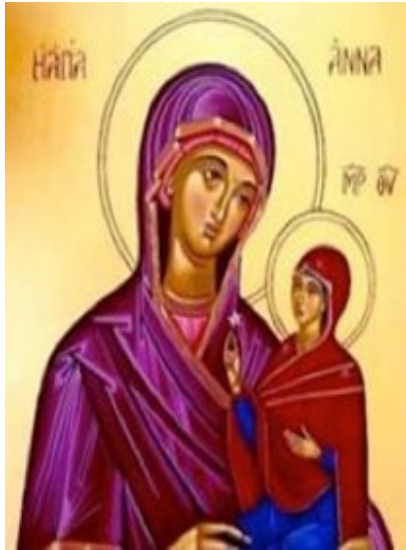




St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church
9201 South 1300 East, Sandy, UT 84094
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3rd Sunday of Luke

Sunday, October 8, 2023

Orthros: 9:00 a.m.

Divine Liturgy: 10:00 a.m.

Reverend Protopresbyter Anthony Savas
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Epistle Reading: Paul's Second Letter to Corinthians (9:6-11)

Prokeimenon. Mode pl. 4. Psalm 75.

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 (7:11-16)



At that time, Jesus went to a city called Nain, and his disciples and a great crowd went with him. As he drew near to the gate of the city, behold, a man who had died was being carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow; and a large crowd from the city was with her. And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her and said to her, "Do not weep." And he came and touched the bier, and the bearers stood still. And he said, "Young man, I say to you, arise." And the dead man sat up, and began to speak. And he gave him to his mother. Fear seized them all; and they glorified God, saying, "A

great prophet has arisen among us!" and "God has visited his people!"

Response to First Antiphon

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us (3). (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 (3). (Liturgy Book page 29)

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

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Hymn for the Holy Woman

In you, O Mother, is preserved undistorted what was made in the image of God; for taking up the cross, you followed Christ and by example taught, that we should overlook the flesh, since it passes away, and instead look after the soul, since it is immortal. And therefore, O devout Pelagia, your spirit rejoices with the angels.

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. (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 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. 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).

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 Readers:

Today, Sunday, October 8, 2023: Elena Gounaris

Sunday, October 15, 2023: Dmitri Savas

Sunday, October 22, 2023: Eva Williams

Memorial Services:

Today, Sunday, October 8, 2023: George Chichis (3 years)

Sunday, December 10, 2023: Mary Koucos (28 years); William J. Koucos (50 years)

Sunday, December 17, 2023: Tony Kalivas (26 years); Helen Kalivas (13 years); Tom Martinez (2 years)

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

PARISH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Council Meeting: The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Monday, October 16, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

Special Parish Assembly - October 15, 2023: All parishioners in good standing are invited and encouraged to attend a Special Parish Assembly next Sunday, October 15, 2023, immediately following Divine Liturgy and fellowship hour. Agenda items include updates and votes relating to our on-going church buildout project and a generous donation of real property recently received from a departed parishioner.

Parishioners in good standing are those who submitted a Stewardship Commitment for 2023 and have fulfilled three-fourths (3/4) of that commitment. If you have questions relating to your standing and eligibility to participate in the Parish Assembly,

please contact Parish Council Treasurer Dmitri Smirnov at treasurer@stannagocutah.org.

ICONOGRAPHY PROJECT

The initial phase of our iconography project in our new sanctuary is completed, and the results are truly awe inspiring!



A very special thank you to Dr. George Kordis and his amazing team of iconographers, Maria Panou, Kanellos Kanellopoulos, Alkis Pappas and Polychronis Vichos for their work. God blessed

them with amazing talents! And thank you also to all in the parish who donated to fund the costs of the project. We are truly blessed!

PHILOPTOCHOS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Philoptochos Meeting: The next Philoptochos meeting will be held on Monday, October 23, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Morning Bible Study: 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.

Evening Bible Study: Evening bible study will meet at the church every Tuesday at 7:00 p.m., beginning Tuesday, October 17, 2023.

Orthodox Inquirers' Class: The Orthodox Inquirers class will meet at the church every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m., beginning Wednesday, October 18, 2023.

Fr. Thomas Hopko Discussion Series: Please join us for the Fr. Thomas Hopko Discussion Series every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m., beginning Wednesday, October 18, 2023.

YOUTH MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOY: JOY will meet at the church the third Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m., beginning Thursday, October 19, 2023. All children in grades 1-5 are welcome and encouraged to attend!

GOYA Kick-Off: Calling all middle and high school students (grades 6-12) for our annual GOYA kick-off event at TopGolf. Sunday, October 22, 2023, at 3:00 p.m. R.S.V.P. to Fr. Anthony via text at 801-824-3987.



FOREVER YOUNG ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Gathering: Our next gathering will be held on Thursday, October 19, 2013, at 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Join us!

STEWARDSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you to all who have turned in their 2023 stewardship cards. Thanks to the generosity of all, we have received 157 stewardship commitments totaling \$393,008, officially surpassing our goal of \$390,000! Funding our parish needs through stewardship continues to be 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 ANNOUNCEMENTS

Food Support Program - Please Donate! The Diamond Ridge/Entrada pantries are serving growing numbers of students and families facing hunger, and ongoing donations are urgently needed. It's a great opportunity to get the whole family involved in regularly bringing food items to Church. Thank you for your generosity. ***FILL THE BIN!***

PRAYER LIST

Alexis, Amie, Amy, Andrew, Anna, Ava, Calley, Caroline, Corey, Deborah, Don, Elaine, Jim, Linda, Liz, Lynn, Mary, Marylynn, Michael, Nicole, Pari, Penny, Richard, Ryley, Stephanie, Steve, Theodore, Tinsley, 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, October 8, 2023 (3rd Sunday of Luke)

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

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

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

Sunday, October 15, 2023 (Sunday of the 7th Ecumenical Council)

- 9:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 10:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy
- *Immediately Following Liturgy:* Special Parish Assembly

Monday, October 16, 2023

- 7:00 p.m.: Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday, October 17, 2023

- 7:00 p.m.: Evening Bible Study

Wednesday, October 18, 2023

- 10:30 a.m.: Morning Bible Study @ Leitko Residence
- 7:00 p.m.: Orthodox Inquirer's Class / Fr. Thomas Hopko Discussion Series

Thursday, October 19, 2023

- 11:30 a.m.: Forever Young
- 7:00 p.m.: JOY meeting

Sunday, October 22, 2023 (6th Sunday of Luke)

- 9:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 10:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy
- 3:00 p.m.: GOYA Kick-Off @ TopGolf, 920 Jordan River Blvd., Midvale

Monday, October 23, 2023

- 7:00 p.m.: Philoptochos Meeting

Tuesday, October 24, 2023

- 7:00 p.m.: Evening Bible Study

Wednesday, October 25, 2023

- 10:30 a.m.: Morning Bible Study @ Leitko Residence
- 7:00 p.m.: Orthodox Inquirer's Class / Fr. Thomas Hopko Discussion Series

Thursday, October 26, 2023 (St. Demetrios the Great Martyr)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros

- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

Friday, October 27, 2023

- 7:00 p.m.: Supplicatory Canon to St. Anna (Paraklesis)

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ORTHODOX INQUIRER'S CLASS

Each Wednesday Evening at 7:00 pm
October 18 to February 24

Introductions to the Faith, Doctrine,
Theology, History, Spirituality, Worship
and Practice of the World's most Ancient
Christian Church. Christ's Holy Church.

Contact Fr. Anthony Savas for more
Information at 801-824-3987

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St. Anna Joy Ministry
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Meets at the Church on the
Third Thursday of each Month.
We Begin on October 17th.

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First to Fifth Graders
Please Join us!



Fall Kick-Off Event for St. Anna

GOYA

At Top Golf



OCT 22 / 3PM

All Food, Drinks and Play Included for 2 Hours

Text Fr. Anthony to R.S.V.P. at 801-824-3987 * Let's Plan an Awesome GOYA Year!