



St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church

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6th Sunday of Luke
Sunday, October 24, 2021
Orthros: 9:00 a.m.
Divine Liturgy: 10:00 a.m.

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Reverend Father Elias Koucos, Retired
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Epistle Reading: Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians 9:6-11

Prokeimenon Mode 1 Psalm 32

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

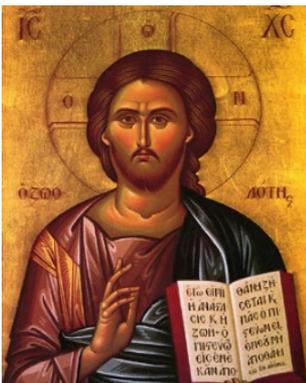
Verse: Rejoice greatly in the Lord, O righteous ones; praise is fitting for the upright.



Brethren, the point is this: he who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must do as he has made up his mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that you may always have enough of everything and may provide in abundance for every good work. As it is

written, "He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures for ever." He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your resources and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for great generosity, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God.

Gospel Reading: The Gospel According to Luke 8:5-15



At that time, as Jesus arrived at the country of the Gadarenes, there met him a man from the city who had demons; for a long time he had worn no clothes and he lived not in a house but among the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell down before him, and said with a loud voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beseech you, do not torment me." For he had commanded

the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many a time it had seized him; he was kept under guard, and bound with chains and fetters, but he broke the bonds and was driven by the demon into the desert.) Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. And they begged him not to command them to depart into the abyss. Now a large herd of swine was feeding there on the hillside; and they begged him to let them enter these. So he gave them leave. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and were drowned. When the herdsmen saw what happened, they fled, and told it in the city and in the country. Then people went out to see what had happened, and they came to Jesus, and found the man from whom the demons had gone, sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. And those who had seen it told them how he who had been possessed with demons was healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gadarenes asked him to depart from them; for they were seized with great fear; so he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but he sent him away, saying, "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." And he went away, proclaiming throughout the whole city how much Jesus had done for him.

Response to First Antiphon

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

Response to Second Antiphon

Save us, O Son of God who were crucified in the flesh, save us
who sing to You, Alleluia. (4)

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 Saints

The holy martyrs suffered painful tortures for Your sake, O Lord; be compelled by what they endured, and heal our every pain, we entreat You, as the only One who loves humanity.

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 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)

It is truly right to call you blessed O Theotokos, ever blessed, most pure and the mother, the mother of our God. More hon'orable 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

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: For Saints of the Day, please visit the parish website at https://stannagocutah.org/?page_id=4529, or the parish Facebook page.

Memorial Services: May their memories be eternal

Sunday, November 7, 2021: *Leni Maragakis Cairo (12 Years); Harris (Bob) George Cairo (10 Years); George Harris Cairo (1 Year);*

Charlie (Kyriacos) Zoolakis (3 months). To schedule a memorial service, please contact Fr. Anthony at franthy@stannagocutah.org or 801-824-3987.

PARISH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Council Meeting: The next Parish Council meeting will be held, Monday, November 15, 2021, at 7:00 p.m.

Updated message from the Medical Advisory Ministry regarding COVID-19 precautions and the Delta variant:

As you may know, the CDC has recently published updated guidance for vaccinated and unvaccinated individuals. We encourage all parishioners to be familiar with the recommendations made by the CDC, Utah health officials, and as established by Sandy City. At this time face coverings or masks are not required but are recommended for indoor spaces.

Easy Way to Pay Your Stewardship and Other Church Donations: The Parish Council has implemented a new way for stewardship and other donations made to St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church can now be quickly and easily made via text message using GIVE+ Text, a text donation platform offered through Vanco, our online donation partner.

To donate to St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church via text message, follow these four simple steps:

1. Send a text message to 844-936-2414 (St. Anna's dedicated Give+ Text number), stating the amount you would like to donate followed by the account code in the body of the text, using the following format: \$xx 0x. The available account codes are as follows:

01-Stewardship

02-Altar & Benevolence

03-Building Fun

04-Miscellaneous giving

05-Candles-Pangari

06-Candles-Vigil

2. You will receive a return text message containing a link for you to complete your donation.

3. Click on the link in the return text to enter your name, address, and credit card information and register yourself as a Give+ Text user.

4. You will receive another text message confirming your donation.

Future text donations are even easier! All you have to do is text the amount you want to donate followed by the applicable account code (\$xx 0x) to 844-936-2414 (St. Anna's dedicated Give+ Text number). The credit card entered at the time of your initial registration will be charged your donation amount, and you will receive a confirming text message.

Further information on the Give+ Text donation platform can be found through the following video tutorials available on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4tgrZk6fEy4&feature=youtu.be>.

BUILDING COMMITTEE MINISTRY

The Building Committee Ministry is asking for more volunteer support in order to keep our beautiful St. Anna spaces clean, safe, and sanitized after each service. Please contact Myles Carrera at mylescarrera@gmail.com or 801-645-6088 for our volunteer team's weekly schedule and any updates.

COMMUNICATION MINISTRY TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bulletin Announcements: Please note the next bulletin will be published for Sunday, October 31, 2021. Please send requested bulletin announcements to **Elaine Peterson** at

layniep53@comcast.net no later than *Tuesday, October 26, 2021,*
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 and through Google Play at www.play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.conduit.app_fa0fc07216b24e93b1993aa947209c07.app

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND YOUTH ACTIVITIES

This year all classes are learning to be known as "Little Christ" aka Christians through age-appropriate study of the Gospel books. All grades are learning similar themes. We would love it if you would engage in conversations with our Sunday School students about what we are studying. Some great questions to get you started:

Can you teach me what you learned in class today/this week?

What did Jesus do or say this week in your lesson?

Junior/Senior High School class:

We are leaning in close to Christ by studying His parables and miracles as told to us in the Gospel books. We have been pondering what the Kingdom of Heaven means and how Christ's parables help us understand a bit better this month.

Elementary and Early Childhood classes: We are following Christ's story through the school year and learning about the Great Feasts of the Church and His life as we 'grow' with Christ through His earthly ministry.

Thank you for praying for our students and teachers, and for bringing your children/grandchildren/godchildren!

JOY Party: Immediately after church Sunday, October 31, 2021. Pumpkin decorating, treats and fellowship.

YAL Potluck: Sunday, November 21, 2021 7:00 pm. Further details to follow.

SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Anna Food Support Program - Help Fight Hunger!

New in November: The Food Support Program will be expanded to incorporate donations from the community, as well as from our parishioners. Stay tuned for more information.

Please continue to donate nonperishable food items below, which can be dropped off in the blue bin on Sundays 9:00 am -12:00 noon and Tuesdays 9:00am -11:00 am.

Needed food items: Canned meats (tuna, chicken, salmon, etc.); canned vegetables, canned chili, peanut butter, jelly, Top Ramen, Instant Mac and Cheese, Cup O' Noodle (other instant meals); rice; flour, sugar, dry milk, and granola bars.

Your ongoing generosity provides crucial support to the Entrada and Copperview pantries that distribute food to our community neighbors facing hunger. To volunteer, contact Ron Steele at (801) 580-6964. God bless.

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 Phill Floor at treasurer@stannagocutah.org for further details.

STEWARDSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

2021 Stewardship Update: As of Tuesday, October 12 2021, we have \$316,924 pledged; putting us at 93% of our \$340,000. If you have not yet had an opportunity to complete your 2021 Stewardship Commitment Card, please bring it to church this week or mail it to PO Box 171224, Holladay, Utah 84117. Stewardship cards can also be submitted online at https://stannagocutah.org/?page_id=21.

Stewardship, as you well know, is the absolute life-blood of our community's financial health. We do not pass trays or make seasonal appeals to pay our operational expenses. To God's glory, and to your credit, we sustain primarily through Stewardship and the sustained giving of our contributors.

PAN ORTHODOX, FRATERNAL, AND OTHER COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to the 2021 recipients of the Salt Lake City AHEPA Chapter college scholarships.

Our January 2020 scholarship fundraiser raised enough money for two \$1,000 awards but, unfortunately, we weren't able to award them due to the COVID-19 crisis. So, this year we decided to offer three \$1,000 scholarships. However, as we reviewed the scholarship applications, we realized all of the applicants were exceptional and closely matched. So, this year, we are awarding six scholarships!

The recipients are Andre Albert, Apostoli Hillas, John Nikols, Zachary Petrogeorge, Markella Savas and Chrisoula Sifandonakis. AHEPA wishes them success in their future academic endeavors and are sure they will do very well.

When we are again able to schedule a scholarship fundraiser, we ask the community to **please** support us so we can continue supporting our students in the future.

PRAYER LIST

**Alexander, Athena, Barbara, Christy, Debbie, Dena, Don,
George, Harry, Heather, Jon, Julia, Katherine, Kathy, Leon,
Linda, Luke, Maggie, Margie, Max, Melanie, Nicole, Nina, Pam,
Richard, Sandra, Sophie and Theodore**

PARISH CALENDAR

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

October 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
24 6th Sunday of Luke 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	25	26 Morning Bible Study 10:30 am St. Demetrios the Great Martyr and Myrrh Flowing 8:00 am Orthros 9:00 am Divine Liturgy	27 The Orthodox Faith Discussion Series 7:00 pm	28 Orthodox Inquirer's Class 7:00 pm	29 Paraklesis to St. Anna, the Mother of the Theotokos 7:00 pm	30
31 5th Sunday of Luke 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy Joy Party 12:30 - 2:00 pm						

November 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Saints Cosmas and Damian the Unmercenaries 8:00 am Orthros 9:00 am Divine	2 Morning Bible Study 10:30 am	3 The Orthodox Faith Discussion Series 7:00 pm	4 Orthodox Inquirer's Class 7:00 pm	5	6 Teaching Divine Liturgy 10:00 am Divine Liturgy
7 7th Sunday of Luke 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	8 The Synaxis in Honor of the Chief Commanders Michael and Gabriel 8:00 am Orthros 9:00 am Divine	9 Morning Bible Study 10:30 am St. Nektarios the Wonderworker 8:00 am Orthros 9:00 am Divine	10 The Orthodox Faith Discussion Series 7:00 pm	11 Orthodox Inquirer's Class 7:00 pm	12	13
14 8th Sunday of Luke 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	15 Parish Council Meeting 7:00 pm	16 Morning Bible Study 10:30 am St. Matthew the Evangelist	17 The Orthodox Faith Discussion Series 7:00 pm	18 Forever Young 11:30 am Orthodox Inquirer's Class 7:00 pm	19	20

		8:00 am Orthros 9:00 am Divine Women's Ministry Team 7:00 pm				
21 The Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy YAL Thanksgiving Potluck Gathering 7:00 pm	22	23	24	25 Thanksgiving Day St. Katherine the Great of Alexandria 8:00 am Orthros 9:00 am Divine	26 Paraklesis to St. Anna, the Mother of the Theotokos 7:00 pm	27
28 Thirteenth Sunday of Luke 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	29	30 St. Andrew the First Called Apostle 8:00 am Orthros 9:00 am Divine Liturgy Morning Bible Study 10:30 am				

December 2021						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 The Orthodox Faith Discussion Series 7:00 pm	2 Orthodox Inquirer's Class 7:00 pm	3	4
5 10th Sunday of Luke 9:00 am Orthros 10:00 am Divine Liturgy	6	7 Morning Bible Study 10:30 am	8 The Orthodox Faith Discussion Series 7:00 pm	9 Orthodox Inquirer's Class 7:00 pm	10	11
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St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church
YOUTH MINISTRIES PRESENTS:



JOY PARTY

Pick a Pumpkin from our Patch to Decorate
Sunday, October 31st Following Sunday Fellowship

PIZZA, TREATS AND SUPPLIES WILL BE PROVIDED

Parents, Please Join Us so we can Work on the JOY
Calendar of Events Together!

St. Anna

Food Support
Program



In Support of Two Local Food Pantries:

COPPERVIEW FOOD AND
RESOURCE CENTER

ENTRADA ADULT/DIAMOND
RIDGE HIGH SCHOOLS

HELP FIGHT HUNGER

DROP OFF DAYS/TIMES: Sundays 9am-12pm
Tuesdays from 9am-11am

WHAT WE NEED:

- Canned Meats/Fish
- Canned Vegetables
- Canned Chili
- Rice
- Dry Milk
- Flour
- Sugar
- Peanut Butter
- Jelly/Jam
- Granola Bars
- Top Ramen
- Cup O' Noodles
- Instant Mac & Cheese
- Other Instant Meals

Case Lot
Goods
Requested

PLEASE DROP YOUR DONATIONS IN THE LARGE BLUE BIN AT:

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Introducing the St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church

PUMPKIN PATCH

**Volunteers
Needed!**

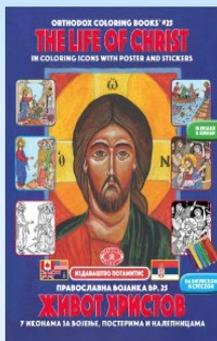
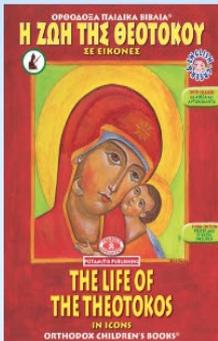
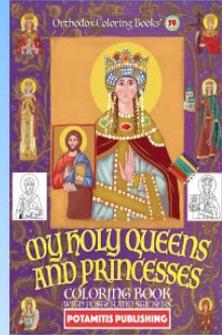
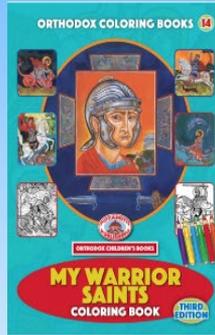
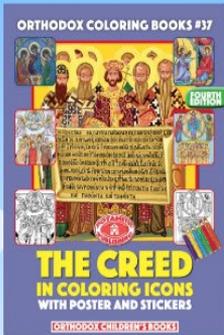
Mid-October to the 31st

To Benefit the Programs Supported by our Women's Ministry
Look for Further Information on Hours and Fun Attractions

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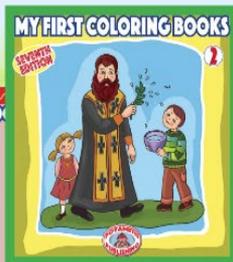
Coloring and Activity Books

have arrived at St. Anna Bookstore!

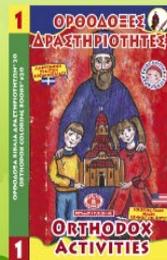


Large Coloring Books \$8.00

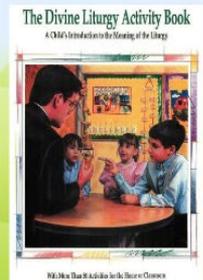
- The Creed
- My Warrior Saints
- My Holy Queens and Princesses
- The Life of the Theotokos in Icons
- The Life of Christ



Small Coloring Books \$2.00

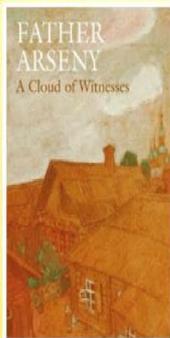


Orthodox Activities \$4.00

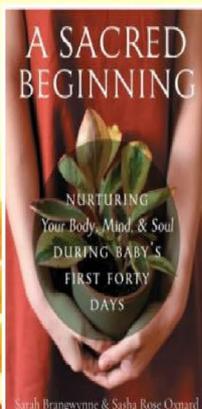


Divine Liturgy Activity Book \$8.00

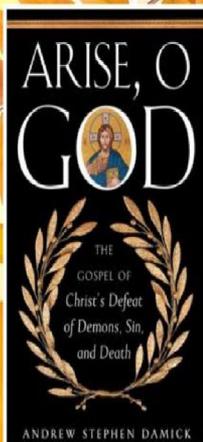
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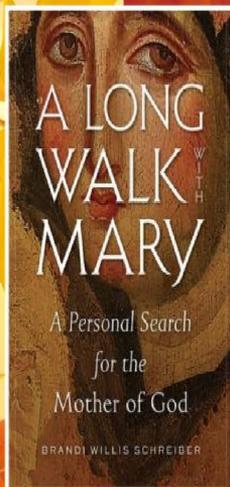
**Father Arseny:
Cloud of Witnesses**
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**A Sacred Beginning:
Nurturing Your Body,
Mind & Soul During
Baby's First 40 Days**
\$23.00



**Arise, O God:
The Gospel of
Christ's Defeat
of Demons, Sin,
and Death**
\$14.00



**A Long Walk with Mary:
A Personal Search for
the Mother of God**
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**Micro Icon
Sets**
\$7.00-\$8.00



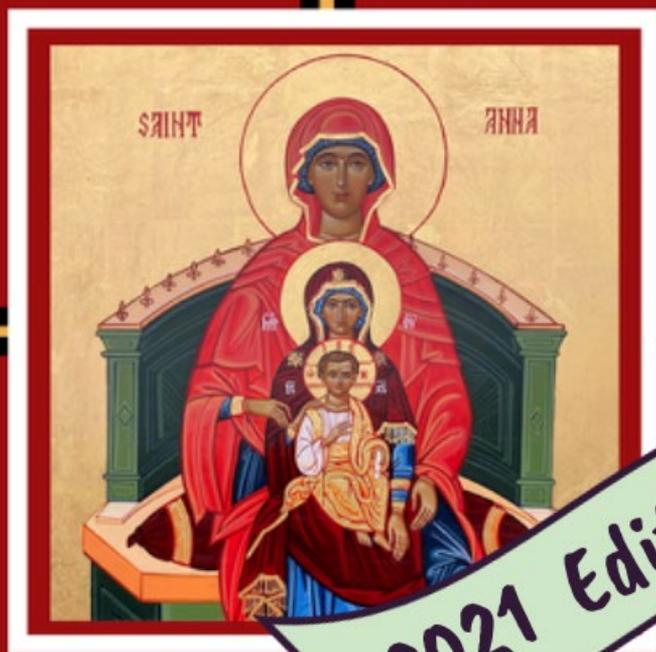
**Eternity in the
Moment: The Life
& Wisdom of Elder
Arsenie Papacioc**
\$17.00



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