

Food for the Soul

“The reason why the world does not understand the resurrection – even those who say they are Christians – is because they do not understand that in order to understand the resurrection you have to live it. You have to live like the One Who was resurrected first. You have to live in His likeness. You have to die like He died. Christ did not have to die to self, because His whole self was willing to obey His Father. Our self, however, many times is not willing to obey God. Until we are ready to surrender our self to God and so become selfless, we will not be able to comprehend the greatness of God. The key to understanding Christ, the key to being empowered, the key to the fulfillment of our destiny, is to live in the likeness of Christ's death. And I say live in the likeness of His death, because He is not dead anymore. He was dead for only a short while, and then He rose to life. And we too can become truly alive by living as He lived.”

— Fr. Seraphim Holland, “Holy Week”



✦ “The Greatest Love Story of All” — Young Adult Retreat and Potluck will be held **today, March 24th from 3:30 to 8:00 pm** at the Welcome Home (188 Euclid Ave). Retreat Facilitator is Rev. Fr. Mark Gnutel. Potluck theme: Childhood Favourites! Please RSVP to rymcssr@gmail.com or call 204-799-1060. This retreat is for all young adults between the ages of 18 and 35. You may also join our Facebook group: Ukrainian Redemptorist Young Adult Ministry.

Paddles up! The Canadian Cancer Society’s annual **Dragon Boat Festival** is happening again on **June 7th and 8th** and the Archeparchy of Winnipeg is once again entering a team. After last years strong effort, we want to come back even stronger! **There will be an information and registration this evening, March 24th at 7:00 pm at Holy Eucharist Parish basement.** More information will be given and if you would like to register, please bring \$30 per person.

✦ Ukrainian Catholic Women’s League, Rosa Branch, invites all to their **50th year celebration of the League Annual Spring Tea on Sunday, April 28th, 2013 at 1:00 pm** at the Shevchenko Ukrainian Centre (Rosa, MB). Officiating at the opening of the Tea will be Sister Janice Soluk, SSMI. Divine Liturgy will be at 11:00 am. Come and enjoy bake sale and raffle!

✦ The Ukrainian Catholic Youth and Young Adults invite everyone to **Moleben at Seven on Sunday, April 28th at 7:00 pm to be held at Blessed Virgin Mary Ukrainian Catholic Parish** (965 Boyd Ave.). Moleben will be dedicated to Blessed Nykyta Budka.

✦ **S.E.R.V.E.** (Summer Endeavour in a Redemptorist Volunteer Experience) **will be held May 16-31, 2013 at the Welcome Home** in Winnipeg, MB. Enjoy community life, learn about Redemptorist spirituality, volunteer in various inner-city organizations and relax during a weekend lake retreat! For more information or to request an application contact Sophia at ukryvmmb@gmail.com or call Michelle at 204-799-1060. **Application deadline: April 15, 2013**

Have a Wonderful and Blessed Week!



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Palm Sunday – The Lord’s Entrance into Jerusalem

March 24, 2013

Clergy

Rev. Dr. Gregory Zubacz (668-6011 or 619-1165) available 24/7
Rev. Fr. Deacon Victor Humniski (334-2922)

Office Administrator

Panimatka Melita Mudri-Zubacz (222-4283)

Parish Council

Greg Hafichuk, Chairman (222-7132)

Parish Organizations

UCWLC - Jo Lopuck, Past President (222-8557)

Brotherhood - Ernie Yakimow, President (777-6231)

Parent Ed - Susan Knight, 477-1993

Sheila Verhaeghe, 224-3049

K of C - William Remarchuk, Grand Knight (222-7816)

Pastoral Care - Rose Jansen, Coordinator (661-6315)

Friendly Settlers - Rose Slater, President (222-6382)

Choirs

Don Gnutel (668-8463) and Pat Hawthorn (661-6744)

Sunday Divine Liturgy

9:30 am in Ukrainian and English

Catechism

11:00 am on Sundays

Divine Liturgy on Feast Days

7:00 pm in English

Weekday Liturgies

Mondays and Tuesdays at 9:00 am

Office Hours

Tuesdays: 10:00–12:00

Thursdays: 10:00–12:00

Internet Websites of Interest

Archeparchy of Winnipeg:

www.archeparchy.ca

Ukrainian Catholic Church:

www.ugcc.org.ua

Lenten worship is a school of repentance. It teaches us what repentance is and how to acquire it. Lenten services prepare us for and lead us to the spiritual regeneration without which ‘absolution’ remains meaningless. — Protopresbyter Alexander Schmemmann

The Holy Mysteries

CONFESSIONS (REPENTANCE): Prior to Divine Liturgy

MARRIAGE: By appointment (6 months in advance) - preparation course required

BAPTISM: By arrangement with Fr. Greg - preparation required

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: By arrangement with Fr. Greg

FUNERALS AND OTHER NEEDS: By arrangement with Fr. Greg

FIRST SOLEMN HOLY COMMUNION: Must be enrolled in and attending catechism classes

**Liturgy Intentions
For the Week of March 24th to March 31st**

Sunday, March 24 at 9:30 am: **Palm Sunday.**
Commemoration of Our Holy Father Artemon, Bishop of Seleucia in Pisidia. **For speedy recovery and good health of Gene Happychuk (requested by Liz, Kelly and Toby)**

Monday, March 25 at 9:00 am: Feast of the Annunciation of Our Most Holy Lady, the Mother of God and Ever-Virgin Mary. **For †Deceased Members of the Zarowny Family (requested by Rose Zubacz)**

Tuesday, March 26 at 9:00 am: Synaxis of the Holy Archangel Gabriel. **For †Peter Holowaty (requested by Maryann Labay)**

Tuesday, March 26 at 7:00 pm: **Stations of the Cross**

Sunday, March 31 at 7:30 & 8:30 am: **THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD, JESUS CHRIST**



We welcome Rev. Fr. John Sianchuk, C.Ss.R. to our parish. Thank you, Fr. John, for leading us through an intensely beautiful and spiritually enriching Lenten mission. Бираємо!

VIGIL LAMPS

Mary Wilgosh
Mike Petrynko
Darryl Germain
Rose & Paul Zommer

COLLECTION for March 17th was

\$5,649.00

Donations Received This Week:

Service Offerings: \$2,422.00
Vigil Lamps: \$40.00
Flowers: \$97.00
Building Fund: \$125.00
Church Cleaning and Upkeep: \$175.00
Mortgage Fund: \$100.00
Lenten Offerings: \$25.00

Thank you for your generosity!

NEXT SUNDAY, March 31th

ROSARY LEADER:

Easter Sunday

EPISTLE READER:

Don Gnutel & Greg Hafichuk

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

David Kawaler

Please remember to pray for those who are in hospitals, care homes, recovering at home and otherwise unable to actively participate with us, particularly:

Gene Happychuk, Tony Manchur, Ann Tchir, Kay Skotnicki, Joe & Irene Lupichuk, Iris Chroniak Dena Gnutel, Ernie Yakimow, Pearl Zahaiko, Emil Weselowski, Jean & Mike Ryback, Mickey Paraschuk, Tinnie Trush, Katherina Dubesky, Nick Zazula, Olga Stelmach.

Please inform the parish office if you would like your name removed from this list.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



ОГОЛОШЕННЯ

☆ Please **join us for fellowship, coffee and treats** after the Liturgy. St. Michael's Parent Ed. Committee will host the fellowship this month. A big thank-you on behalf of the whole parish goes out to the members of the Parent Ed. Committee for being so generous with their time!

Holy Week & Easter Schedule

- Thursday, March 28th - Holy Thursday
- 7:00 pm - Passion Matins (Reading of the 12 Gospels)
- Friday, March 29th - Great and Holy Friday (day of strict fast)
- 10:00 am - Good Friday Vespers with Procession
- Adoration of the Shroud until 7:00 pm
- 7:00 pm - Jerusalem Matins
- Saturday, March 30th - Holy Saturday
- 10:00 am - Vespers with Liturgy of St. Basil the Great
- 3:00 pm - Service at the Holy Sepulchre
Blessing of Paschal Foods to Follow
- Sunday, March 31st - The Glorious Resurrection of Our Lord, Jesus Christ
- 7:30 am - Resurrection Matins
- 8:30 am - Divine Liturgy and Blessing of the Artos
Blessing of Paschal Foods to Follow
- April 1st & 2nd - Bright Monday & Bright Tuesday
- 9:00 am - Divine Liturgy

St. Michael's will be having its Annual Fundraising Dinner & Draw on Saturday, April 27th in preparation for the 100th Anniversary. Dinner will be catered by Sevala's. Tickets are \$65 each, and prizes will be \$65 for each 25th ticket with a final prize of \$1,000. Please support our parish and purchase the tickets at the back of the church. Lets make our fundraising event a great success!

☆ "Church Cleaning Blitz" — we greatly appreciate the help we received for church cleaning on **Wednesday, March 13th** in preparation for Easter from two parishioners: Jean Paraschuk and Helen Kurylko. They generously donated several hours of their time for this project. Thank You!

—Altar Guild