

January 26, 2025

Sunday After Pentecost / Tone 3

Glory to Jesus Christ! / Glory to Him Forever!
¡Gloria a Cristo! / ¡Gloria a Él para siempre!



**Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix
Most Reverend Kurt Burnette Apostolic Administrator**

**Our Lady of Perpetual Help Byzantine Catholic Church
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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday—Friday 10:00 am—4:00 pm
Thursday OFF

THEOSIS : 2nd & 4th Thursday
Bible Study 6:45 pm / Zoom

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**Confession (Mystery of
Reconciliation):**

9:00—10:00 am on Sundays, before or
after weekday Liturgies, or by appoint-
ment with Father

**Mysteries of Baptism/Chrismation/
Eucharist:**

Must be arranged three months in
advance.
(Pre-Jordan requirement)

Mystery of Crowning:

Must be arranged six months in
advance
(Pre-Cana requirement)

May the Lord Bless your kindness and
generosity to His House!

ONLINE GIVING / ONLINE TITHING

is available on our website:

For those parishioners who can't attend in person or trav-
eling or anyone who find this more convenient, we just set
up a new way to tithe online using your credit card or deb-
it card information. You can do a one-time donation or
setup weekly donations!! You will receive a receipt and
statement immediately after donating. The software takes
a very small percentage of the donation, but its worth it for
the ease of the system. You can donate using your com-
puter / smartphone at [ps://www.olphnm.org/giving](https://www.olphnm.org/giving).

Sick and Shut-Ins: It is the family's
responsibility to notify the parish office
when a parishioner is in the hospital or
confined to home because of sickness or
old age. Father will bring the confined
person the Holy Mysteries on a regular
basis. It is recommended that one re-
ceive the Anointing of the Sick before any
major surgery. Please don't let the priest
be last to know that someone is ill!

Welcome to our Church! If you are looking for a spiritual home, contact Father Vasyi/Fr Chris or the office staff for more information. God bless you!

2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Matthew 15:21-28

YouTube Live 8:30 am Rosary

9:00 am Matins & Confessions

ECF Classes

10:00 am Divine Liturgy / Intention for the Parishioners of OLPH

Sacraments of Initiation for Agnes Griffith & Katherine Wofford

Eternal Lamp: Holy Protection of the Mother of God over People of Ukraine

Jan 27 Mon

Translation of the Relics of John Chrysostom / Heb 7:26-8:2; Jn 10:9-16

9:00 am Divine Liturgy / Ellenberg Family

Annunciation Church in Anaheim CA

8:00 pm (Mountain Time) Vespers with Profession of Faith

Bishop-Elect Artur Bubnevych

Jan 28 Tue

Ephrem the Syrian Venerable / James 3:1-10; Mk 11:11-23

9:00 am Divine Liturgy / Special Intention by Jilek Family

Annunciation Church in Anaheim CA

2:00 pm (Mountain Time)

Hierarchical Divine Liturgy with Episcopal Ordination and Enthronement of

Fr. Artur Bubnevych

6:00—7:30 pm Lord Teach Me to Pray Women's group meeting

Jan 29 Wed

Translation of the Relics of Ignatius Martyr / James 3:11-4:6; Mk 11:23-26

4:00-6:00 pm Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

6:00 pm Vespers & Divine Liturgy / Veneration of Relics

Special Intention by Jilek Family

Jan 30 Thu

Three Holy Hierarchs / Simple Holy Day / Heb 13:7-16; Mt 5:14-19

Jan 31 Fri

Cyrus and John Unmercenaries / 1 Pet 1:1-2.10-12; 2:6-10; Mk 12:1-12



9:00 am Prayer & Witness in front of abortion clinic on Lomas

6:00 pm Divine Liturgy / INTENTION AVAILABLE

Feb 1 Sat

Tryphon Martyr / 1 Thess 5:14-23; Lk 17:3-10

9:00 am—12 noon church cleaning

Feb 2 Sun

***Sunday of Zacchaeus / Encounter of Our Lord With Simeon and Anna
1 Tim 4:9-15 & Heb 7:7-17; Lk 19:1-10 & Lk 2:22-40***

4:00 pm Great Vespers

Hebrew Scriptures for Sunday:

Exodus 12:51; 13:1-3.10-12.14-16; 22-29; Leviticus 12:1-4.6-8; Numbers 8:17

5:00 pm Divine Liturgy / Blessing of Candles / Bishop Artur by Beverly Stockton

8:30 am Rosary

YouTube LIVE

9:00 am Matins & Confessions

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Eternal Lamp: Holy Protection of the Mother of God over People of Ukraine

Remember Those Who Request Our Prayers:

Physician and Help of Those in sickness, Redeemer and Savior of the infirm; O Master and Lord of all, grant healing to your servants. Be clement, show mercy to those who have sinned much, and deliver them, O Christ, from their Iniquities, that they may glorify your might divine

Sharif Rabadi	Harry & Barbara	Jordan Smith
Jenny Ford	De Lap	Janet Worthington
Marilyn Fore	Irene Bradley	Patti Klinkovsky
Sven & Barbara	Sorlah Chavez	Matt Williamson
Svensson	Abraham Haddad	James Epstein
Laurie Bienz	Marianne Gerace	Katy Ford
Brent Dodson-	Michael Baron	Madalyn Davis
Sands	Jessica Pieniadz	Rebecca Russo
Lara Davis	Rhonda Glasscock	Jacob McTernan
Carol Donlin	Amber Roybal	Paola Terlaza
Marcie Dark	Philip Leahy	Vicki Frank
Fr Chris Zuggger	Juanita Montoya	Emily
Fr Robert Rankin	Linda Granci	Wojciechowski
Fr. Steve Washko	Christopher	Fr Joel Barstad
Buster Miscusi	Barlow	Fr. Joseph Wargaki
Richard Jacobs	Joel Ford	Fr James Bankston
Lourdes Lasin	Andrew Martinez	Killian Parker

Intentions of the Rosary:

- 1st Decade: Help for persecuted Catholics, especially in communist and Islamic states
- 2nd Decade: Spiritual and physical growth of our parish and the Byzantine Catholic Church
- 3rd Decade: Increase in vocations to priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life to serve the Byzantine Catholic Church
- 4th Decade: Repose of the souls who have no one praying for them
- 5th Decade: Healing of the sick in body, mind and soul

Holy Father's Intentions / January For the right to an education

Let us pray for migrants, refugees, and those affected by war, that their right to an education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.

“...even the little dogs eat the crumbs from their masters’ table.” Today’s encounter between the Canaanite woman and our Lord shows us what hunger for salvation looks like. The entire world seeks fulfillment that comes to us through union with God. Is He calling you to serve and show this mystical reality by serving as a monk or nun, or through a life in the holy orders? Reach out to the Vocations Office at 602-861-9778 or email: vocations@ephx.org



Vocation Icon

Today: Hebert Family
Next Sunday: Carol Donlin

Feb 2, 2025

Cantor: Andrea Riley
Reader: : Dylan Davidson-Talley
Trojca: Lucy Wells
Counters: Michael Wells &
Michael Fedorowich

Propers for 2/2/25
37th Sunday after Pentecost
Encounter of our Lord with
Simeon & Anna
Tone 4

Entrance Hymn - 321
Troparion (Tone 4) - 141
Troparion (Encounter) - 321
v. Glory...
Kontakion (Tone 4)- 141
v. Now & Ever...
Kontakion (Encounter)- 321
Prokeimenon & Alleluia - 142 &
322
Instead of 'It Is Truly Proper' -
322
Our Father- 69
Communion - 80 & 323 [E]

The OLPH Prayer Warriors

make intercessory prayer a daily commitment. We pray voluntarily and without bias; that is, we take to the Blessed Trinity the requests that come our way.

The Prayer Warriors meet on Zoom every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. for the meetings. **If you would like to join the Prayer Warriors**, would like additional information, and/or would like for us to pray for your intentions, please contact Lara Davis at crowhopdavis@yahoo.com

Coming Events—Mark Your Calendars Now

Mon Feb 3	11:00 am Finance Council Meeting
Mon Feb 3	6:00 pm Advisory board meeting
Thu Feb 20	10:30 am—Noon OASIS Class
Thu Feb 20	6:00 pm Apologetics Club
Sat Feb 22	1st All Souls Saturday 9:00 am Divine Liturgy / Panachida
Sat Feb 22	Altar server & Trojca holder practice after Panachida
Mon Mar 3	Beginning of Great Fast 6:00 pm Presanctified Liturgy
Sat Mar 15	2nd All Souls Saturday 9:00 am Divine Liturgy / Panachida
Sat Mar 22	3rd All Souls Saturday 9:00 am Divine Liturgy / Panachida

For those going to Anaheim for the consecration of Bishop-elect Artur, it is recommended that you pack N 95 masks due the heavy pollution caused by the fires in the Los Angeles area. Everyone is asked to continue to pray for an end to the fires, relief for those affected by that disaster, and of course for God's blessings on Father Artur as he prepares for his consecration!

Alicia's Hall Report

Wonderful social as always! Thanks to the Weagel family for bringing pulled pork, Sena family for the chicken, Montañó family for the rice and beans, and the Brewer family for the doughnuts! A big thanks to my Mother in law Pani Mary, Savanna Gloetzner, and all those who helped clean up! Please sign up to set up, host, or clean up in February. Remember (and remind your kids) to dump food waste into the compost bowl, rinse plate and utensils and put in the dishwasher. Team work makes the dream work! <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C054AAAAA2AA4F94-olph#/>.
Have a blessed week!

Thank you to the Alvarado Park Community Association for their donation of \$100 for use of our hall during the year. The Association is very active in keeping up the park and doing improvements for this neighborhood along with the San Pedro Revitalization project. **Thanks also to Alex Jurado of the Voice of Reason program.** We had 15 enthusiastic teens last Sunday who peppered him with good questions about the Faith.

2025 Pysanky Workshops

OLPH will again host workshops for anyone interested in creating pysanky (Ukrainian Easter eggs). The workshops are open to all skill levels (children do need a supervising adult) and will be held January-March at the following dates from **12-3pm** in the parish hall: **February 17 & 22, March 17 & 22. All OLPH Parishioners receive a 50% discount of workshop participation fee.** Workshop space is limited, so please sign up at <http://tinyurl.com/olph-pysanky>

ALL SOULS SATURDAYS will take place in February, March, and June. Please submit **FIRST NAMES** of your deceased on the envelope; if there is no change from 2024 write "same as last year" as we keep the list updated. If you are **writing a check as an offering for All Souls, please make the check out to the parish**, as the priests who offer these Liturgies will be different while we await a new pastor to be assigned. **We will then provide the stipends to the celebrating priests.** Thank you for your cooperation!

Plan ahead: Sunday, February 2nd is the Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord in the Temple. The traditional Blessing of Candles will take place at the conclusion of the weekend Liturgies. You can bring your own candles, or you can purchase candles that will be put out on the blessing table. Thank you!

The feast of the **Three Holy Hierarchs** will be celebrated with **Vespers and Liturgy on Wednesday, January 29, at 6 pm.** Veneration of the relics of the holy bishops will take place.

Guidelines for Volunteering at Our Lady of Perpetual Help: A volunteer is a valued part of the church. The volunteer should be at least 18 years of age. If under 18, the volunteer should be accompanied by a parent or have been given permission by the parent to perform volunteer activities while supervised by another adult. All volunteers must be approved by the Pastor. At the Pastor's discretion, he can request letters of reference or additional information prior to approval. All volunteers older than age 18 must complete a background check with the Eparchy of Phoenix and must complete the annual requirement for Safe Environment training. For parishioners who are new to the parish, we ask for regular participation in the parish, the Holy Sacraments and Divine Liturgy for a period of one year before volunteering with Eastern Christian Formation, the Choir, or as an Altar Server.

MANDATORY SAFE ENVIRONMENT ONLINE TRAINING FOR ALL THE VOLUNTEERS

Reminder: PLEASE, CHECK your Safe Environment Compliance Certificate Expiration date. Please note that Online Virtus training for many will be expiring within August-Sept-October. The Eparchy's revised Safe Environment Policy no longer allows for lapses in compliance - either in Virtus training or in background screenings - for **ALL OLPH VOLUNTEERS AND EXPLORER YOUTH GROUP LEADERS.** Anyone falling out of compliance at any point must immediately cease from their designated area of service at OLPH until such time as they are in compliance once again. No one - not members of the clergy, volunteers, educators, employees etc. - may serve for even one day when out of SEP compliance. Thank you for your vigilance in this matter.

Please join Archbishop John C. Wester, Deacon Pat Sena, the Knights of Columbus, and New Mexico Pro-Life leaders for the Sanctity of Life Day in Santa Fe on

Tuesday, January 28th ...

12:00 PM - Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Santa Fe

1:30 PM - March for Life to the NM Capitol Roundhouse

2:00 PM - Prayer Rally outside at the SE quadrant of the Roundhouse

2:30 PM - Speeches inside the Roundhouse by Pro-Life Representatives

Many lives can be saved when we pray and witness for Life in 2025!!!

Apologetics Club

We will be hosting an Apologetics Club for ages 18 and up, meeting on the third Thursday of the month at 6pm in our hall. Alex Jurado will be the moderator and main presenter. He is well-known for his online presence at the Voice of Reason channel on YouTube, and has been an active member of our parish for two years. We ask that you sign up if you are interested, or speak to Alex. There will be presentations on how to explain and defend different doctrines of the Catholic Faith, aspects of Church history, resources to use, etc.

Three Holy Hierarchs by Fr. Chris

Jan 30 - **Feast of SS. Basil the Great (also known as Basil of Caesarea), Gregory the Theologian (also known as Gregory of Nazianzus) and John Chrysostom.** These influential bishops shaped our theology and worship through their extensive writing and preaching. Each has a feast day in January. **All three are remembered today as a result of intense debates that raged in 11th century Constantinople as to who of these great Fathers was the greatest?** Through a vision granted St. John Mouropos in which they appeared to him and said that they were all equal in God's eyes, this feast was instituted in 1084. The Catholic Church also honors them as Doctors of the Church.

Basil and Chrysostom both had profound influences on our worship, through their Anaphoras (Eucharistic Prayers) which we use today. **Basil** served as a bishop of Caesarea-in-Cappadocia who defended the Trinity's unity and Christ's humanity and divinity against the Arians, as well as founding many institutions for the poor, sick, orphans, abandoned elderly, and schools.

Chrysostom, which means "golden tongue" was a powerful preacher who was not afraid to challenge his listeners to deeper spiritual lives, while speaking against any form of oppression. He also advocated for physical and spiritual care of the poor. He was bishop of Antioch and then archbishop of Constantinople itself. He died in exile because of his condemnation of the empress' scandalous lifestyle. **Gregory**, like the other two, led a personal life of penance and fasting. He was also an archbishop of Constantinople and he is surnamed "The Theologian" for his brilliant writings against the Arians, in defense of the Holy Spirit, and the Holy Trinity. His contemporaries considered that he surpassed the ancient Greek writers and that he was directly inspired by God.

The first seminary of our Byzantine Catholic Church was, appropriately enough, dedicated to these three theologians. It stands in the castle that defended the town of Uzhhorod. It served generations of students who prepared for the priesthood from 1776 until 1945, when the seminarians were asked to "temporarily" leave by the Soviet rulers – it has never been returned, and today is a museum.

EPISCOPAL ORDINATION OF
BISHOP-ELECT ARTUR BUBNEVYCH

You can watch the ceremonies LIVE on our apologetics channel on
YouTube. Type in “Our Lady of Perpetual Help NM”

Monday 27 January 2025: 8:00 pm MOUNTAIN TIME

- Solemn Vespers and Profession of Faith

Tuesday 28 January 2025: 2:00 pm MOUNTAIN TIME

– Divine Liturgy with Consecration

The videos will be archived and available for later viewing.

