

October 16, 2022/T one 2/S unday of the Fathers of the 7th E cumenical Council



HAPPY *Anniversary*



Prayer

WARRIORS



The OLPH Prayer Warriors celebrate a 5th Anniversary on November 5, 2022!

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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

Advisory Board

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

Finance Council

Matthew Blain, Maria Alden

**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)

Sick and Shut-Ins: It is the family's re-
sponsibility 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!

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 conven-
ient, 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 dona-
tions!! 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!

2 Corinthians 11:31-12:9; Luke 8:5-15 or Hebrews 13:7-16; John 17:1-13

YouTube Live 8:30 am Rosary; 9:00 am Festal Matins, Confessions
10:00 am / Divine Liturgy for Parish Family, Benefactors & Friends
ECF Classes
Eternal Lamp: Holy Protection of the Mother of God over Ukraine

Oct 17 Mon ***Hosea Prophet / Phil 2:12-16; Lk 9:18-22***

9:00 am +Rudo Family and friends by Joseph Rudo

Oct 18 Tue ***Luke Apostle Evangelist / Col 4:5-9.4.18; Lk 10:16-21***

9:00 am Healing and Conversion of Robert Barry by Karen Barlow
6—8:30 pm CAFE meeting at UNM

Oct 19 Wed ***Joel Prophet / Phil 2:24-30; Lk 9:44-50***

5:30 pm OLPH Devotions
6:00 pm Pro-Life Liturgy by Svenssons

Oct 20 Thu ***Artemius Great Martyr / Phil 3:1-8; Lk 9:49-5***

6:45 pm THEOSIS Bible Study (zoom)

Oct 21 Fri ***Hilary the Great Venerable / Phil 3:8-19; Lk 10:1-15***



9:00 am Prayer & witness in front of abortion clinic on San Mateo/Lomas
6:00 pm Healing and Conversion of Robert Barry by Karen Barlow

Oct 22 Sat ***Abercius Bishop/ 2 Cor 1:8-11; Lk 7:1-10***

9:00 am (masks required) God's Blessing on Prayer Warriors on their 5th Anniversary

Oct 23 Sun ***20th Sunday After Pentecost / Gal 1:11-19; Lk 16:19-31***

4:00 pm Great Vespers YouTube LIVE
5:00 pm Health and Salvation of Stuart Patrick by Svenssons
Hebrew Scriptures for Sunday:
Genesis 14:14-20; Deuteronomy 1:8-11:15-17; Deuteronomy 10:14-21

YouTube LIVE 8:30 am Rosary; 9:00 am Matins, Confessions
10:00 am Divine Liturgy for Parish Family, Benefactors and Friends / Mysteries of Christian Initiation for Isabella Guadalupe Davidson-Talley
ECF Classes
Eternal Lamp: Holy Protection of the Mother of God over Ukraine
5:30 pm Ask A Priest

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	Buster Miscusi	Paola Terlaza
Jenny Ford	Barbara De Lap	Ruth Sousa
Priscilla Hughes	Irene Bradley	Linda Granci
Marilyn Fore	Sorihah Chavez	Vicki Frank
Sven & Barbara Svensson	Abraham Haddad	Christopher Barlow
Laurie Bienz	Lori Medina	Jordan Smith
Brent Dodson- Sands	Michael Baron	Janet Worthington
Lara Davis	Gabriel Preisler	Patti Klinkovsky
Carol Donlin	Todd Bailey	Matt Williamson
Marcie Dark	Jessica Pieniadz	James Epstein
Fr Chris Zuger	Rhonda Glasscock	Katy Ford
Fr Chris Andrews	Amber Roybal	Jacob McTernan
	Eli Griegos	Juanita Montoya

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 Fathers Intentions – October A Church Open To Everyone

We pray for the Church; ever faithful to, and courageous in preaching the Gospel, may the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.



Vocation Icon

Today: Carol Donlin; Pam Pettit

Next Sunday:

Carol Donlin; Pam Pettit

“Let anyone with ears to hear listen!” Our Lord teaches us the truth of our hearts and his word in today’s parable. Are we ready to have ears to hear his word with an honest and good heart, to retain it and bring forth fruit with endurance? This is the calling for all of us, and for some of us that includes a special dedication through the ordained, religious or monastic life. If this may be for you to discern, contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org



October 23, 2022

Cantor: Evie Jilek

Reader: Brook Jilek

Altar Server: Michael Grega

Trojca: Lucy & Daniel Brewer

Counters: Rita Montano &

Miles Gloetzner

Propers for 10/23/2022
20th Sunday after Pentecost
Tone 3

Troparion - 135

v. Glory... Kontakion- 136

v. Now & Ever...

Theotokion - 406

Prokeimenon & Alleluia - 137

Our Father- 68

OLPH Prayer Warriors

Sunday (Zoom). Send your
prayer requests to

Patricia at pocb@unm.edu

THE PRAYER WARRIORS IS
OPEN TO EVERYONE--WOMEN,
MEN, & CHILDREN (children who
have their parents' permission)!
Please join us!!

Barbara's Hall Report

The Montano's brought pizza and cake
to celebrate Joshua's birthday. Mary
Alice brought doughnuts and other
sweet treats. Thanks to all who bring
food, serve and clean up!

Coming Events—Mark Your Calendars Now

Mon Oct 31	BI Theodore Romzha 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
Sun Nov 6	Daylight Savings Ends
Mon Nov 7th	Archangel Michael & All Angels Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Liturgy
Mon Nov 14	Beginning of Philip's Fast
Mon Nov 21	Entrance of the Theotokos Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Divine Liturgy
Mon Dec 5 Tue Dec 6	St. Nicholas of Myra/Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Liturgy 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
Wed Dec 7	Maternity of the Holy Anna Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Liturgy
Fri Dec 23	10:00 am— Royal Hours Day of Strict Abstinence
Sat Dec 24	Vigil of Christmas 4:30 pm Holy Supper 7:00 pm Vigil Divine Liturgy
Mon Dec 26	Synaxis of the Theotokos 6:00 pm Divine Liturgy
Tue Dec 27	Stephen Protomartyr 6:00 pm Divine Liturgy
Thurs Jan 5	Vigil of Theophany Noon— carpool to Rio Grande (parking lot of the National Hispanic Cultural Center on Avenida Chavez) Procession to the River 1:00pm Great Vespers with the Great Blessing of the Rio Grande
Fri Jan 6	Feast of Theophany 6:00 pm Liturgy followed by Great Blessing of Water
Sat Feb 11	1st All Souls Saturday 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
Mon Feb 20	Start of the Great Fast 6:00 pm Liturgy of the Presanctified with anointing on the forehead

TODAY Eparchial Priests Health Insurance Collection Sunday. This collection is taken in the Eparchy to assist in the cost of funding health insurance for priests in the Eparchy of Phoenix. 100 % of proceeds go to the Eparchy of Phoenix. Thank you for your generosity!

The OLPH Prayer Warriors celebrate a 5th Anniversary on November 5, 2022!

We started out with a small handful of soldiers and have grown to pack of 20 in our "prayer war room." Before the pandemic, our team of adults and children prayed Holy Scriptures together at church on Sundays before Divine Liturgy; however, in recent years we have been meeting via Zoom. The Zoom format has enabled church members living outside of Albuquerque to join in. Besides our weekly virtual gatherings, we pray on our own throughout the week for myriad intentions. We have stormed heaven for conversions, healings and healthcare providers, prodigals, reconciliations among family members, our church leadership, world events, marriages, births, the repose of souls, the recovery of cars, traveling mercies, jobs, working conditions, houses and personal property, pets, and the general wellbeing of all our OLPH family. We have come to Him in raw need and sincerity, and we have witnessed Him answer our prayers, thereby fortifying our Faith and faith. It has been exciting and edifying to experience the love of our Lord and of our Blessed Mother through His Presence, His Word, and His answers to our fervent prayers. The Prayer Warriors is open to women, men, and children, and we welcome your service! Praise God for raising up a group of mighty warriors committed to the belief that through Him, in Him, with Him, and toward Him, prayer moves worlds. We count it a privilege to pray for your intentions; please send them to Patricia at pocb@unm.edu. If you would like to join the Prayer Warriors, we welcome you with open arms. Thank you, Fr. Artur, for permitting the creation of the Prayer Warriors! ¡Cristo está entre nosotros!

On Sunday, November 6th, please enjoy OLPH Prayer Warrior celebratory cake during the church social.

Dear OLPH family and friends,

You are cordially invited to, "In the Steps of Jesus: an Exploration of the Holy Land," a special Zoom presentation by our Miles, Abel, and Esther Gloetzner, along with our Fr. Tyler Strand and FNE Founder and Commissioner, Paul Ritchi, on October 30, 2022 at 6:00-7:30 pm. You might recall that following enthusiastic fundraising efforts across multiple years, the Explorers group was able to raise the funds to realize this holy pilgrimage. And, at the request of the Prayer Warriors, they have agreed to share their experiences with us.

To help them prepare for our time together, the presenters ask that you please submit your questions ahead of time. Send your questions to Patricia at pocb@unm.edu by October 20. Of course, you also will be able to ask questions during the Zoom presentation.

The presentation will include interesting, informative, and personal reflections about an unforgettable experience. Please join us!

The link for the event is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89504642261?pwd=QIRmWUR4TzVVeFFrZDdHRzZMbFY5QT09>
Passcode: 972653

We are creating a **photo directory** for our coming Golden 50th Parish Anniversary. Portrait opportunities have been extended to and Sunday October 16th after Divine Liturgy. Portraits will be taken in the conference room on the south side of the church nave. In order to have things run more smoothly, we have created a digital sign up at

<https://tinyurl.com/3h4rbkfc>, or you can call Andrea Riley at 505-220-9137. If you have questions, please contact Dan Riley or Marc Montano

Ask a Priest group will meet on Sunday, Oct. 23, at 5:30 pm for pizza supper followed by a special presentation on Catholic Apologetics by Jana Brewer. This is for all high school students, Grades 9 - 12; friends are welcome. Contact Jana or Fr. Chris for details.

CAFE - We welcome Father Stephen Gaertner of the Norbertine Fathers this Tuesday evening. He will be presenting on Living the Faith Before Evangelizing - how to live out one's Catholic faith on a college campus. CAFE is for students and staff at UNM, focusing on young adults. We meet at 6 pm in the Cherry and Silver Room of the Student Union, 3rd floor, with pizza and beverages, followed by the presentation at 6:30 pm. Upcoming presentations include Theology of the Body and Human Sexuality on November 1; and Formation of the Bible on November 15.

October 17: Holy Prophet Hosea (from the New American Bible).

HOSEA belonged to the northern kingdom and began his prophetic career in the last years of Jeroboam II (786-746 B.C.). The collected oracles reveal a very sensitive, emotional man who could pass quickly from violent anger to the deepest tenderness. The prophecy pivots around his own unfortunate marriage to Gomer, a personal tragedy which profoundly influenced his teaching. In fact, his own prophetic vocation and message were immeasurably deepened by the painful experience he underwent in his married life.

Gomer, the adultress, symbolized faithless Israel. And just as Hosea could not give up his wife forever even when she played the harlot, so Yahweh could not renounce Israel, who had been betrothed to him. God would chastise, but it would be the chastisement of the jealous lover, longing to bring back the beloved to the fresh and pure joy of their first love.

Israel's infidelity took the form of idolatry and ruthless oppression of the poor. No amount of mechanically offered sacrifices could atone for her serious sins. Chastisement alone remained; God would have to strip her of the rich ornaments bestowed by her false lovers and thus bring her back to the true lover. The eleventh chapter of Hosea is one of the summits of Old Testament theology; God's love for his people has never been expressed more tenderly. Hosea began the tradition of describing the relation between YHWH and Israel in terms of marriage. This symbolism appears later on in the Old Testament; and, in the New, both St. John and St. Paul express in the same imagery the union between Christ and his Church.

Holy Fathers 7th Ecumenical Council

Today we remember the Fathers of Nicaea II, or the Seventh Ecumenical Council. Called to gather at the site of the first council, which had determined Who Christ was, these Fathers had to grapple with the heresy of iconoclasm, the breaking of sacred images. Iconoclasts destroyed or covered up thousands of images of Christ, our Lady and the saints, putting up plain crosses instead. The Empress Irene, on behalf of her son Constantine VI, called a new council to once again suppress this heresy. Choosing Nicaea as the site was a fortunate choice, for the iconoclasts were close to denying the human nature of the Divine Person, Jesus Christ. Pope Hadrian I sent his legates, asking the Eastern Roman Empire to restore the veneration of sacred images.

The key declaration of this council is still true for Protestant iconoclasts of our time:

*"As the sacred and life-giving cross is everywhere set up as a symbol, so also should the images of Jesus Christ, the Virgin Mary, the holy angels, as well as those of the saints and other pious and holy men be embodied in the manufacture of sacred vessels, tapestries, vestments, etc., and exhibited on the walls of churches, in the homes, and in all conspicuous places, by the roadside and everywhere, to be revered by all who might see them. *For the more they are contemplated, the more they move to fervent memory of their prototypes. Therefore, it is proper to accord to them a fervent and reverent adoration, not, however, the veritable worship which, according to our faith, belongs to the Divine Being alone — for the honor accorded to the image passes over to its prototype, and whoever adores the image adores in it the reality of what is there represented.*"*

When debating a radical Christian (sometimes a fellow Catholic!) who thinks our use of icons is wrong, this is the argument to take. We give no honor to wood or stone; we give all worship to God and the person represented in the sacred image. This also leads to discussions on the intercession of saints. Again, we do not worship the saint, but rather ask the saint to intercede for us before the throne of God.



October 18: St Luke the Evangelist

Saint Luke is the author of both his gospel and the Acts of the Apostles, which should be read as one unit. A Greek physician from Antioch, he was converted by the preaching of Paul. The Acts are dedicated to a governor of the province of Antioch. He is also said to have been the companion of Cleophas on the road to Emmaus (as is related in the Travelers' Blessing). Another tradition claims that he was among the Seventy Disciples who followed Christ during his preaching.

His detailed Infancy narrative in chapters 1 - 2 of his Gospel, is believed to have been collected through interviews he conducted with Our Lady and members of the extended family of Christ in Nazareth. As a result, Luke is also credited with creating the first icons of Mary and the Christ Child. Numerous icons, from the Middle East to Poland, are claimed as having come from his hand, however this means only that they are ancient and have a Marian theme. Various tests show that not only do the icons come from a wide range of different schools, but can be anywhere from the 10th to the 13th centuries. Luke's gospel is also called the *Gospel of mercy*, because Luke is compassionate towards many sinful figures in his writing.

Saint Luke is often shown with an ox. This is because his gospel begins and ends in the temple, and the ox represents the many animals sacrificed there, whereas Jesus' sacrifice on the cross supersedes those old rituals. This scheme is drawn from the work of St. Jerome, who in turn used the four images depicted in Ezekiel 1 and Revelation 4. He assigned the animals shown there to the four Evangelists, with John represented by the eagle, Matthew by the man, and Mark by the lion.