



August 6: Transfiguration of Our Lord Feast Day

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

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 the pastor.

Sat., July 30 Use handout	5 PM Great Vespers	2 Kings 4:38-44; Isaiah 40:1-11.
Sunday, July 31 Use handout	Confessions: 8:30-9:30 AM 10 AM Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners</i>	EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 1 Corinthians 1:10-18; Matthew 14:14-22. <u>Tone 7</u>
Mon., Aug. 1	No liturgical services today	Parish Office Closed
Tuesday, August 2 MCI or p. 368	Confessions: 8:00-8:30 AM 9 AM Divine Liturgy +Poor souls by +Dr. Bill Carnazzo	Translation of the Relics of Holy Protomartyr and Archdeacon Stephen. 1 Corinthians 12:12-26; Matthew 18:18-22, 19:1-2, 13-15. Parish Office Open
Wednesday, August 3 Use handout	9 AM Matins Day of Alleluia	Venerable Fathers Isaac, Dalmatus, & Faustus. 1 Corinthians 13:4 - 14:5; Matthew 20:1-16. Parish Office Open
Thursday, August 4 Use handout	10 AM Memorial Divine Liturgy for +Julie +Julie Carlin 1 PM Burial	Holy Seven Children of Ephesus. 1 Corinthians 14:6-19; Matthew 20:17-28. Burial at Arroyo Grande Cemetery. See announcement for more details.
Friday, August 5 MCI or p. 348	Confessions: 4:30-5:00 PM 5:30 PM Vigil Vespersal Divine Liturgy Rolland Risch by the Thomas Family	TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST. <i>(Vigil) with Blessing of Fruit.</i> Exodus 24:12-18; Exodus 33:11-23; 3 Kings 19:3-9, 11-13, 15-16. Parish Office Open
Saturday, August 6 MCI or p. 346 Use handout	Confessions: 9:00-9:30 AM 10 AM Divine Liturgy For the Parishioners 5 PM Great Vespers	TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST. <i>(Solemn Holy Day) with Blessing of Fruit.</i> 2 Peter 1:10-19; Matthew 17:1-9. Psalm 106:1-30; Psalm 88:1-13.
Sunday, August 7 Use handout	Confessions: 8:30-9:30 AM 10 AM Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners</i>	NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 1 Corinthians 3:9-17; Matthew 14:22-34. <u>Tone 8</u>

UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES

August 6: Solemn Feast Day: Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ

August 5 at 5:30pm: Vigil Vespers Divine Liturgy; August 6 at 10am: Divine Liturgy

August 15: FEAST DAY: Dormition of the Theotokos (Obligation)

August 14 at 4pm—Great Vespers; August 15 at 10am and 6:30pm Divine Liturgies

Birthdays: July 31—Jeff Baron; August 2—Tom Salmon; August 6—Bernadette Aguirre

Anniversary: [none this week]

God grant them many blessed years!

SUNDAY GIFTS TO THE LORD

July 24, 2022: collection

Total bank Deposit: \$5,311

Total parish income: \$2,341

Tithes: \$1,260

Donations: \$375

Candles: \$476

Holyday—Dormition St. Anne: \$80

Landscape Donation: \$50

***Eparchial Appeal:** \$2,970

Gift Shop: \$100

*These are special collections initiated by the Eparchy and do not count as income to the parish.

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 and click on the Giving tab.

May God bless your generosity to His Church!

OIL LAMP INTENTIONS

Eternal Lamp above Ambon in church: +Janice Sawko by Paul Sawko (1/29/23)

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:** +Neil & Velma Perry by Paul Sawko (1/29/23)

Icon of St. Anne: +Ann & Alex Sawko by Paul Sawko (1/29/23) **Icon of St. Nicholas:** [Available]

Icon of St. Mary Magdalene: +Sheryl Ibarra by Paul Sawko (1/29/23)

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 probably not tax-deductible and are not included in your tax-deductible letter.) See narthex envelopes to sponsor a lamp. Make checks payable to **St. Anne 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. Donations are not required, though the suggested stipend from the Pastoral Handbook is \$10, which is later paid to the priest offering the Liturgy. (These donations are probably not tax-deductible and are not included in your tax-deductible letter.)

Memorial Divine Liturgy for +Julie Carlin on August 4: +Julie Carlin is one of the early founding members of our parish. She helped build up this parish while it was in its infancy and had few financial resources or stability. She was especially someone who spearheaded very regular bake sale work that was sold at the Farmers Market in SLO to help us raise funds. Sadly, she passed away quickly from COVID on December 12, 2020. While part of her funeral took place privately in the funeral chapel before her cremation, we were not able to have a full funeral for her due to family concerns for health safety. Therefore, we will have this memorial Divine Liturgy to serve like her funeral on Thursday morning at 10am. Light luncheon will be provided by her family afterward (Please RSVP today to Fr. Michael if you plan to attend). Burial of her remains will take place at 1pm at Arroyo Grande Cemetery. All those from the parish are invited and encouraged to come. May the Lord grant to +Julie Carlin blessed repose and Eternal Memory!

Bring fruit on the Feast of the Transfiguration on August 5 or 6:

On Saturday, August 6, both the Eastern and Western Catholic Churches celebrate the major feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord, God, and Savior Jesus Christ. At this feast, we bring fruit to be blessed, especially round fruit such as grapes, apples, melon, and other fruit as we give thanks to the Lord for all the good fruit He has helped us work in our lives.

Dormition Fast: August 1-14

The 2022 Annual Typicon of our Ruthenian Byzantine Church says of this upcoming period: “The traditional rule for the Dormition Fast is a strict abstinence from August 1 to 14, with the usual mitigations (wine and oil) for Saturday and Sunday and the Feast of the Transfiguration (August 6). It is therefore, observed as the Great Fast. The Ruthenian Metropolia has identified this period as a penitential season (Canon 880, § 2). The observance of this fast is voluntary.”

CONGRATULATIONS!!!: WE MADE AND SURPASSED OUR EPARCHIAL APPEAL GOAL!

Goal: \$15,304.02. Money raised as of July 28, 2022: \$17,770!! THANK YOU!!

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Typicon 2023 order: See the July 24 bulletin for more info. Typicons are available for \$20 each by Pre-Order from our Gift Shop. Order forms (available in the gift shop) and payments are **due no later than Sunday, August 21, 2022.**

Online Byzantine courses and resources: Visit <https://tinyurl.com/ntmuetab> and <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCzhBP62eRM1DurlY43SfNJw> to learn more about our Tradition. Another great website of Byzantine Catholic resources can be found at <https://godwithusonline.org>

Parishioner Registration Forms available: Next weekend will be the 10-month anniversary for many of you who joined our parish last October. We are glad to have you here. Now that you're more settled in, you might be interested in registering with us. Some of you have wondered how you can be part of the birthday and anniversary commemorations. That is info that comes from the sheets you submit. Talk to Fr. Michael if you're interested in registering at St. Anne's.

Safe Environment Info

The Eparchy, within all its parishes, institutions and programs, is committed to assuring a safe environment in ministry for its children and vulnerable adults that conforms to the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. For additional information regarding the eparchial Safe Environment Program or to report any incidents or concerns, please contact:

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