

Authentic Italian Cuisine at *Tutti Santi Ristorante*

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Anyone who has ever truly had a love affair with food probably has at least one Italian dish in their top ten favorites. True Italian cuisine is decadent and delicious, from the first bite to the last bit of sauce mopped from your plate with a piece of crusty bread. Finding great Italian food is not always easy, but West Valley residents looking for an authentic Italian restaurant to satisfy all their cravings need look no further than Tutti Santi Ristorante in Glendale.

“What makes Tutti Santi Ristorante different from other restaurants is the food and the fact that we are a family-owned establishment offering personalized service,” says Matteo Zacchino, general manager of the Glendale location.

From the art and architecture to the menu and music, customers at Tutti Santi are greeted with the old world charm of Italy the moment they walk through the restaurant’s front doors. Whether you are pulling a chair up to the bar to enjoy a drink with friends, or sitting down at a table to enjoy dinner with your family, Tutti Santi will certainly not disappoint.

The menu at Tutti Santi is full of authentic Italian favorites made fresh from family recipes. “You can experience Italy without ever leaving Arizona,” Zacchino says.

Begin your meal with an order of Mozzarella Caprese—fresh sliced homemade mozzarella cheese with tomatoes, basil, and olive oil. Or if you’re more in the mood for a hot appetizer, try the homemade Gnocchi—potato dumplings served with

cream and topped with fresh tomato sauce.

For your main course, Tutti Santi has something for every taste and every appetite. Dig into a plate of Homemade Ravioli alla Nina (a customer favorite) made with fresh ricotta cheese and spinach, sautéed in a touch of cream, and topped with a fresh tomato sauce. Meat lovers will be delighted with the Agnello Dorato—a lamb shank braised in a lamb stock vegetable sauce and served over a bed of risotto alla Milanese. Or, perhaps fish is what you’ve been craving, and you can’t go wrong with the Red Snapper Mare Chiaro—a fresh fillet of red snapper in a tangy white wine tomato sauce with red onions, shallots, and capers served with linguine.

And certainly don’t forget to check out Tutti Santi’s signature drinks and dessert menus before

you leave. You can enjoy a velvety piece of Tiramisu or indulge in a homemade cannoli. Or try one of Tutti Santi’s signature cocktails, like the Pear Martini made with Absolut Pear Vodka, St. Germain, Sweet and Sour and served in a sugar rimmed glass, or try the Strawberry Caipiroska made with fresh strawberries, a lime wedge, brown sugar, Stoli Stasberi and served over ice. With a Happy Hour menu every day from 5-7 p.m., Tutti Santi is sure to satisfy.

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