioch, about A.D. 277.

20th – **SS. Eustace (Placidus)**, the Great Soldier-Martyr, and his wife, **Theopista**, and their sons, **Agapius and Theopistus**, Martyrs, put to death as Christians under the Emperor Hadrian, A.D. 118.

21st – **St. Codratus**, registered in the old Martyrologies as disciple of the Apostles and successor of St. Publius as Bishop of Athens, where he died by sword some time before A.D. 130.

22nd – **St. Phocas, Priest-Martyr**, Bishop of Sinope on the Black Sea. He was put to death under the Emperor Trajan, A.D. 102 (*Confer July 22*). — **St. Jonah, Prophet**, one of the Twelve Lesser Prophets and an inspired writer of a Canonical Book of Holy Scriptures. He died 761 B.C. — **Venerable Jonah**, father of St. Theophanes, composer of the Canons and of Theodore, having flourished A.D. 817.

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

SEPTEMBER 20th — Teaching by the Matthew St. George after 5:00pm Divine Liturgy

SEPTEMBER 22nd — Kick-Off Rally 40 Day for LIFE

OCTOBER 19TH — **Breathing with Both Lungs: Promoting Unity in Defense of the Persecuted Church.** Join us in honoring the legacy of Saint Pope John Paul II and his call for Catholic unity across East and West, as we host a conference to examine the attacks against our faith and explore the rich heritage of our universal Church as a source of unity.

SERVING FOR POOR AND HOMELESS — Please donate a Jacket or two for the children at Manch Elementary! We are starting early this year. Sizes needed the most are: 5/6, 7/8, 9/10, 11/12 boys and girls. All colors are acceptable and appreciated. Also, please bring food for the poor and place in front of the St. Nicholas Icon. We have families in need of food.

Please donate a water, bread, and food that we can put in lunch bags. We are making 50 lunch bags after the Divine Liturgy and they are delivered by Catholic Workers Thursdays to the homeless.

GOD WITH US ONLINE is an outreach project of the Eparchial Directors of Religious Education and the Eastern Catholic Associates. It is dedicated to the catechetical renewal of Eastern Catholics in the United States in accord with the Church's call for a new evangelization. Beginning in September 2019, five live webinars will be offered free of charge:

Making Disciples — The Art of Bringing Others to Christ
October 9, 16, and 23 @5:00 – 6:00 pm PT.

Unlocking the Mystery — An Introduction to Eastern Christian Bible Study
November 6 and 13 @ 5:00 – 6:00 pm

The Gift of God — Preparing for the Feast of the Nativity
December 16 @ 5:00 –6:00 pm PT.

Baptized into Christ — The mystery of the Initiation and Identity of the People of God
January 8, 15 and 22 @ 5:00 – 6:00 pm PT.

For more information and to register for free, visit: EasternCatholic.org/Events

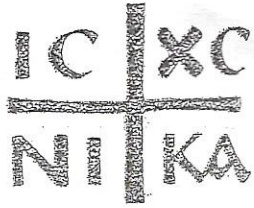
SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS LAMPS – The Sanctuary and Triptychs Lamps are very special candles that remain perpetually lit to honor Our Lord Jesus' Eucharistic and Mystical Presence. If you are interested in sponsoring a vigil candle, the usual stipend is \$10.00. Forms will be in the back of the church. 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: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*
Resurrection Triptych John, Baptist: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*
Nativity Triptych Our Lady: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*
Resurrection Triptych Apostles: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*
Prodigal Son: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*
Saint John the Baptist, Forerunner: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*
Jesus Christ: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*
Theotokos: *People of Our Lady of Wisdom*
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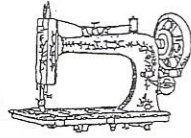
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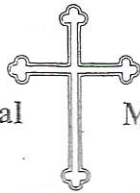
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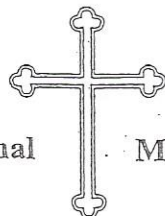


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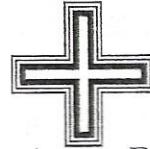
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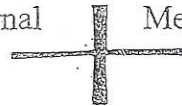


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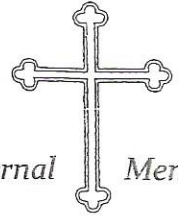
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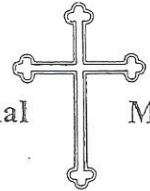
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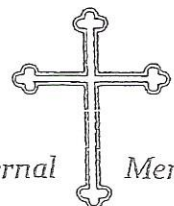
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