



# CHURCH BULLETIN



**St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church**  
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**Sunday of All Saints**  
**Sunday, June 4, 2023**

**Orthros: 8:00 a.m.**  
**Divine Liturgy: 9:00 a.m.**

**Reverend Protopresbyter Anthony Savas**  
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**Epistle Reading: Paul's Letter to the Hebrews  
(11:33-40; 12:1-2)**

*Prokeimenon. Mode pl. 4. Psalm 67.*

*God is wondrous in His saints.*

*Verse: Bless God in the churches.*



Brethren, all the saints through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, received promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Some were tortured, refusing to accept release, that they might rise again to a better life. Others suffered mocking and

scourging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were tempted, they were killed with the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, ill-treated - of whom the world was not worthy - wandering over deserts and mountains and in dens and caves of the earth. And all these, though well attested by their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had foreseen something better for us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect. Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfection of our faith.

**Gospel Reading: The Gospel According to Matthew  
(10:32-33; 37-38; 19:27-30)**

The Lord said to his disciples, "Every one who acknowledges me before men, I also will acknowledge before my Father who is in heaven; but whoever denies me before men, I also will deny him before my Father who is in heaven. He who loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and he who loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and he who does not



take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me.” Then Peter said in reply, “Lo, we have left everything and followed you. What then shall we have?” Jesus said to them, “Truly, I say to you, in the new world, when the Son of man shall sit on his glorious throne, you who have followed me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And every one who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother

or children or lands, for my name's sake, will receive a hundredfold, and inherit eternal life. But many that are first will be last, and the last first.”

### **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**

From on high You descended, O merciful Lord. You accepted the cross and three days in the tomb to free us from the bondage of sin, O our life and resurrection. Glory to You, O Lord. (Liturgy Book page 127).

### **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 39)

### **Resurrectional Apolytikion**

From on high You descended, O merciful Lord. You accepted the cross and three days in the tomb to free us from the bondage of sin, O our life and resurrection. Glory to You, O Lord. (Liturgy Book page 127)

### **Hymn for the Saints**

Throughout the world Your Church is adorned with the blood of the martyrs as with royal purple and fine linen. Through them she cries out to You, Christ our God: Grant your lasting peace to all the world and bestow on our souls Your great mercy. (Liturgy Book page 175)

### **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**

To You, O Lord, Creator of the universe, the world offers the God bearing martyrs as the first fruits of creation. Through their prayers, and through those of the Theotokos, keep Your Church in perfect peace, O Savior rich in mercy. (Liturgy Book page 283)

### **Trisagion Hymn**

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us. (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**

Exalt, you just, in the Lord. Exalt, you just, in the Lord; from the upright praise is fitting. (Liturgy Book page 323)

### **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)

## 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](#).

### **Memorial Services:**

*Sunday, June 11, 2023:* Marinos Poulos (40 days); Melanie Zoumadakis (40 days); Ange Floor (6 months); Nick Floor (1 year); Basil Floor (16 years); Basil Chachas (5 years). May Their Memories Be Eternal!

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

**New Summer Hours for Sunday Services:** Throughout the heat of the summer, we will do our best to manage the heat in the church. As part of this effort, Sunday services will begin one hour earlier: Orthros at 8:00 a.m. and Divine Liturgy at 9:00 a.m.

**Summer Temperatures:** As we move into summer and temperatures rise, we will do our best to manage the heat in the church. In addition to starting services one-hour earlier on Sundays (see above) and running the two southern most cooling units for as long as construction will allow, we will run the small ceiling fans and keep the entry doors and exterior slider doors open. There are also instant ice packs and water available in the Narthex. Thankfully, this should be our last summer without a fully functioning HVAC system!

**Parish Fishing Trip:** Our annual parish fishing trip will be held June 29-July 2, 2023, at Strawberry Reservoir. See attached [flier](#) for further details.

**Save the Date - Parish Name Day Picnic:** Our annual name day picnic will be held on Saturday, July 22, 2023. Details to come. Save the date!

**Fellowship Hour Hosts:** Thank you to everyone who has signed up to host fellowship hour following Sunday liturgy. Please remember that our fellowship hour will be moving to St. Anna's north patio during the next phase of construction, and that your hosting duties include not only providing the food and setting up but also clean-up at the conclusion of fellowship hour.

## STEWARDSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you to all who have turned in their 2023 stewardship cards. As of May 24, we have received 145 stewardship commitments totaling \$379,438, putting us at 97% 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.

## PARISH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Parish Council Meeting:** There is no Parish Council meeting in June. The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Monday, July 17, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

## PHILOPTOCHOS ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Membership Tea:** Our annual membership tea will be held on Saturday, June 24, 2023, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on the St. Anna north patio. Please join us for an engaging opportunity to be together and learn of the great philanthropic work of our Philoptochos! See attached [filer](#) for details.

**Philoptochos Meeting:** The next Philoptochos meeting will be held on Monday, June 26, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

## ADULT EDUCATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Morning Bible Study:** The Morning Bible Study, led by John Kaloudis at the home of Tom and Carolyn Leitko, 2334 E. Lincoln Lane (directly across the street, south of Olympus High School) is held on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. For information, please call the Leitkos at 801-842-2304.

## FOREVER YOUNG ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Next Gathering:** Our next gathering will be held on Thursday, June 15, 2013, at 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please join us!

## ST. ANNA SERVICE MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Food Support Program:** Did you know that Diamond Ridge/Entrada Pantry is only open Monday through Thursday. There is no access to the food pantry to get needed food from Friday through the weekend. ***FILL THE BIN!***

## COMMUNICATIONS MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Bulletin Announcements:** The next bulletin will be published for Sunday, June 18, 2023. Please send bulletin announcements to Michael Petrogeorge at [mppetrogeorge@gmail.com](mailto:mppetrogeorge@gmail.com) no later than Tuesday, June 13, 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](mailto: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, June 11, 2023 (Sunday of All Saints)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, June 14, 2023

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

Thursday, June 15, 2023

- 11:30 a.m.: Forever Young
- 1:00 p.m.: Choir Practice

Sunday, June 18, 2023 (2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Matthew)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, June 21, 2023

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

Thursday, June 22, 2023

- 1:00 p.m.: Choir Practice

Friday, June 23, 2023

- 9:00 a.m.: Supplicatory Canon to the Most Holy Theotokos (Paraklesis)

Saturday, June 24, 2023

- 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.: Philoptochos Membership Tea

Sunday, June 25, 2023 (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Matthew)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, June 28, 2023

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

Thursday, June 29, 2023

- 1:00 p.m.: Choir Practice

June 29 – July 2, 2023:

- Parish Fishing Trip at Strawberry Reservoir

Sunday, July 2, 2023 (4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Matthew)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy



Wednesday, July 5, 2023

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

Thursday, July 6, 2023

- 1:00 p.m.: Choir Practice

Sunday, July 9, 2023 (5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Matthew)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, July 12, 2023

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

Thursday, July 13, 2023

- 1:00 p.m.: Choir Practice

Sunday, July 16, 2023 (Sunday of the Holy Fathers of the 4<sup>th</sup> Ecumenical Council)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, July 19, 2023

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

Thursday, July 20, 2023

- 1:00 p.m.: Choir Practice

Saturday, July 22, 2023

- TBD: St. Anna Name Day Picnic

Sunday, July 23, 2023 (7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Matthew)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, July 26, 2023

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

Thursday, July 27, 2023

- 1:00 p.m.: Choir Practice

Friday, June 28, 2023

- 7:00 p.m.: Supplicatory Canon to the Most Holy Theotokos (Paraklesis)



# St. Anna's Philoptochos Membership Tea

Please join us on  
Saturday, June 24th from  
11:30 am to 1:30 pm on the  
St. Anna North Patio for  
an engaging opportunity  
to learn of the great  
philanthropic work of our  
Philoptochos. And to be  
with each other!





## **Saint Anna Parish Fishing Trip to Strawberry Reservoir**

**This year's fishing trip to 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 Strawberry Bay or Daniel's Summit Lodge. For room, boat, and slip rentals, call or click Strawberry Lodge at 435-548-2500 or [www.strawberrybay.com](http://www.strawberrybay.com) or Daniels Summit Lodge at 800-519-9969 or [www.danielssummit.com](http://www.danielssummit.com)

**Participant reservations will begin during fellowship hour May 7<sup>th</sup> and end at a future date when our maximum capacity of 150 participants has been reached. You will then need to call or click to book rooms, boats, and slips as needed since they will book up long before the trip begins.** 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 [chuckkarpakis@gmail.com](mailto:chuckkarpakis@gmail.com) or 801-573-6938 or Mark Vrontikis at [mark@vrontikis.com](mailto:mark@vrontikis.com) or 801-231-5525.

# 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  
9201 South 1300 East