

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
September 25, 2022



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., Sep. 24 Use handout	5 PM Great Vespers	Deuteronomy 10:12-22; 1 Samuel 24:1-13.
Sunday, September 25 Use handout	Confessions: 8:30-9:30 AM 10 AM Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners</i> 12 or 12:15 PM	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 2 Corinthians 6:1-10; Luke 5:1-11. Tone 7 <u>ECF Classes (catechesis for children)</u>
Mon., Sep. 26	No liturgical services today.	Parish Office Closed.
Tuesday, September 27	No liturgical services today.	Holy Martyr Callistratus and His Companions. Ephesians 2:19 - 3:7; Luke 5:12-16. Parish Office Closed.
Wednesday, September 28 MCI or p. 376	Confessions: 6:45-7:00 AM 7:30 AM Divine Liturgy Bob Cihak by Fr. Michael	Wenceslaus, Prince of the Czechs. <i>Venerable Father and Confessor Chariton.</i> 2 Corinthians 4:6-15; Luke 6:17-23. Parish Office Open.
Thursday, September 29 MCI or p. 376	Confessions: 6:45-7:00 AM 7:30 AM Divine Liturgy +Poor souls by +Dr. Bill	Venerable Father Cyriacus the Anchorite. Ephesians 4:14-19; Luke 6:12-19. Parish Office Open
Friday, September 30 MCI or p. 262	Confessions: 4:30-5:00 PM 5:30 PM Vigil Vespersal Divine Liturgy For the Parishioners	VIGIL: PROTECTION (Solemn Feast). OT Readings: Genesis 28:10-17; Ezechiel 43:27 - 44:4; Proverbs 9:1-11. Parish Office Open
Saturday, October 1 MCI or p. 261 Use handout	8 AM Festal Matins Confessions: 9:10-9:30 AM 10 AM Divine Liturgy +Janice Sawko by Gary & Jane Uhalt 5 PM Great Vespers	THE PROTECTION OF THE THEOTOKOS AND EVER VIRGIN MARY (Solemn Feast) Hebrews 9:1-7; Luke 10:38-42 & 11:27-28. Deuteronomy 10:12-22; 1 Samuel 24:1-13.
Sunday, October 2 Use handout	Confessions: 8:30-9:30 AM 10 AM Divine Liturgy <i>For the Parishioners</i> 12 or 12:15 PM	SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 2 Corinthians 6:16 - 7:1; Luke 6:31-36. <u>Tone 8</u> <u>ECF Classes (catechesis for children)</u>

UPCOMING CALENDAR DATES

September 25: First Official day of ECF for kids

Classes are planned for 12 or 12:15pm depending on the instructor.

October 1: FEAST DAY: Protection of the Theotokos (Solemn)

September 30 at 5:30pm—Vespers Divine Liturgy; October 1 at 8am—Festal Matins, 10am—Divine Liturgy

Birthdays: Sept. 25—Maria Sheehan; Sept. 30—Gabriel Gomez

God grant them many blessed years!

SUNDAY GIFTS TO THE LORD

September 11, 2022: collection

Total bank Deposit: \$2,451

Total parish income: \$2,451

Tithes: \$1,695

Building Fund: \$50

Donations: \$288

Candles: \$312

Gift Shop: \$106

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: [Available]

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.)

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>

Marian Feast on October 1: A solemn holy day is coming up this month: the Protection of Mary the Theotokos. I encourage you to attend one or more of the three liturgical services we are celebrating at St Anne's for this important, and much needed, feast.

- 1) Friday, September 30: Vigil Divine Liturgy at 5:30pm
- 2) Saturday, October 1: Festal Matins at 8am
- 3) Saturday, October 1: Divine Liturgy at 10am

Eastern Catholic Formation Program (ECF) for kids starts THIS SUNDAY, September 25: Our first day of Sunday School instruction (equivalent to CCD) will be TODAY, September 25. Instructors usually start class about 12 or 12:15pm depending on the instructor. Registration is \$10 per student to cover materials. See last bulletin for more info.

Eparchial Appeal 2022 concludes this week: The Eparchial Appeal officially concludes this week. We are no longer accepting donations to this special collection made directly through our parish since we would not have enough time to process it and mail a check from us to the Eparchy. However, there is a way to make a last-minute donation if you desire to do so using credit or debit card through this website no later than September 30, 2022: <https://ephx.org/st-annes-eparchial-appeal/>
Again, our parish is NOT processing donations to the Eparchial Appeal anymore this year but the Eparchy's webpage will be able to process your donation if it is on or before September 30.

Vocation corner: "When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him." Have you seen the Lord work in your life in such a powerful way that you would consider leaving everything to follow him? This is the response of the apostles in today's gospel reading and especially the response of monastics in the Church today. The Church is fortified by men and women who follow him as priests, deacons, subdeacons, monks and nuns. If you may be hearing such a call, Contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org

Pints with Aquinas interview with Byzantine Catholic Nuns: In a recent episode of Pints with Aquinas, Matt Fradd interviews Mother Gabriella and Mother Natalia from Christ the Bridegroom Monastery in Burton, Ohio. Many good topics including helpful spiritual reading, Star Trek, and how to pray the Jesus Prayer are in this episode. Probably best for people 16 years of age and up:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dzPlzli5T-Q>

You can also find it in your Apple podcast app and maybe other platforms too.

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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