



Glory to Jesus Christ! Glory Forever!

St. Anne Byzantine Catholic Church

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Liturgy Schedule:

Sunday, July 14 (Divine Liturgy) – 10:00 am

Sunday of the Fathers of the 6th Ecumenical Council – Pg: 341

Liturgy Intention: *Health & Birthday Blessings of Patrick Byers*

Eternal Light Candle: *Health & Blessings of Byers Family*

Sunday, July 21 (Divine Liturgy) – 10:00 am (Blessing of Vehicles after Liturgy)

9th Sunday After Pentecost - Pg: 161

Liturgy Intention: *Health and Welfare of Nancy and Phil Bell*

Eternal Light Candle: *Health & Blessings Parishioners of St Anne Byzantine Catholic Church*

Sunday, July 28 (Divine Liturgy) – 10:00 am

10th Sunday After Pentecost - Pg: 125

Liturgy Intention: *Health & Blessings of Ray Tobin*

Eternal Light Candle: *Health & Blessings Parishioners of St Anne Byzantine Catholic Church*

Sunday, August 04 (Divine Liturgy) – 10:00 am

11th Sunday After Pentecost – Pg: 130

Liturgy Intention: *In memory of +Bill Wozniak*

Eternal Light Candle: *Health & Blessings Parishioners of St Anne Byzantine Catholic Church*

Monday, August 05 (Divine Liturgy) – 06:00 pm

Feast of Transfiguration of our Lord - Pg: 346

Sunday, August 11 (Divine Liturgy) – 10:00 am

12th Sunday After Pentecost – Pg: 135

Liturgy Intention: *Health & Blessings Parishioners of St Anne Byzantine Catholic Church*

Eternal Light Candle: *Health & Blessings Parishioners of St Anne Byzantine Catholic Church*

Wednesday, August 14 (Divine Liturgy) – 06:00 pm

Feast of Dormition of the Theotokos - Pg: 352

Mystery of Repentance

Offered before and after each Divine Liturgy, as well as by appointment. Please contact Father if you would like to partake in this great Mystery!

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Praying For Those We Love

Honor a family member or friend with an Eternal Light Candle (\$10) or by having a Liturgy (\$20) celebrated for them. Simply drop your request and stipend into the collection basket.

This makes for a great birthday or anniversary gift! We have many weeks available.

Assumption of the Theotokos

The tradition of the Assumption of the Theotokos arises from both biblical evidence that the Virgin Mary is in Heaven and an apocrypha document called “The Account of St. John the Theologian of the Dormition of the Holy Mother of God”. A link to the full document can be found here: <https://www.interfaith.org/christianity/apocrypha-transitus-maria/>

In summary, the author records the events that led up to the Dormition and Assumption of Our Lady into heaven. It is a fascinating and simple and short read of how Mary journeyed back to Bethlehem, where she asked our Lord to bring all the Apostles to her before she would be taken up. It tells of each Apostles own testimony of what they were doing the moment they were taken from where they were and brought to Mary’s bedside. It concludes with the journey of the Apostles carrying her body to Jerusalem to lay her to rest in a tomb in Gethsemane. After 3 days of angels singing at the tomb, her tomb was found empty. And finally, it tells of the beautiful image of her mother, Anna and Elizabeth, her cousin, meeting her along with other Old Testament Saints, during her assumption into paradise.

You can really get a true sense of Mary’s devotion to her Son and a pure respect and love of His divinity in this document. Mary praises and worships Him in the most intimate manor. You can also feel that Motherly bond in her desire to be with Him once more. A true reflection and example of how we should yearn for our Lord.

Another symbolic image of Mary in the bible is that of the new Ark of the New Covenant (Jesus). For Jesus was contained in her, just as the Ark in the OT contained the element symbols of the old covenant. Even the Psalms foretells of the Assumption of Mary in reference to her as the Ark. Psalm 132:8 reads “Arise [the ascension and the assumption], LORD [Jesus], come to your resting place [heaven], you and your mighty ark [Mary].”

We can confidently celebrate this feast day knowing that Mary’s favor with our Lord will give us a secure advocate with Jesus. And then Jesus with the Father. The line of unity and family that bring us security in our hope for salvation.

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Prayer to St Michael

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

The Jesus Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ,
Son of the Living God,
Have mercy on me,
a sinner.

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Heavenly King, Comforter, Spirit
of Truth, everywhere present and
filling all things, Treasury of
blessings, and Giver of life, come
and dwell within us, cleanse us of
all stain, and save our souls, O
Gracious One.

Church

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- dropping it in the collection basket
- visiting stannebyzantine.com/donate
- simply scan the QR code below



SCAN ME

Donations & Attendance for Previous Week

(Please note, normal operations require approximately \$7,200 per month)

Last Week's Support: \$1,170.70 (of which \$290.70 was online)

Attendance: 53

