



St. Mary of Egypt receives Communion from St. Zosima.

St. Anne Byzantine Catholic Church

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Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix

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

Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory forever!

This week's liturgical schedule: *NO PUBLIC LITURGICAL SERVICES DUE TO VIRUS-Online only*

<p>Sunday, March 29 <i>(Use handout for pages)</i></p>	<p><i>No public liturgical services.</i> 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy – <i>ONLINE ONLY</i> <i>For the Parishioners,</i> <i>Friends, and Benefactors</i></p>	<p><i>FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST</i> <i>MEMORY OF OUR HOLY MOTHER MARY OF</i> <i>EGYPT</i> <i>Hebrews 9:11-14; Mark 10:32-45. <u>Tone 1</u></i> <i>ECF and Coffee Social Cancelled.</i></p>
<p>Monday March 30</p>	<p><i>No public liturgical services.</i></p>	<p><i>Parish office <u>closed.</u></i></p>
<p>Tuesday March 31</p>	<p>9:00 AM: Lenten Matins <i>ONLINE ONLY</i></p>	<p><i>Our Venerable Father Hypatius, Bishop of Gangra.</i> <i>Genesis 31:3-16; Proverbs 21:3-21.</i></p>
<p>Wednesday April 1</p>	<p>9:00 AM Office of Terce-Sext <i>ONLINE ONLY</i> 6:30 PM: Vespertal Divine Liturgy – <i>ONLINE ONLY</i> <i>+Fr. Stephen Casmus</i> <i>by Fr. Michael Bezruchka</i></p>	<p><i>Our Holy Mother Mary of Egypt.</i> <i>Genesis 43:25-45:16; Proverbs 21:23-22:4.</i></p>
<p>Thursday April 2</p>	<p>9:00 AM: Lenten Matins <i>ONLINE ONLY</i></p>	<p><i>Our Venerable Father Titus the Wonderworker.</i> <i>Genesis 46:1-7; Proverbs 23:15-24:5.</i></p>
<p>Friday April 3</p>	<p>9:00 AM Office of Terce-Sext <i>ONLINE ONLY</i> 5:30 PM: Presanctified Div. Liturgy - <i>ONLINE ONLY</i> <i>+Elizabeth Chonka</i> <i>by E. Maria Slinsky</i></p>	<p><i>Our Venerable Father and Confessor Nicetas,</i> <i>Hegumen of Medikion. The Death of Our Holy</i> <i>Father Methodius, Teacher of the Slavs.</i> <i>Genesis 49:33-50:26; Proverbs 31:8-31.</i></p>
<p>Saturday April 4</p>	<p>9:00 AM Divine Liturgy <i>ONLINE ONLY</i> <i>+Alice Lacy by Dcn. John</i></p>	<p><i>Lazarus Saturday.</i> <i>Hebrews 12:28-13:8; John 11:1-45.</i></p>
<p>Sunday, April 5</p>	<p><i>No public liturgical services.</i> 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy – <i>ONLINE ONLY</i> <i>For the Parishioners,</i> <i>Friends, and Benefactors</i></p>	<p><i>PALM SUNDAY</i> <i>Philippians 4:4-9; John 12:1-18. <u>Tone 2</u></i> <i>ECF and Coffee Social Cancelled.</i></p>

UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES

Easter Bake Sale modified

Although baking days on April 1 and 2 have been cancelled, we are taking orders for existing inventory. See later bulletin announcement.

Please make an appointment with Fr. Michael for Confession to Prepare for Pascha (Easter)

No scheduled times due to COVID-19.

APRIL 5-12: HOLY WEEK (Plan is for all services to be streamed via Youtube)

Great & Holy Monday, April 6: Bridegroom Matins at 6:30pm

Great & Holy Tuesday, April 7: Bridegroom Matins at 9am. Presanctified Liturgy at 6:30pm

Great & Holy Wednesday, April 8: Bridegroom Matins: 9am. Presanctified Liturgy: 6:30pm

Great & Holy Thursday, April 9: Vespers Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great at 6:30pm

Great & Good Friday, April 10: Matins with reading of the 12 Gospels at noon.

Entombment Vespers at 5:30pm.

Great & Holy Saturday, April 11: Jerusalem Matins at 9am. Vespers Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great at 5:00pm

APRIL 12: PASCHA (Easter)

Sunday, 9:30am: Matins with Divine Liturgy.

Birthdays: April 1—Chris Guzman; April 3—Ames Elmendorf

SUNDAY GIFTS TO THE LORD

March 22, 2020

Tithes: \$1,075

Flowers/Palms: \$30

Total Income: \$1,105

Thank you to all who mailed or hand-delivered their tithes or other donations this past couple weeks!

DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME OF SHELTER AT HOME, PLEASE REMEMBER THE BILLS STILL NEED TO BE PAID. PLEASE CONSIDER MAILING US YOUR MONTHLY DONATIONS.

May God bless your generosity to His Church!

OIL LAMP INTENTIONS

Eternal Lamp above Ambon in church: [Available]

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. Anne: [Available] Icon of St. Nicholas: [Available] Icon of St. Mary Magdalene: [Available]

The large "eternal" vigil oil lamps have a suggested offering of \$10 and will burn continuously from Sunday through Saturday. The other smaller oil lamps are each available for a suggested \$2 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 above. (These donations are not tax-deductible.) See narthex envelopes to sponsor a lamp.

Keep a lamp burning in our church: Although most of you cannot be physically present at St Anne's during this Shelter-in-Place, you might consider giving an offering to keep an oil lamp burning in your own name, or that of a loved one. (See information above.)

LITURGY INTENTIONS Please fill out one of the Liturgy Intention envelopes on the greeting table in the narthex with the name of your living or deceased person. Make checks payable to **St. Anne Stipends** and write "Liturgy Stipend" in your memo line. Although donations are not required, the suggested stipend is \$10, which is later paid to the priest offering the Liturgy.

PRAYER REQUESTS (Submit requests by email or physical note.) David A., Gil B., John B., Daniel B., Jeff B., Rebecca B., Betty, Myrna B., Paula B., Jessica B., Fr. Michael B., Fr. Stephen C., Carlos C., Dana C., Debbie C., Alexis C., Jay D., Joyce D., Matthew C., Elizabeth, Stephen E., Susanne E., Rachel E., Chris E., Government (national, state, local), Caroline F., Brooke F., Jack F., Jean F., Kristina G., Ernie G., Sam G., Robert H., Mary H., Jason I., +Fr. Ed I., Raphael J., Art K., Juraj K., Fr. Milan K., Heidi J., Jon, Sophie K., Kozitza family, Crystal & Sumi L., Jessica L., Fr. James L., Fe M., Josie M., Lewis M., Matthew M., Nella, Howard N., Ofelia, Mary Jo P., Suzanne P., Cathie P., John P., Rebecca P., +Paul R., Michael S., Therese S., Jim S., Silvia S., Sarah S., Pete S., Sandy S., Erin T., Carolyn T., Maria T., Elizabeth W., Jonathan W., Rich W., Noah Y., Yolanda. True reform in the Catholic Church according to God's will; Holy vocations to the priesthood, religious, and married life.

CONFESSIONS Check bulletin for weekly times as well as special times before feast days. Also available by appointment.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK Before hospitalization, after Holy Services in church. 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** Contact Ed Stewart: macejstewart@gmail.com

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<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCeIGyRM1cIqPLBfWMXssbw>

Giving to St Anne's during the Shelter in Place: Even though you are not able to attend St. Anne's physically, the bills do not stop. As such, I earnestly request that you mail your weekly/monthly tithes and donations. Alternatively, and more conveniently, you can setup Saint Anne as a payee within your bank's online Bill Pay system. All members of our church who have online bill pay can make use of this option at no cost to yourselves or the church. Checks are generated by the bank and mailed within the week from most financial institutions. If your financial situation permits, an automatic weekly tithe payment would greatly assist in keeping our parish on a sound financial footing. View our webpage, <https://stanneslo.org/giving/>, to learn more about how to set up an online donation.

Existing baked goods for sale: Since no new baked goods can be made for Pascha, frozen items that were made in December 2019 are being offered for sale. Several people purchased last week, but we still have inventory of delicious 1-lb packages of smoked sausage, nutrolls, poppy seed rolls and apricot rolls. You can make an appointment to purchase and pickup items on March 29, and March 31 - April 4. Items will be sold on a first-come, first-serve basis. Please call (805) 543-8883 or email Fr. Michael at stanneslo@gmail.com (preferred) to make an appointment. (This might also be a good occasion to receive the Holy Mystery (Sacrament) of Confession in preparation for Easter.)

Dress up to attend services at home: Take your online attendance at liturgical services very seriously. Even though we cannot be together physically, this is a blessed opportunity to pray with the priest, deacon, cantor and fellow parishioners. Don't slack off in a lounge chair drinking coffee and doing other things while watching the service. Dress up, turn on the computer and be ready to pray on time. Place chairs in front of the computer in your family icon corner, or a sacred image if you do not have an icon corner. Guard your holy Catholic faith during this trial by joining in with the chanting as though you were at St. Anne's itself, giving thanks and praise to God who loves and cares for you in this difficult time.