



## **St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church**

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**Fifth Sunday of Lent  
St. Mary of Egypt**

**Sunday, April 5, 2020**

**Orthros: 9:00 a.m.**

**Divine Liturgy: 10:00 a.m.**

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

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## Epistle Reading: St. Paul's Letter to the Hebrews 9:11-14

*Prokeimenon. Mode 1. Psalm 32*

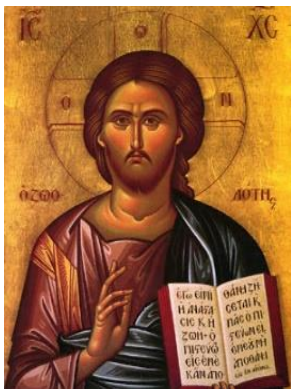
*Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, as we hope in You.*

*Verse: Rejoice greatly in the Lord, O righteous ones; praise is fitting for the upright.*



Brethren, when Christ appeared as a high priest of the good things that have come, then through the greater and more perfect tent (not made with hands, that is, not of this creation) he entered once for all into the Holy Place, taking not the blood of goats and calves but his own blood, thus securing an eternal redemption. For if the sprinkling of defiled persons with the blood of goats and bulls and with the ashes of a heifer sanctifies for the purification of the flesh, how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without blemish to God, purify your conscience from dead works to serve the living God.

## Gospel Reading: The Gospel According to Mark 10:32-45



At that time, Jesus taking the twelve again, he began to tell them what was to happen to him, saying, "Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem; and the Son of man will be delivered to the chief priests and the scribes, and they will condemn him to death, and deliver him to the Gentiles; and they will mock him, and spit upon him, and scourge him, and kill him; and after three days he will rise." And James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to him, and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." And he said to them, "What do you want

me to do for you?" And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or to be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?" And they said to him, "We are able." And Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared." And when the ten heard it, they began to be indignant of James and John. And Jesus called them to him and said to them, "You know that those who are supposed to rule over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great men exercise authority over them. But it shall not be so among you; but whoever would be great among you must be your servant, and whoever would be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of man also came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

### **Response to First Antiphon**

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Saviour, save us. (4)  
(Liturgy Book page 25)

### **Response to Second Antiphon**

Save us, O Son of God, who rose from the dead, save us who sing to You, Alleluia (4) (Liturgy Book page 24)

### **Response to Third Antiphon**

Although your tomb was sealed with a stone, O Saviour, and Your most pure body was guarded by the soldiers, You rose on the third day giving life to all the world. Therefore O giver of life, the powers of heaven praise You: Glory to your resurrection, O Christ. Glory to your kingdom. Glory to your saving wisdom, O only lover of mankind. (Liturgy Book page 99)

### **Entrance Hymn**

Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ. Save us, O Son of God, who rose from the dead, save us sing to You: Alleluia.  
(Liturgy Book page 37)

### **Resurrectional Apolytikion**

Although your tomb was sealed with a stone, O Saviour, and Your most pure body was guarded by the soldiers, You rose on the third day giving life to all the world. Therefore O giver of life, the powers of heaven praise You: Glory to your resurrection, O Christ. Glory to your kingdom. Glory to your saving wisdom, O only lover of mankind. (Liturgy Book page 99)

### **For the Devout Woman**

In you, holy mother Mary, the image of God shone forth, for you took up your cross and followed the Lord. By word and example you taught us to live in the spirit while still in the flesh. Therefore your spirit rejoices with the angels forever. (Liturgy book page 141)

### **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.

### **Kontakion**

O unfailing protection of Christians, and our faithful advocate before the Creator: though we are sinners, do not ignore our entreaty; but in your goodness, grant your timely help to us who appeal to you in faith. Quickly make intercession; on our behalf make speedy supplication, O Theotokos, for you always protect those who honor you. (Liturgy Book page 225)

### **Trisagion Hymn**

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us. (3)  
(Liturgy Book page 39)

### **Megalynarion (Hymn for the Theotokos)**

In you, O woman full of grace, all creation rejoices, the orders of angels and the race of mankind. O hallow'd temple and spiritual paradise, glory of virginal souls, from you our God was incarnate and became a child, He who is God from all ages. By making your womb His throne He made you more spacious, more spacious than

all the heavens. In you, O woman full of grace all creation, all creation rejoices. Glory to you. (Liturgy Book page 299)

### **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**

We have seen the true light; we have received the heav'nly spirt; 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:** For Saints of the Day, please visit the parish website at [https://stannagocutah.org/?page\\_id=4529](https://stannagocutah.org/?page_id=4529), or the parish Facebook page.

**Memorial Services:** To schedule a memorial service, please contact Fr. Anthony [at franthony@stannagocutah.org](mailto:atfranthony@stannagocutah.org) or 801-824-3987.

## **PARISH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Sunday, April 5, 2020:** Michael Petrogeorge and Steve Simos will be available for communion

**Sunday, April 12, 2020:** George Sergakis and Myra Shenk will be available for communion

**Parish Council Meeting:** The next Parish Council meeting will be held, Wednesday, April 8, 2020, at 7:00 p.m.

### **Lenten, Holy Week and Paschal Donations:**

Donations are requested for the following items:

#### **Lent:**

Flowers for Salutations Services \$625 (5 x \$125)

Daffodils for Mid Lent \$300.00

**Palm Sunday:**

Palm Strips for Crosses and Decorative Palms \$100.00

**Holy Week/Pascha:**

Flowers for Bridegroom Icon \$50.00

Floral Wreath for the Crucifix \$50.00

Rose Petals for Lamentation Service \$50.00

Easter Lilies for the Solea \$100.00

Please include with your donation the names of your departed loved ones. Fr. Anthony will commemorate the names during the Great and Holy Friday Evening Service of the Lamentations. At this point, it will likely be through Live Streaming. May Their Memories be Eternal!

**ADULT AND FAMILY MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS****Service Ministry:**

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

We are pleased to announce that St. Anna has initiated a Parish Outreach Program to provide an ongoing connection with all of our families during this difficult and challenging time. Every family will be called to let them know that we're here for each other and that a network of support is in place. Fr. Anthony is offering spiritual support as well as home visits to administer Communion and/or Unction. Mental health professionals are ready to provide a listening ear as well as techniques to help with stress, and errand runners are available to pick up and deliver groceries, prescriptions and other necessities. It's also another way we'll communicate Church updates. We're planning to do periodic check-ins until it's safe to resume Church services. Please call Service Ministry Chairs Alisanne Korologos (801-557-3569 or Ann Sasich (801-581-2528) if you have any questions or wish to request assistance between phone calls.



St Anna 2nd Annual Golf Classic  
June 13, 2020  
Thanksgiving Point - Lehi, Utah  
Check out the website below for details

[StAnnaGolfClassic2020.com](http://StAnnaGolfClassic2020.com)

Pam Martinez 801-623-7346 – Penny Mills 801-518-3786  
Co-Chairs  
Tom Martinez – Lloyd Mills  
Advisors

**Saint Anna Parish Fishing Trip to Strawberry Reservoir:** This year's fishing trip to Strawberry Reservoir will take place Thursday, July 9, through Sunday, July 12, 2020. Bring your motor home, trailer, or tent and join us at our reserved pavilion and group campground, or stay in the Strawberry Bay or Daniel's Summit Lodges. For room, boat and slip rentals, contact Strawberry Lodge at 435-548-2500 or [www.strawberrybay.com](http://www.strawberrybay.com) For Daniel's Summit Lodge, call 800-519-9969 or visit [www.danielssummit.com](http://www.danielssummit.com).

Participant reservations will commence after Pascha, but this advance notice will give you an opportunity to plan and book rooms. Join in a fun family event that offers fellowship, worship, food, friendship, and fishing. The trip is enjoyed by over 100 people each year. For any questions, contact Chuck Karpakis at [chuckkarpakis@gmail.com](mailto:chuckkarpakis@gmail.com) or 801-265-0900 or Mark Vrontikis at 801-231-5525 or [mark@vrontikis.com](mailto:mark@vrontikis.com).

### **COMMUNICATION MINISTRY TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Bulletin Announcements:** Our next weekly bulletin will be published for Sunday April 12, 2020. Please send requested bulletin

announcements to Elaine Peterson at [layniep53@comcast.net](mailto:layniep53@comcast.net) no later than *Tuesday, April 7, 2020, at 5:00 p.m.*

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](http://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](http://www.play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.conduit.app_fa0fc07216b24e93b1993aa947209c07.app)

## NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Live Streaming:** To live stream our services, visit and subscribe to our parish YouTube page at

**<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC8PbdstnLVq-reIVOb3GiwA>**.

**Candle Lighting and Donations:** As we navigate through these difficult times, we invite all faithful to remotely light a candle and offer a prayer. Fr. Anthony will light as many narthex and vigil (7-day) candles as you would like to request. To make a request, simply email Fr. Anthony at [franthony@stannagocutah.org](mailto:franthony@stannagocutah.org) specifying the number and type of candles you would like to have lit, providing the name(s) you would like to have read for each candle. You can also call Fr. Anthony at 801-824-3987 to make your request and provide your name(s).

To make a donation for the candles requested, simply click on the link below to access our online donation page. On the line for "Other Donations" insert the amount you wish to donate and type "Candle Donations" in the adjacent comment box. Donations can also be mailed via check addressed to:

Donations can also be mailed via check to St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church, P.O. Box 171224, Holladay, Utah 84117.

May God continue to bless and protect all people of the world as we navigate through these challenging times.

**Message from Peter Yannias, Stewardship Ministry Team Chair:**

"It is by offering our blessings back to God that He will be able to continue His forgiving, healing, liberating, empowering,



transfiguring, loving ministry through the Church. For God, Infinite though He is, has chosen to work through us, through our gifts, to continue His saving work in the world today." - Fr. Anthony M. Coniaris

As stewardship chairman I am asking each of you to please be vigilant in your stewardship commitment to our beautiful new St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church. Though we are not attending service as we would normally, we need everyone, if possible, to not delay in honoring their financial commitment to our parish so that the parish can continue to honor its financial commitments. Stewardship payments may be sent by check via mail to St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church, P.O. Box 171224, Holladay, Utah 84117. Stewardship payments may also be made online through the parish website by visiting **[https://stannagocutah.org/?page\\_id=2666](https://stannagocutah.org/?page_id=2666) and clicking on the "Donate Now" button.**

If you have not yet completed your 2020 stewardship commitment card, now is the critical time to do so. Visit [https://stannagocutah.org/?page\\_id=21](https://stannagocutah.org/?page_id=21) to access the St. Anna 2020 Stewardship commitment card on our website. The Stewardship page on the St. Anna website also discusses different options for submitting your stewardship payments.

Finally, Holy Week and Pascha are quickly approaching. While it remains to be seen whether and to what extent we may be able to worship together as a parish this year, we hope those who have a tradition of making Pascal donations will be able to continue with such donations this year. You might consider making any offerings you would otherwise make at the pangari for candles, etc. by check via mail to St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church, P.O. Box 171224, Holladay, Utah 84117, or online by visiting **[https://stannagocutah.org/?page\\_id=2666](https://stannagocutah.org/?page_id=2666) and clicking on the "Donate Now" button.**

### Holy Week and Paschal Liturgical Gift Box

Though we are all extremely grateful that our streaming capabilities have continued to improve, the physical and tactile

nature of our worship is definitive of our Orthodox Christian experience, especially during the sacred days of Holy Week and Pascha. In an effort to replicate our sacred worship, at least symbolically, St. Anna's will be distributing to each of our households a Holy Week and Paschal Liturgical Gift Box.

These Boxes will contain all of the non-Sacramental items you would have received within the worship of the church, and piously taken back to your homes. They will be ready for distribution following the Divine Liturgy of the Saturday of Lazarus. We recommend that you come to the church following the Liturgy and a Box will be handed to you in your car. No need to even get out. If you are unable to get to the church yourself, please tell an Outreach Volunteer Team Member when they call your home. We are putting a list together for deliveries.

This will not replace the spiritual experience we would have enjoyed together, walking the footsteps of our Lord's Passion and celebrating the Joy of His Resurrection, but it is our sincere effort to make this season the most beneficial that it can be. Please accept these as a gesture of our ultimate desire to be together again.

At the time of the Bulletin's printing, we are awaiting instructions for the distribution of Communion and Unction during Holy Week and Pascha.

### **GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**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](mailto:treasurer@stannagocutah.org) for further details.

### **BUILDING COMMITTEE MINISTRY**

Building Committee Ministry is seeking volunteers to help keep our place of worship and fellowship hall neat and clean. The church is in need of general housekeeping each week. Please contact Myles

Carrera at [mylescarrera@gmail.com](mailto:mylescarrera@gmail.com) or 801-645-6088 for weekly assignments and updates.

### **BUILDING /FACILITIES MINISTRY**

If you would like to sign up to serve as a member of our new Building/Facilities Ministry Team, please contact Lloyd Mills at 801-651-0905 or [lloydmills@hotmail.com](mailto:lloydmills@hotmail.com) or Myles Carrera at 801-645-6088 or [mylescarrera@gmail.com](mailto:mylescarrera@gmail.com)

### **MUSIC MINISTRY TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Choir Practice: Choir Practices are postponed at this time. Contact Sophie Wondolowski at [swondo@comcast.net](mailto:swondo@comcast.net) with questions.

### **STEWARDSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS**

2020 Stewardship Update: As of April 2, 2020, we are at \$287,481 85% of our goal of \$340,000! A great start but we are not quite there. Please do your part to help us achieve our budgeted goal! Bring your completed Stewardship Commitment Card to church this Sunday or mail it to PO Box 171224, Holladay, Utah 84117.

Our 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 life-blood 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.

### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Women's Ministry Team Meeting: Postponed until further notice.

### **ST. ANNA CAPITAL CAMPAIGN (SACC) UPDATE**

Dear St. Anna Parishioners,

During these trying times and on behalf of the Capital Campaign Committee, we pray everyone is safe.

Our Parish still needs you to continue to complete your pledges to the Capital Campaign in order to complete the items needed for our new church.

If you have not had the chance to fulfill your pledge to the Capital Campaign for 2019 please prayerfully consider doing so as soon as you can.

As we have mentioned before, please consider donating to the Coffee vs Cash Campaign which is available for you to donate the cost of a cup of coffee a week toward the campaign. This will add up over the year and help our building committee remodel our new church building.

The St Anna Golf Tournament is scheduled to take place in June. Information will be sent out to the parish shortly. Please take the time to organize a team and play in the tournament. You and your team can register on line through the St. Anna Website.

The Capital Campaign Committee is always available to answer any questions you may have. Please contact the committee directly or email us at: [stannacampaign@stannagocutah.org](mailto:stannacampaign@stannagocutah.org)

Keep everyone in your prayers during this new lifestyle we are faced with and be safe.

St. Anna Capital Campaign Ministry Committee

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AND YOUTH MINISTRY TEAM**  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Sunday School is suspended until further notice.

## PAN ORTHODOX, FRATERNAL, AND OTHER COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pan Arcadian West District Scholarship 2020 UPDATE:

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic spreading throughout the communities where we all live and work, the PFA Western District Scholarship accepting applications and the awarding of these Scholarships will be moved to a later date.

### PRAYER LIST

Angela, Athena, Brooke, Carol, Chad, Charissa, Chris,  
Christopher, Cyndy, Cynthia, Debbie, Don, Ellie, Eugene,  
Eugeniy, Fred, Gary, George, Greg, Gus, Haylee, Jacqui, Jim, Joe,  
Jordan, Julie, Ken, Kimberly, Lynne, Madeline, Mary, Mary Lynn,  
Maureen, Mike, Myles, Natalia, Natalie, Nicole, Paisley, Patty,  
Preston, Rock, Sal, Stephanie, Steve, Tamara, and Theodore

### PARISH CALENDAR

Visit [www.stannagocutah.org/?page\\_id=1663](http://www.stannagocutah.org/?page_id=1663) to obtain an electronic copy of the parish calendar.

April						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5 Sunday of St. Mary of Egypt 9:00 am Orthros/ 10:00 am Divine Liturgy  Available for Limited Access for Live Worship Until Further Notice	6	7	8	9	10	11 Saturday of Lazarus 8:00 am Orthros 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 11:30 am  Available for Limited Access for Live Worship Until Further Notice

## 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!



**KEEP  
CALM  
AND**

**LETS PRAY  
TOGETHER**