

St. Isaac



2nd Sunday after Pentecost May 29, 2016 Epistle: Romans 2:10-16 Gospel: Matthew 4:18-23



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SCHEDULE:

Sunday: Rosary 8:30 am Festal Matins 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am

Monday, Divine Liturgy 9:00 am Tuesday, Divine Liturgy 9:00 am Wednesday OLPH Devotions, 5:30 pm Divine Liturgy 6:00 pm Friday, Divine Liturgy 6:00 pm **Saturday**: Great Vespers 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy 6:00 pm

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday: 10:00 am – 4:00 pm Thursday OFF

Theosis: 2nd & 4th Thursday pot luck dinner 6:00 pm Bible Study 7:00 pm Gospel of Matthew

Eastern Christian Formation Program:

All grades meet every Sunday after Liturgy for 45 min

Confession Schedule (Mystery of Reconciliation):

9:15-10:00 am on Sundays, before or after weekday Liturgies, or by appointment 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)

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 receive 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 Artur or the office staff for more information. God bless you.

Today						
	8:30 am Rosary					
	9:00 am	Matins/ Confessions				
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy for Parish Family, Benefactors & Friends				
		Fr. Chris: Intention of Steve Horner by Henry Zugger				
	Eternal Lamp: Intention of Ann Rajala					
		ECF Sports Day				
Monday	Memorial Day					
May 30	Isaac - Venerable					
	Epistle: Romans 7:1-13; Gospel: Matthew 9:36-10:8					
	9:00 am	Liturgy and Panachida for the repost of ALL those who				
		died in Service to the United States.				
	6.00pm	Advisory Board Meeting				
Tuesday	Hermas, Apostle; Hermeas, Martyr					
May 31	Epistle: Romans	7:14-8:2; Gospel: Matthew 10:9-15				
	9:00 am	Blessing on Alan Santa Maria by				
		Lorcan and Christy MacMurchadha				
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	6:00 pm	Blessing on Tessa Pettit by Pam Pettit				
		Fr. Chris: +Frank Chiaravoli by Joe Cane				
Thursday	Nicephor Patriarch Epistle: Romans 8:22-27; Gospel: Matthew 10:23-31					
June 2	Epistle: Romans					
		Father's Day Off				
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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 Stephen Horner Katrina Anderson Lillian Murphy Marilyn Fore Demetrius Yackanich Sven & Barbara Svensson Abraham Haddad Jenny Ford Robert Hasaka Threima Leech Pricilla Hughes Steve Jakymiw Fr. Julian Gnall Henry Zugger John & Margie Disque Phillip Fall Laura Dominguez Olga Bodnar Frances Brannan John Deflice Joe & Mary Ann Kosty Jordan Smith Maggie Batsel Brent Bromberg William Frank Joseph Koetter Mary Nell Preisler Mike Harahuc Robert Zadel Nathan Barkocy Jack & Lorraine Hubbell Quintin Santamaria & Family Heather Mattax Larry Bennett Paola Terlaza

Prayers in honor of and to the Blessed Virgin are a powerful weapon against sin, and for healing. Glorious Mysteries are recited from Easter Sunday until All Saints Sunday.

If you recite the Rosary at home, please offer these intentions, and join us on Sunday at 8:30 am. Those who recite the Akathist to the Mother of God or the Rosary receive a partial indulgence when they do so in private, plenary indulgence when they do so as a group

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 for May

Universal: That, rejecting the culture of indifference, we may care for our neighbors who suffer, especially the sick and the poor.

Evangelization: That Mary's intercession may help Christians in secularized cultures be ready to proclaim Jesus.



Vocation Icon Today: Jilek Next Sunday: Svensson

MOST REV. JOHN S. PAZAK C.Ss.R. APPOINTED BISHOP OF HOLY PROTECTION OF MARY BYZANTINE CATHOLIC EPARCHY IN PHOENIX- Most Rev. John S. Pazak C.Ss.R. has been named

bishop of our eparchy. Bishop Pazak has served as the bishop for the Slovak Eparchy of SS. Cyril & Methodius in Toronto, Canada since 2001. Bishop John is the brother of our parishioner Michael Pazak and brother-in-law of Michael's wife our parishioner Mary Jo Pazak. The enthronement of Bishop John will be take place on Wednesday, July 20 at 11:00 AM at. St. Helen Roman Catholic Church in Peoria. A luncheon will follow the enthronement service. May God grant many years and blessings to our new bishop, Bishop Pazak.

RETIREMENT OF BISHOP GERALD N. DINO- It was announced by the Vatican on Saturday, May 7 Pope Francis had accepted the resignation of our bishop, Most Rev. Gerald N. Dino. Bishop Dino has led and served our Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix since March of 2008. During his time as bishop of our eparchy has grown stronger and the the community of our priests serving the eparchy and our faithful have been blessed with solid leadership expressed with a kind and gentle spirit. May God grant Bishop Gerald many happy and enjoyable years of retirement.

DATE	READER	TROJCA	GREETER	COUNTER	HOST
June 5	Michael Wells	Ana Elisa Talamante	Dorothy Curl	Rafael Plut	Svensson
			Melinda Fitzpatrick	Dorothy Curl	

Barbara's Hall Report:

Thanks to Carly Bonham for making two big trays of lasagna, salad, and lots of watermelon. Yum, the lasagna was delicious. She cleaned up all the dishes and counters. Thanks!

I know school is out and it vacation time, but we sure have a lot of Sundays open for socials during the summer. So let's get some Sunday sign ups!

The Apostles Fast has started. Our Metropolia has identified this as a penitential season. This fast may be observed voluntarily. Abstinence is recommended for Wednesdays and Fridays.

Coming Events—Mark Your Calendars Now!

June 6 – 10	Eparchy of Phoenix Clergy Conference at St. Stephen Cathedral Hall, Phoenix, AZ		
June 24 – 26	Myrrh-Bearers Women Retreat Franciscan Retreat House in Phoenix,		
	AZ. Retreat theme: "Journey to Holiness."		
Saturday, June 18	10:00 am – 4:00 pm Annual Byzantine Bazaar featuring traditional		
-	stuffed cabbage rolls, pirohi, sausage, baklava, home-made baked		
	goods, a wide range of Catholic books and Eastern icons in our store,		
	great raffle prizes, tours of the church and its centuries old art.		
Friday, June 24	Feast of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist		
	6:00 pm Divine Liturgy with blessing of Litija Bread and Myrovanije		
Sunday, June 26	Feast of the Miraculous Icon of Our Lady of Perpetual Help—our		
	church patron feast.		
Saturday	5:00 pm Great Vespers with Litija		
Sunday	9:00 am Festive Matins		
	10:00 am Divine Liturgy/Myrovanije		
	6:00 – 8:00 pm Parish Family picnic at the Montgomery Pool		
Wednesday, June	Feast of the Preeminent Apostles SS Peter & Paul		
29	(HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION)		
Tuesday	6:00 pm Vesper Divine Liturgy with blessing of Litija and Myrovanije		
Wednesday	9:00 am Festive Divine Liturgy/Myrovanije		

Thank You from Birth Right of Albuquerque:

On behalf of the Board and the Volunteers of Birth Right of Albuquerque, I would like to offer our sincere thanks to the parish family of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Your support of our annual Mother's Day Carnation Benefit for Life was a huge success. This year Our Lady of Perpetual Help contributed \$735.00 to Birthright of Albuquerque, \$500.00 to Birth Right of Socorro, and \$500.00 to Birth Right of Farmington. These monies go a long way in meeting our 2016 fiscal requirements.Be assured of our prayers of thanksgiving for your very generous support.

Our ANNUAL BAZAAR is scheduled this year on Saturday, June 18, 10AM-4PM!!! We are once again asking for homemade baked goods from our parishioners. There is a sign-up sheet on the credenza near the front door. This year we will sell whole cakes, whole pies, breads, cookies by the dozen, etc. We will no longer sell slices or individual small items. Keep this in mind when choosing what you will make. Please think about making your yummiest baked goods. Traditional Eastern European bakery products are most popular.

Make sure that cakes and pies are in containers that will be sold with the item. Your items must be visible- do not wrap in foil. Please make sure the items and containers are as attractive as possible. Do not price the items. If we know in advance exactly what you are making, we can make professional tags and have professional boxes. Please no gluten free or sugar free - they do not sell. Breads (which sell very well) can be either sweet or savory. As a group, we will make kolachi - so that is already covered.

These baked goods must be brought to the church the Friday before the bazaar. If you have questions or need ideas, please see Melinda Fitzpatrick.

Mothers Group Potluck in the Park Saturday, June 4 from 4-7pm

Please join the Mothers' Group for a potluck at North Domingo Baca Park Sat 6/4/16 from 4-7pm. Mothers group will provide plates, napkins, utensils & beverages. There is a nice playground with shade, bathrooms, & plenty of room to run around. All are welcome to join in the fun! We'll set up near the playground.

Driving directions: Carmel Ave. NE Albuquerque, NM 87111 (off Paseo del Norte & Wyoming)

Pool Party

Our Knights of Columbus Council is sponsoring two events this summer. Membership is open to all Catholic men ages 18 and up. In addition, the Knights clean the church and grounds on the first Saturday of the month. See Dan Riley, Miles Gloetzner, Brook Jilek, Jeff Brewer, Tom Plut for more information.

All of our Catholic family members are encouraged to attend our Council's first family Night on **Thursday**, **June 16**, **2016**. The recurring "Family Night" event will be held on the 3rd Thursday of each month. Details will be published closer to the date.

Mark your calendars with the OLPH Church Picnic and Pool Party at Montgomery Pool on **Sunday, June 26th** from 5 – 8 pm. No doubt it will be great fun as always; the Council will provide burgers and franks and do the grilling. Parishioners are asked to bring side dishes or desserts.

Myrrh-Bearers Retreat for all girls, 7-11, teens 12-17 & women 18+

SAVE THE DATE*:* The Myrrh-Bearers Retreat will be held from Friday, June 24th to Sunday, June 26th at the Franciscan Renewal center, Scottsdale, AZ.

<u>Journey to Holiness</u> is the theme for this Retreat. All girls, 7-11, teens 12-17 and women 18+ are invited to attend this annual Retreat. Fliers are available for Registrations. **PLAN NOW TO ATTEND!**

2016 BYZANTEEN NATIONAL YOUTH RALLY: July 7-10 at Notre Dame College, South Euclid, Ohio

The Biannual Byzantine National Youth Rally will take place this year at Notre Dame College,

South Euclid, Ohio (Cleveland Area) from Thursday, July 7 to Sunday, July 10. The theme of this rally is

The Lord is My Rock and My Refuge: "FEARLESS". The Keynote Speaker will be Father Damian Ference

(Priest, Musician, Philosopher, Youth Minister). ByzanTeen participants must be age 13 by November 1, 2016.

The Teen Rally cost is \$300.00 per person. The deadline to register is Thursday, June 16, 2016. If you wish to attend please see Fr. Artur for Registration/Medical Authorization forms.

Today is the feast of Saint Isaac of the Dalamtian Monastery (+383). He came from Syria and defended the True Faith against Emperor Valens, who had become an Arian and closed Catholic churches, in the late 4th century. Isaac went to Constantinople and prophesied that Valens would be defeated and burned alive if he did not repent. Indeed, the emperor went forth and lost the battle against the invading Goths and died in a fire. Emperor Theodosius the Great reopened the closed churches and a monastery was built for Isaac in the city. As his successor was St. Dalmatus, it became the Dalmatian Monastery.

In the Roman rite, **the weeks after Pentecost** are known as "**Ordinary Time**." But in the Eastern Churches, these weeks are listed as **Sundays after Pentecost**. Why? Because in the East, we really do not have an ordinary time. **All time has been sanctified, and actually made extraordinary!**

Time is now to be counted from the Descent of the Holy Spirit. *Everything is affected by the power of the Spirit.* We have been changed by the Holy Spirit: each of us is called to exercise one or more of these gifts in the apostolate to build up the parish and the universal Church alike. We are the children of the Spirit - we are empowered by the Holy Spirit to go out into the universe and proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ Who is crucified and risen. – Fr Chris

MEMORIAL DAY: MONDAY- MAY 30, 2016: We wish our parishioners and their families and friends a relaxing and enjoyable Memorial Day this Monday, May 30. Memorial Day typically signals the beginning of summer throughout our country with warm weather on the way. Traditionally people have picnics, BBQ's and swimming pools open in the more temperate parts of our country. We should all remember the main purpose of Memorial Day is to remember and pray for those who died while in service of our country.

Pilgrimage to the Shrines of France. Join Fr. Joseph Mary, CFR on a pilgrimage to the Shrines of France including: Lourdes, La Sallette, Lisieux, Paray-le-Monial,(the home of devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus), Rue de Bac, (where we received the Miraculous Medal). We'll also pay our respects to the sacrifices made on D-Day at the Normandy Beaches. October 24th – November 5, 13 days,



Baptism of Anastasia Talamante



Shut-ins Outreach Visit to Steve Jakymiw



Outing to Kimo Theater movie "Convinced"



Next Sunday is the canned goods collection for the Friars List of Needs: Full size aluminum pans Lids to aluminum pans Hot sauce Powered drink mixes Summer hats or caps Powdered coffee creamer Garlic powder Chili powder