



St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church
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Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearing Women
Sunday, April 30, 2023

Orthros: 9:00 a.m.
Divine Liturgy: 10:00 a.m.

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Epistle Reading: Acts of the Apostles (6:1-7)

Prokeimenon. Mode 2. Psalm 117.

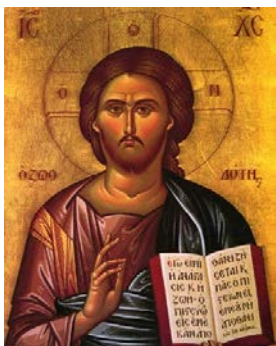
The Lord is my strength and my song, and He became my salvation.

Verse: The Lord chastened and corrected me, but He did not give me up to death.



In those days, when the disciples were increasing in number, the Hellenists murmured against the Hebrews because their widows were neglected in the daily distribution. And the twelve summoned the body of the disciples and said, "It is not right that we should give up preaching the word of God to serve tables. Therefore, brethren, pick out from among you seven men of good repute, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we may appoint to this duty. But we will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word." And what they said pleased the whole multitude, and they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit, and Philip, and Prochoros, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicolaos, a proselyte of Antioch. These they set before the apostles, and they prayed and laid their hands upon them. And the word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the faith.

Gospel Reading: The Gospel According to Mark (15:43-47; 16:1-8)



At that time, Joseph of Arimathea, a respected member of the council, who was also himself looking for the kingdom of God, took courage and went to Pilate, and asked for the body of Jesus. And Pilate wondered if he were already dead; and summoning the centurion, he asked him whether he was already dead. And when he learned from the centurion that he was dead, he granted the body to Joseph. And he bought a linen

shroud, and taking him down, wrapped him in the linen shroud, and laid him in a tomb which had been hewn out of the rock; and he rolled a stone against the door of the tomb. Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of James saw where he was laid. And when the sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome, bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week they went to the tomb when the sun had risen. And they were saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the door of the tomb?" And looking up, they saw that the stone was rolled back; for it was very large. And entering the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe; and they were amazed. And he said to them, "Do not be amazed; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, he is not here; see the place where they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him, as he told you." And they went out and fled from the tomb; for trembling and astonishment had come upon them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

Christ Is Risen

Christ is risen from the dead, trampling down death by death, and to those in the tombs, He has granted life.

Response to First Antiphon

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us. (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. (Liturgy Book page 29)

Response to Third Antiphon

Christ is risen from the dead, trampling down death by death, and to those in the tombs, He has granted life.

Entrance Hymn

Bless God in the churches, the Lord from the fountains of Israel. Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead, we sing to You, Alleluia.

Resurrectional Apolytikion

When you descended into death, Life immortal, You vanquished the pow'r of hell by your resplendent 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)

Hymn for the Feast

The noble Joseph took Your most pure body down from the tree. He wrapped it in clean linen, anointed it with spices, and placed it in a new tomb. But on the third day You rose, O Lord, bestowing on all the world Your great mercy. (Liturgy Book page 159)

Another Hymn for the Feast

The angel stood by the tomb and cried out to the myrrh-bearing women: Myrrh would be fitting to anoint the dead, but Christ has shown Himself to be free from corruption. Therefore, proclaim that the Lord is risen, bestowing on all the world His great mercy. (Liturgy Book page 163)

Hymn for the Evangelist

O Apostle, the beloved of Christ God, hasten to deliver us, a people that has no excuse. He accepts you supplicating Him, for He condescended at the Supper to let you lean on Him. Entreat Him, O Theologian, that He scatter the persistent cloud of hostile nations, and pray for us, for peace and great mercy

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

Into the grave You descended, Immortal One, yet You destroyed the power of Hades, and as victor You arose, O Christ our God; You proclaimed to the myrrh-bearing women a greeting of joy. You

brought peace to Your holy apostles, and to the fallen You granted resurrection. (Liturgy Book page 275)

Trisagion Hymn

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

Megalynarion (Hymn for the Theotokos)

The angel cried out to the woman full of grace: Rejoice, O pure Virgin; again I say, rejoice, for your Son is risen from the tomb on the third day. Shine, shine, O new Jerusalem, for the glory of the Lord has dawned upon you. Exult and be glad, O Zion. Be radiant, pure Theotokos, in the resurrection of your Son. (Liturgy Book page 309)

Communion Hymn

Receive the body, the body of Christ; drink from the font of immortality. (Liturgy Book page 318)

Hymn after Communion

Christ is risen from the dead, trampling down death by death, and to those in the tombs, He has granted life.

Dismissal Hymn

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

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Online Chapel: For Saints and Readings of the Day, please visit the [Archdiocese's Online Chapel](#).

St. Anna Livestream: Livestreaming is back up and running on the [St. Anna YouTube Channel](#).

Epistle Reader: Dimitri Savas

Congratulations: Congratulations to Lexi Varanakis Austin and baby Banx Johnny Austin on the celebration of their 40-Day Blessing that will take place near the conclusion of today's Divine Liturgy. Please take the time to pray for Mom and Baby, together

with Banx's Daddy, Chad and big brother, Krew. God bless the growing Austin Family.

Memorial Services:

Sunday, April 30, 2023: Mary Barker (40 days); John Feotis (1 year).

Sunday, May 7, 2023: Stan Kouris (2 years); Val Pantone (1 year)

Sunday, May 14, 2023: Caleb Jungert (3 months)

May Their Memory Be Eternal! To schedule a memorial service, please contact Fr. Anthony at franthony@stannagocutah.org or 801-824-3987.

Fellowship Hour Hosts: Thank you to everyone who has signed up to host fellowship hour following Sunday liturgy. Please remember that your hosting duties include not only providing the food and setting up but also clean-up at the conclusion of fellowship hour.

PARISH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Council Meeting: The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Monday, May 15, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

4th Annual St. Anna Golf Classic: The St. Anna 4th Annual Golf Classic will be held on Saturday, June 10, 2023, at Fox Hollow Golf Club, 1400 N. 200 East, American Fork. 4-person scramble format. Registration: 7:00 a.m.; Shotgun start: 8:00 a.m.

Multiple pricing options available:

- Individual Golf Package: \$85 per person (includes green fees, cart, range balls and lunch)
- Yasou Package: \$325 per person (includes green fees, cart, lunch, hole signage, and banner signage)
- 4-Player Package: \$340 per team (includes cart and green fees and lunch for four)
- Zorba Package: \$725 per team (includes green fees and lunch for four, cart, hole signage and banner signage)

For more information, contact Sam Soter at sam.soter@canyonsdistrict.org or 801-815-3147, or Pam Martinez at

azmrsjtom@gmail.com or 801-623-7346. All proceeds benefit St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church.

Handicap Parking: All of the parking spaces against the sidewalk in the front (west side) of the building have been designated for handicap parking. Signs and painted markings will be installed in the coming months. In the meantime, we ask for your cooperation in treating these spaces as reserved for our handicapped parishioners and guests.

PHILOPTOCHOS

Philoptochos Meeting: The next Philoptochos meeting will be held on Monday, May 22, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

STEWARDSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you to all who have turned in their 2023 stewardship cards. As of April 19, we have received 138 stewardship commitments totaling \$369,238, putting us at 95% of our budgeted goal of \$390,000.

If you were a St. Anna Steward the last two years, your 2023 stewardship packet should have been mailed to you. If you are new to the community and would like to become a St. Anna Steward, you can obtain a 2023 Pledge Card. They are on display in the Narthex and available on the parish website.

The generosity and vision of our parishioners has historically been a defining aspect of this community. We very much appreciate your prayerful commitment and continued support. This year will prove to be a particularly historic time in the life of our church. Thank you for being an active part of our every success, unto the glory of God.

ST. ANNA SERVICE MINISTRY

Food Support Program - Fill the Bin! Did you know that the Diamond Ridge/Entrada High School has moved and is located at 9800 South 800 East? There are three pantry locations within the school that serve high school students, local community families and adults completing high school. **FILL THE BIN!**

ADULT EDUCATION

Morning Bible Study: The Morning Bible Study, led by John Kaloudis is held on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. This Wednesday, May 3, 2023, bible study will be hosted at the home of Joe and Myra Varanakis, 2263 E. Spruce View Ct, Salt Lake City. For information, please call Tom or Carolyn Leitko at 801-842-2304.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday School: This year we have been studying church history, starting with Pentecost. Be sure to ask your Sunday School students what they are learning! It is important to learn together as a faith family. Thank you for sharing your children with us.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pan Arcadian Western District Scholarship 2023: The application for the 2023 Pan Arcadian Western District Scholarship is available at www.panarcadianwest.org/news.htm. Applicants must be a member of the local Arcadian Chapter #90 OR have a grandparent or parent that is a member. Applications must be postmarked no later than May 22, 2023. Please contact Karen Anastasopoulos at karenanast@gmail.com or 801-913-2414 with any questions regarding the scholarship.

Hellenic Bar Association: The Hellenic Bar Association is ramping up again and wants to schedule a Spring/Summer event for all past and current members, as well as any lawyers desiring to become members. In order to make sure that we have everyone's current contact information, for future communications and invites, will you please send an email (with Hellenic Bar Association in the subject line) to Thomas W. Peters at twp@psplawyers.com. Please include the following information in your email communication: Name, Spouses Name, Address, Email and Phone Number. Looking forward to seeing everyone in the near future at an event!

COMMUNICATION MINISTRY TEAM ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bulletin Announcements: The next bulletin will be published for Sunday, May 7, 2023. Please send bulletin announcements to

Michael Petrogeorge at mppetrogeorge@gmail.com no later than Tuesday, May 2, 2023, at 5:00 p.m. Thank you!

PRAYER LIST

Alexis, Amie, Amy, Anna, Calley, Caroline, Deborah, Elaine, Liz, Lynn, Marylynn, Melany, Michael, Nicole, Pari, Penny, Richard, Ryley, Steve, Theodore, Travis, Tyler, and Vanni

Please email Michael Petrogeorge at mppetrogeorge@gmail.com by Tuesday at 5:00 p.m. to add or remove names from the list.

PARISH CALENDAR

Visit the [parish website](#) to access an electronic copy of the parish calendar. Unless otherwise specified, all events will be held at St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church, 9201 S. 1300 East, Sandy.

Sunday, April 30, 2023 (Sunday of the Myrrh-Bearing Women)

- 9:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 10:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, May 3, 2023

- 10:30 a.m.: Morning Bible Study at Varanakis Residence

Thursday, May 4, 2023

- 1:00 p.m.: Choir practice

Sunday, May 7, 2023 (Sunday of the Paralytic)

- 9:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 10:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, May 10, 2023

- 10:30 a.m.: Morning Bible Study at Leitko Residence

Thursday, May 11, 2023

- 1:00 p.m.: Choir practice

Sunday, May 14, 2023 (Sunday of the Samaritan Woman)

- 9:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 10:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, May 17, 2023

- 10:30 a.m.: Morning Bible Study at Leitko Residence



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4 PERSON/TEAM
SCRAMBLE TOURNAMENT



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Per Person:

\$85

INCLUDES:

- GREEN FEES
- CART
- LUNCH
- RANGE BALLS

ZORBA PACKAGE

\$725

INCLUDES:

- 4 GREEN FEES
- CART
- HOLE SIGNAGE
- BANNER SIGNAGE

YASOO PACKAGE

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INCLUDES:

- CART
- LUNCH
- HOLE SIGNAGE
- BANNER SIGNAGE

4- PLAYER

PACKAGE \$340

INCLUDES:

- GREEN FEES
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SATURDAY
JUNE 10,
2023

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT
ST. ANNAS GREEK
ORTHODOX CHURCH



REGISTRATION BEGINS 7:00 AM
SHOTGUN STARTS 8:00 AM

SAINT ANNA PARISH FISHING TRIP AT STRAWBERRY RESERVOIR



This year's parish fishing trip at Strawberry Reservoir will take place Thursday, June 29 through Sunday, July 2, 2023. Bring your motor home, trailer, or tent and join us at our reserved pavilion and group campground, or stay at the Strawberry Bay Marina Lodge or Daniel's Summit Lodge. For room, boat and slip rentals, call Strawberry Lodge at www.strawberrybay.com or 435-548-2500. For an alternative hotel option, call Daniels Summit Lodge at 800-519-9969 or www.danielssummit.com.

Participant reservations will begin May 1st, but this advance notice will give you an opportunity to reserve rooms, boats and slips now to insure availability. Join in this fun family event which offers great fellowship, wonderful food, nightly group gatherings, super fishing, and Sunday Divine Liturgy, all in the beauty of God's creation at 7000 feet elevation.

Any questions, contact Chuck Karpakis at 801-573-6938 or chuckkarpakis@gmail.com or Mark Vrontikis at 801-321-5525 or mark@vrontikis.com.

St. Anna Food Support Program

HELP FIGHT HUNGER

Food Collection Site
Serving Sandy Area Food Pantries

Drop Off Days and Times:

Sundays 9am to 12pm

Tuesdays 10am to 6pm

Needed Food Items

Canned meat / Tuna

Instant Meals

Canned chili / Stews

Rice / Noodles

Flour / Sugar / Dry milk

Peanut butter / Jelly / Jam

Granola bars / Snacks

Canned fruit / Canned veggies



Please drop off your donations in
the big blue bin at:
St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church
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