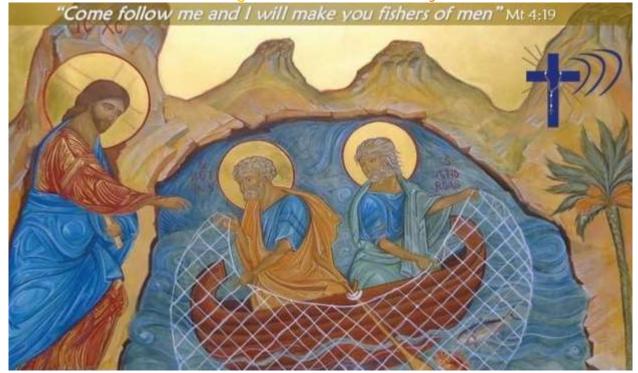
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Online resources every Byzantine Catholic should know about and use regularly:

<u>God With Us Online:</u>

https://godwithusonline.org/

An online resource for the ECED (Eparchial Directors of Religious Education). EDED is dedicated to the catechetical renewal of Eastern Catholic in the US. It seeks to fulfill its mission through various avenues of education including publications,

conferences and web based educational opportunities.

Byzantine Basics YouTube Page:

An Introduction to Byzantine Catholic Faith, Worship, and Life based on the Christ our Pasha Catechism offered through a free webinar series and pre-recorded video lessons.

https://www.youtube.com/@becomingbyzantine2827

Smartphone Prayer App: Eastern Christian Publications: For app: Search "ECPubs" in your app store

Website: https://ecpubs.com/

Our <u>Eparchial Website:</u>

https://www.ephx.org/

Come and See:

A great pdf resource to learn about our Byzantine Catholic Faith and share with your curious friends:

https://www.eparchyofpassaic.com/files/Come-and-See-r0.pdf

ByziMom:

https://www.byzimom.com/ Resources for Byzantine Families

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

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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.

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):

9:00—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!

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!

2nd Sunday After Pentecost / Romans 2:10-16; Matthew 4:18-23

YouTube Live 10:00 am Divine Liturgy for Parish Family, Benefactors & Friends

8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Matins & Confessions

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

Jun 12 Mon

Onuphry and Peter Venerables / Rom 7:1-13; Mt 9:36-10:8

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9:00 am Birthday Blessing on Stuart Patrick by Svenssons

Jun 13 Tue

Aquilina Martyr / Rom 7:14-8:2; Mt 10:9-15

9:00 am +Stephen Skurla Jr. by Beverly Stockton

Jun 14 Wed

Elisha Prophet '/ Rom 8:2-13; M5 10:16-22

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5:30 pm OLPH Devotions

6:00 pm +Priscilla Hughes by Mary and Matt Blain

June 15 Thu

Amos Prophet / Rom 8:22-27; Mt 10:23-31

June 16 Fri

Tychon the Wonderworker Bishop / Rom 9:6-18; Mt 10:32-36 & 11:15



9:00 am Prayer & Witness in front of abortion clinic on San Mateo/Lomas 6:00 pm +Katrina Anderson by Kopczuk Family

June 17 Sat

Manuel, Sabel & Ishmael Martyrs / Rom 3:28-4:3; Mt 7:24-8:4

9:00 am (masks required) God's Blessing on Isaac by Patricia Covarrubias

June 18 Sun

3rd Sunday After Pentecost / Rom 5:1-10; Mt 6:22-34

4:00 pm Great Vespers / YouTube LIVE 5:00 pm +Onella Allen by Svenssons

Hebrew Scriptures for Sunday:

Numbers 10:1-8; 1 Kings 17:1-6; Ezechial 34:1-2.9-10.22-29

YouTube LIVE

8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Matins & Confessions

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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 may glorify your might divine

Sharif Rabadi Buster Miscusi Paola Terlaza Jenny Ford Barbara De Lap Ruth Sousa Marilyn Fore Irene Bradley Linda Granci Sven & Barbara Soriah Chavez Vicki Frank Abraham Haddad Christopher Svensson Marianne Gerace Barlow Laurie Bienz Jordan Smith Brent Dodson-Lori Medina Janet Worthing-Sands Michael Baron Lara Davis Gabriel Preisler Carol Donlin Jessica Pieniadz Patti Klinkovsky Marcie Dark Rhonda Matt Williamson Jesse Hebert Glasscock James Epstein Amber Roybal Fr Chris Zugger Katy Ford Fr Chris Andrews Alton & Barbara Philip Leahy Fr Robert Rankin Juanita Montoya Bertschinger Jacob McTernan

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 the abolition of torture

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

"Immediately they left their nets and followed him."
Hearing the call, Peter, Andrew, James and John left one calling to become fishers of men. The life of prayer and devotion in monasticism and holy orders is a special way to live this calling. Is Christ calling you or someone you know to do the same? Contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org





Vocation Icon Today: Fr. Artur Next Sunday: M. Sena Family

June 18, 2023

Cantor: Evie Jilek Reader: Brook Jilek: Altar Server: Michael Grega Trojca: Ellie Montano Counters: Jana Brewer &

Ann Rajala

Propers for 6/18/2023 Third Sunday after Pentecost Tone 2

Troparion - 130
v. Glory...
Kontakion - 131
v. Now & Ever...
Theotokion- 406
Prokeimenon & Alleluia- 132
Our Father- 67

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!!

Alicia's Sunday Report

Christ is among us! Thanks be to God, the hall renovations are going well. Several families have been able to meet and picnic and play at Alvarado park after Divine Liturgy on Sundays. If you can, pack a picnic and join in some fellowship and play at the park. There is plenty of shade and the Farmer's market will be starting up soon too (June 25)!

Have a blessed week!

Coming Events—Mark Your Calendars Now

May 8— Jul 8	Hall/Kitchen remodeling
Sat Jun 24 Fri Jun 23	Birth of John the Baptist / Solemn Feast 6:00 pm Vigil Liturgy / Blessing of Litija
Thu Jun 29 Wed Jun 28	SS Peter & Paul/ Holy Day of Obligation 6:00 pm Vigil Liturgy / Blessing of Litija
Sun Jul 2	OLPH Patronal Feast Day
Mon Jul 10	6:30 pm Advisory Board Meeting
Jul 13-16	Alive in Christ 2023 Father & Son Ascetical Boot Camp Auburn, Washington https://www.ephx.org/alive-in-christ- registration
Thu Jul 20 Wed Jul 19	Elijah Great Prophet / Simple Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Liturgy / Blessing of Cars
Jul 20—Aug 8	World Youth Day in Portugal https://www.eparchyofpassaic.com/ worldyouthday
Tue August 1	Beginning of Dormition Fast
Aug 7- Aug 11	Clergy Conference in Las Vegas, Nevada
	Dormition of the Theotokos Holy Day of Obligation
Tue Aug 15	6:00 pm Deposition of the Shroud / Liturgy/ Blessing of Flowers
Aug 18-20	Annual Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Shrine in Olympia WA https://stgeorgeolympia.org/shrine/
Mon Aug 28 Tue Aug 29	Beheading of John the Baptist Simple Holy Day 6:00 pm Vigil Liturgy 9:00 am Liturgy
Fri Sep 1	Beginning of the Church Year
Fri Sep 8	Birth of the Theotokos/Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Divine Liturgy
Thu Sep 14	Exaltation of the Holy Cross/
Wed Sep 13	Solemn Holy Day 6:00 pm Rite of the Exaltation of the Cross Vigil Liturgy
Nov 2-5	Assembly of the Byzantine Church 2023 in Hillsborough, NJ https://form.jotform.com/230514012134134
Fri & Sat Dec 15 & 16	Women's Day of Reflection

Sunday July 2nd – 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!

EPARCHIAL APPEAL 2023: Collected to date: \$9,285.00. Thank you to Jeff & Jana Brewer, Ed & Cindy Loescher, & Ann Rajala. Our parish goal this year is \$18,320.60 which comes 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 Holy Protection of Mary Byzantine Eparchy. The Deadline for the Appeal is September 30th. Kindly give what you can to help our Eparchy and our Church. Thank you!

Biblical Questions and Answers

- Q. Who was the greatest financier in the Bible?
- A. Noah. He was floating his stock while everyone else was in liquidation.
- Q. Who was the greatest female financier in the Bible?
- A. Pharaoh's daughter. She went down to the bank of the Nile and drew out a little prophet.
- Q. What kind of man was Boaz before he got married?
- A. Ruth-less.
- Q. Who was the most flagrant lawbreaker in the bible?
- A. Moses. Because he broke all 10 commandments; at once.
- Q. What kind of motor vehicles are in the Bible?
- A. David's Triumph was heard throughout the land & Honda..because the apostles were all in one Accord.
- Q. Who was the greatest comedian in the Bible?
- A. Samson. He brought the house down.
- Q. What do they call pastors in Germany?
- A. German Shepherds

Safe Environment:

The Eparchy, within all its parishes, institutions, and programs, is committed to assuring a Safe Environment in ministry for its children and vulnerable adults that conforms to the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. For additional information regarding the eparchial Safe Environment Program or to report any concerns, please contact:

Subdeacon Paul Kilroy, Safe Environment Program Coordinator

<u>Cell</u>: (480) 745-0316 -- <u>Office</u>: (602) 861-9778 ext. 204 -- <u>Email</u>: sbdcnkilroy@ephx.org

Victim Assistance Coordinator, Michael Hanafin Cell: (480) 307-5182 -- Email: vac@ephx.org

Saints of the Week

June 11: Holy Apostles Bartholomew and Barnabas

Saint Bartholomew was one of the Twelve Apostles, a Galilean; the Gospel accounts say little more about him. It is said that, after receiving the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, he traveled in the service of the Gospel to Arabia and Persia, and brought to India a translation of the Gospel according to Matthew. Eusebius writes that one hundred years later Pantaenus, an illustrious Alexandrian scholar, found this gospel when he traveled in India. By most accounts Bartholomew ended his life in Armenia, where he met his martyrdom by crucifixion. According to many, he and Nathaniel are the same person: the Gospel accounts that speak of Bartholomew do not mention Nathaniel; and St John's Gospel, which mentions Nathanael as one of the Twelve, does not mention Bartholomew. But according to the Greek Synaxarion, Bartholomew and Simon the Zealot are one and the same.

Saint Barnabas was one of the Seventy, from Cyprus, a Levite and at one time a fellow-student with St Paul under Gamaliel. After Christ's Ascension, he led the Seventy until the Apostle Paul's conversion. He is mentioned often in the Acts of the Apostles, which describes some of his travels as a companion of St Paul. By all accounts, he was the first to preach the Gospel of Christ in Rome and in Milan. His wonder-working relics were discovered on the island of Cyprus in the time of the Emperor Zeno; on this basis the Church of Cyprus was established as an independent Church, since it had an apostolic foundation.

Commemoration of the appearance of the Archangel Gabriel to a monk on Mt Athos, and the revelation of the hymn "It is Truly Meet" (Axion Estin (980)

A monk on the Holy Mountain was chanting the ancient hymn to the Most Holy Theoto-kos, "More honorable than the Cherubim..." (composed by St Cosmas the Hymnographer) in his cell, when the Archangel Gabriel appeared to him, disguised as a monk. The angel chanted the same hymn, but began it differently: "It is truly meet to call thee blessed, the Theotokos, the everblessed and most pure and Mother of our God. More honorable than the Cherubim..." Amazed at the hymn's beauty, the monk asked the stranger to write it down for him: the Angel inscribed it on a stone tablet with his finger, then vanished from sight. The tablet was brought to Constantinople and shown to the Emperor and the Patriarch as proof of the miracle. From that time, this version of the hymn began to be sung in the Divine Liturgy, as it is to this day. (taken from abbamoses.com)

June 12: St. Onuphrius the Great. Onuphrius lived in ancient Egypt. As a young man, he lived in a small monastery that observed strict silence. He withdrew into the deep desert at some time in the late 300s, where he spent 70 years in fasting, prayer, and silence with God. According to the story recorded by the monk who discovered his hermitage, Onuphrius was visited every Sunday by his guardian angel, who brought him Holy Communion. He is a stellar example of the tens of thousands of devout men and women who went into the desert regions of Egypt and the Near East in order to commune with God in solitude, a life that modern Americans find hard to identify with. They were fleeing not persecution, but the rapid spread of Christianity among people who were barely catechized and became Christians after the Church was first legalized, and then declared the state faith. The book of his Life influenced generations of hermits in Russia, Greece, the Balkans, Syria and Egypt.

Two Old Testament prophets are commemorated this week: **Elisha on June 14** and **Amos on June 15**. Elisha was anointed by the great Elijah / Elias as his spiritual heir. He was known as a miracle-worker, who called the people to worship the one true God. Amos condemned the idol worship of Israel in the 700s BC. His Book calls the people back to the worship of their loving God Who longs for them. Both of these prophets of old speak to our world today which so casually rejects God and His laws.



LIGHT FOR LIFE

OLPH YOUNG ADULT PILGRIMAGE

Fri, Jun 30 - Sat, July 1



Mt Rainier Day

On Friday, Jun 30 we will meet at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Shrine in Olympia, WA and travel to Mount Rainier National Park for a hike and liturgy on the mountain! Breakfast and lunch will be provided and we will stop somewhere for dinner on the return trip.



OSPH Shrine Day

Spend the day in prayer, inspiring talks, and fun at the first Catholic Marian Shrine in Washington State! The focus will be on "Christ Our Life: Vocations and the Eucharist"

\$20 per day



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