St. Thomas the Apostle Byzantine Catholic Church

Glory to Jesus Christ! **Glory Forever!**

Liturgical Schedule

Saturday Vigil

5pm – Vigil Vespers Divine Liturgy

Sunday

10am – Divine Liturgy

Weekdays

Weekday Divine Liturgy: Check bulletin

Holy Mystery of Repentance (Confession)

Saturdays: 4:00-4:30pm

Sundays: 9:00-9:30am

(Also available by appointment)

Other Information

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Office Hours

By appointment only



Fr. Adam Peter Lowe
Parochial Administrator

Deacon Michael Sullivan

Welcome!

St Thomas Byzantine Catholic Church is a vibrant parish community which seeks to live the liturgical year in solemnity and celebration. Our church follows the ancient Eastern traditions, while remaining in union with the Pope of Rome.

The Byzantine Catholic Church is uniquely beautiful – enhanced by the story of the life of Christ and the saints in icons. Our liturgy is rich in tradition and based in scripture. As a bonus, almost all liturgical prayers are chanted.

We welcome visitors who wish to share in our sacred worship services.



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Collections

Summary for May 1 – May 31, 2023

Total deposits	$8,903.76
*Minus special collections	-0.00
Total for St. Thomas:	$8,903.76
Offline Tithes:	$4,162.15
Online Tithes:	$3,017.60
Ascension:	10.00
Pentecost	110.00
Donations	559.97
Rent	600.00
Interest Income	78.49
Coffee Fellowship	11.05
Candles	354.50
Total for St. Thomas:	$8,903.76



Sunday Liturgical Attendance

Sat. June 3 Vigil	22 Souls
Sun. June 4	90 Souls
Sat. June 10 Vigil	25 Souls
Sun. June 11	80 Souls
Sat. June 17 Vigil	24 Souls
Sun. June 18	78 Souls
Sat. June 24 Vigil	16 Souls
Sun. June 25	120 Souls

Happy Anniversary!

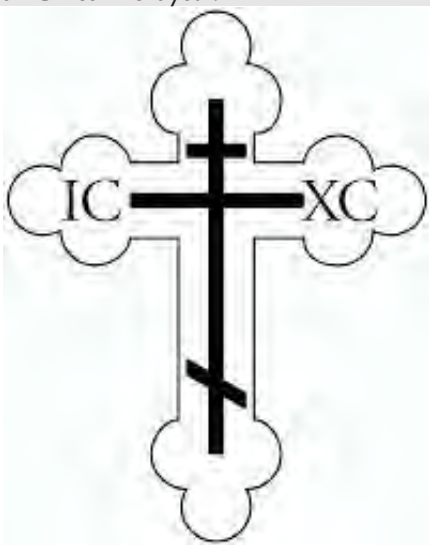
Josh & Natalie Paige	July 2
Dcn. Michael & Donna Sullivan	July 20
Brian & Rhiannon Moore	July 21
John & Maria Varano	July 23
Grant & Cassy Holzhauer	July 25

Happy Birthday!

Blaise Bronson	July 3
Dcn. Michael Sullivan	July 3
Sebastian Miller	July 7
Josh Paige	July 8
Timothy Hegg	July 8
Theo Bronson	July 10
Kent Liesemeyer	July 10
Arielle Paige	July 12
Cassy Holzhauer	July 13
Katie Danilich	July 17
Beth Little	July 18
Carole Bullock	July 19
Pani Betty Kirila	July 23
Vincent Antonios	July 24
Honora Bullock	July 24
Andrew Fitterer	July 25
Diane Parker	July 26
Maren Forbes	July 27
Theresa Little	July 29
Mary Lynn Cihak	July 30

May the Lord God grant them many blessed years of peace, health, and happiness!

Did we forget your birthday or anniversary? Please let us know so that we can update our records and include it in our bulletin next year.





Remember Those Who Request Our Prayers

O Divine Physician of Souls and Body, rest your healing and protecting hand upon your servants:
Carole Bullock, Reg Parker, John Kafora, Father Michael Kirila, Beth Little, Donald Thompson, Rhiannon Moore & her unborn child, Donna Sullivan, & Carolyn Palm.

All those serving our country in the military including:
Michael Khromiak.

†Eternal Memory!

"With the souls of the just brought to perfection give rest, O Savior to the souls of your servants, keeping them for the blessed life with you, for you love us all."
†Father Philip Acquaro, †Al Ferencz, †Jonathan Bronson, & †Fr. Brian Escobedo,

THE BYZANTINE CATHOLIC EPARCHY OF PHOENIX

The Eparchy, within all its parishes, institutions, and programs, is committed to assuring a safe environment in ministry for its children and vulnerable adults that conforms to the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People.

For additional information regarding the eparchial Safe Environment Program or to report any incidents or concerns, please contact:

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Liturgical Schedule

Saturday Evening, July 8
6th Sunday After Pentecost
Holy Martyr Pancratius, Bishop of Taormina
Confessions 4:00-4:30 PM
Vigil Vespers Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM
Intention: †Joey T. Kowalczyk (Kowalczyk Family)

Sunday Morning, July 9 **Tone 5**
Confessions 9:00-9:30 AM
Third Hour 9:45 AM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM
Romans 12:6-14; Matthew 9:1-8
Intention: Parishioners of St. Thomas



Saturday Evening, July 15
7th Sunday After Pentecost
Commemoration of the Fathers of the First Six Ecumenical Councils
Holy Martyrs Athenogenes, Bishop of Sebaste, & his 10 Disciples
Confessions 4:00-4:30 PM
Vigil Vespers Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM
Genesis 14:14-20; Deuteronomy 1:8-11,15-17; Deuteronomy 10:14-21
Intention: †Al Ferencz (Little Family)

Sunday Morning, July 16 **Tone 6**
Confessions 9:00-9:30 AM
Third Hour 9:45 AM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM
Romans 15:1-7; Hebrews 13:7-16; Matthew 9:27-35; John 17: 1-13
Intention: Parishioners of St. Thomas



Thursday Evening, July 20
Feast of the Holy & Glorious Prophet Elijah
Blessing of Vehicles (Parish Family "Chariots")
(No confessions before liturgy this evening.)
Divine Liturgy 7:00 PM
James 5:10-20; Luke 4:22-30
Intention: †Peter Broznak (Thompson Family)

Saturday Evening, July 22
8th Sunday After Pentecost
Holy Martyrs Trophimus & Theophilus, & their Companions
Holy Father Basil Hopko, Bishop of Midila
Confessions 4:00-4:30 PM
Vigil Vespers Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM
Intention: †Peter Broznak (Anna Broznak)

Sunday Morning, July 23 **Tone 7**
Confessions 9:00-9:30 AM
Third Hour 9:45 AM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM
1 Corinthians 1:10-18; Matthew 14:14-22
Intention: Parishioners of St. Thomas

Saturday Evening, July 29
9th Sunday After Pentecost
Holy Apostles Silas & Silvanus & their Companions
Confessions 4:00-4:30 PM
Vigil Vespers Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM
Intention: Fr. Michael Sidun & Family (Kowalczyk Family)

Sunday Morning, July 30 **Tone 8**
Confessions 9:00-9:30 AM
Third Hour 9:45 AM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM
1 Corinthians 3: 9-17; Matthew 14: 22-34
Intention: Parishioners of St. Thomas

August 1-14 — Dormition Fast

The Ruthenian Metropolia has identified the period of August 1-14 every year as a penitential season. By tradition it is a period of strict abstinence with the usual mitigations. Common practice in recent years has been to adopt at the very minimum some increased level of abstinence beyond that of non-penitential seasons. The observance of this fast is voluntary.



Saturday Evening, August 5
Feast of the Transfiguration of Our Lord, God, & Savior Jesus Christ
Blessing of Fruit
Confessions 4:00-4:30 PM
Vigil Vespers Divine Liturgy 5:00 PM
Exodus 24:12-18; Exodus 33:11-23; 34:4-6,8; 3[1] Kings 19:3-9,11-13,15-16
Intention: Lee Ann Kowalczyk (Kowalczyk Family)

Sunday Morning, August 6
Festal Tone
Confessions 9:00-9:30 AM
Third Hour 9:45 AM
Divine Liturgy 10:00 AM
2 Peter 1:10-19; Matthew 17:1-9
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