

St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church
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15th Sunday of Luke
Sunday, January 27, 2019

Orthros: 9:00 a.m.
Great Doxology: 10:00 a.m.
Divine Liturgy: 10:15 a.m.

Reverend Father Anthony Savas
Reverend Father Elias Koucos, Retired
Reverend Deacon Anatoli Kireiev

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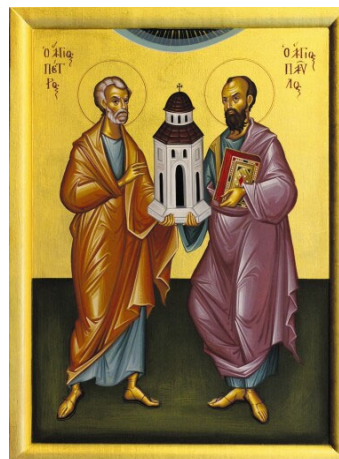


Epistle Reading: St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews 7:26-28; 8:1-2

Prokeimenon Mode 1. Psalm 48

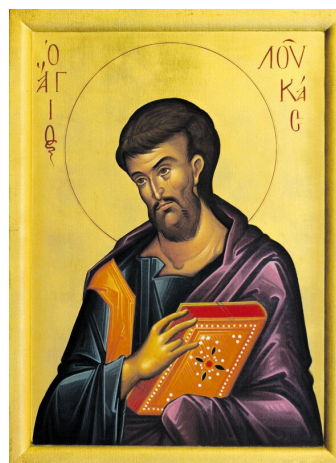
My mouth shall speak wisdom and the mediation of my heart shall bring fourth understanding.

Verse: Hear this all you nations.



Brethren, it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, unstained, separated from sinners, exalted above the heavens. He has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for his own sins and then for those of the people; he did this once for all when he offered up himself. Indeed, the law appoints men in their weakness as high priests, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect for ever. Now the point in what we are saying is this; we have such a high priest, one who is seated at the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in heaven, a minister in the sanctuary and the true tent which is set up not by man but by the Lord.

Gospel Reading: The Gospel According to Luke 19:1-10



At that time, Jesus was passing through Jericho. And there was a man named Zacchaeus; he was a chief collector, and rich. And he sought to see who Jesus was, but could not, on account of the crowd, because he was small of stature. So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him, for he was to pass that way. And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, make haste and come down; for I must stay at your house today." So he made haste and came down, and received him joyfully. And when they saw it they all murmured, "He has gone in to be the guest of a man who is a sinner." And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord,

the half of my goods I gave to the poor; and if I have defrauded any one of anything, I restore it fourfold." And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham. For the Son of man came to seek and to save the lost."

Response to First Antiphon

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us. (3)

Response to Second Antiphon

Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead, We sing to You, Alleluia. (3)

Resurrectional Apolytikion

When you descended into death, Life immortal, You vanquished the pow'r of hell by your splendid divinity, and when you raised the dead from the depths of darkness, all the heavenly powers cried out triumphantly O giver of life, Christ our God, glory to You. (Liturgy Book page 103)

Entrance Hymn

Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ. Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead we sing to You, Alleluia.

Kontakion

For our salvation You took flesh and You sanctified the Virgin's womb: You blessed the aged Simeon as You lay resting in his arms; and having come to save us all. O Christ our God, to these troubled times, bring your lasting peace. Give strong and undaunted faith to all your people, O only lover of mankind. (Liturgy Book page 251)

Hymn for the Church

O God-minded Anna, you bore the pure Mother of God, the one who within her conceived the Conceiver of life itself. You were therefore transported to a place now in heaven. Joyful ones all reside there in the home of all gladness, asking for the forgiveness for those who honor you. O blessed one.

Megalynarion (Hymn for the Theotokos)

It is truly right to call you blessed, Theotokos, ever blessed, most pure and the mother, the mother of our God. More honorable than the cherubim and more glorious beyond compare than the Seraphim. In virginity you gave birth to God, to God the Word. Truly the Theotokos, we magnify you, we magnify you. (Liturgy Book page 69)

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him, praise Him in the highest (3). Alleluia (Liturgy Book page 83)

Hymn after Communion Hymn

We have seen the true light; we have received the heav'nly spirit; we have found the true faith, worshipping the undivided Trinity, the Trinity who has saved us. (Liturgy Book page 87)

Dismissal Hymn

Lord, grant long life to him who blesses us and sanctifies us. (Liturgy Book page 95)

Orthodox Saints Commemorated on January 27: Venerable Peter of Egypt; New Martyr Demetrios at Constantinople; Marciana the Empress of the Romans; Demetrianos the Wonderworker of Tamassos; New Hieromartyr Peter of Voronezh; Virgin-Martyr Devota of Corsica; Venerable Father Claudinus; Candida the Anchoress & her son, Emerius the Abbot of Bañoles; and, the Synaxis of the New Martyrs and Confessors of Russia.

Fellowship Hour: Thank you to Chris and Joann Dokos, Tom and Pam Martinez, Lloyd and Penny Mills, Bill and Gina Stavros, and Craig and Paulette Stagg for hosting fellowship hour today, Sunday, January 27, 2019. Please join us!

The Fellowship Hour for Sunday, February 3, 2019, will be hosted by Joe and Ann Sasich; David and Jenny Sasich; and Bob and Heidi Varechok.

If you would like to host a fellowship hour on a future Sunday, please also contact Carolyn Leitko at csleitko@gmail.com.

Epistle Reader: The epistle reader for today, Sunday, January 27, 2019, is George Hunter.

Memorial Services: To schedule a memorial service, please contact Fr. Anthony at 801-824-3987 or franthony@stannagocutah.org.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church Etiquette Reminder: Please remember that no one should enter the church during the Small Entrance, the Great Entrance, the Epistle Reading, the Gospel Reading, or the Creed. Please remain in the hallway, narthex or fellowship hall during these parts of the Divine Liturgy if you have not already entered the church. Thank you!

Online Credit Card and ACH (Automated Clearing House) Giving Options: We are pleased to announce that you can now make stewardship payments and other donations (including donations to the Altar/Benevolence Fund and St. Anna Capital Campaign Fund) via credit card or ACH payment.

Visit stannagocutah.org/?page_id=2666 to make a one-time donation or set up reoccurring payments. Donations can also be made through the Vanco Give+ Mobile App. Please contact Parish Council Treasurer Dmitri Smirnov at treasurer@stannagocutah.org with any questions.

Stock Donations: Our parish is now set up to receive marketable securities donations. Such donations will be received and handled in accordance with the financial policies adopted by the Parish Assembly. Please contact Parish Council Treasurer Dmitri Smirnov at treasurer@stannagocutah.org for further details.

Amazon Smile Donations to St. Anna: Our parish is set up to receive donations through Amazon Smile! For those not aware, Amazon Smile is a program where Amazon users can have a small percentage of their purchases on Amazon donated to the charity of their choice. All you do is make your regular Amazon purchases

through smile.amazon.com and designate St. Anna as your charity of choice. You receive the exact same low prices, vast selection and convenient shopping experience as Amazon.com (and Amazon Prime benefits for those who are members) with the added bonus that Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price to St. Anna! Go to smile.amazon.com/ch/47-1002380 to register and/or select St. Anna as your charity of choice today!

Save the Date - Project Mexico: Save the date for Project Mexico, June 30 – July 3, 2019. Donations will be graciously accepted to assist the volunteers travelling to Mexico to build the home (van rental, gas, etc.) from the starting point in San Diego. More information to come.

Contact Elaine Zambos at elaine.realtor@ymail.com for more details.

UPCOMING SPECIAL SERVICES

Wednesday, January 30, 2019

The Three Hierarchs

Orthros: 9:30 a.m. / Divine Liturgy: 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, February 2, 2019

Presentation of the Lord in the Temple

Orthros: 9:30 a.m. / Divine Liturgy: 10:30 am.

Friday, February 22, 2019

Paraklesis Service to St. Anna, Mother of the Theotokos
7pm

PARISH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, January 27, 2019: Narthex: Dmitri Smirnov and Michael Petrogeorge; Front Ushers: Myra Shenk and Julie Steele; Sunday School Ushers: Perry Drossos and Joe Sasich; Middle Usher/At Large: Nick Daskalas.

Sunday, February 3, 2019: Narthex: Myra Shenk and Steve Simos; Front Ushers: Mike Daskalas and Craig Stagg; Sunday School Ushers: Perry Drossos and Michael Petrogeorge; Middle Usher/At Large: Dmitri Smirnov.

Parish Council Meeting: The Parish Council meeting scheduled for Monday, January 21, 2019, was cancelled due to weather. The meeting will be held Monday, January 28, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

ST. ANNA CAPITAL CAMPAIGN (SACC) UPDATE

We are getting closer and closer to meeting our goal of \$1.5 million to have the funds necessary to make the down payment on the Atrium property.

We on the St. Anna Capital Campaign Ministry Team ("SACC") are asking our "Ambassadors", you, the members of St. Anna's Parish, to reach out to the people outside our parish who you may know regarding our wonderful opportunity to have a new home for the St. Anna Parish.

Each one of you knows someone who might be able to donate to our campaign. The more Ambassadors we have talking to potential donors and letting their friends and acquaintances know about our Capital Campaign, the sooner we will reach our goal of \$1.5 million.

If you would like information to be provided to specific individuals or organizations, please get in touch with Nick Varanakis or any other member of the SACC and we will be happy to either provide you with the information to give to the potential donor or to contact the individual or organization on your behalf. Every dollar donated or pledged brings us one step closer to taking advantage of this wonderful opportunity given to our parish.

This is such a wonderful and excellent time for our parish to have the Atrium become available for our new home.

The SACC is always available to answer any questions you may have. Please contact the committee directly or email us at stannacampaign@stannagocutah.org.

St Anna Capital Campaign Ministry Team

Saint Anna Coffee vs. Cash Capital Campaign Program The 5 Dollar New Church Deal!

Five Bucks Gets Us a New Church Deal

By allowing St. Anna's New Church building campaign committee to make a small charge to your credit card monthly imagine what we can build!



Example of Greek Orthodox Church only

- * 5 bucks twice a week instead of that expensive Latte will raise roughly \$500,000.00 in 4 short years!
- * All for 5 bucks.
- * Of course if more people jump on board you can imagine what happens. More \$\$\$\$\$\$
- * How many of our wonderful members think 10 bucks is more like it?
- * That could easily become \$1,500,000.00 in that short 4 years.
- * Really how much would each of us miss that 5 bucks compared to having our own wonderful new facilities?

How do you start? It can be done in five short steps!

*Sign on to Saint Anna's website

*Go to Donate Now Button

*Go to Capital Campaign and input weekly or monthly dollar amount

*Go to Donation Frequency and put frequency to either weekly or monthly

*Hit Continue button to input credit card info and you are all done!

Sign up today so we can get what each of us truly wants!

Save the Date – Golf Tournament: Save the date for our first ever St. Anna Golf Classic fundraising event. Saturday, May 18, 2019, at Stonebridge Golf Club, 4415 Links Drive, West Valley City. Watch for more announcements and volunteer opportunities from the event chairman, Perry Drossos.

St. Anna Golf Classic

Fundraising Event

Date: **May 18, 2019**

Location: **Stonebridge Golf Club**

Scramble Format

7:30 am Registration **8:00 am** Tee Off

4 person teams

\$95.00 per person



St. Anna
Golf Classic

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - BEFORE, DURING & AFTER

Contact Perry Drossos for more details at perrydrossos@gmail.com

STEWARDSHIP

Stewardship packets have been sent via U.S. Mail. Please do your part to help us achieve our budgeted goal of \$290,000! Bring your completed Stewardship Commitment Card to church this Sunday or mail it to P.O. box 171224, Holladay, UT 84117 or 3015 E. Creek Road, Cottonwood Heights, UT 84093.

Your Stewardship Ministry Team, Parish Council and Clergy are thankful for your dedication to the ongoing well-being of our St. Anna parish. Stewardship, as you well know, is the absolute lifeblood of our community's financial health. We do not hold outside fundraisers, pass trays or make seasonal appeals so that we can pay our operational expenses.

To God's glory, and to your credit, we sustain primarily through Stewardship and the sustained giving of our contributors. Thank You!

MUSIC MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Choir Practice: The next Choir practice will be on Thursday, January 31, 2019, at 1:00 p.m. Contact Sophie Wondolowski at swondo@comcast.net with questions.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS

Apokreas/Mardi Gras: Please join us on Saturday, March 2, 2019, for a fun-filled evening at the Atrium, 9201 S. 1300 East, Sandy. This will be an evening to remember!

- 6:30-7:15 p.m.: Mingle with friends, enjoy a cocktail, and watching our St. Anna dance group perform.
- 7:30 p.m.: Enjoy a tasty dinner catered by Roula Karahalios
- 8:30 p.m.: Dancing, opportunity drawings, and so much more!

Adults: \$35; Children under 12: \$10. Questions may be directed to Barbara Hillas at 801-604-4884 bhillas@q.com or Tina Sergakis at 801-573-0371 or Frosso711@gmail.com.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AND YOUTH MINISTRY TEAM
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

2018-19 Sunday School Calendar

February 24, 2019: Godparents Sunday
March 10, 2019: St. John Chrysostom Oratorical Festival
March 22-24, 2019: GOYA Lenten Retreat
April 21, 2019: No Classes (Palm Sunday)
April 28, 2019: No Classes (Pascha/Easter Sunday)
May 19, 2019: Graduation/Promotion

FOLK DANCE MINISTRY TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS

Following is the folk dance practice schedule in preparation for our Dance Showcase at the March 2, 2019 Mardi Gras:

Today, Sunday, January 27, 2019

Sunday, February 3, 2019

Sunday, February 10, 2019

Sunday, February 17, 2019

Additional practices will be scheduled by the Dance Directors of each group.

The dance program is open to all young people, from Kindergarten through 12th grade, regardless of ethnicity or prior dance experience. This year, our focus will be less on choreography and more on enjoying the fun of dance. We encourage all of the young people in our parish to give our program a try!

Our instructors this year are as follows:

K-2nd Grades: Angela Patterson

3rd-5th Grades: Presbytera Andrea Savas

6th - 12th Grades: Georgiann Petrogeorge/Damian Savas

Please contact Connie Cayias, Folk Dance Program Director, at connie.cayias@gmail.com with any questions.

ADULT AND FAMILY MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Weekly Evening Bible Study: The next weekly evening bible study will be held on Wednesday, January 30, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. Evening bible study is taught by Fr. Anthony Savas.

Weekly Morning Bible Study: The next weekly morning bible study will be held on Thursday, January 31, 2019, at 10:30 a.m. Please join us to study the Gospel of Mark, taught by John Kaloudis.

Orthodox Inquirer's Class: Our next Orthodox Spirituality Inquirer's Class will be held on Thursday, January 31, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. The Orthodox Inquirer's Class is taught by Mary Yannias.

Orthodox Married Life ("OML"): The next OML has been rescheduled for Friday, February 8, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

**PAN ORTHODOX, FRATERNAL AND OTHER COMMUNITY
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Pan Hellenic Scholarships: The PanHellenic Scholarship Foundation is pleased to share that it will once again offer \$250,000 in scholarship awards to 40 exceptional Greek American undergraduates. Scholarship awards are available to all undergraduate students of Hellenic descent, and are offered to recognize students of high scholastic achievement for their accomplishment, and to provide support to those in financial need. Twenty (20) awards of \$10,000 each will be given based on academic achievement and financial need, two (2) of which are allocated solely for Music and Arts. Twenty (20) awards of \$2,500 each will be awarded based solely on academic achievement.

The application is currently available online at panhellenicsf.org/apply/, and the deadline to apply is Thursday, January 31, 2019. The scholarships will be distributed at the Foundation's annual Awards Ceremony and Galla, which will be

held on Saturday, June 15, 2019. The PanHellenic Scholarship Foundation strives to promote education which, combined with the values of our Faith and Heritage, encourages and guides our scholarship recipients to become significant achievers and contribute meaningfully to society.

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School Open House/Family Literacy Night: Blessed Sacrament Catholic School invites you to join us for a night of fun and learning! Thursday, January 31, 2019, from 6:00-7:00 p.m. Open to new and currently enrolled families. Tour the classrooms & meet the teachers. Meet other parents and make new friends. Explore creative stations and have fun!

Blessed Sacrament Catholic School is located at 1745 East 9800 South, Sandy, and is open to students 18 months (daycare) through 8th grade.

COMMUNICATION MINISTRY TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Mobile App: The St. Anna mobile app is available through the Apple App Store at www.itunes.apple.com/us/app/st.-anna-greek-orthodox-church/id1140666277?ls=1&mt=8 and through Google Play at www.play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.conduit.app_fa0fc07216b24e93b1993aa947209c07.app

Bulletin Announcements: Our next weekly bulletin will be published for Sunday, February 3, 2019.

Please send requested bulletin announcements to Elaine Peterson at layniep53@comcast.net no later than *Tuesday, January 29th at 5:00 p.m.*

PRAYER LIST

Alexandra, Angela, Cathy, George, Joanne, Katherine, Ron and Stan

If you would like to add a new name to the prayer list, please email Elaine Peterson at layniep53@comcast.net.

PARISH CALENDAR

Visit www.stannagocutah.org/?page_id=1663 to obtain an electronic copy of the parish calendar.

You can link our calendar with your personal calendar by clicking on the “subscribe” button on the lower right hand corner and selecting the calendar program of your choice.

The screenshot displays a web-based parish calendar for June 2017. At the top, there are navigation options for 'Categories' and 'Tags'. Below that, a month navigation bar shows 'JUNE 2017' with arrows for 'MAY' and 'JUL'. A 'Month' dropdown menu is also present. The calendar grid shows days from Sunday to Saturday. Events are listed in the corresponding cells, such as 'GOYA BBQ 6:00' and 'Choir Practice 7:' on Thursdays, and 'Matins, Liturgy 9' on Sundays. A red arrow points to a dropdown menu on the right side of the calendar, which includes options like 'Add to Timely Calendar', 'Add to Google', 'Add to Outlook', 'Add to Apple Calendar', 'Add to other calendar', and 'Export to XML'.

January/February 2019						
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27 15th Sunday of Luke 9am Orthros / 10:15am Divine Liturgy Dance Practice 12:30pm	28	29	30 The Three Hierarchs 9:30am Orthros / 10:30am Divine Liturgy Evening Bible Study 7pm	31 Morning Bible Study 10:30 am Choir Practice 1pm Orthodox Spirituality Inquirer's Class 7pm	1	2 Presentation of the Lord in the Temple 9:30 am Orthros / 10:30am Divine Liturgy
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17 Sunday of the Publican and the Pharissee: Triodion Begins 9am Orthros / 10:15am Divine Liturgy Dance Practice 12:30pm	18 Parish Council Meeting 7pm	19 Women's Ministry Team Meeting 7pm	20 Evening Bible Study 7pm	21 Morning Bible Study 10:30am Forever Young Ministry 11:30am Orthodox Spirituality Inquirer's Class 7pm	22 Paraklesis Service to St. Anna, Mother of the Theotokos 7pm	23
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