

*Prayer Requests: Our Holy Father Francis, Pope Benedickt XVI, our Metropolitan William, our God-loving Bishop Gerald, Father Christopher Zagger, Msgr. George Vida, Msgr. Michael Moran, Mitred Archpriest Stephen Washko, Archmandrite Wesley Ezer, Gregg and Diane Meyer, Juraj & Eva Kasperek, Carmel Roeck Linskey, Deacon Stephen & his Wife Chris Vrabel, Risch Family, Kathy Slonka, Gerarda Ondang, Judy & Tom Walsh and whole Family, Linda & Frank McKenna, Baron Family, Sub-Deacon Michael Melnik and his Family, John Shepard, Mary Lukas, Julie Carlin, Special Intention, Valinda Baron, Adam Ketchum, Galina Strotkin, Sara, Peter Shellin, Fay Black, Sheryl Ibarra, Steve Potts, Christine Aguirre, Maria Slinsky, Jennifer Dunn, Grant Lopez, Paul Ferriera, Family Hayskins, Henry Stewart, Veronica Boulais, Ann Jutras, Jeff Bradley, Maria Jesus Rocha, Bob Swenson, Silvia Soto, Abel Mendonca and all St. Anne Parishioners.*

**CONFESSIONS:** One half hour before all Holy Services to 10 minutes before the start of the Service. Or by appointment in the Parish Office.

**ANointing OF THE SICK:** after the Holy Services in church before hospitalization. For emergencies, call immediately Parish Office.

**BAPTISM/CHRISMATION/EUCHARIST:** must be arranged three months in advance.

**CROWNING OF MARRIAGE:** must be arranged six months in advance.

**EASTERN CHRISTIAN FORMATION:** contact Parish Office. See Bulletin.

**LITURGY INTENTIONS:** use envelopes available on the Greeting Table in Church call parish office or ask Father

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## SUNDAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS, OF THE ANCESTORS DECEMBER 20<sup>th</sup> 2015



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Most Reverend Bishop Gerald N. Dino

Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix

Served by Reverend Milan Kasperek

Deacon John Bradley

*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 Cafe Social, held in the fellowship hall, immediately after the Divine Liturgy and ask that you make yourself known to our Pastor or Deacon who would be happy to answer your questions.*

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Glory to Him Forever!

**This Week's Liturgy Schedule**

Sunday December 20 p.285	10:00 AM Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM Hanford	<b>SUNDAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS, OF THE ANCESTORS</b> For the Parishioners Friends and Benefactors and Outreach <b>Hanford</b> Hebr.11:9-11,17-23, Matt 1:1-25 Joe P. Braz by Doris Braz
Monday December 21	No Divine Liturgy	Pre festive Day of Christmas. The Holy Martyr Juliana of Nicomedia
Tuesday December 22 p.285	5:30 PM Divine Liturgy	Pre festive Day of Christmas. The Holy Great Martyr Anastasia Heb12:25-26&13:22-25, Mk 10:2-12 + Flynn Gene
Wednesday December 23 p.285	5:30 PM Divine Liturgy	The Holy Ten Martyrs of Crete. Commemoration of the Dedication of the Great Church of Holy Wisdom in Constantinople James 1:1-18, Mk 10:11-16 Lynskey Annick
Thursday December 24 p.285,288	5:00 PM Vigil - Divine Liturgy	Vigil of Christmas. The Holy Great Martyr Eugenia Heb 1:1-12, Lk 2:1-20 Linskey Thomas J.
Friday December 25 p.289	10:00 AM Divine Liturgy	<b>CHRISTMAS, THE BIRTH OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST</b> Gal4:4-7, Mt 2:13-23 For the Parishioners Friends and Benefactors and Outreach <b>Hanford</b>
Saturday December 26 p.294	10:00 AM Divine Liturgy	<b>SINAXIS OF THE THEOTOKOS</b> Heb 2:11-18, Mt 2:13-23 Alexander Danovic by Danovich Family
Sunday December 27 p.298	10:00 AM Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM Hanford	<b>THE HOLY APOSTLE, FIRST MARTYR AND ARCHDEACON STEPHEN</b> For the Parishioners Friends and Benefactors and Outreach <b>Hanford</b> Hebr.11:9-11,17-23, Matt 1:1-25 Myrovanie - Anointing Maria Kasperekova

*Eternal Lamp for this week health and blessing of st. Anne parishioners*

*Ic. of Jesus Christ: st. Anne parishioners Ic. of the Theotokos: st. Anne parishioners*

*Ic. of John Baptizer: st. Anne parishioners Ic. of St. Magdalene: st. Anne parishioners*

*Ic. of St. Anne: st. Anne parishioners Ic. of St. Nicholas: st. Anne parishioners*

*Last Sunday's Gift to the Lord*

<b>Sunday Attendance:75</b> <b>Hanford:22</b>	<b>Tithe: \$</b> Donation: \$ Debt. Reduction: \$ Candles: \$ Hanford: \$	<b>Bake Sale: \$ Gift Shop: \$ Roof Repair: \$ Recycle: \$ Coffee social: \$</b>
PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR CHURCH IN YOUR WILLS AND BEQUESTS		

*May God bless your generosity to His Church!*

*You are invited to sponsor the weekly sanctuary Lamp in our Church for your various intentions. If you are interested in sponsoring this vigil candle the usual stipend offering is \$ 10.00. It will burn from Sunday through Saturday, and the bulletin will remind your fellow parishioners of your special intention or of the memory of a loved one. You may request as often as you would like. Write your intention and name of the one offering the intention.*

*A Christmas Prayer*

*Give us Lord Jesus, the eyes of children, to see your birth with Christmas wonder. Help us to share in the songs of the angels, the gladness of the shepherds, and the worship of the Wise Men. Close the door of hate, and open the door of love, all over the world. Let kindness come with every gift, and blessing with every greeting. Deliver us from evil, and teach us to be merry with clean hearts. May Christmas morning make us happy to be your children, and Christmas evening bring us to rest with grateful thought, forgiving and forgiven. Amen.*

*Father Milan, Maria and Benjamin wish everyone a blessed, safe, and joyous Christmas and will offer prayers for your continued happiness and spiritual growth here at St Anne Byzantine Catholic Church.*

**Christ is born! Glorify Him!**

**Christos Razdajetsja! Slavite Jeho!**

**CHRIST IS BORN****GLORIFY HIM!**

<b>Sunday</b> December 27 p.298	10:00 AM Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM Hanford	<b>THE HOLY APOSTLE, FIRST MARTYR AND ARCHDEACON STEPHEN</b> For the Parishioners Friends and Benefactors and Outreach Hanford Hebr:11:9-11,17-23, Man 1:1-25 <i>Myrovanie - Anointing Maria Kasperekova</i>
<b>Monday</b> December 28 p.302	9:00 AM Divine Liturgy	Post festive Day o Christmas +Gloria Stoner by Timothy Stoner
<b>Tuesday</b> December 29	No Divine Liturgy	Post festive Day o Christmas James 3:1-10, Mk 11:11-23
<b>Wednesday</b> December 30 p.289	5:30 PM Divine Liturgy	Post festive Day o Christmas James 3:11-16 Mk 11:23-26 +Erik Stoner by Timothy Stoner
<b>Thursday</b> December 31	9:00 PM Vigil - Divine Liturgy	<i>Odianie ( Leave-taking) of Christmas James 4:7,5-9, Mk 11:27-33</i> +Coru Inostrosa by Timothy Stoner
<b>Friday</b> January 1 p.305	10:00 AM Divine Liturgy	<b>CIRCUMCISION OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST</b> Col 2:8-12; Lk6:17-23
<b>Saturday</b> January 2 p.309	8:00 AM Divine Liturgy	Pre-Feastive day of Theophany 1Tim 3:14-4:5 Mt 3:1-11 + Rudy Ynostrosa by Timothy Stoner
<b>Sunday</b> January 3 p.309	10:00 AM Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM Hanford	<b>SUNDAY BEFORE THEOPHANY</b> For the Parishioners Friends and Benefactors and Outreach Hanford 2Tim4:5-8, Mk1:1-18 Myrovanie - Anointing

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*Birthdays: 28th Johny Bradley, Joseph Baron, Kristin Standley, 31st Jay Dicky, January 3rd Julie Carlin Anniversaries: 21st Jim & Cheryl Shepard, Steve & Julie Williams  
God bless them many and blessed years!*

*UPCOMING: 24th Vigil&Christmas Dinner, 25th CHRISTMAS, THE BIRTH OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST, 26th SINAXIS OF THE THEOTOKOS, 27th THE HOLY APOSTLE, FIRST MARTYR AND ARCHDEACON STEPHEN, January 1st CIRCUMCISION OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST, 6th THEOPHANY OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST, 30th Fest of three holy Bishops: Basil the Great, Gregory the Theologian and John Chrysostom*

**Birthdays and Anniversary Updates**

Please email your family's birthdays and anniversary dates to stanneslo@gmail.com so we can update our Parish Celebrations list.

**Christmas Dinner** Away from family for Christmas? Avoiding family for Christmas? Join us for a Christmas dinner with your fellow parishioners! A full meal and good community will be provided for those who would like to stay after the Vigil - Divine Liturgy on Christmas Day

*The Family of St. Anne Byzantine Catholic Church 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 Sunday, and on the Great Holy Days
- who is willing to support the growth of the Church by sharing their Time, Talent and Treasure
- who will participate in the yearly Bishop's Appeal

For those of you that would ever like to join us for liturgy at our Outreach in Hanford it is located at - Saint Brigid Roman Catholic Church 200 E. Florinda Street, Hanford, CA 93230, Liturgy is held there every Sunday and currently is being held at 5:00pm. Thank you.