

Christ is among us!
He is and will be!



Христос посеред нас!
Є і буде!

LITURGY INTENTIONS

Sunday, February 8 • Sunday of Meat-Fare (PF of Presentation) 1 Corinthians 8:8 - 9:2 ~ Matthew 25: 31-46
 5:00 pm (Sat.) Birthday Blessings for Natalie Storozuk.....Prayer Partner
 8:30 am God's blessings for St. Joseph's Parishioners
 10:00 am (HFH) † Sandi Bassett.....A friend
 11:00 am † Olga Welichka (40th).....Family

Monday, February 9 • Martyr Nicephorus(PF of Presentation) 3 John 1: 1-15 ~ Luke 19: 29-40, 22:7-39
 8:00 am † Stanley Rudzki (40 days).....wife, Karolena and Michelle
 11:00 am (Bethany) God's Blessings and good health for Larry Trach.....Doreen and family

Tuesday, February 10 • Martyr Charalampus Jude 1: 1-10 ~ Luke 22: 39-42, 45 -23:1
 8:00 am **No Liturgy**
 11:00 am (Bethany) **No Liturgy**

Wednesday, February 11 • Martyr Blaise Romans 14: 6-9 ~ Matthew 26: 57-75
 8:00 am **No Liturgy**
 10:00 am (HFH) † Archbishop Michael Bzdel CSsR.....Winnipeg Community
 7:00 pm Devotions to Blessed Vasyl and Anointing.....

Thurs, February 12 • Venerable Meletius Jude 1: 11-25 ~ Luke 23: 1-34, 44-56
 8:00 am **No Liturgy**
 11:00 am (Bethany) **No Liturgy**

Friday, February 13 • Venerable Martinian Ephesians 5: 8-19 ~ John 19: 25-37
 8:00 am Birthday Blessings for Jennie BylynaPrayer Partner
 11:00 am (Bethany) Anniversary Blessings for Sister Zoe SSML.....Mary Bernatsky

Saturday, February 14 • Venerable Cyril Galatians 5:22 - 6:2 ~ John 10: 9-16
 7:30 am (HFH) Birthday Blessings for Millie Lefko.....Prayer Partner
 8:30 am † Iwan Iwanchuk (40 days).....Iwanchuk and Walker families

Sunday, February 15 • Sunday of Cheese Fare-Forgiveness Sunday Romans 13:11 - 14:4 ~ Matthew 6: 14-21
 5:00 pm (Sat.) † Dan Mitchler (40 days).....Family
 8:30 am God's blessings for St. Joseph's Parishioners
 10:00 am (HFH) † Maria Pyl.....Macenko Choir
 11:00 am † Pat (Norosky) Nyman.....Adele Czul

SUNDAY COLLECTION February 1, 2015 THANK YOU! 135 envelopes \$ 3,256.00

Open Collection \$ 195.80; Vigil Lamps \$ 62.15; Initial Offering \$ 30.00 ;
We gratefully acknowledge the family of † Maria Pyl for their Fellowship Donation (\$ 300).
January Sunday Offerings by EFT \$ 2683.00 (34 families)

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.

ST. JOSEPH'S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Українська Католицька Парафія Святого Йосифа

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FEBRUARY 8TH 2015 • MEAT-FARE SUNDAY

8 ЛЮТОГО 2015 • Неділя М'ясопусна

PASTORAL CARE - REDEMPTORISTS

PASTOR: FATHER BOHDAN LUKIE, CSSR
ASSISTANT: FATHER FRANK SZADIAK, CSSR

FATHER LEONARD RATUSHNIAK, CSSR
Pastor of ST. ANDREWS PARISH

SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY

5:00 PM SATURDAY (ENGLISH)
8:30 AM (UKRAINIAN) • 11:00 AM (ENGLISH)

DAILY DIVINE LITURGY

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

VESPERS SATURDAY 4:15 - 5:00 PM
STARTING SEPT 13, 2014

Holy Days

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

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BLESSED VASYL VELYCHKOVSKY, CSSR
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SHRINE - MUSEUM - GIFT SHOP
HOURS OF OPERATION

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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DEVOTIONS TO BLESSED VASYL
7:00 PM WEDNESDAY

Glory be to Jesus Christ!

Glory be forever!

It seems that we just celebrated Christmas and here we are, talking about Great Lent again. And as every year we remind you that **Great Lent** is not only a preparation for **Easter**, but a **time of rebirth**. It is a time for self-examination, a time for prayer, a time for more frequent church attendance and a time for fasting. Lent is a spiritual journey that each of us must take and Easter is the destination.



Pastor's Desk

There are **five Sundays** that prepare us for **Great Lent** - the **first** of which is **Zacchaeus Sunday**, which we celebrated last Sunday. The Gospel reminded us that the *desire to see God* is the beginning of true change. Zacchaeus went to great trouble to climb a tree to see Jesus.

Today the **second** is the **Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee** in which we are called to accept the fact that most of us, like the Publican, have lived lives beneath the standard that God has given us. We are called to repent for it is not empty religious pietism that will save our souls, but humility and deference to God.

The **third** is the **Sunday of the Prodigal Son** in which we are to see ourselves as being far from what God desires of us, as was the *'prodigal son'*. We are to return to God in repentance where we are warmly welcomed with open arms.



The **fourth** is the **Sunday of the Last Judgment** where we show our love in deeds and acts toward one another. And we remember that God will judge us all. The cares and concerns of this life are fleeting, but God's judgment is inevitable.


And lastly there is **Forgiveness Sunday** during which we focus on Christ's words: *"If you forgive the faults of others, your heavenly Father will forgive you yours. If you do not forgive others, neither will your Father forgive you."* **Forgiveness Sunday** is the beginning of Great Lent and if we are to begin Lent earnestly we must begin it by forgiving others. Allow us, your church, to help you prepare for Lent so that we can take the journey of Lent together. Let us all focus on one basic concept: **HOPE!**

There are **many different kinds of hope**. We can *hope* for an end to wars. We can *hope* for a strong society. We can *hope* for cures for many different diseases. We can *hope* for a strong economy. We can *hope* for happiness for our families. The list for *'hopes'* is endless. But whatever the *hope* may be, our **strongest hope must be in God**, for it is **He**, who guides us and upon Whom we depend with everything in our world and in our lives. Our lives are nothing without God; let us never forget the role that He plays. Let us unite in prayer and bring our *'hopes'*, whatever they may be, to Him together.

Another special **hope** we need to have: that God the Father and Jesus will be merciful and forgiving to all those who have passed from this life to the next. That is **why** we are encouraged to always pray for our **beloved deceased**, especially during this Lenten season. Please read about this holy practice of **Sorokousty** elsewhere in this bulletin...

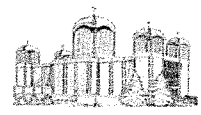
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<p>February 7th February 8, 2015</p> <p><u>Epistle Readers</u> 5:00 pm Saturday S. Rorabeck</p> <p>8:30 am Sunday C. Sikorsky</p> <p>11:00 am Sunday J. Malenko</p>	<p>February 14th February 15, 2015</p> <p><u>Epistle Readers</u> 5:00 pm Saturday L. Baron</p> <p>8:30 am Sunday W. Lukie</p> <p>11:00 am Sunday B. Rolston</p>	<p>St. Joseph's Parish Perogy Bee </p> <p>Tues. Feb 10th and Wed Feb 11th We need your help to peel, pinch, or pack. Call Mary 339-1296 to place your order- \$5.00/dozen. (new price as of January 2015)</p>
<p><u>Ushers</u> 5:00 pm Saturday J. Hykawy M. Hykawy</p> <p>8:30 am Sunday volunteer V. Solman</p> <p>11:00 am Sunday H. Stockburn B. Rolston</p>	<p><u>Ushers</u> 5:00 pm Saturday J. Tchir D. Dahl</p> <p>8:30 am Sunday R. Macsymach P. Prystupa</p> <p>11:00 am Sunday E. Faseruk K. Chrapchynski</p>	<p><u>Journey Around the World and Deep into the Faith...</u> with Fr. Robert Barron, an adult program - DVD presentation of what Catholics believe and why. Join us Sunday mornings, 10-11 am in the monastery. </p>
<p><u>Vigil Lamps</u> <i>Feb 2. - Feb 15, 2015</i> C. Berezowski M. Lefko</p>	<p><u>Vigil Lamps</u> <i>Feb 2. - Feb 15, 2015</i> C. Berezowski M. Lefko</p>	<p>Income Tax Receipts 2014...were mailed out Wed Feb 4 & Feb 5, 2015.</p> <p>Should you not receive your income tax receipt in the mail...please give us a call.</p> <p>Fr. Bohdan has also included a letter!</p> <p>Coming soon...Our Annual General Meeting Sunday, March 22, 2015 Annual Reports must be in the office by Feb 27 The booklet must be made available in the church for March 14/15, 2015</p>

 Condolences and prayers are offered to the family of Helen Chubaty on the passing of her brother, † **Albert Kosowan**.
May God grant his soul eternal rest. Вічна пам'ять

Upcoming at St. Joseph's:

Feb 08 Sun	UCWLC Valentine Luncheon	12:30 pm-3:30 pm	(no catechism & no adult study)
Feb 09 Mon	Knights of Columbus meeting	7:30 pm	
Feb 10 & 11	Parish Perogy Bee	9:00 am	
Feb 14 Sat	Table for Two	6:00 pm	
Feb 15 Sun	Forgiveness Sunday		(no catechism this long weekend)
Feb 16 Mon	Lent begins	☩	
Feb 18 Wed	Seniors ~ Liturgy	10:30 am, meeting & fellowship;	<u>Pre-Sanctified Liturgy</u> 7pm;
Feb 20 Fri	St. Joe's K of C Halibut	<u>Fish Fry</u> 4:30pm-6:30 pm;	<u>Way of Cross</u> 6:30 pm Eng
Feb 21 Sat	<u>Sorokousty</u> following Divine Liturgy	at 8:30 am;	Choir practice 10am
Feb 22 Sun	St. Joseph's Choir sings at 8:30am	Liturgy;	Catechism Classes 10 am in Church Auditorium; Adult Study 10 am (Monastery); Children's Liturgy 11:00 am





Special Services during the Great Fast

Lent a special 40 days of spiritual preparation for Easter (April 5, 2015) is around the corner - Monday, February 16, 2015



The Great Fast (Lent) begins with Forgiveness Vespers. During this beautiful service, we seek forgiveness from God and from one another as we begin our journey to *Pascha* (Easter).

Please come and pray with us

Forgiveness Service is after the Liturgies on Saturday Feb 14th & Sunday, February 15th

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Divine Liturgy every day at 8:00 am, including Wednesday.

Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts at 7:00 pm on Wednesdays, beginning on Feb. 18th, February 25, March 4, March 11, March 18, March 25.



Liturgy and Sorokousty, the service of intercession for our deceased ancestors at 8:30 am on Saturdays: February 21, Feb 28, March 7, Mar 14, & March 21

Please provide a list of † family names (if we do not already have from past years) along with the blue Sorokousty envelope from your Sunday offering box, & place in the collection plate.

The Way of the Cross: 6:30 pm Fridays (English) and 6:00 pm Sundays (Ukrainian) beginning Friday, February 20, 2015

ANNUAL LENTEN FISH FRY - 4:30 PM EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT DURING THE GREAT FAST
Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Father Shyshkovich Council #8925

February 20, Feb 27, March 6, Mar 13, Mar 20, March 27, 2015



Table for Two - Feb. 14, 2015

For young married and engaged couples. Celebrate a meaningful Valentine's Day with a three-course meal, quiet conversation and a special presentation with Nancy & Ted Wood (members of the Chemin Neuf Community and directors of St. Charles Retreat Centre).

6 pm at St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church Hall. Cost is \$40/couple.

Contact Michelle by Feb 9 at rymcssr@gmail.com or call 204-799-1060

Please pray for the Yorkton Province Redemptorists' Chapter Meeting
February 9 – February 12, 2015

Please direct inquiries concerning Liturgy Intentions (\$20) to Father Bohdan Lukie
Щодо літургійних інтенцій, дзвоніть отцеві Богданові Лукій.

Слава Ісусу Христу!

Слава на віки!

Здається, що ми щойно відсвяткували Різдво і вже знов говоримо про Великий Піст. І як щороку, ми нагадуємо вам, що **Великий Піст** – це не лишень підготовка до празника Великодня але також час на віднову. Це час самому себе перепитувати, час на молитву, час на то, щоб частіше завідувати до церкви і час собі дещо відмовити. **Піст є духонія подорож де мета - це Великдень.** Це подорож, на яку кожний з нас мусить вибратися, щоб могли святкувати Великдень так, як належиться.



Ми приготуємося до Великодня продовж **п'ятьох неділь** і **перша** з цих неділь це **Неділя Закхея**, яку ми вже святкували. Закхей завдав собі великого труду вилізти на високе дерево, щоб побачити Ісуса. Ця неділя нагадує нам, що дійсна зміна приходить, коли ми маємо палке бажання побачити Бога.

Друга неділя – це **Неділя Митаря і Фарисея**, в якій нас проситься зрозуміти, що більшість із нас, так як митар, живе нормами протилежними до Божого закону. Для спасення нам треба не порожньої побожності але покори до Бога, як також каяття.

Третя Неділя – це **Неділя Блудного Сина** в якій ми, бачимо, що ми подібні до блудного сина і не сповняємо бажань свого Батька. Нам треба каятися перед Богом і щойно тоді він нас з відкритими раменами прийме.

Четверта неділя – це **Неділя останнього суду**, в якій ми вчимося висловлювати любов власними вчинками. І ми пам'ятаємо, що Бог буде кожного з нас судити; хвилювання та турботи цього життя забудуться але останній суд нас не мине.

А в кінці є **Неділя Прощення**, в якій чуємо Христові слова: **“Коли ви прощатимете людям їхні провини, Отець ваш Небесний простить і вам. А коли ви не будете прощати людям, і Отець ваш Небесний не простить провин ваших.”** Неділя Прощення – це початок **Великого Посту** і якщо ми маємо на меті дійсно щиро починати Піст ми мусимо почати його від прощення.

Дозвольте нам, вашій церкві, допомогти вас приготувати до Посту, щоб ми тоді могли вибратися в подорож Посту разом. Нехай наша темя буде **НАДІЯ!**

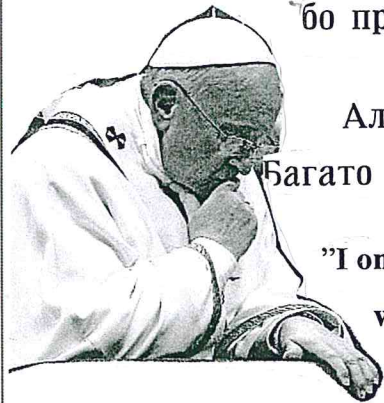
Є різні надії. Можемо надіятися, щоб всі війни покінчилися. Можемо надіятися на здорове суспільство. Можемо мати надію, що знайдуться ліки на різні недуги. Можемо мати надію на здорову економію. Можемо мати надію, що наші родини будуть щасливими. Список надій безконечний. Але які би ми не мали надії, наша найбільша надія мусить бути **надія на Бога**, бо то саме Він нами провадить і від Нього ми залежні на все в своєму світі та в своєму житті. Наше життя немає жодного значення без Бога отож ніколи не забуваймо, **яку роль Він нам відіграє.** З'єднаймося в молитві і приходім зі своїми надіями, які би вони були, до Господа Бога всі разом..

Звернім свої серця та думки до Бога і покійно просім Його, щоб дав нам силу надіятися та вірити, що Він завжди буде з нами. З'єднаймося в молитві і з'єднаймося в надії, надії, якої я вам від щирого серця бажаю. Амінь.



Some precious thoughts from Pope Francis on Vocations...

“Я одного разу прочитав, що священники подібні до літаків, бо про них пишуть лиш тоді, коли вони падають...



Але більшість священників літає! ...

Багато хто їх критикує, але так мало за них молиться!

”I once read that priests are like airplanes, because they are only written about when they fall... but most priests do fly!

Many often criticize them, but only few pray for them!”

Community Events

Wed Feb 11 ~ Oseredok presents at 7pm Myroslav Shkandrij Book Launch “Ukrainian Nationalism, Politics, Ideology, and Literature, 1929-1956

Thur Feb 12 ~ Alzheimer Society presents a Free session: “Caregiver Stress: The Potential Risks of Doing it all Yourself!” 7-8:30 pm at Lindenwood Manor; Register 943-6622

Sat Mar 21 or Apr 4~Oseredok presents Family Pysanka Workshops 1:30-4:00pm; To Register Call 942-0218 or email ucec@mymts.net Fees: \$8 members, \$12 non-members

Fri Feb 27 ~ Dinner at Deluca’s, 950 Portage Ave. 3-Course Italian Dinner 7pm, Tickets \$65 Call 942-0218; A Fundraiser in support of the Ukr. Cultural & Educational Centre.

Feb 27, 28 & Mar 1 ~ Fr. Ed Hauf from Texas speaking on “The Great Secret to Receive Healing” Breakfast, Mass, Healing Service at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 4588 Roblin ~ 895-7544

Sun Mar 1 ~ Holy Eucharist Women’s League Daffodil Tea– 1pm-3pm~460 Munroe Ave

Fri Mar 6 ~ World Day of Prayer ~ 7:30 pm ~ St. Luke’s Zion Lutheran Church, 2903 McPhillips Written by the Women of the Bahamas. Jesus said to them, “Do you know what I have done to you?”



IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY SCHOOL INC

Fund Raising Dinner

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 2015

Holy Eucharist Parish Centre, 460 Munroe Ave, Cocktails 6:00pm • Dinner at 6:30pm Tickets: \$110.00 ~ Call Basil or Mark Galarnyk 582-7891 or the school 582-5698

All proceeds for the students of Immaculate Heart of Mary School Tax deductible donation \$40

The UCWLC - St. Joseph Branch

Valentine Luncheon

Sunday, February 8, 2015 ~ 12:30 pm to 3:00 pm.

Bake Sale! Silent Auction! Entertainment by Sich!



Luncheon menu: Chicken Soup or Borscht, Deli Sandwiches, Coleslaw & Dessert. Advance purchase Tickets ~ Adults \$12; Youth (6-12yrs) \$6; child under 5yrs - free

Welcome to Outreach Sunday

It has been some time since a Request to our parishioners was made for food items to stock the Outreach cupboard. Over the past few months requests for hampers have increased, and for this reason there are some immediate needs. Just one item per family would be much appreciated and the cupboard would soon be sufficiently stocked. Some examples are: pastas, cereals, soups, juices, peanut butter, and canned goods (fish/tuna, fruit, vegetables, meats, milk). God bless you! Thank you for your ongoing support!

“As often as you did for one of my brothers, you did it for Me.”



Feb. 20, 2015, Friday Fun Night at St. Joseph’s:

5:15 pm Fish Fry—special VIP seating in the Youth Room for all Youth!

6:30 pm Stations of the Cross

7:15 pm Movie Night ~ “The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe!” in the youth room.

Come for the whole evening!

Bring along some \$\$ for supper.

Movie snacks will be provided!

Contact Michelle for more details:

rymcssr@gmail.com or call/text 799-1060

Do YOU Know How to PRAY? A perfect Lenten retreat / preparation

For most of us, prayer becomes a source of frustration as we struggle to calm our minds and to find even a few minutes to pray. In our busy lives, Prayer is seen as a luxury, when in reality it is at the foundation of a healthy spiritual life.

Over the course of 8 weeks, the Oremus study program teaches you the essentials of an effective & fruitful prayer life.

When: Every Tuesday from Feb 24 to Apr 21, 2015 At 7:40 pm.

Where: St. Anthony of Padua, 250 Burrin Ave

Cost: \$20 workbook and journal

To REGISTER: Call St. Anthony’s, 204-334-2413 or email: info@mad4more.ca www.made4more.ca



Parish Dance Classes held on Tuesdays in church hall:

Introduction to Dance! 6:30 pm to 7:00 pm \$10/ couple-Entrance is SUBJECT TO RSVP by each Monday 4:00 pm Bulldog@mymts.net and or text/leave message 204-227-6434

Your cooperation to adhere to the RSVP notification stipulation will be appreciated!!!

***to attend Improvers and or Intermediate classes you first have to attend the Introduction to Dance Classes

Improvers 7:00 pm - 8:15 pm \$18/ couple & Intermediates 8:15 pm - 9:30 pm \$18/ couple