

# St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church

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8th Sunday of Luke

Sunday, November 12, 2023

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

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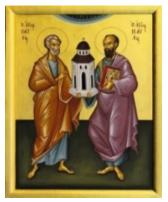




# Epistle Reading: Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians (9:6-11)

Prokeimenon. Grave Mode. Psalm 115

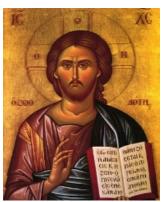
Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints. Verse: What shall I render to the Lord for all that he has given me?



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 forever." 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 (10:25-37)



At that time, a lawyer stood up to put Jesus to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? How do you read?" And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have answered right; do this, and you will live." But he,

desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat

him, and departed, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was; and when he saw him, he had compassion, and went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; then he set him on his own beast and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, sayin, 'Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' Which of these three, do you think, proved neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed mercy on him." And Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise.'"

# **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

The angelic powers appeared at Your tomb, the soldiers guarding it became as dead men, and Mary stood at Your grave seeking, seeking Your most pure body. But You made hell a captive; You were untouched by its might. You came to the virgin and granted life. O Lord, who rose from the dead, glory to You. (Liturgy Book page 119)

## **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**

The angelic powers appeared at Your tomb, the soldiers guarding it became as dead men, and Mary stood at Your grave seeking, seeking Your most pure body. But You made hell a captive; You were untouched by its might. You came to the virgin and granted

life. O Lord, who rose from the dead, glory to You. (Liturgy Book page 119)

#### Hymn for St. John

By your patience you obtained your reward, O devout Father. You persevered in your prayers without ceasing; and the poor you loved and satisfied. We entreat you, blessed John the Merciful, intercede with Christ our God, for the salvation of our souls

## **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

Behold the temple of the Savior, His precious bridal chamber. Behold the virginal and sacred vessel of God's glory. Today she enters into the house of the Lord, bearing within her the grace of the Holy Spirit. For this the angels exclaim: She is indeed the heavenly tabernacle. (Liturgy Book page 237).

# **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'rable 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**

<u>Online Chapel:</u> For Saints and Readings of the Day, please visit the <u>Archdiocese's Online Chapel</u>.

<u>St. Anna Livestream:</u> Livestreaming is back up and running on the <u>St. Anna YouTube Channel</u>.

**Epistle Reader:** Nicholas Simos

#### Memorial Services - May Their Memories Be Eternal:

Sunday, November 19, 2023: Thomas (Athanasios - 40 days); Mark - 34 years); Paul (Apostoli - 5 years); Nick (Nikolaos - 11 years)

Sunday, December 3, 2023: Ange Floor (1 year)

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)

To schedule a memorial service, please contact Fr. Anthony at <u>franthony@stannagocutah.org</u> or 801-824-3987.

<u>Congratulations Satterfield Family!</u> Congratulations to Domina Satterfield and baby Ophelia on the celebration of their 40-Day Blessing this past Wednesday. Please take the time to pray for Mom and Baby, together with Ophelia's Daddy, Benjamin, and big sisters Evania and Persephone. God bless the growing Satterfield family.

**Fall Vacation Bible School - A Family Affair!** Please join us for Vacation Bible School on Saturday, November 18, 2023, from 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. This event is for children in grades K-5 and their families!

A Musical Christmas Concert: All are cordially invited to attend an entertaining and inspiring Christmas concert presented by the combined choirs of St. Anna, Prophet Elias, and Holy Trinity. Sunday, December 17, 2023, at 5:00 p.m., in the St. Anna Sanctuary. Dinner will be served following the concert. Please bring a can of food for the homeless of Sandy.

#### PARISH COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Parish Council Meeting</u>: The next Parish Council meeting will be held tomorrow, Monday, November 13, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

<u>Fall Parish Assembly</u>: Our Fall Parish Assembly will be held next Sunday, November 19, 2023, following Divine Liturgy.

#### PHILOPTOCHOS ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Philoptochos Meeting:</u> The next Philoptochos meeting will be held on Monday, November 27, 2023, at 7:00 p.m.

Annual Mingle Jingle: Good friends and good cheer, it's that special time of year! Please join us for the St. Anna Philpott's Mingle Jingle Christmas Gathering, December 7, 2023, at 6:30 p.m. Cottonwood Country Club, 1780 Lakewood Drive, Holladay. Cost: \$60.00. Dinner, cash bar, and lots of fun! Get your tickets during Fellowship Hour starting today! Or R.S.V.P. to Jannette Knowley at 801-913-5395 or Presbyter Andrea at 818-281-3837. No tickets will be sold at the door, so make your reservations today!

#### YOUTH MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>JOY:</u> JOY meets the third Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m. The next meeting will be held Thursday, November 16, 2023. All children in grades 1-5 are welcome and encouraged to attend!

#### ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>St. Anna Advent Retreat:</u> Please join us for our Advent Retreat with Fr. Dan Suciu on Saturday, December 9, 2023, immediately following Divine Liturgy.

<u>Morning Bible Study:</u> 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

each Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. For information, please call the Leitkos at 801-842-2304.

<u>Orthodox Inquirers' Class:</u> The Orthodox Inquirers class will meet at the church every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

<u>Fr. Thomas Hopko Discussion Series:</u> Please join us for the Fr. Thomas Hopko Discussion Series at the church every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

#### FOREVER YOUNG ANNOUNCEMENTS

November 16, 2013, at 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome! The musical group "Happy Together" will entertain us by playing many of our favorite songs. Special thanks to the Daskalas and Pananos families for serving lunch. Much appreciation to Kristina Packer for bringing her performing group to St. Anna!

#### STEWARDSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you to all who have turned in their 2023 stewardship cards. As of October 25, 2023, we have received 161 stewardship commitments totaling \$400,008! 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

<u>Food Support Program - Help Fight Hunger!</u> The Diamond Ridge/Entrada pantries are serving growing numbers of students and families in our community. Make it a family affair to bring food to Church on Sundays. The need is urgent and ongoing, and your generosity is making a difference. *FILL THE BIN!* 

Holiday Meal Packet Pantry Project: TODAY, November 12, 2023, after Liturgy, we will be filling 200 food bags for the teens at Entrada/Diamond Ridge pantry. Please help us! Why are we doing

this? Please read the below note from a mother who's family benefits from the pantry:

"My son's weekend food bag has saved us many times when funds and food were low. Tonight we are having pasta and I'm gonna warm the chicken.... I'm thinking green beans as a side.... And it all came from his weekend food bag from school."

#### PRAYER LIST

Alexis, Amie, Amy, Andrew, Anna, Ava, Calley, Caroline, Corey, Deborah, Don, Elaine, Elena, Jerry, Jim, Linda, Liz, Lynn, Mary, Marylynn, Michael, Nicole, Penny, Richard, Ryley, Stephanie, Steve, Theodore, Tinsley, Travis, Tyler, and Vanni

Please email Michael Petrogeorge at <a href="mailto:mpetrogeorge@gmail.com">mpetrogeorge@gmail.com</a> by Tuesday at 5:00 p.m. to add or remove names from the list.

#### PARISH CALENDAR

Visit the <u>parish website</u> for an electronic copy. Unless otherwise specified, all events will be held at St. Anna Greek Orthodox Church, 9201 S. 1300 East, Sandy.

Sunday, November 12, 2023 (8th Sunday of Luke)

• 9:00 a.m.: Orthros

• 10:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy

## Monday, November 13, 2023

• 7:00 p.m.: Parish Council Meeting

# Wednesday, November 15, 2023

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

## Thursday, November 16, 2023

• 11:30 a.m.: Forever Young

## Saturday, November 18, 2023

• 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.: Family Vacation Bible School

# Sunday, November 19, 2023 (9th Sunday of Luke)

• 9:00 a.m.: Orthros

- 10:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy
- Following Divine Liturgy: Fall Parish Assembly

# <u>Tuesday, November 21, 2023</u> (Entrance of Theotokos into the Temple)

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

#### Friday, November 24, 2023

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

## Saturday, November 25, 2023 (St. Katherine the Great of Alexandria)

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

## Sunday, November 26, 2023 (13th Sunday of Luke)

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

# Monday, November 27, 2023

• 7:00 p.m.: Philoptochos Meeting

#### Wednesday, November 29, 2023

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

# Thursday, November 30, 2023 (St. Andrew the First Called Apostle)

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

# Sunday, December 3, 2023 (14th Sunday of Luke)

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

## Wednesday, December 6, 2023 (St. Nicholas the Wonderworker)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy
- 10:30 a.m.: Morning Bible Study @ Leitko Residence
- 7:00 p.m.: Orthodox Inquirer's Class / Fr. Thomas Hopko Discussion Series

## Thursday, December 7, 2023

• 6:30 p.m.: Annual Philoptochos Mingle Jingle @ Cottonwood Country Club, 1780 Lakewood Drive, Holladay

# Saturday, December 9, 2023 (The Conception of the Theotokos)

- 8:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 9:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy
- Following Liturgy: Advent Retreat with Fr. Dan Suciu.

## Sunday, December 10, 2023 (14th Sunday of Luke)

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

#### Wednesday, December 13, 2023

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

## Sunday, December 17, 2023 (14th Sunday of Luke)

- 9:00 a.m.: Orthros
- 10:00 a.m.: Divine Liturgy
- 5:00 p.m.: A Musical Christmas Concert featuring the choirs of St. Anna, Prophet Elias and Holy Trinity (dinner to follow)

# Monday, December 18, 2023

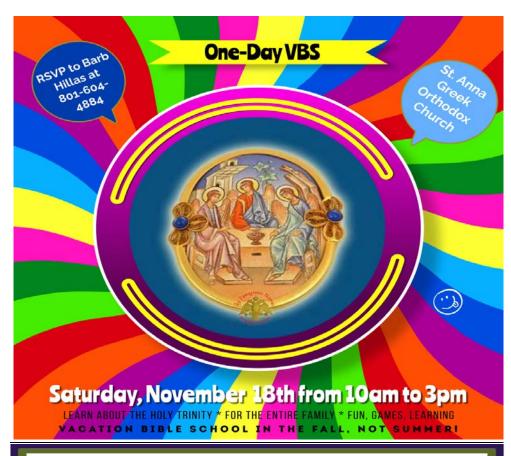
• 7:00 p.m.: Parish Council Meeting

## Wednesday, December 20, 2023

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

#### Thursday, December 21, 2023

• 11:30 a.m.: Forever Young



# 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

