

SUNDAY and THEOPHANY OF OUR LORD

January 6, 2019



St. Anne Byzantine Catholic Church

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Welcome! We are honored to have you come to worship with us. If you are unfamiliar with the worship of the Byzantine Church, simply listen to the Liturgy and allow the rest of the congregation to carry you in worship. We extend our hands and hearts in Christian fellowship to you here, celebrating with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the parish. We thank God that you are with us. If you are not registered, please fill out the form below and place in the collection basket or mail to the Parish Office. We invite you to join us for our Coffee Social, held in the fellowship hall, immediately after the Divine Liturgy and ask that you make yourself known to our Pastor who would be happy to answer your questions.

St. Anne's email list: Would you like to be added to our weekly St. Anne bulletin email list? Request it at slosa.email@gmail.com

"Christ is Baptized! Glorify Him!"

This Week's Liturgical Schedule

<p>Sunday January 6 <i>(Use handout for pages)</i></p>	<p>10:00 AM Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners, Friends, and Benefactors of St. Anne's</i></p>	<p>THEOPHANY OF OUR LORD, GOD, AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST Confessions: 9:00-9:45am <i>Titus 2:11-14, 3:4-7; Matthew 3:13-17</i> <i>ECF classes begin again.</i></p>
<p>Monday January 7</p>	<p>No Divine Liturgy</p>	<p><i>Parish office closed.</i></p>
<p>Tuesday January 8 <i>p. 312, 376</i></p>	<p>9:00 AM Divine Liturgy Robert Hanley by Fr. Michael Bezruchka and Mary Lynn Cihak</p>	<p>Postfestive Day of Theophany. Our Venerable Father George the Chozebite. Our Venerable Mother Dominica. Our Holy Father and Confessor Emilian. <i>Hebrews 4:1-13; Luke 21:12-18.</i></p>
<p>Wednesday January 9 <i>p. 312, 379</i></p>	<p>6:30 AM Divine Liturgy +Jeanette Marie Silacci by Mr. & Mrs. Juanita Risch</p>	<p>Postfestive Day of Theophany. Holy Martyr Polyeuct. <i>Hebrews 5:11 - 6:8; Luke 21:5-7, 10-11, 20-24.</i> <i>Please note the new Wednesday morning time!</i></p>
<p>Thursday January 10 <i>p. 312, 372</i></p>	<p>9:00 AM Divine Liturgy Special Intention by Kristen Thorensen</p>	<p>Postfestive Day of Theophany. Our Venerable Father Gregory of Nyssa. Venerable Dometian, Bishop of Melitene. Our Venerable Father Marcion, Priest and Treasurer of the Great Church. <i>Hebrews 7:1-6; Luke 21:28-33.</i></p>
<p>Friday January 11 <i>p. 312, 376</i></p>	<p>5:30 PM Divine Liturgy Dr. Thaddeus & Mrs. Kozinski by the Lardizabal-Carnazzo family 7:00 PM Philosophy Class (6:30pm Dinner)</p>	<p>Postfestive Day of Theophany. Our Venerable Father Theodosius, founder of the Common Life. <i>2 Corinthians 4:6-15; Matthew 11:27-30.</i> Catholic Philosophy Class professor: Dr. Kozinski</p>
<p>Saturday January 12 <i>p. 312, 391</i></p>	<p>9:00 AM Divine Liturgy +Galina Sirotkina by Ames Elmendorf</p>	<p>Saturday after Theophany. Holy Martyr Tatiana. <i>Ephesians 6:10-17; Matthew 4:1-11.</i> Parish cleanup Day: about 10:30am, after Liturgy.</p>
<p>Sunday January 13 <i>(Use handout for pages)</i></p>	<p>10:00 AM Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners, Friends, and Benefactors of St. Anne's</i></p>	<p>Sunday after Theophany. Confessions: 9:00-9:45am <i>Ephesians 4:7-13; Matthew 4:12-17.</i> <i>ECF classes continue</i></p>

UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES

Parish cleanup Day: January 12

Approx. 10:30am--after the 9am Divine Liturgy

Advisory Board: January 19

Approx. 10:30am--after the 9am Divine Liturgy

FEAST OF THE THREE HOLY HIERARCHS (Simple feast)

January 29--6:30pm Vigil Vesper Divine Liturgy. January 30--9:00am Divine Liturgy

FEAST OF THE ENCOUNTER OF OUR LORD WITH ST. SIMEON--(PRESENTATION OF OUR LORD IN THE TEMPLE) (Solemn feast)

February 1--6:30pm Great Vespers. February 2--8:30am Festal Matins; 10:00am Divine Liturgy

SUNDAY GIFTS TO THE LORD

December 30, 2018

Attendance: 92

PLEASE REMEMBER SAINT ANNE'S IN YOUR WILLS AND BEQUESTS

May God bless your generosity to His Church!

Birthday: Jan. 3: Julie Carlin; Jan. 5: Jim Snead; Jan. 8: Stephanie Bradley; Jan. 11: Paul Santos

Anniversaries: Jan. 10: Brent & Suzie Trockman

Cleaning Angels: Jan. 5-19: Biro family

God grant them many blessed years!

OIL LAMP INTENTIONS

Eternal Lamp above Ambon in church: **+John Anthony Dunn by Phillip & Rachel Slagel (12/7/19)**

Eternal Lamp to St. Anne in the narthex: (available)

Icon of Jesus Christ: (available)

Icon of the Theotokos: (available)

Icon of St. John the Baptist: (available)

Icon of St. Mary Magdalene: (available)

Icon of St. Anne: **+Carla Anne Kndimuk by Phillip & Rachel Slagel (7/6/19)**

Icon of St. Nicholas: (available)

The large "eternal" vigil oil lamps have a suggested offering of \$10.00 and will burn continuously from Sunday through Saturday. The other smaller oil lamps are each available for a suggested \$2.00 offering, which will burn for each Divine Liturgy for one week. The bulletin will remind your fellow parishioners of your special intention or loved one. See narthex envelopes.

Bakesale efforts raised funds for the Icons! We once again thank the baking committee for all their hard work in making sausages and baked goods in preparation for Christmas! Through the sale of these items, we raised \$1,081.87 (\$1,333 in sales minus expenses). As a result, we transferred \$1,089 as bake sale profit and the \$7,565 from the Christmas collection making a total of \$8,654 transferred to the Parish Savings account earmarked for the Icon Fund at St. Anne's.

PRAYER REQUESTS Jay Dicky, Joyce Dicky, Sol Rudnick, Raphael Jenkins, Dana Christianson, Mary Turley, Jim Snead, Alexis Curley, Sarah Standley, Myrna Bradley, Chris Evans, Jessica Lowes, +George Mahoney, John Barlow, Betty, Silvia Soto, Stephen Bezruchka, Amalia Guzman, Debbie Christianson, Rebecca Procopchuk, John Procopchuk Rebecca Baron, Daniel Baron, Matthew Marx, Robert Hanley, (Submit by email or physical note.)

CONFESSIONS Saturdays: 8:15-8:45am, Sundays: 9:00-9:45am, and when Fridays have a 5:30pm evening Liturgy: 4:45 - 5:15pm. Also before holydays as listed in the bulletin and by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK After the Holy Services in church before hospitalization. For emergencies, please call the Parish Office immediately.

BAPTISM/CHRISMATION/EUCHARIST Must be arranged at least three months in advance.

CROWNING IN MARRIAGE Must be arranged at least six months in advance.

EASTERN CHRISTIAN FORMATION See bulletin and contact Ed Stewart: macejstewart@gmail.com

LITURGY INTENTIONS Use the envelopes available on the greeting table in the church narthex (vestibule), call the parish office, or ask the pastor.

Wednesday liturgical schedule is changing: Beginning January 9, Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 6:30am rather than 9am on Wednesdays. We are moving it earlier to accommodate parishioners and visitors who have jobs and want to attend Divine Liturgy in the middle of the week before going to work. We will try this for the months of January and February.

PLAN AHEAD--make an appointment for your house blessing before January 15: With the feast of the Holy Theophany (Baptism of Our Lord) on January 6 comes the season of annual house blessings. Now is the time to book your appointment with Fr. Michael. He is available at 5pm or 6pm most Sundays, Mondays, and Thursdays until February 17. When you request a house blessing, please give your preferred date with two alternative dates that could also work for you. Make your request by email or physical note. Fr. Michael's email address is on the front page of every bulletin listed as "Pastor's e-mail." Thank you.

PARISH CLEANUP DAY: Next Saturday, January 12, we will have a parish cleanup day at St. Anne's. A lot of stuff in the attic, sheds and social hall needs to be sorted through and evaluated for what we keep, what we give away, what we sell, and what we throw out. This will help us re-envision the best use of our spaces and make room for other acquisitions we might make in the future. The day will begin with Divine Liturgy at 9am. We will gather at about 10:30am for brief instructions and planning taking place in the basement followed by the cleanup. Pizza lunch will be provided by the parish at about 12:30 and work will end at 4pm. We ask that parishioners who have knowledge about the areas to be cleaned, or opinions and desires for what needs to be done - please come and help. We particularly need your presence. Thank you.

Next Parish Advisory Board Meeting: This will take place on Saturday, January 19 after the 9am Divine Liturgy. Observers (non-voting, non-speaking) are welcome to attend any of these meetings. Please be aware that occasionally part of a meeting might be limited to Advisory Board members only.

BIG THANK YOU!!! Muchas gracias!!! I want to thank each of you who gave me (Fr. Michael) gifts and cards during the Christmas season! I deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness & generosity.