

# Saint Andrew Orthodox Church



**October 13, 2024**

## **Sunday of the Holy Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council**

**Diocese of Los Angeles and the West  
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# *Divine Liturgy*

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## *Today's Hymns and Readings for Your Participation in the Divine Liturgy*

### *Apolytikion of Resurrection-Tone 7*

Thou didst shatter death by Thy cross. Thou didst open Paradise to the thief. Thou didst turn the sadness of the ointment bearing women into joy, and didst command Thine apostles proclaim a warning that Thou hast risen, O Christ, granting to the world the Great Mercy.

### *Apolytikion of the Holy Fathers Tone 8*

Thou, O Christ, art our God of exceeding praise Who didst establish our Holy Fathers as luminous stars upon earth, and through them didst guide us unto the true Faith, O most merciful One, glory to Thee.

### *Apolytikion of St. Jacob of Hamatoura Tone 3*

Thou didst flourish like Lebanon's cedar, with no fear thou didst suffer martyrdom, thou becamest, O saint Jacob, a true victor. For thou didst conquer death with thy mortal flesh, when thou didst tame all the passions by humility. And while burning like incense as a true sacrifice, thou intercedest with Christ to grant us all the Great Mercy.

### *Apolytikion of St. Andrew-Tone 4*

O Andrew first-called of the Apostles, brother of Peter the first-enthroned, intercede with the Master of all to grant peace to the world and great mercy to our souls.

### *Kontakion of the Theotokos-Tone 2*

O protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, mediation unto the Creator most constant, O despise not the suppliant voices of those who have sinned; but be thou quick, O good one, to come unto our aid, who in faith cry unto thee: Hasten to intercession, and speed thou to make supplication, thou who dost ever protect, O Theotokos, them that honor thee.

### *Prokeimenon*

Blessed are Thou, O Lord, the God of our Fathers. For Thou art just in all that Thou hast

done to us.

### *The Reading from the Epistle of St. Paul to St. Titus (3:8-15)*

Titus, my son, faithful is the saying, and concerning these things I desire you to affirm confidently, that those who have believed in God may be thoughtful of how to preside in honorable occupations. These things are good and profitable to men. But avoid foolish disputes, and genealogies, and contentions, and controversies about the Law; for they are unprofitable and vain. A man who is a heretic after the first and second admonition reject, knowing that such a one is subverted, and sins, being self-condemned. When I send Artemas to you, or Tychicós, give diligence to come to me to Nicopolis; for I have determined to winter there. Set forward Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their journey diligently, that they may be lacking in nothing. And let our people also learn how to preside in honorable occupations, so as to help in cases of urgent need, that they should not be unfruitful. All who are with me salute you. Salute those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all. Amen.

### *Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke (8:5-15)*

The Lord spoke this parable: "A sower went out to sow his seed; and as he sowed, some fell along the path, and was trodden under foot, and the birds of the air devoured it. And some fell on the rock; and as it grew up, it withered away, because it had no moisture. And some fell among thorns; and the thorns grew with it and choked it. And some fell into good soil and grew, and yielded a hundred-fold." And when His Disciples asked Him what this parable meant, Jesus said, "To you it has been given to know the secrets of the kingdom of God; but for others they are in parables, so that seeing they may not see, and hearing they may not understand. Now the parable is this: The seed is the word of God.

The ones along the path are those who have heard; then the devil comes and takes away the word from their hearts that they may not believe and be saved. And the ones on the rock are those who, when they hear the word, receive it with joy; but these have no root, they believe for a while and in time of temptation fall away. And as for what fell among the thorns, they are those who hear, but as they go on their way, they are choked by the cares and riches and pleasures of life, and their fruit does not mature. And as for that in the good

soil, they are those who, hearing the word, hold it fast in an honest and good heart, and bring forth fruit with patience.” As Jesus said this, He called out, “He who has ears to hear, let him hear.”

### ***Megalynarion for St. Andrew-Tone 8***

Since thou was the first to approach the Lord, thou O Andrew was revealed as the first-called apostle. Divine visionary of Christ God's resurrection, do thou now quell the ragings of the passions.

## **Service Schedule for Week of October 13th**

### **Monday the 14th**

8:00 am Orthros for the Holy Martyrs Nazarios, Gervasios, Protasios and Kelsos  
5:00pm Vespers for the Holy Hieromartyr Lucian of Antioch

### **Tuesday the 15th**

8:00am Orthros for the Holy Hieromartyr Lucian of Antioch  
5:00pm Vespers for the Holy Martyr Longinos the Centurion

### **Wednesday the 16th**

8:00am Orthros for the Holy Martyr Longinos the Centurion  
5:30pm Confession  
6:00pm Vespers for the Holy Prophet Hosea  
7:00pm St. John Chrysostom Catechetical School—Lecture Series— *The Seven Last Words from the Cross*, presented by Fr. Josiah. Family Night meal will be served—\$2.50 per person or \$5 per family. To register your children for care or to volunteer to help with childcare, go to: <https://bit.ly/SA-KidzKlub-Childcare> Register for childcare by Tuesday at 7pm.

### **Thursday the 17th**

8:00am Orthros for the Holy Prophet Hosea  
5:00pm Vespers for the our Holy Apostle and Evangelist Luke

### **Friday the 18th**

7:30am Orthros  
8:00am Liturgy for the Holy Apostle and Evangelist Luke  
5:00pm Vespers for the Righteous and God-bearing Father John of Kronstadt

### **Saturday the 19th**

5:30am Orthros  
6:00am Liturgy for the Righteous and God-bearing Father John of Kronstadt  
**MAN'S WORK DAY**  
4:30pm Confession  
5:30pm Great Vespers

### **Sunday the 20th**

9:00 Orthros  
10:00am Liturgy for the Holy Great Martyr Artemios

# *Bans of Marriage*

Daniel Roum and Hannah Simpson intend to wed on Sunday, October 27, here at St. Andrew Church. If anyone knows of any impediment to this proposed union, please contact Fr. Josiah.




## *Pray for the Catechumens*

Abboud, John	Diaz, Jacob	Karl, Octavia	Rodriguez, Theodora
Abborino, Guy	Dito, Wesley	Keys, Dean	Ruffer, Nicholas
Acuña, Arthur	Espinoza, Aaron	Lamberth, Matthew	Saavedra, Isaiah
Aguilar, Janet	Gallegos, Edgar	Mora, Alexander	Saenz, Yosef
Badat, Salmon	Gonzales, Alexandria	Mora, Sandra	Santana, Isabella
Capacio, Nick	Gonzales, Fernando	Moran, Arelis	Serrano, Sophia
Carletello, Jason	Gruener, Conrad	Mosqueda, David	Solorzano, Paul
Carletello, Kanan	Guardado, Amy	Mosqueda, Suriah	Solorzano, Tabitha
Carletello, Melissa	Guardado, Hector	Munoz, Maximiliano	Spurling, John
Carletello, Vera	Guardado, Lucas	Nicassio, Santino	Spurling, Sarah
Carr, Grant	Guerrero, Andrew	Ojeda, Adrian	Thompson, Jayline
Castro, Leo	Horan, Dakota	Plumhoff, Charles	Townsend, Christian
Chavers, Nathanael	Horan, Dalton	Rios, Abraham	Tucker, John
Chavers, Suzette	Jenkins, Tianna	Rios, Brittany	Tucker, Ronnalee
Chebahtah, James	Justiniani, Teresa	Rivera, Angel	Vagenas, Kimberly
Cruz, Diego	Karl, Aspen	Rodriguez, Benjamin	Villagrán, Christian
Cruz, Francisco	Karl, Divya	Rodriguez, Emilio	Williams, Chad
DeLeon, Brandon	Karl Hunter	Rodriguez, Frank	Williams, Samuel
Diaz, Breana	Karl, Marshal	Rodriguez, Gabriela	Williams, Victoria

### **ONLINE LINKS**

- Giving through Zelle: [treasurer@saintandrew.net](mailto:treasurer@saintandrew.net)
- Parish Donor portal: [saintandrew.net](http://saintandrew.net) (scroll to bottom of page to My Online Donation)
- Regularly Scheduled Events: [saintandrew.net/events](http://saintandrew.net/events)
- Online Directory: [members.instantchurchdirectory.com/](http://members.instantchurchdirectory.com/)

# Ministry Volunteer Service Schedule

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>October 13</b>	<b>October 20</b>	<b>October 27</b>
<b>Agape Hour</b>	 <p><u>Captain:</u> Elizabeth Lindsay Buhler Adriana Kazanjian Lauren Simpson Catherine Tovar Brittany Lavenant Pres Esther Robin Corrigan Andrea Ranney <i>Food Prep Only</i> Pres Leeann Hernandez</p>	<p><u>Captain:</u> Rachel Bordeaux Mary Bordeaux Jana Brubaker Christy Wager Sophia Watters Militsa Millie and Andrew Coppola Sophia Shannon Maroufkhani Stephanie Vasquez</p>	<p><u>Captain:</u> Mariam Julie Saba Sarah Kassaseya Anna Jeanette Zarour Anna Toni Roohr Mary Rahab Saba Amy Guardado Rachel Hoffman <i>Food Prep Only</i> Pres Catherine (FPO)</p>
<b>Bookstore</b>	Mary Shawna Jackson	Shawn Kehoe	Emilia Jana Brubaker
<b>Visitor Welcoming</b>	Betsy Williams Elizabeth Sharon Yokum	Gabriel Estrada Jim Scheer	Luke Trenham Patrick Melville
<b>Playground Safety</b>	Arielle Martinez Sophia Jeniffer Kelley	Mary Casey Crandell Phanourios Griffin Hannah Laurman	Natalee Estrada Gabriel Estrada
<b>Prosphora</b>	Suzanne Perrine Helena Sayegh	Irene Osadchuk Regina Bernard	Rachel Bordeaux Lauren Geoffrion
<b>Ushers, Icons and Candles</b>	<p><u>Captain:</u> Miriam Saenz <i>Ushers:</i> John Alex Saenz Emilia Jana Brubaker Brendan Massaro <i>Candle and Icon Care:</i> Bonnie Moro Maggie Simmons</p>	<p><u>Captain:</u> Anastasia Nixon <i>Ushers:</i> Patrick Melville Sonia Ruben Christy Wager <i>Candle and Icon Care:</i> Ezekiel Lizarraga Larissa Soares Christina Thomazin</p>	<p><u>Captain:</u> Miriam Saenz <i>Ushers:</i> Christina Thomazin Martin Bernard Phanourios Griffin <i>Candle and Icon Care:</i> Michael Hensley Joshua Cords</p>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>October 12</b>	<b>October 19</b>	<b>October 26</b>
<b>Grounds Prep for Sundays</b>	<p><u>Leader:</u> James Nolan <u>Captain:</u> Kevin Maroufkhani Anthony Neuenswander Martin Bernard Matthew Lamberth Paul Broedy Hicks</p>	<p><u>Leader:</u> James Nolan Nicholas Delgado Martin Bernard Nektarios Horan Charles Plumhoff</p>	<p><u>Leader:</u> James Nolan <u>Captain:</u> Kevin Maroufkhani Salvador Quintero Martin Bernard Alexander Dussault Chistina Zavala</p>



## **Patronal Banquet** **ONLINE AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED**

Silent auction items are being accepted for our upcoming Patronal Banquet. We welcome themed baskets — Wine Lovers, Fun for Children, Family Night... get creative! We also welcome items we can put into baskets. Or perhaps you would like to donate a special stand alone item or service. Monetary donations are welcome for getting items for the auction!

### **Deadline for submissions Nov. 3rd**

Items and donations will be received after Liturgy in the hall starting October 20th

If you would like to donate, volunteer your time for making calls or putting baskets together, or if you have questions please contact Cathy Lozano at: [cathy@cl-staffing.com](mailto:cathy@cl-staffing.com). Thank you!

## **Mabrouk! Many Years! Khronia Polla!**

### **Name Days**

**Oct. 14-St. Paraskeva the New-** Mother Paraskeva

**Oct. 15-Hieromartyr Lucian, Presbyter of Antioch-**Luciano Mura

**Oct. 18-Holy Apostle Luke-**Luke Beck, Luke Brown, Luke Eyen Qumseya, Luke Trenham

### **Birthdays**

Oct. 13-James Kelley, Theodorus Teddy Laurman, Cosmas Ward, Damian Ward

Oct. 14-Daniel Clark, Michael Dailey, Photini Claire Perrine, Phoebe Simpson

Oct. 15-Hannah Zaid Araya, Ruth Sharlene Blankenship, Anastasia Brubaker,

Gabriel Bryson Taylor, Marie Everly Thornburg

Oct. 16-Victoria Juniper Brown, Zoe Estrada, Sandra Mora, Ioanna Nicolaou, Bardo Reyes

Oct. 17-Jacob Diaz, Natalia Ocegüera

Oct. 18-Aiden Cords, Ashley Khoury, John Roohr, Helena Sayegh

Oct. 19-Aidan Cords, Ashley Khoury, Helena Sayegh

### **Anniversaries**

Oct. 15-Maher and Mariam Julie Saba

Oct. 19-Emad and Marizol Daoud, Kevin and Sophia Shannon Maroufkhani

# Ushers Needed

To volunteer contact  
Miraya Saenz  
951-412-7642  
[michieichy@gmail.com](mailto:michieichy@gmail.com)

### **Can you Help with this VERY IMPORTANT Ministry?**

Ushers work on a rotating schedule. We would like enough volunteers to schedule a full team of people no more than once a month.

**Ushering:** Greet people as they enter the church for Liturgy; pass out Sunday bulletins; help direct the movement of people for communion; take up offering; help keep order and propriety during services; assist people in need.

**Candle and Icon Care:** Help put out candles after church services; keep candle sand box clean by removing candle drips and spent candle nubs; clean fallen sand from candle counter and floor, refresh spent seven-day candles; clean glass coverings over icons and remove smudges left by people venerating the icons.

# Prayer Requests

*Prayers for the living will be retained on the list for 40 days. For exceptions, see Father Josiah.*

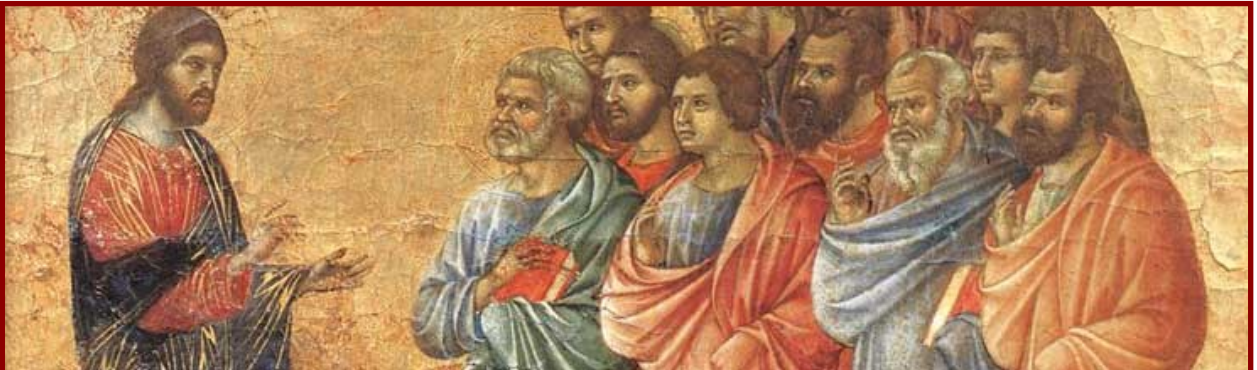
## Living

- His Grace, Bishop Anthony
- All of the people displaced and suffering loss from Hurricane Helene
- Peace in the Holy Land and Ukraine
- Abigail and Emilia Hernandez, health
- Maria Geoffrion, recovery from heart surgery
- Gabriela Rodriguez and newborn Theodora
- Helen Zulema Morales and newborn Adrian
- Nikki Delgado, health
- Micaela, Azariah, Joziah & Seraphim Yarber, health
- Adam Khoury, health
- Elizabeth Sparrow, health
- Harold Thomas, health
- Yuri Parfeniuk, health
- Warren Ball, health

- Moses Colt Baker, health

## Departed

- + Noble Trenham, newly reposed
- + Our brothers and sisters departed this life in the areas suffering from Hurricane Helene
- + Our brothers and sisters departed this life in Lebanon, Gaza and Ukraine conflicts
- + Daniel Delgado, newly reposed, son of Frank Delgado
- + Archpriest John Downing, newly reposed
- + James Henderson 2020
- + Susan Saddic 1999 (5 yrs)



## ADVENT CATECHISM

Starts Saturday, November 2nd at 4pm in the Hall

All are welcome to attend. Catechumens must attend as part of their preparation to be received into the Church.

Nov 2: The True God

Nov 9: The Human Being

Nov 16: Sin

Nov 23: Jesus Christ the Son of God

Nov 30: Jesus Christ the Savior of the World

Dec 7: The Holy Spirit and the Saints

Dec 14: Repentance and Faith

Dec 21: The Church and the Mother of God



# Oktoberfest TODAY!!!

Buy your tickets on the plaza!

**FUNDRAISER FOR TEMPLE ICONOGRAPHY!**

Grilled Bratwurst • Polish Sausage • Sauerkraut • German Potato Salad  
Cabbage Salad • Jumbo Pretzels with Nacho Cheese • Brownies • Craft Beer

Suggested Minimum \$10 per person or \$45 per family of 5+

*Suggested Maximum as the Spirit Moves you!!!*

**BOUNCE HOUSE! GAMES! GREAT FOOD!**

# Trunk or Treat



# October 31st

following Vespers

*FUN for ALL!*

**Trunks and Treats • Chili Cook Off • Bouncy House**  
***To VOLUNTEER TO HELP, DONATE CANDY, OR REGISTER YOUR TRUNK***

Contact Stephanie at 830-279-2900  
or [stephanie.nicole.vasquez@gmail.com](mailto:stephanie.nicole.vasquez@gmail.com)

***COSTUME GUIDELINES***

***DO NOT COME IN*** costumes that are evil, depict the devil, dead people,  
monsters, witches, are immoral, immodest...

***Remember it is a church family event***

## Special Collection Today

Metropolitan Saba has asked that we take up a special collection today to be divided three ways in support of:

- **Fund for Hurricane Relief**
- **Fund for the Teen SOYO Special Olympics**
- **Fund for our Seminarians**

**Our ushers will be taking up this offering following Liturgy in the Narthex.**

Your donation will be divided equally, unless you designate one of these funds specifically for your gift.