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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

# March 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020

### PARISH SERVED BY:

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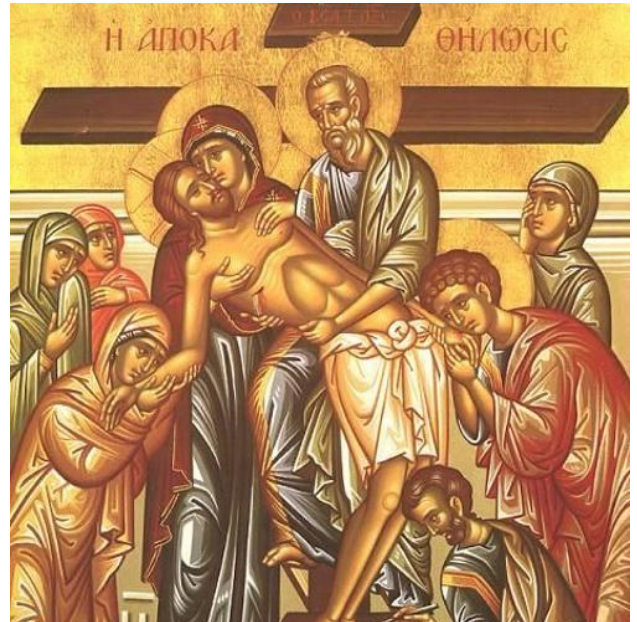
### THIS WEEK'S LITURGIES AND SERVICES:

#### WEEKEND LITURGIES:

Vesper Divine Liturgy: Saturday, 5:00 PM  
Third Hour – Sunday: 10:00 AM  
Divine Liturgy – Sunday 10:30 AM  
Divine Liturgy – Sunday 4:00 PM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Mission

#### WEEKDAY LITURGIES:

Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts – Wednesday 7:00 PM  
Sixth and Ninth Hour – Thursday 11:00 AM  
Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts – Friday 5:30 PM



### 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, March 14<sup>th</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> All Souls Saturday**

**11:00am – Divine Liturgy with Panachida**

Readings: 1 Thess 4:13-17; Jn 5:24-30

**5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy**

*Intention: +Margie Mauro with Panachida, 40 days*

Readings: Heb 10:32-38; Mk 2:14-17

**Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST  
VENERATION OF THE CROSS**

**10:00am – Third Hour**

**10:30am – Divine Liturgy** *Intention: +Richard Caprio  
by Joseph and Marlene Caprio*

**4:00pm – Divine Liturgy at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mission**

*Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Readings: Heb 4:14-5:6; Mk 8:34-9:1

**Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> – Sabinus and Papas, Martyrs**

Readings: Gen 8:21-9:7; Prov 11:19-12:6

**Tuesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> – Our Venerable Father, Alexis, Man of God**

Readings: Gen 9:8-17; Prov 12:8-22

**Wednesday, March 18<sup>th</sup> – Our Holy Father, Cyril, Archbishop of  
Jerusalem / MID-LENT**

**7:00pm – Presanctified Divine Liturgy**

*Intention: +Mary Marlene Santo with Panachida*

Readings: Gen 9:18-10:11; Prov 12:23-13.9

**Thursday, March 19<sup>th</sup> – SS. Chrysanthus and Daria, Martyrs**

**11:00am – 6th and 9th Hour**

Readings: Gen 10:32-11:9; Prov 13:19-14:6

**Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup> – Our Venerable Fathers, martyred in the  
Monastery of St. Sabbas**

**5:30pm – Presanctified Divine Liturgy**

Readings: Gen 12:1-7; Prov 14:15-26

**Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> All Souls Saturday**

**11:00am Divine Liturgy with Panachida**

Readings: 1 Thess 4:13-17; Jn 5:24-30

**5:00pm – Vesper Divine Liturgy** *Intention: +Mary Marlene Santo*

Readings: Heb 6:9-12; Mk 7:31-37

**Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST  
St. John Climacus**

**10:00am – Third Hour**

**10:30am – Divine Liturgy** *Intention: +Margie Mauro  
by David & Jane Petschauer & P.J.*

**4:00pm – Divine Liturgy at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mission**

*Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom*

Readings: Heb 6:13-20; Mk 9:17-31

14<sup>th</sup> – **Our Venerable Father, Benedict, Abbot.** He founded, in Italy, in the 6<sup>th</sup> century, the Benedictine Order based on the rules of St. Basil the Great, hence merited the title of “Patriarch of the Western Monks.” Died A.D. 543. — **St. Alexander of Pidna,** Priest-Martyr, suffered and died in Thrace A.D. 272, in the reign of Aurelian, Emperor.

15<sup>th</sup> – **St. Agapius,** Martyr, and with him six others: **Timolaus, two Alexanders, Romel, two Dionisii.** These were put to death A.D. 290, in the reign of Diocletian, Emperor

16<sup>th</sup> – **SS. Sabinus and Papas,** Martyrs, Egyptians, were thrown into the River Nile A.D. 296, in the persecution under Diocletian. — **St. Julian,** Martyr, died A.D. 298, in the reign of Maximian, Emperor. — **St. Alexander,** Priest-Martyr, Pope of Rome, passed away about A.D. 119, under Hadrian, Emperor

17<sup>th</sup> – **Our Venerable Father, Alexis, Man of God,** was the only son of a Roman Senator; died A.D. 404. Pope Innocent I and the Emperor Honorius are said to have been present at his burial.

18<sup>th</sup> – **Our Holy Father, Cyril, Archbishop of Jerusalem.** His “Catechetical Instruction,” given to the Catechumens on the elements of the Faith are among the most precious documents of Catholic teaching. He was named by Pope Leo XII among the Doctors of the Church. He died A.D. 386, in the reign of Theodosius, Emperor. — **SS. Alexandra, Claudia, Evphrasia, and other Martyrs** who suffered death in Missena A.D. 237, during the reign of Maximian, Emperor.

19<sup>th</sup> – **SS. Chrysanthus and Daria, Martyrs,** came from the East to Rome, where they suffered death by being buried alive A.D. 283. — **Our Venerable Father, Thomas,** Patriarch of Constantinople, died in peace during the reign of Phocas, Emperor A.D. 608.

20<sup>th</sup> – **Our Venerable Fathers, martyred in the Monastery of St. Sabbas.**

21<sup>st</sup> – **Our Venerable Father and Confessor, James of Catania, Bishop,** died in the persecution of the Iconoclasts A.D. 765.

22<sup>nd</sup> – **St. Basil, Priest-Martyr,** Presbyter of the Church in Ancyra, was thrown to the wild beasts in the arena at Caesarea in Palestine A.D. 363, under Julian the Apostate. — **Venerable Isaak,** Monk.

***Glory to Jesus Christ!  
Glory to Him Forever!***

### EPARCHIAL APPEAL 2020

The Eparchial Appeal (formally Bishop’s Appeal) has begun. The pledge form and information for the appeal has been sent to you directly from the Bishop’s office. Again, this year, we are requested to send our pledges directly to the Bishop’s office in Phoenix, AZ. Checks are to be made out to the Eparchy of Phoenix; write “Eparchial Appeal 2020” in the memo. Our parish goal is \$19,177.58. Please support. The appeal ends May 1, 2020.

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

**ANNUNCIATION OF THE THEOTOKOS** Divine Liturgy will be celebrated on Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am.

**LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS** will be on Wednesdays at 7:00pm and Fridays at 5:30pm during the Great Fast.

**ALL SOULS LITURGY** – The fourth All Souls Liturgy will be on Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, at 11:00am. Please return to the parish the envelopes with the names of the beloved who have fallen asleep before Saturday.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION** for the Home Catholic Mission will be taken April 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

**100 DAYS TO KILL THE GOLIATH** February 22<sup>nd</sup> – May 31<sup>st</sup>; 50 days of preparation for the **RESURRECTION PASCHA** and 50 days of thanksgiving in preparations for the **PENTECOST**. Fathers, we will lead our families through the spiritual journey together.

**EVERY WEDNESDAY PLEASE COME AND HELP** – We are making 50 lunch bags after the Divine Liturgy. They are delivered by Catholic Workers on Thursdays to the homeless. Please donate bottled water, bread, and food that we can put in the lunch bags.

**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL MISSION** – Divine Liturgies are being scheduled at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mission at 8530 Robertson Rd, Las Vegas, Nevada 89166. Please refer to the bulletin for days and times.

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

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

**Nativity Triptych Joseph:**

**Resurrection Triptych John, Baptist:** *John Lynott by his Daughters*

**Nativity Triptych Our Lady:**

**Resurrection Triptych Apostles:**

**Prodigal Son:**

**Saint John the Baptist, Forerunner:**

**Jesus Christ:** *Margaret Lynott by her Daughters*

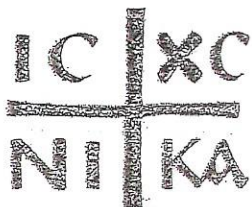
**Theotokos:** *David Vonderohe by the Lynott Sisters*

**St. Nicholas:** *Fr. Stephen Casmus by the Lynott Sisters*

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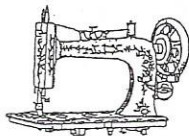
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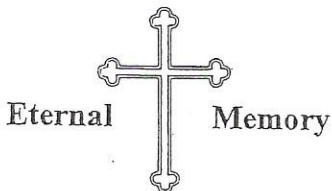
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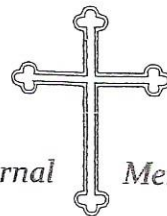


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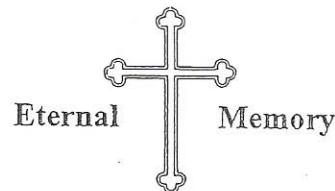
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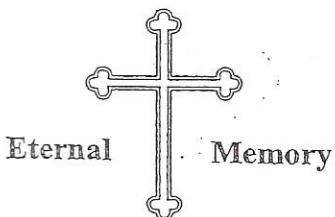
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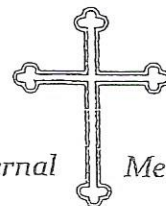
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