

June 9, 2024 / T one 2 / T hird Sunday A fter Pentecost

Christ is Among Us! He is and Always Shall Be!



Heartfelt congratulations to Father Thomas Donlin who was ordained on Thursday June 6 by Bishop Kurt Burnette during the Eparchial Clergy Days. All the clergy of the Eparchy and seminarians from our Seminary were present for the ordination. Please, pray for Father Thomas and for those discerning the diaconate and presbyterate service to the Church.

Heartfelt congratulations to Joshua Johnson who was ordained to the diaconate as Chaplain to serve our country in the military service by the Most Rev Neal Buckon an auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese for the Military Services.

Grant O Lord to your servants priest Thomas and deacon Joshua many happy and blessed years.

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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 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!

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 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.olphnm.org/giving](https://www.olphnm.org/giving).

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!

Romans 5:1-10; Matthew 6:22-34

YouTube Live 8:30 am Rosary; 9:00 am Matins & Confessions
10:00 am First Divine Liturgy of Thanksgiving/
Intention for the Parishioners of OLPH / Main celebrant Fr Thomas Donlin
Eternal Lamp: Holy Protection of the Mother of God over People of Ukraine

June 10 Mon ***Timothy Bishop Martyr / Rom 9:18-23; Mt 11:2-15***



9:00 am Divine Liturgy /God's Blessing on Charles E Freeman by Emma Caruso

June 11 Tue ***Bartholomew and Barnabas Apostles / Acts 11:19-26 & 29-30; Lk 10:16-21***

9:00 am Divine Liturgy / God's Blessing on Massimiliano Caruso by Emma Caruso

June 12 Wed ***Onuphry and Peter Venerables / Rom 11:2-12; Mt 11:20-26***



6:00 pm Divine Liturgy / +Quinton Alexander by Rita Montano

June 13 Thu ***Aquilina Martyr / Rom 11:13-24; Mt 11:27-30***

June 14 Fri ***Elisha Prophet / Rom 11:25-36; Mt 12:1-8***



9:00 am Prayer & Witness in front of abortion clinic on Lomas
6:00 pm Divine Liturgy / God's Blessing on Gertrude Cupryk by Svenssons

Jun 15 Sat ***Amos Prophet / Rom 6:11-17; Mt 8:14-23***

9:00 am Divine Liturgy (masks required) / Thanksgiving and salvation of Ashtin, Madison and Baby Walker Webb by Lara Davis

June 16 Sun ***4th Sunday After Pentecost / Father's Day / Rom 6:18-23; Mt 8:5-13***

4:00 pm Great Vespers (YouTube Live)
Hebrew Scriptures for Sunday: Numbers 5:5-10; Sirach 8:1-10; Isaiah 48:12-22
5:00 pm Divine Liturgy / +Priest Francis Vivona by David Vanderohé

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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

Sharif Rabadi	Harry & Barbara	Jordan Smith
Jenny Ford	De Lap	Janet Worthington
Marilyn Fore	Irene Bradley	Patti Klinkovsky
Sven & Barbara	Soriah Chavez	Matt Williamson
Svensson	Abraham Haddad	James Epstein
Laurie Bienz	Marianne Gerace	Katy Ford
Brent Dodson-	Michael Baron	Alton & Barbara
Sands	Gabriel Preisler	Bertschinger
Lara Davis	Jessica Pieniadz	Madalyn Davis
Carol Donlin	Rhonda	Rebecca Russo
Marcie Dark	Glasscock	Jacob McTernan
Jesse Hebert	Amber Roybal	Paola Terlaza
Fr Chris Zuggger	Philip Leahy	Vicki Frank
Fr Chris Andrews	Juanita Montoya	Jennifer Herring
Fr Robert Rankin	Linda Granci	Emily
Fr. Steve Washko	Christopher	Wojciechowski
Buster Miscusi	Barlow	
Richard Jacobs	Joel Ford	

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 / June

For migrants fleeing their homes We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

Lord our God, you are the treasury of blessings and giver of life. Help us to seek you out for all that we need and help us to see that you are all that we need. Give to your Church servants who would devote their lives to prayer as priests, deacons, monks and nuns, and strengthen those who have already answered this calling, we pray you, hear and have mercy.

“Seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness.” Our Lord challenged and always challenges his followers to be sure to seek his will. Spiritual fathers and mothers can be guides to help others so that we do not love mammon instead of God. Is this life of devotion to God something he is asking you to consider by discerning a vocation to the monastic life or to holy orders? Contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org



Vocation Icon

Today: Gloetzner Family
Next Sunday:
Talamante Family

June 16, 2024

Cantor: Evie Jilek

Reader: Brook Jilek

Altar Server: Michael Grega

Trojca: Lucy Wells

Counters: Jana Brewer &

Ann Rajala

Propers for 6/16/2024

4th Sunday after Pentecost

Tone 3

Troparion - 135

v. Glory...

Kontakion - 136

v. Now & Ever...

Theotokion - 406

Prokeimenon & Alleluia - 137

Our Father- 68

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 themed 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 Patricia at pocb@unm.edu

Alicia's Hall Report

Last Sunday we had a fantastic Frito pie feast to celebrate the Sena childrens' full initiations! Thank you Sena family and extended family for the feast!

Thanks to the Davidson-Talleys, Gloetzners, & Montanos for the delicious beans! Thanks to Julia, Marc, and Dylan for the super cleanup job! Next Sunday is Father's Day! Please sign up to bring food and pies here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C054AAAAA2AA4F94-olph#/. We are so blessed with all the wonderful fathers and role models we have here at OLPH! Have a blessed week

Coming Events—Mark Your Calendars Now

Mon Jun 24	Birth of John the Baptist/Solemn Feast 6:00 pm Divine Liturgy
June 27-30	ByzanTeen Youth Rally at the University of San Diego
Fri June 28	Peter and Paul Preeminent Apostles Holy Day of Obligation 6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy
Sun July 7	50th Jubilee OLPH Patronal Feast
Tue July 16	6:00 pm Advisory Board Meeting
Fri July 19	Elijah Great Prophet / Simple Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy
Thu Aug 1 Wed Jul 31	Beginning of Dormition Fast 6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy/Lesser Blessing of Water / Blessing of Honey
Mon Aug 5 Tue Aug 6	Transfiguration of Our Lord / Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy/Blessing of Fruit 9:00 am Divine Liturgy/Blessing of Fruit
Wed Aug 14 Thu Aug 15	Dormition of the Theotokos Holy Day of Obligation 6:00 pm Deposition of the Shroud / Liturgy / Blessing of Flowers 9:00 am Divine Liturgy / Myrovanije
Thu Aug 29 Wed Aug 28	Beheading of John the Baptist Simple Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy
Sun Sep 1	Beginning of the New Church Year
Fri Sep 13 Sat Sep 14	Exaltation of the Holy Cross Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy / Blessing of Litija 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
Mon Sep 30	Protection of the Theotokos Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy
Tue Oct 15	Celebration of the OLPH 50th Jubilee 3:30 pm Hierarchical Divine Liturgy 6:00 pm Dinner at Sheraton 7:30 pm Dancing with a live band (Die Polka Schlingels)

EPARCHIAL APPEAL 2024

The Annual Eparchial Appeal this year runs from **February 1st to August 31st**. The pledge form and information for the appeal was mailed directly from the Bishop's office to your home. Collected to date: **\$7,512.00**. Our parish goal for this year is **\$17,860.00** which bring it down to **\$300.00 per family**. We are requested to send our pledges directly to the Bishop's office in Phoenix, AZ, and our checks made to the Eparchy of Phoenix. Thank you for your support!

Sunday July 7th – OLPH Patronal Feast day

The celebration will start on Saturday at 4pm with **Great Vespers** and blessing of Litija. Sunday morning **Festal Matins** at 9:00 am followed by the **Solemn Divine Liturgy** at 10:00am with the Procession around the church and reading of the four Gospels followed by Myrovanije anointing with partaking of the Litija bread as it is customary on such occasion.

Parish Picnic and Pool Party is scheduled at 3 pm at Jileks house (817 Lamp Post Circle SE) The Jilek and Sullivan Families are honored to host the Parish picnic/pool party this year. **We invite you to bring** a side dish, desert, or chips and beverages of your choosing. Please bring folding chairs or picnic blankets, swimsuits, and a towel. You may park along the street and driveway of the house immediately to the east of our home. We can't wait to see you!

Ask a Priest question :

Why was the Church upset about Galileo and the solar system ideas he had, but not Mendel and his genetic studies? Father Gregor Mendel was an Augustinian priest-monk in Bohemia. He studied plants using the gardens of his monastery in Brno. From the Society of Catholic Scientists: *He chose to study the inheritance of seven traits. He discovered mathematical patterns in the inheritance of these traits, which he explained in terms of two laws (the "Law of Segregation" and the "Law of Independent Assortment"), which are now called Mendel's Laws of Inheritance. These concern what are now called "genes" (Mendel called them "factors") and are the beginning of the science of genetics. What is important to note is that Father Mendel used scientific methods, with carefully notated studies, in order to make new proven discoveries.*

Galileo on the other hand got into trouble because he **presented unproven theories about the heliocentric solar system, or that the planets move around the sun, as undisputed fact**. Popes Urban VIII and Paul V told him that he could write about his theory, but not to advocate it as factual because the contemporary science was unable to prove it. Instead, Galileo mocked the pope in his new book, alienated Jesuit scientists with his attacks, and insisted that he was right, **with no proof**. The Church has no problem with science, but it did have a problem with Galileo's arrogance.

Here are some myths about the whole episode of Galileo:

Galileo was tortured/ blinded by the Holy Office. He had agreed to submit to the Church's judgment, so there was no call for torture. And he went blind in 1637, four years after his trial. He was treated quite well, especially when one considers that he had insulted the very man whose friendship he needed!

The Church condemned him as a heretic. Actually, Martin Luther condemned Copernicus and those who proposed the heliocentric theory! Galileo was "vehemently suspected of heresy" after his trial, but was not convicted of heresy. When he was dying, he was anointed by a priest sent by the pope and buried with a Requiem Mass at Santa Croce church in Florence, neither of which would have been done for a heretic.

Galileo said "And yet it moves!" at the end of his trial. This refers to the earth moving around the sun; there's absolutely no evidence of this in the trial notes, from eyewitnesses, or in his own writings. It shows up in a book in 1757. *He suffered under house arrest.* Hardly – he stayed in his own spacious home, traveled around Florence, visited with his friends, and generally lived well despite increasing age and infirmities.

THE APOSTLES FAST IS FOR THOSE WHO PREPARE TO GO AND PREACH THE GOOD NEWS WITH SIGNS AND WONDERS, COMPASSION AND LOVE.

“Can the wedding guests mourn as long as the bridegroom is with them? The days will come, when the bridegroom is taken away from them, and then they will fast.” — Jesus Christ.

According to the early Christian tradition, after Pentecost the Apostles fasted and prayed as a preparation to go out to the nations. We are calling all to pray and fast for those with the apostolic call, forerunners and pioneers. Pray for revival, renewal, clarity and the empowerment of the Holy Spirit in our lives, our families, churches and cities. Especially let us pray for an abundance of vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, monastic and religious life.

What is an antimension?

In the Orthodox and Byzantine Catholic Church, an antimension (Greek, literally "instead of the table") is rectangular piece of cloth without which a priest is forbidden to celebrate the Eucharist. It is consecrated and signed by a bishop, and has a small relic of a martyr sewn into it (usually in a small pocket on the back). The name comes from the fact that an antimension can serve as a substitute for the altar table, allowing a priest to celebrate the Eucharist outside of a consecrated church. The antimension remains the property of the bishop, and in effect serves as the bishop's license to hold divine services.

When not in use, an antimension is folded in thirds both vertically and horizontally and stored underneath the Gospel book on the altar. During the Divine Liturgy, it is unfolded part-way, then fully, and the vessels holding the Eucharistic bread and wine are placed on the antimension. It is then re-folded at the conclusion of the Liturgy.

An antimension need not contain any special imagery, and some early antimensia were very minimalist in their designs. Traditionally, however, an antimension will have symbolic images of the Evangelists in the corners, and typically some variant of the Deposition in the Tomb as a central image.





OLPH BAZAAR 2024

