

OUR TITHING AND GIFTS TO THE LORD'S HOLY TEMPLE

Our Stewardship for February 27

25 Souls in Attendance

Tithes: \$726.00, Candles: \$15.00, Parking Lot by Knights: \$500.00 & Rodriques Baptism Donation: \$200.00

We depend on you to support our parish. We also need your time and talents to grow as disciples of the Lord and to form a Parish Family for you and your family. Thank you for mailing your tithes to the parish office

VOCATION PRAYER

Merciful God who forgives our sins and heals our bodies, we ask that you pour the life of your uncreated energies into our lives. Give us hearts to carry our friends and loved ones through the roofs of life to bring others into your presence. We ask for a growth in priestly, religious and monastic vocations so that your love and presence may heal what is lacking in this world, we pray you, hear and have mercy.

“Arise, take up your mat and go to your house.” Our Lord healed the paralysis of the suffering man brought through the roof. His words of healing centered on spiritual healing by forgiving his sins. In response to God’s love and forgiveness, are you being called to a life of prayer and intercession as a religious, monastic, or a priestly life? Contact the Vocations Office at 206-329-9219 or email: vocations@ephx.org

THE BYZANTINE CATHOLIC EPARCHY OF PHOENIX

subscribes to the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* adopted by the United States Catholic Conference of Bishops.

The Eparchy, within all its parishes, institutions and programs, is committed to assuring a safe environment in ministry for its children and young people that conforms to the Charter requirements. For information regarding the Eparchial Safe Environment Program, please contact:

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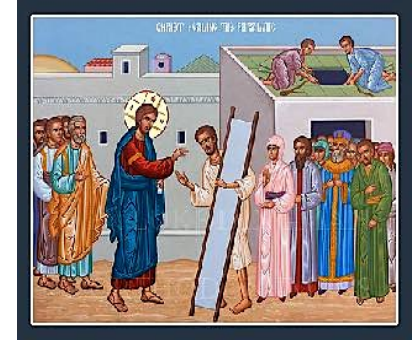
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SECOND SUNDAY OF THE FAST

Tone 1

March 13, 2022

GLORY TO JESUS CHRST! GLORY TO HIM FOREVER!

EPARCHIAL APPEAL2022 has started this week. You should have received in the mail Bishop Olmsted’s letter and pledge form. Kindly read and pray with the letter and make your decision to support our Churches Goal to serve and build the future of our Church.

THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH potluck. Contact Maria for more information. Fr Stephen will be available to meet with the parishioners.

SIGN UP for a week to host the Coffee Social. A special service to our parish family and visitors to our Church and a great way to meet our parishioners.

SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS: We join with the Saints in heaven to pray for those in need. Request Prayers: abcc72069@gmail.com
Special Intentions: John Coffman, Sophia Gaydus, Victor & Patricia Olmos Family, John Phillips, Sylvia Flamburse, Martha Yniquez, Paul Bruckler, Gloria Brissette, Paul Basay, Margaret Geluso, Edward Lopez, Lupe Nevaré, Beatriz Perez

HOLY SERVICES FOR THE GREAT FAST
SUNDAY @ 10 AM & DAILY SERVICES @ 9 AM ARE LIVE
STREAMED FROM ANNUNCIATION IN ANAHEIM ACCESS IT
THROUGH [facebook.com/stephen.washko](https://www.facebook.com/stephen.washko)
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CONFESSIONS are heard behind the Altar one half hour before all Holy Services. 9:30 am for Sunday.

12 Saturday SECOND ALL SOULS, P. 428 with the Panachida and Reading of the names of our Beloved Deceased

Divine Liturgy.....9:30 am

HEBREW SCRIPTURES FOR SUNDAY

Jeremiah 31: 27-34, Jonah 3: 1-10 & Isaiah 58: 1-11

Daylight Savings Time, "spring ahead one hour"

13 SCOND SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST, TONE 1P.,

Confession in the Chapel.....9:00 am

The Third Hour9:40 am

Liturgy For our parish family and friends.....10:00 am



COFFEE SOCIAL in the hall

THIRD WEEK OF THE GREAT FAST

14 Monday

9:00 am Hours with Communion

15 Tuesday

9:00 am Hours with Communion

16 Wednesday

7:30 pm Liturgy of the Pre-sanctified Gifts

Campana Family

17 Thursday Parish Office Closed

No Service Scheduled

18 Friday Parish Office Closed (Meatless)

No Service Scheduled

19 Saturday THIRD ALL SOULS, p. 428

9:30 am Divine Liturgy of St John & Panachida with the Reading of the name of our beloved

HEBREW SCRIPTURES FOR SUNDAY

Sirach 2: 1-9 & Isaiah 50: 4-9

20 THIRD SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST Veneration of the Holy Cross, P. 223

9:00 am Confession (in the chapel)9:00 am

9:40 am The Third Hour

10:00 am Liturgy of Saint Basil the Great



Coffee & Doughnuts in the parish hall

ON THE MYSTERY OF CONFESSION

By Saint John of Kronstadt

The person who is accustomed to give account of his life at Confession will not fear to give an answer at the terrible Judgment Seat of Christ. For this purpose was the mild tribunal of penitence instituted, that we may give an answer

without shame, having been cleansed and healed through repentance here below.

The more sincerely we confess our sins, the more calm will the soul be afterwards. For sins are secret serpents, gnawing at the heart of a man, and never letting him rest; they are prickly thorns, constantly piercing the soul, they are spiritual darkness.

Bear the sufferings of the operation so that you may be restored to health – I speak of Confession. I mean that at Confession, you must declare all your shameful deeds to your confessor, without concealment, though it may well be painful, shameful, ignominious, and humiliating. Otherwise, the wound will remain unhealed, will continue to pain you, will undermine your spiritual health, and will become a cause for other spiritual weaknesses, or sinful habits or vices.

As soon as you have told the Lord your sins, with a contrite heart, they melt away; as soon as you have sighed and sorrowed for them, they are no more.