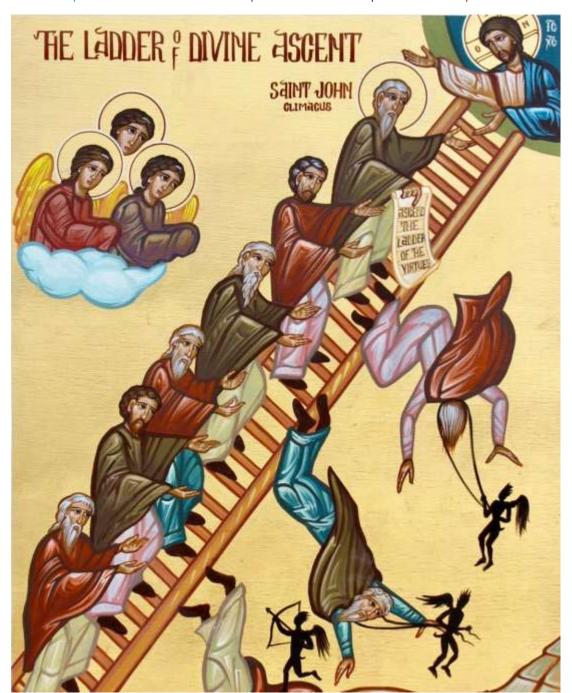
March 27, 2022 / Tone 3 4th Sunday of the Great Fast Memory of Our Holy Father John Climacus

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



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ONLINE GIVING / ONLINE TITHING

is available on our website:

For those parishioners who can't attend in person or traveling or anyone who find this more convenient, we just set up a new way to tithe online using your credit card or debit 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 computer / smartphone at: ps://www.ol phnm.org/giving.

OFFICE HOURS:

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

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

Advisory Board

Fr. Chris Zugger, Dan Riley, Rafael Plut, Jeff Brewer, Michael Grega, Alicia Wells

Finance Council

Matthew Blain, Maria Alden

Confession (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/Fr Chris or the office staff for more information. God bless you!

Hebrews 6:13-20; Mark 9:17-31

YouTube Live 8:30 am Rosary; 9:00 am Matins, Confessions 10:00 am Divine Liturgy for Parish Family, Benefactors and Friends

Eternal Lamp: Tessa Pettit by her mom

ECF Classes after Liturgy

Mar 28 Mon Hilary and Stephen Venerables / Gen 13:12-18; Prov 14:27-15:4

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9:00 am Jesus Prayer

6:00 pm Advisory Board meeting

Mar 29 Tue Mark, Cyril and Others Martyrs / Gen 15:1-15; Prov 15:7-19

9:00 am Jesus Prayer

Mar 30 Wed John Climacus Venerable/ Gen 17:1-9; Prov 15:20-16:9



5:30 pm OLPH Devotions
6:00 pm Presanctified Liturgy +Keenan and Lily Allen by Jilek Family

Mar 31 Thu Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete/ Gen 18:20-33; Prov 16:17-17:17

7:00 pm Matins with Great Canon of St Andrew of Crete followed by Reading Life story of St Mary of Egypt

April 1 Fri Mary of Egypt Venerable / Gen 22:1-18; Prov 17:17-18:5



9:00 am Prayer & witness in front of abortion clinic on San Mateo / Lomas 6:00 pm Presanctified Liturgy +Keenan and Lily Allen by Jilek Family

Apr 2 Sat Akathistos Saturday / Heb 9:24-28; Mk 8:27-31

9:00 am Akathist to the Mother of God/ Holubki making in hall

Apr 3 Sun 5th Sunday of the Great Fast / St. Mary of Egypt Heb 9:11-14; Mk 10:32-45

4:00 pm Vespers (YouTube Live)

5:00 pm Liturgy + Gerald and JoAnn Cooper by Mary Alice Cooper,

Hebrew Scriptures for Sunday:

YouTube Genesis 48:8-22; Daniel 3:13-28; Jeremiah (Lamentations 1:1-11)

LIVE 8:30 am Rosary; 9:00 am Matins, Confessions

ECF classes

10:00 am Divine Liturgy for Parish Family, Benefactors and Friends /
Eternal Lamp: +Agnes Adamsko Blessed Repose by daughter

YOUTUBE LIVE-STREAMING: OLPH Sunday / Holy Day Liturgies are available on YouTube. The link is https://youtube.com/c/olphmedia. Please click the "Subscribe" button to make it easier for you to find the channel in the future. Please, send your feedback about the quality of the live stream / comments / suggestions to Dan Riley: riley.dan@gmail.com

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 Jenny Ford Priscilla Hughes Marilyn Fore Sven & Barbara Svensson Laurie Bienz Brent Dodson-Sands Lara Davis

Fr Chris Zugger Marcie Dark Philip Leahy

Buster Miscusi Barbara De Lap Irene Bradley Soriah Chavez

Abraham Haddad Marianne Gerace Lori Medina Michael Baron Gabriel Preisler Todd Bailey Jessica Pieniadz Rhonda Glasscock Amber Roybal

Paola Terlaza Ruth Sousa Linda Granci Vicki Frank Christopher Barlow Tracy McTernan Scott Fafrak Jordan Smith Janet Worthington Patti Klinkovsky Matt Williamson

James Epstein



Vocation Icon Today: Carol Donlin

Next Sunday: Wells Family

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 March.

For a Christian response to bioethical challenges We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

"I believe! Help my unbelief!" Our gracious Lord comes to us, and His divine grace always heals what is infirm and supplies what is lacking. Nevertheless, He uses people to be His hands and feet. Our prayer and fasting can save the world! Are you open to dedicating your life as a consecrated monastic or religious, or a life in holy orders? Contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org

April 3, 2022

Cantor: Andrea Riley Reader: Michael Wells Altar Server: Michael Grega Trojca: Maddy Riley & Zachary Fedorowich

Counters: Rafael Plut, Ann Rajala

Propers for 4/3/2022 5th Sunday of Great Fast Tone 4

Typical Psalms & Beatitudes - 16,17 & 23

Troparion (Tone 4) - 141 Troparion (GF) - 230 v. Glory...

Kontakion (GF) - 230

v. Now & Ever...
Theotokion - 406

Prokeimenon & Alleluia - 142 & 231 Instead of 'It is Truly Proper' - 231 Our Father- 69

Communion - 78 & 232 [A]

OLPH Prayer Warriors

Sunday (Zoom). Send your prayer requests to Patricia at pocb@unm.edu
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THE PRAYER WARRIORS IS OPEN TO EVERYONE--WOMEN, MEN, & CHILDREN (children who have their parents' permission)! Please join us!!

Barbara's Hall Report

Alicia brought salad and made enchiladas, and the Fogg's brought beans.
Julia Wofford brought tortillas and salsa. Daniel Fogg and Julia washed most of the dishes.

Thanks to all who help out in any way to put on the socials.

Hopefully, Covid is gone, and we can get back to the business of serving & eating food! YUM!

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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Holy Week / Pascha A pril 11-17		
(All Services available — YouT ube live)		
Monday	6:00 pm	Bridegroom Matins
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Bridegroom Matins
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Presanctified Liturgy Holy Anointing
Thursday	7:00 pm	Vespers/ Divine Liturgy
		of St. Basil
Friday	10:00 am	Passion Matins
	7:00 pm	Vespers & Procession
		With the Burial Shroud
Saturday	11:00 am	Akathist to the Life
		Bearing Tomb of Christ
		6:00 pm Easter Vigil
Liturgy		
		Blessing of Baskets
Sunday	9:00 am	Resurrection Matins
		Liturgy
		Blessing of Baskets

Father Chris hears Lenten Confessions on Sunday mornings, starting at 9 am, and on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 5:30 pm, or by appointment. Since the room used for confessions is small with no ventilation, he asks that you still be so kind as to wear a mask. Please line up along the north wall of the church by the hall door. Thank you for your cooperation.

Updates from the Eparchial Commissions: Come Together This Summer!

Dear Faithful, we look forward to coming together as a broader Church once again. In addition to pilgrimages and other events, there are 2 wonderful opportunities for our youth supported by the Intereparchial Youth Committee and the Vocations Office. Mark your calendars and consider how our communities can support these events:

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: Our annual church bazaar is May 7th. In preparation, we will be making our traditional Slovak Stuffed Cabbage Rolls (Holubky) on Saturday, April 2nd. These are the real thing with the recipe handed down over the years by our church founders. We will be starting at 9am and end around 1pm with lunch following. Kids from 10 and up are welcome!

ByzanTeen Rally: **June 30th-July 3rd** at Mt. St. Mary University in Emmitsburg, Maryland. Teens 13-19 are invited to a nationwide gathering of Byzantine Catholics to grow together to love and serve the Lord. For more info visit: https://archpitt.org/byzanteen/;

Alive in Christ: July 14-17 at Black Diamond Camps near Auburn, Washington. Boys 7-17 and their fathers are invited to an Ascetical Boot Camp full of competitions, prayer and brotherhood in Christ. For more info, contact Fr Michael Mandelas Vocation Director at frmandelas@ephx.org

EPARCHIAL APPEAL

Bishop's Appeal 2022: Collected to date: **\$440.00**. Thank you: Block Family, Montano Family & Garcia Family. Our parish goal this year is \$22,054.74. If we reach our goal, our parish will receive a 10% rebate which is \$2,205.00!

Kindly give what you can to help our Eparchy and our Church. Thank you! We are requested to send our pledges directly to the Bishop's office in Phoenix, AZ, and our checks made to Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Eparchy. Thank you!

Birthright of Albuquerque is a pro-life crisis pregnancy center and is looking for volunteers to mentor clients or assist with the front desk. If interested, please call 505-262-2235 Monday through Thursday from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.

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Due to Covid, we will not be having our carnation fundraiser this year. However, all donations are appreciated and go to our pregnant mothers and their babies. Thank you for your on-going support.

Today, March 27, special collection for Ukraine.

In partnership with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB), the Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix is providing urgent aid to those suffering amidst the war in Ukraine with the 2022 Special Collection:

Aid to Ukraine.

The Eparchy of Phoenix will send collected funds for Aid to Ukraine to the USCCB. The USCCB's extensive network of humanitarian partners engaged in relief services will provide critical aid to those suffering in Ukraine.

As we try to get back to normal after the pandemic, we are restarting three ministries at OLPH. In order to thrive, our parish requires collection counters, greeters, and ushers; and the work of each ministry is described below. We have had very few volunteers to undertake these important tasks and we are asking again for volunteers. We would like to have enough volunteers such that each person serves only once per month. In order to volunteer for greeting contact Dan Riley, to volunteer for counting contact Michael Grega, and to volunteer for ushering contact Jeff Brewer. Greeting is a simple task requiring you to be friendly and welcoming to guests approximately 30 minutes before Sunday Liturgies, helping them to find liturgy books and briefly explaining the Byzantine traditions (e.g. reception of the Eucharist); it is a great way to meet everyone in our parish. Collection counting requires you to stay after liturgy for 1 hour to count and document the collection for the week. An usher needs only to be present at the Sunday Divine Liturgy and pass collection baskets from row to row; it's a great job for children with the help of their parents.

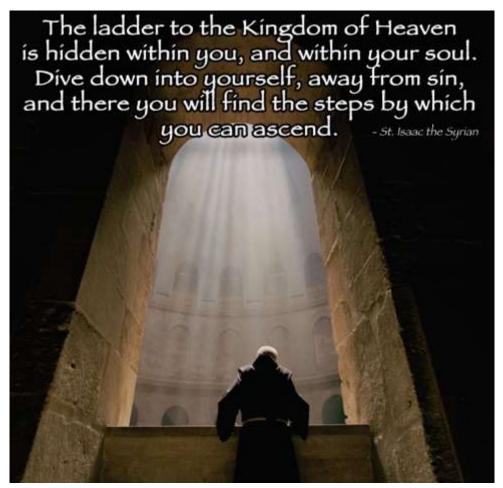
Eastern Catholic Formation classes resumed on March 6. Students are the first ones to go to the hall for a snack. When the bell is rung by Mrs. Donlin, they are asked to meet their teachers for their classes.

Thank you for your support of the ECF program!

The Great Canon of St Andrew of Crete

A basic distinguishing feature of the Great Canon is its extremely broad use of images and subjects taken both from the Old and New Testaments. As the Canon progresses, the congregation encounters many biblical examples of sin and repentance. The Bible (and therefore, the Canon) speaks of some individuals in a positive light, and about others in a negative one—the penitents are expected to emulate the positive examples of sanctity and repentance, and to learn from and avoid the negative examples of sin, fallen nature and pride. The Canon is written in such form that the faithful identify themselves with many people and events found in the Bible.

The Canon is a dialogue between Andrew and his own soul, and is a call to change one's life. Andrew used the biblical images to inspire himself to greater repentance and sorrow for his failings. It is a mix of sorrow, humility, hope in God, praise to the Holy Trinity, and devotion to Our Lady, the Mother of God.



Fourth Sunday of Great Lent: The Sunday of Saint John Climacus

John came to Saint Catherine's Monastery, at the foot of Mount Sinai, and became a novice when he was about 16 years old. He was taught about the spiritual life by the elder monk Martyrius. After the death of Martyrius, John, wishing to practice greater asceticism, withdrew to a hermitage further up the mountain. He lived in isolation for some twenty years, constantly studying the lives of the saints and thus becoming one of the most learned Church Fathers. When he was about seventy-five years of age, the monks of Sinai persuaded him to become their hegumen (superior or abbot). He served as abbot with the greatest wisdom, and his reputation spread so far that, according to the *Life*, Pope St. Gregory the Great wrote to recommend himself to his prayers, and sent him a sum of money for the pilgrim hospice of Sinai, in which pilgrims from all over the Christian world would lodge.

Of John's literary output we know only the *Ladder of Divine Ascent*, composed at the request of John, Abbot of Raithu, a monastery situated on the shores of the Red Sea, and a shorter work *To the Pastor* (Latin: *Liber ad Pastorem*), most likely a sort of appendix to the *Ladder*.