Christ is among us! He is and will be!



Христос посеред нас! € і буде!

Acts 1: 1-8 ~ John 1: 1-17

LITURGY INTENTIONS

Sunday, A	April 20 • Easter Sunday	Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!
8:30 pm	(Sat.) Resurrection Matins	and Easter Divine Liturgy (Eng)
7:30 am	(Sun) Resurrection Matins	and Easter Divine Liturgy (Ukr)
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	Easter Divine Liturgy (Eng)	
	(HFH) Easter Divine Liturgy Христос Воскрес! Воістину Во	оскрес!
	April 21● Bright Monday	Acts 1: 18-28 ~ John 1: 18-28
	†Baba and †Dido Stebeleski	
11:00 am	(Bethany) God's Blessings for Sister Nathanael Preyma	Bethany Home
7:00 pm	God's Blessings and good health for Darlene	Darlene Nelson
	God's Blessings & good health for Cory Macsymach and Florence B	
11:00 am	(Bethany) God's Blessings for Sister Georgina Yakimishyn	Bethany Home
7:00 pm	Anniversary Blessings for Chris and Terri	Mom and Dad
Wednesd	ay, April 23● Great Martyr George	Acts 2: 22-36 ~ John 1: 35-51
	†Sam and †Matilda Kyba	
	(HFH) God's Blessings and health for Louise Grabowski	
	Devotions to Blessed Vasyl and Anointing	
Thursday		. Acts 2: 38-43 ~ John 3: 1-15
8:00 am	†Mary Karabin (panakhyda)	Catherine Kormylo
111·00 am	God's Blessings and good health for Maria	Karnaoukh family
Friday, A	pril 25● Apostle Mark	Acts 3: 1-8 ~ John 2: 12-22
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SUNDAY COLLECTION April 13, 2014 THANK YOU! 246 envelopes \$ 5,564.00 Open Collection \$ 184.05; Vigil Lamps \$ 188.00; Outreach \$ 65.00; Church in Ukraine \$ 70.00: Easter Flowers; \$ 235.00; Easter Offerings \$ 395.00; Share Lent \$ 730.00; Initial Offering \$ 10.00; We gratefully acknowledge the UCWLC-St. Joseph Branch for their donation (\$1000.) for the

Altar Servers' new dalmatics.

Parishioners who need a ride to Divine Liturgy 5:00pm Saturday (ENG), 8:30am Sunday (UKR), are asked to please call Josie & Rudy 694-8763 or 797-4639 no later than 6:00 pm the evening before.

Parishioners and Guests: We have recently purchased an AED Defibrillator that is kept by the Shrine door, in case anyone has a SCA (Sudden Cardiac Arrest) in church. We also have purchased a portable oxygen tank (which is also kept by the Shrine door)

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SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY

5:00 PM SATURDAY (ENGLISH) VESPERS SATURDAY 4:15-5:00 PM 8:30 AM (UKRAINIAN) • 11:00 AM (ENGLISH)

DAILY DIVINE LITURGY

8:00 AM MONDAY - FRIDAY . 8:30 AM SAT.

Holy Days

8:30 AM (UKRAINIAN) • 7:00 PM (ENGLISH)

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SUNDAY: AFTER DIVINE LITURGIES MONDAY: CLOSED

TUESDAY - FRIDAY: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM SATURDAY: 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

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Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen! The parish of St. Joseph extends a warm welcome to all our guests. We are pleased that you have come to pray with us. May the Lord bless you!

ХРИСТОС ВОСКРЕС! ВОІСТИНУ ВОСКРЕС! Парафія святого Йосифа сердечно вітає всіх 🖔 гостей, які прибули до нас на Богослуження. Нехай Бог вас благословить!

Christ is Risen! Truly He is Risen! Dear Beloved Parishioners (and guests!)

We greet you on this Easter Day with Christ is Risen! **Xpuctoc Bockpec!** - the words the Apostles used to greet one another! May the celebration of Our Lord's Resurrection fill you and your family with much Joy and Hope and Love!

Again, we offer our greetings to all parishioners on this joyous feast day, to those who are always here and to those who come less often. It truly would be wonderful to pray with you regularly in church so please do consider this. In fact, if we all take our faith in Jesus to heart, then we need to come together often to celebrate His great love and all-forgiving compassion for us, to praise Him and to give heartfelt thanks to God for our many blessings!

A sincere thank you is extended to all those who so generously have helped make these last few days more prayerful and meaningful: to our liturgical animators and cantors, to our choir director Michael and all those who prayerfully sang the various beautiful traditional services so precious to our faith; to those who lovingly prepared the grave of Christ and decorated our holy sanctuary, to those who served and took part in the processions and religious services, etc. Diakyu, diakyu and thank you ever so much!

Easter in Ukrainian is called "Velvkden" - the Great Day. Because Easter is the most important liturgical day for the whole year – the whole meaning of our personal lives depends on this celebration - Holy Mother Church extends this day into 8 days - thus, a GREAT DAY! Every day of the BRIGHT WEEK the Church services, except for the Scripture readings, are exactly the same to emphasize over and over again its great importance.

Did you know? If someone dies during this Holy Week (like my tato-father in 1966), the glorious Easter Matins is celebrated rather than the traditional funeral Parastas. Also the royal doors of the Iconostas are kept open as a visible sign of God's Holy presence – the gates of the Kingdom are open for all! Bells are happily rung whenever we sing out the joyful Good News that Jesus is risen - Xpuctoc Bockpec!

Another truly symbolic Byzantine custom in our Ukrainian Church during the Paschal season, i.e., from Easter to Pentecost, is to remain standing upright during all our liturgical services. We do not kneel! This would be sign of penance and repentance, and not be a witness of Christ's glorious Resurrection! The priest proclaims: "Let us stand with dignity!"

May the Resurrection Lord bless each and all of us on this wonderful day of salvation - the day of promise that we, who believe in the Risen Jesus and live and love as He did, will also resurrect unto life-everlasting!

Xpuctoc Bockpec! Christ is Risen! Truly He is Risen!



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St. Joseph's Seniors thank you 🧷 for helping at the Perogy Bee.

God Bless You!

Please keep May 13 & May 14 open for the next Perogy Bee. Call Millie 589-3518 to place your order. Perogies \$4.50/dozen.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN USHERING OR READING THE EPISTLE???

We are looking for volunteers to usher at Divine Liturgies on Saturday evenings at 5:00 pm and Sundays at 8:30 am & 11:00 am. We are also seeking volunteers to read the Epistle at all three Divine Liturgies. Please call the office 204-339-4512 for more info, or to volunteer. Thank You



- Sunday, May 25 UCWLC Communion Breakfast
- Monday, June 2 Annual meeting
- Tuesday, June 10 UCWLC Wind-up

Seniors Club: ~Wed, May 21~ Meeting following Liturgy 10:30 am.



~Tues, May 27~ Wind-up at Garden City Canad Inn 11:00 am

We express our Condolences and Prayers to Boris Wowczuk and family



on the repose of his wife **†Shirley Wowczuk**, who passed away March 1, 2014 May God grant her soul eternal rest. Вічная пам'ять



Apr 20 Sun Easter Sunday - St. Joseph's choir sings at 7:30am Resurrection Divine Liturgy

Apr 23 Wed Men's Club meeting 7pm

Apr 21 Mon Parish Council meeting following Divine Liturgy at 7pm

Apr 27 Sun Solemn Holy Communion for 6 communicants at Divine Liturgy 11:00 am

May 2 Fri Catechism 'Pizza & Bowling' Wind-up 6-9pm at St. John's Cantius Bowling Lanes RSVP to Michelle 799-1060

Devotions in Ukrainian to Blessed Vasvl 7:00 pm

May 5 Mon UCWLC meeting following May Devotions 7pm

May 6 Tues Outreach meeting 6:30 pm

May 8 Thur Knights of Columbus Executive meeting 7pm

May 11 Sun Happy Mother's Day

May 12 Mon Knights of Columbus meeting 7:30 pm

May 13 & 14 Perogy Bee 9:00 am



Community Events - 2014 - Mark the Date!

Wed Apr 23 - St. Josaphat Council #4138 Knights of Columbus LECTURER SERIES: "Wills, Power of Attorney & Health Care Directives- What do they do? What do I need?" presented by Dennis Wawrykow at Selo Villa at 7pm. Limited Registration by Apr16-call Peter P 204-667-3850

Sat Apr 26 - Ukr Professional and Bs.Club of Wpg hosts a BUD, SPUD & STEAK fundraiser event for MAIDAN with proceeds to Ukraine thru the U.C.C. Ukr Relief Fund. Canad Inns-Garden City Essence, 2100 McPhillips St; **6-9pm**; Tickets \$20 Sylvia 586-3445/227-6432; Special Guest Speakers

Wed Apr 30 - The Catholic Foundation of MB 2014 Caritas Award Dinner -honouring Holy Family Home, St. Joseph's Res., at Winnipeg Convention Centre- 6pm & Dinner 7pm-Tickets \$95.

Thur May 1 - Presentation by Tim Cipullo, US Consul to discuss Ukraine/US Relations with the Ukrainian Community in Winnipeg-at Holy Trinity Ukr Orthodox Cathedral, 1175 Main St.

Fri May 2 - Sun May 4 - Catholic Conference "Called by Name...Healed by Love" at St. Norbert Community Centre, 3450 Pembina Hwy; Doors open Fri May 2 at 6:30pm; Sat & Sun 8:00 am; www.catholicrenewalservices.com; Conference Registration: CCRS of Manitoba, 204-895-7544;

Sat May 3 & May 10 - Two-Day Workshop: Living with Alzheimer's Disease or Other Dimentias; at Riverwood Square, 1778 Pembina Hwy, 9am-2pm; Cost: \$25/person; Register: 943-6622 x203

Sun May 4 - UCWLC Rosa Branch Spring Tea~1pm at Shevchenko Ukr Centre, Rosa, MB. Opening by Sister Ruth Aney, SSMI. Bake Sale & Raffle; Entertainment Zvisda Ukr Dancers Ensemble.

Fri May 9 (5-10pm) & Sat May10 (8:30am-6pm) Fair ~St. Francis Anglican Church, 253 Burrin Ave

Sat May 10 - March for Life- 9:45am Opening prayer; 10 am- March proceeds down Memorial to Portage to Kennedy and back to Legislative steps where Speakers & closing prayer;

5:30 pm Campaign Life Coalition's Fundraising Banquet at Canad Inns Polo Park; Tickets \$50 & Students (under 25yr) \$35 Call CLC office 452-2459

Thur May 15 - The Friends Foundation of St. Joseph's Residence - <u>BUD</u>, <u>SPUD & STEAK FUND-RAISER</u> (& Silent Auction) at the TYC Event Centre -Canad Inns Polo Park (St. Matthew's Ave at Empress St) Tickets \$20 Call Linda 697-8031 x236 to purchase or support any way you can.

Thur May 15 - Canon Luhovy Assembly 37th Annual Charity Dinner - to support "Renovations to Sister Servants of Mary Immaculate Bethany Home" - held at Holy Eucharist Parish Centre, 460 Munroe Ave. Dinner & Draw Tickets \$65 (prior to May 1) Call David H 668-6402

Sun May 25 - Walking for Mary -Registration 1:30 pm; Walk (3-5 km) - 2 pm; Devotions - 3 pm & Reception to follow. Holy Eucharist Parish Centre-Watt & Munroe- Pledge form at back of church.

Alpha Omega Women's Alumnae Scholarship Program

Alpha Omega Women's Alumnae is an organization of university graduates of Ukrainian descent. This year we will be offering 4 bursaries of \$1,125.00 each to women (residents of Manitoba) of Ukrainian heritage who are entering full-time first year studies in a degree program at any accredited university. Two bursaries of \$1,125.00 will be provided by Alpha Omega Alumnae and two bursaries will be provided in memory of a long time organization member, Pat Oster, through donations of family and friends.

Please find ~ Bursary Application Form, Guidelines, and Application requirements at: www.aoalum.wordpress.com Deadline for applications: May 5, 2014

Ү великий празник Христового Воскресення, закликаємо вас помолитися за інших. Але, щоб уділити комусь дар миру та любови, треба перше в собі знайти внутрішній спокій. Отже, припадім до ніг Христових і складім перед Ним всі почуття образи, гніву та жалю. Зробім це з надією, що Господь Бог, у це велике свято, звільнить всіх нас від неспокою та тривог.

Спершу помолімся за людей, котрих ми любимо: *«Бережи їх, Боже, від усякого зла»*, і просім Бога, щоб наша молитва створила захисний щит, який охоронить їх від всіх тривог, від всіх неприємностей і від всякого неспокою.

Помолімся за тих, з ким ми живемо: «Боже, поможи нам бути терпеливими, щедрими, вирозумілими та добрими до себе. Дай нам відчути Твій мир і спокій у свойому домі!»

Далі, помолімся за людей, котрих ми не любимо і котрі не люблять нас. Не спускаймося до рівня нетерпимості але щиро попросім: «Поможи, Господи, щоб ми колись стали друзями» і вірмо, що це побажання сповняється.

Помолімся за стурбовантих людей... за пригічених... «Боже, прошу дай їм мир та радість», щиро сподіваючись, що ці наші слова колись-таки для них справдяться.

Помолімся за людей упосліджених... «Боже, дай їм силу та відвагу», і просім, щоб ці наші слова в кожному з них оживили джерела енергії.

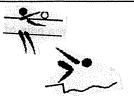
Помолімся за самотніх... спраглих любови... або розлучених від своїх коханих... «Господи, будь з ними, щоб вони завжди знали, що вони ніколи не є самими!»

Помолімся за людей похилого віку, котрі з часом змусять стати перед реальністю смери, яка наближається. «Господи, візьми їх за руку і спокійно попровадь їх до Свого Небесного Царства.»

Помолімся за молодих. «Господи, нехай здійсняться їх здорові мрії і нехай вони завжди запрошують Тебе бути з ними!»

Так, Великдень – велике свято! Радіймо. І молімся... не лиш сьогодні... і не лиш за себе...!





Catholic Children's Camp 2014

"OWN the PODIUM - OLYMPICS 2014"









Ukrainian Park Campground ~ Located on the western shore of Lake Winnipeg (Just 9.5KM N of Gimli) A camp for children and youth (Gr K-10) that <u>nurtures the development of Christian values</u>.

- Children's Camp # 1 ~ June 29 July 6, 2014 ~ Gr.6-10 (completed as of June 30, 2014)
- Children's Camp # 2 ~ July 6 July 13, 2014 ~ Kind.-Gr.6 (overlapping weeks for Gr 6)
 - ~ Camper Applications available in Parish Office or Call the Chancery 338-7801 or Online http//ucymb.wordpress.com/2014-ukrainian-park-childrens-camp
 - ~ Counsellor resumes can be sent to Camp Coordinator, 233 Scotia St. Wpg R2V 1V7
 - ~ Both DEADLINES MAY 31, 2014 ~ Parent volunteers needed for new programming

North American Redemptorist Dialogue



Join young adults (18-35yrs) and Redemptorists from across North America as we unravel the Great Mysteries of Redemption in Canadaigua, NY, July 28-Aug 1, 2014.

Experience other cultures, celebrate Eucharist, share your faith and enjoy good times in a tranquil retreat setting. If you've ever done S.E.R.V.E...Dialogue is the next step! For more info, contact Michelle 204-799-1060, rymcssr@gmail.com

Canon Luhovy Assembly of the Knights of Columbus - 37th Annual Charity Dinner
Beneficiary: Sister Servants of Mary Immaculate Bethany Home Renovations
Thursday, May 15, 2014 ~ Holy Eucharist Parish Centre ~ Reception 6 pm, Dinner 7 pm ~
Tickets \$ 65/plate; Elimination Draw Ticket only \$20-win \$60 (1st & every 25th ticket or final prize of \$1,000.00 - Call David H 668-6402 by May 1; Email: djhladun@gmail.com

Blessed Virgin Mary Church, 965 Boyd Ave will be celebrating their second <u>Annual Memorial</u> <u>Divine Liturgy and Panakhyda Service</u> for deceased clergy and parishioners on **Saturday**, **May 3**, 2014 at 10 am.

If you are planning to attend this service for your deceased loved ones who were parishioners of Blessed Virgin Mary Parish, please contact Fr. Volodymyr Bashutskyy by Sunday, April 27, 2014 at 204-582-7535 or email BVMChurch@gmail.com and let us know how many family members will be attending. Refreshments will be served following the service.

Komarno Holy Trinity Parish's 100th Anniversary Celebration ~ Sunday, June 8, 2014

Divine Liturgy at 11am, followed by Blessing of the water. Buffet Dinner at Komarno Community Centre.

Panakhyda Services at Holy Trinity and St. George's Cemetery later that afternoon. Advance Dinner Tickets
\$20 (avail in May). For more info, call Eileen 1-204-886-2485 or eenzinko@highspeedcrow.ca

PASTORAL LETTER ON THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD 2014

Christ is Risen!

Indeed He is Risen!

"But we were hoping that he would be the one to redeem Israel..." [Lk. 24:21]

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

The words quoted at the beginning of this letter were spoken by two of Christ's disciples as they fled Jerusalem. Dismayed upon witnessing the crucifixion, death and burial of Jesus, they did not recognize the Risen Lord when he caught up with them on their journey. They had been told that Jesus had risen from the dead but there seemed to be doubt in their hearts that such news was really true.

In these recent times our hearts and minds have been focused on the turmoil in our ancestral land of Ukraine. Indeed not only we, but many throughout the world have been caught up in the struggles of our brothers and sisters as they fight to defend the freedom of their native land. Their struggle against sin and injustice has been echoed in the readings and themes of the Great Lent services.

And we too, like the disciples of Christ, having witnessed these difficult times, may find it hard to rejoice in the resurrection of the Lord. Rather, we are searching for comfort in our fear and sorrow. Where can the people of Ukraine turn for support and guidance on their journey through these uncertain times? How can they rejoice in the resurrection of the Lord?

As the Risen Lord walked with his disciple on their way to Emmaus, he opened their hearts and minds by explaining to them God's plan for humanity and the role Jesus carried out in this divine plan. Jesus said to the disciples: "Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and enter into his glory?" [Lk. 24:26] In other words the journey to the resurrection to eternal life leads all of us through the valley of human suffering.

As we listened to the news reports from Ukraine, we often heard in the background the prayers and hymns of the faithful. We saw photos of priests holding high the holy cross in the midst of confrontation. We caught glimpses of sacred icons and banners standing firm against weapons and guns. And we witnessed a tent made into a chapel providing a place of prayer in the midst of turmoil. Indeed God has been with his people!

The final sign by which the disciples recognized Jesus was in the breaking of the bread – the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. At that point the Risen Lord then disappeared from their midst, but by then they had found the needed spiritual hope to renew their lives. They then declared: "Were not our hearts burning within us while he spoke to us on the way and opened the scriptures to us?" [Lk. 24:32]

This year as we gather to celebrate the resurrection of the Lord, let us find in this celebration the gift of hope for our lives and in the lives of those we hold dear. Let us hold aloft our faith in the Risen Lord as our sign of victory over the turmoil and despair that a world void of God's love can only provide. Let us chant, "Christ is Risen" as a call of strength and support to all, especially our brothers and sisters in Ukraine, and a reminder that the Risen Lord is always with us.

- + Lawrence Huculak, OSBM, Metropolitan Archbishop of Winnipeg
- + Michael Wiwchar, CSsR, Bishop Emeritus of Saskatoon
- + Severian Yakymyshyn, OSBM, Bishop Emeritus of New Westminster
- + David Motiuk, Eparchial Bishop of Edmonton
- + Stephen Chmilar, Eparchial Bishop of Toronto
- + Ken Nowakowski, Eparchial Bishop of New Westminster + Bryan Bayda, CSsR, Eparchial Bishop of Saskatoon

