

Glory to Jesus Christ!  
Слава Иисусу Христу!

St. Mary ~ Holy Protection  
Byzantine Catholic Church  
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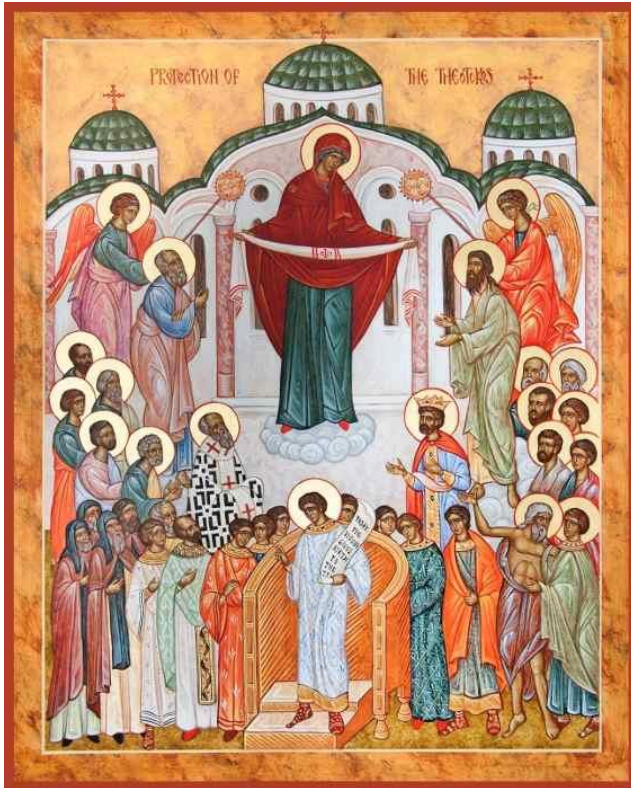
Glory Forever!  
Слава на вики!

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## 1 OCTOBER 2023 / 7532 18<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*The Feast of the Holy Protection of our Most Blessed Lady, the Theotokos and ever-Virgin Mary. Our Venerable Father Romanos the Hymnographer  
The Holy Apostle Ananias.*



### LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Sat. Sept. 30 17:00 VIGIL: 18<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Suffrages pro populo*

Sun. Oct. 01 10:30 18<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Suffrages for + Patricia Krynicky – Cheryl Rusinko*

Sat. Oct. 07 17:00 VIGIL: 19<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Suffrages pro populo*

Sun. Oct. 08 10:30 19<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Suffrages for + Patricia Krynicky – James & Barbara Snitzer*

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COLLECTION

Adults: \$1351

Spec. Donation: \$400

Candles: \$68

**TOTAL: \$2179**

Maintenance: \$360

**Saint Romanos the Hymnographer** flourished during the reign of Anastasius (491-518). He was from Emesa of Syria, and apparently was born of Jewish parents, for a hymn written in his honor in Greek says he was "of Hebrew stock," and it has furthermore been noted that he uses many Semitic idioms in his writings. He was baptized an Orthodox Christian, and at some time became a deacon in the Church of Beirut. He was the first composer of the kontakia, the foremost of which is that of the feast of Christ's Nativity, *On this day the Virgin ...* In composing many of his kontakia, Saint Romanos was inspired by the hymns of Saint Ephraim of Syria.

**Saint Ananias, Apostle of the 70**, whose name means "God is gracious," was from Damascus, Syria where, by divine revelation, he was commanded to baptize the Apostle Paul (Acts 9: 10-17). He completed the course of martyrdom when he was stoned to death during the proconsulate of Lucian.

## ~ Announcements ~

- **ST MARY PARISH SUPER TURKEY / HAM BINGO: Sunday, 12 November, Doors open at noon. Games start at 2:00 Tickets cost \$30 for 25 games.** Price includes first set of cards, special, and a light lunch. Tickets must be reserved or paid for in advance. None will be sold at the door. Seating is limited. There will be a basket raffle, 50/50, instant tickets, lottery tree. See the flyer in the Narthex and on the parish website for more information. Additional flyers advertising this fund raising event are also available in the Narthex for posting at local businesses. Proceeds to benefit the Church's Building and Maintenance Fund.
- **A SPAGHETTI DINNER** is being held at **St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church** in **Scottsdale** on **Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>** from **Noon to 3:00 pm**. Adults: \$10, children 12 and under \$5. Dinner includes: meatballs, salad, roll, dessert, and beverage. Take-out available. Basket raffle tickets will also be on hand for purchase. See flyer in Narthex for more information.



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