

# ***NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST***

*October 3, 2021*



## **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 would like to be an active member of our Byzantine Catholic community, please contact the parish office. Since we are one Catholic Church with many Traditions (each that includes a liturgical rite), becoming a parishioner does not require that you make a canonical transfer of Rite, for example, from the Roman Rite to our Byzantine Rite. Yet we invite you to join us in our traditions, fast days, and feast days so as to better understand and perhaps one day embrace our Eastern Catholic spirituality. Please join us for our **Coffee Social, held in the fellowship hall, immediately after the Divine Liturgy and make yourself known to our Pastor who would be happy to answer your questions. Welcome to St. Anne's!**

**St. Anne bulletin email list:** Would you like to have our bulletin emailed to you each week? Request it at [slosa.email@gmail.com](mailto:slosa.email@gmail.com)

## Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory forever!

**This week's liturgical schedule:** (Check the MCI <https://mci.archpitt.org> for music and prayers.)

Livestreaming of Sunday in the parking lot is available for those taking extra health precautions. Contact pastor.

<b>Sat., Oct. 2</b> Use handout	<b>5:00 PM Great Vespers</b>	<b><i>Vigil Vespers for Sunday</i></b> Deuteronomy 10:12-22; 1 Samuel 24:1-13.
<b>Sunday, October 3</b> Use handout	Confessions: 8:45-9:30 AM <b>10 AM Divine Liturgy</b> <i>For the Parishioners</i>  <b>12 PM: ECF classes</b>	<b><i>NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST</i></b> 2 Corinthians 11:31 - 12:9; Luke 6:31-36. <u>Tone 2</u>
<b>Mon., Oct. 4</b>	<b>No liturgical services today</b>	Parish Office Closed
<b>Tuesday, October 5</b> MCI or p. 395	Confessions: 8:00-8:30 AM <b>9 AM Divine Liturgy</b> Bob Cihak by Fr. Michael	<b><i>Holy Martyr Charitina</i></b> Philippians 2:16-23; Luke 6:37-45. Parish Office Open
<b>Wednesday, October 6</b> MCI or p. 368	Confessions: 8:00-8:30 AM <b>9 AM Divine Liturgy</b> +Vince Christianson by Fr. Michael  <b>7PM RCIA class for adults</b>	<b><i>Holy and Glorious Apostle Thomas</i></b> 1 Corinthians 4:9-16; John 20:19-31. Parish Office Open
<b>Thu., October 7</b> Use handout	<b>6:30 PM Funeral part 1: Parastas</b> For +Janice Sawko	<b><i>Holy Martyrs Sergius and Bacchus.</i></b> Philippians 3:1-8; Luke 7:17-30.  Parish Office Open
<b>Friday, October 8</b> Use handout	<b>10:00 AM Funeral part 2: Divine Liturgy</b> For +Janice Sawko	1 Corinthians 15:47-57; John 6: 48-54  Parish Office Closed
<b>Saturday, October 9</b> MCI or p. 368	Confessions: 9:10-9:30 AM <b>10 AM Divine Liturgy</b> +Bishop Gerald Dino (MEM) by Bishop Gerald's estate  <b>3:30-4:45 PM: Cantors</b>  <b>5:00 PM Great Vespers</b>	<b><i>Holy Apostle James Alpheus.</i></b> 1 Corinthians 4:9-16; Luke 10:16-21. Parish Office Open  <b>Monthly Cantor Practice</b> (non-cantors may also attend)  2 Kings 4:8-37; Isaiah 57:14-2.
<b>Sunday, October 10</b> Use handout	Confessions: 8:45-9:30 AM <b>10 AM Divine Liturgy</b> <i>For the Parishioners</i>  <b>12 PM: ECF classes</b>  <b>1:00-2:15 PM</b>	<b><i>TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST</i></b> Galatians 1:11-19; Luke 7:11-16. <u>Tone 3.</u>  <b>March for Conversion &amp; Rosary Coast to Coast</b>

**Religious and Clergy Vocation Corner:** “Therefore be merciful, even as your Father is also merciful.” Our Lord teaches us how to love one another in today’s Gospel, taking us beyond our human understanding of only being good to those who do good to us. A life in ordained ministry and monasticism is one way to give one’s life to all people. Is this something that God may have in store for your life? Contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: [vocations@ephx.org](mailto:vocations@ephx.org)

## UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES

**October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>: Funeral—Janice Sawko** (see announcement)

Oct. 7 @ 6:30pm: Parastas; October 8 @ 10am: Funeral Divine Liturgy

**October 9<sup>th</sup>: Next monthly cantor practice** (see announcement)

Saturday at 3:30-4:45pm

**October 10: 1:00-2:15PM Next March for Conversion & Rosary Coast to Coast**

Start assembling at 12:30pm; Prayer at St. Anne’s and the march begins at 1:00pm.

**Birthdays: October 5—Paul Sawko**

**Anniversary: October 5—Jim and Donna Snead**

**God grant them many blessed years!**

## SUNDAY GIFTS TO THE LORD

**Sept. 26, 2021: collection**

Total bank Deposit: \$1,745

**Total parish income: \$1,745**

Tithes: \$800

Donations: \$457

Candles: \$208

Gift Shop: \$280

Your donations are enabling us to continue paying our bills at St Anne’s. Thank you! Please note that you have three ways to contribute: 1) Place your donation in the collection basket or the secure locked box in the Narthex; 2) Mail it; or 3) Go to [www.stanneslo.org](http://www.stanneslo.org) and click on the Giving tab.

**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: **Paul Sawko by Mary Lynn Cihak (2/19/22)**

Icon of Jesus Christ: [Available] Icon of the Theotokos: [Available] Icon of St. John the Baptist: [Available]

Icon of St. Anne: **+ Janice Sawko by Paul Sawko (6/25/22)**

Icon of St. Nicholas: [Available]

Icon of St. Mary Magdalene: **+Sheryl Ibarra by Paul & Janice Sawko (6/25/22)**

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 might not be tax-deductible.) See narthex envelopes to sponsor a lamp. Make checks payable to **St. Anne Byz. Catholic Church**.

**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. (These donations might not be tax-deductible.)

**Final Eparchial Appeal stats:**

Final stats will be forthcoming from the Eparchy. The important thing is that we met and surpassed our goal.

The Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix subscribes to the  
**Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People**

adopted by the United States Catholic Conference of Bishops. The Eparchy, within all its parishes, institutions and programs, is committed to assuring a safe environment in ministry for its children and young people that conforms to the Charter requirements. For information regarding the Eparchial Safe Environment Program, please contact:

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**Becoming Byzantine (and Romans wanting to learn more) has past videos available on YouTube**

Light of the Byzantine East just launched quality FREE online educational series about the Byzantine Catholic Faith Tradition on the 4th Sunday of each month from 4:00-5:30 pm PST. You are not far behind if you didn't attend the first class since that was last Sunday, September 26. The YouTube channel where you can watch the classes afterward can be found at:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzhBP62eRM1DurlY43SfNJw> Further info and registration to take these classes in real time can be found at: <https://tinyurl.com/ntmuetab>

**Funeral for +Janice Sawko on October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>**

We are grieved to announce the death of long-term parishioner, Janice Sawko, who fell asleep in the Lord on Thursday, September 23, 2021. A Funeral Parastas for her will be held at St Anne's on Thursday, October 7 at 6:30pm and a Funeral Divine Liturgy on Friday, October 8 at 10am. May the Lord grant Janice blessed repose and eternal memory!

**Monthly cantor classes open to non-cantors wanting to learn how to sing our chant: October 9<sup>th</sup>**

Have you wanted to learn how to sing Byzantine chant but don't want to lead it? Cantor practices will be held monthly at 3:30pm, usually on the third Saturday of the month (exception in October). Our cantors will be rehearsing familiar and new material, but these classes and rehearsals are open to non-cantors as well.

**March for Conversion and Rosary Coast to Coast: October 10<sup>th</sup>**

Next Sunday, we will be praying for healing in our country and witnessing to our faith at the same time. One group will be walking (marching) and praying while the other group will be at St. Anne's in the lawn praying unless there is rain or other bad weather in which case they will be inside the church. Prayer and marching will start promptly at 1pm on October 10. Please contact Fr. Michael or Donna Snead for more information.

**ECF classes for the kids continues**

Our second Sunday of Easter Christian Formation (ECF) for the kids continues ("Sunday School"). If you have children whom you like to have enrolled, please speak to Fr. Michael.

**Adult Faith formation classes continue on Wednesdays for the next couple weeks**

We had our second adult RCIA class this past Wednesday. Our next classes will be on October 6 and October 13 (Wednesdays). **The text we are using comes from the *Christ Our Pascha* book.**