| Divine Liturgy Intentions | | | | |
|---------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Sun. Feb. 14 | First Sunday of Lent Hebrews 11: 24-26; 32-12:2 ~ John 1: 43-51 | | | |
| 5:00 pm (Sat.) | †Judith Cross (40th day) | | | |
| 8:30 am | God's Blessings Bryant FamilyMary & Allen Marcinkow | | | |
| 10:00 am (HFH) | God's Blessings Priests of St. Joseph'sN.N | | | |
| 11:00 am | For Our Parishioners | | | |
| Mon. Feb. 15 | Apostle Onesimus Romans 15: 1-7 ~ Matthew 18: 10-20 | | | |
| 8:00 am | †Yaroslaw Dybka CSsRPeter & Joan | | | |
| 11:00 am (Bethany) | †Anne PismennyAnne Woytowich | | | |
| Tues. Feb. 16 | Apostle Pamphilus Galatians 6: 2-10 ~ Matthew 4:23 - 5:13 | | | |
| 8:00 am | Health of Glenn SmithAudrey | | | |
| 11:00 am (Bethany) | †Kerry Anderson-GillmanLesia Sianchuk | | | |
| Wed. Feb. 17 | Great Martyr Theodore Tyre 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1 ~ Matthew 5: 20-26 | | | |
| 10:00 am (HFH) | †Vernon KasprickSister Stella | | | |
| 7:00 pm | Presanctified Liturgy | | | |
| Thur. Feb. 18 | Pope Leo 1 Corinthians 10: 5-12 ~ Matthew 5: 27-32 | | | |
| 8:00 am | Pope Leo 1 Corinthians 10: 5-12 ~ Matthew 5: 27-32 †Bohdan KrywonizkaBernardin Family | | | |
| 11:00 am (Bethany) | Birthday Blessings, Health & Thanksgiving MistafaMary Bernatsky | | | |
| Fri. Feb. 19 | Apostle Archippus Romans 12: 6-14 ~ Matthew 5: 33-41 | | | |
| 8:00 am | Health & God's Blessings Vicki TycholisFamily | | | |
| 11:00 am (Bethany) | †MarkDenise | | | |
| Sat. Feb. 20 | All Souls Saturday Hebrews 3: 12-16 ~ Mark 1: 35-45 †Ernie KolsunPhyllis Kwiatkowski & Penny Parzyjayla | | | |
| 7:30 am (HFH) | †Ernie KolsunPhyllis Kwiatkowski & Penny Parzyjayla | | | |
| 8:30 am | †Members of St. Joseph's Parish & Sorokousty | | | |
| Sun. Feb. 21 | Second Sunday of Lent Hebrews 1:10-2:3 ~ Mark 2: 1-12 | | | |
| 5:00 pm (Sat.) | God's Blessings & Health Steve WerhunMatt & Family | | | |
| 8:30 am | Special Intentions Chris & Ann AndersonLesia Sianchuk | | | |
| 10:00 am (HFH) | God's Blessings Mary & Victor BernatskySr. Zoe | | | |
| 11:00 am | For Our Parishioners | | | |

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Pamphlets are available for Adults, Youth & Young Adults and Youth. Located next to the confessional.

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Sunday Divine Liturgies

5:00 pm Saturday (English) 8:30 am (Ukrainian) 11:00 am (English)

Daily Divine Liturgies

Please see Liturgical Intentions Schedule

Holy Days 8:30 am 7:00 pm **Vespers** Saturday 4:15 pm

WAY OF THE CROSS

SUNDAY (UKR) 6:00 PM FRIDAY (ENG) 6:30 PM

Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts Wednesday 7:00 pm

Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky, CSsR Bishop - Martyr

Shrine - Museum - Gift Shop

Hours of Operation

Sunday-After Divine Liturgies Monday-Closed Tues.- Fri. 10:00 am - 5:00 pm Sat. 10:00 am-1:00 pm

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Who do I look like?

Often, we hear comments like, "He looks like his father." "She looks her mom." From a faith perceptive, during the time of Great Lent, all of us, are called to become more aware of our "appearance". After all, each of us have been created in the image and likeness of God (Genesis 1:27). Either we are moving towards this image or moving away from it. The time of Great Lent helps us to realize what direction we are going. May it be in a direction that will help us to reflect the glory of God.

Great Lent: A time for liberation.

The time of Great Lent gives us the opportunity to participate in the liberation brought by Jesus to all those who are oppressed by the demons of self-reliance, power, and self-interest. During this season we seek to understand the meaning of Jesus' death and resurrection with the ultimate goal of changing our lives.

Sacrament of Reconciliation & God's Mercy

"In the Sacrament of Reconciliation, God forgives our sins, which he truly blots out; and yet sin leaves a negative effect on the way we think and act. But the mercy of God is stronger even than this. It becomes indulgence on the part of the Father who, through the Bride of Christ, his Church, reaches the pardoned sinner and frees him from every residue left by the consequences of sin, enabling him to act with charity, to grow in love rather than to fall back into sin." Pope Francis, Misericordiae Vultus, JUBILEE OF MERCY

Mercy before Judgment

During the Jubilee of Mercy, we are called to experience the joy of encountering the transforming power of the Godly life and to rediscover God's infinite mercy to all of us. Pope Francis tells us "to put mercy before judgment." Like Mary, he calls us "to become bearers of Christ and let ourselves be embraced by the mercy of God who waits for us and forgives everything."

The UCWLC 'Soup and Sandwich Committee' Thank Everyone in a BIG way for their help:

Ladies and Gentlemen for all the clean up and tasks along the way,

to Father Dmytro, and to the Sich Band.

Thank you for all the silent auction donations and also the bake table donations. The UCWLC Thank ALL of you for supporting the luncheon and making it an enjoyable afternoon. God Bless you all.

Congratulations to all the lucky Winners of the Silent Auction:

Mary Haddad, Mary Kiernicki, V. Gushuliak, Donna Burdey, Ann Kalyniuk, Elsie Anderson,
Tony Leochko, Margaret Fedorchuk, Agnes Yasenko, Val Lywak, Irene Zapisocki,
Jennifer Kjartanson Richard Pawloski, Shirley Skochyla, Marlene Solman,
Peter Romanyk, Bohdan Wowczuk, Abe Reimer, Dick Stone, Karen Degner, Isabel Lukie.



UR Youth

Wed. **Feb 17**, 6:30-9:30 pm Cooking supper in St. Joseph's kitchen for The Welcome Home. Need 6 youth & 2 parents to help make this service project happen!

Thurs. **Feb 18**, 5-7pm Serving our meal at The Welcome Home. Youth can come, serve our meal and experience Family Night, 188 Euclid

Fri. **Feb 26**, 5pm Fish Fry & a Movie: Enjoy the fish fry with VIP seating in the Youth Room, then Stations of the Cross. Following this we'll watch a movie. Bring \$\$ for supper.

Text Michelle 204-799-1060.

"Receiving God's Mercy" CCRS of Manitoba presentation with Fr. Marc Drouin Feb 19-20 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, 4588 Roblin Blvd, 7:30 pm. Call 204-895-7544

World Day of Prayer service Friday, March 4 at 7:00 pm at St. John's Cathedral, 135 Anderson Ave (East of Main St) "*Receive Children. Receive me*" Written by the Committee of Cuba..

Home of Hope (Lviv) Fundraising Breakfast Saturday, March 5 10:00am at Holy Eucharist Parish Center, 460 Munroe Ave. Tickets \$25

Winnipeg **Life's Vision** annual Pro-Life Brunch "Take Heart, Don't Give Up" Saturday, March 12 11:00 am at Holy Redeemer Parish Hall, 264 Donwood Dr. Tickets \$20 ~ Call 204-233-8047 or Email: lifesvision@shaw.ca *NEW baby items for Crisis Pregnancy Centre are appreciated.

St. Basil's Annual Palm Sunday Tea, 202 Harcourt St., March 20, 1pm to 3 pm

Caritas Award Dinner The Catholic Foundation of Manitoba Honouring the Service of Consecrated Men in MB. Thurs, April 14, RBC Convention Centre Tickets \$95 Call 233-4268

The First Sunday of Great Lent

The first Sunday of Lent is called the Sunday of Orthodoxy. It is the day we celebrate the return of icons to the churches. Icons were venerated in the Eastern Church until the reign of Leo III (717-741 A.D.) when under the influence of two bishops from Asia Minor, he decreed that the veneration of icons was idol worship.

This decree marked the beginning of a long bloody battle against sacred images in the Eastern Church. Icons were destroyed or burned and their defenders cast into prison, exiled and even tortured. This battle lasted, with short intervals of peace, until 842 A.D. when Empress Theodora restored the use and veneration of icons. A synod at Constantinople was convoked which restored the veneration of holy images. The right way to use icons was defined, saying that the icon should be honored or venerated, but not worshipped as an idol in itself.

On the first Sunday of the Great Lent the icons were brought back to the churches in solemn procession. That day is remembered as the triumph of orthodoxy (tradition) over the iconoclasts (those who opposed the use of sacred images).

The heart of Eastern Christianity, the inner mystery of its radiant beauty, the source of its worship and teaching is the glorification of Christ, the living God, through whom we know the Father and from whom we receive the Holy Spirit.

Icons, hymns, prayers, worship and liturgy of the Eastern Church unceasingly focus our attention, our hearts, minds, and spirits on Jesus Christ: His person, redeeming message, and divinity. Icons are windows into that holy realm where God and the saints now dwell. By beholding of the sacred icons, each liturgical year as events are celebrated, we see the unfolding of Our Salvation.

Glory Be to Jesus Christ!

Glory Forever!

First Sunday of Lent

The Redemptorists and parishioners of St. Joseph's extend a warm welcome to all our guests. Thank you for worshipping with us today.

| This Week at Saint Joseph's | | | | | | |
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| Sunday | Feb. 1 | 4 6:00 pm | Stations of the Cross (Ukr) | | | |
| Tuesday | Feb. 1 | 6 6:15 pm | Adult Couple Dance Lessons | | | |
| Wednesday | Feb. 1 | 7 10:30 am | Seniors Meeting | | | |
| | | 7:00 pm | Pre-Sanctified Liturgy | | | |
| Friday | Feb. 1 | 9 4:30 pm | Knights of Columbus Fish Fry | | | |
| - | | 6:30 pm | Stations of the Cross | | | |
| Saturday | Feb. 2 | 0 8:30 am | Divine Liturgy Sorokousty | | | |
| - | | 10:00 am | St. Joseph's Choir Practice | | | |
| Sunday | Feb. 2 | 1 10:00 am | Catechism; Adult Faith Program; | | | |
| • | | 11:00 am | Children's Liturgy | | | |
| | | 6:00 pm | Stations of the Cross (Ukr) | | | |
| Parish Office is closed Monday February 15, 2016 | | | | | | |

Parish Annual Meeting—March 13, 2016 Annual Reports are now due to the parish office.

"Jesus—The Merciful Face of the Father"

Ladies Retreat - Saturday, February 20 Sr. Theresa Matwe, SSMI

Registration 8:45 am; Cost \$5.00; Bag Lunch; Confessions 3:30 pm; Divine Liturgy 4 pm;

St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church, 737 Bannerman Ave.

St Joseph's Van

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

A Family Sleigh Ride!

Saturday, March 5th, 3:45 pm at Bird's Hill Park Ranch.

Families are invited to an afternoon of FUN!

Cost is \$8.00/person.

Sleigh ride leaves at 4 pm.
Bonfire, hotdogs and marshmallows
to follow!



Sacraments

Baptism Chrismation Eucharist Please contact the parish office

Marriage

Please contact the parish office a minimum of six months in advance

Sacrament of Anointing Visitation of the Sick

Contact the parish office If an emergency please call anytime.

Reconciliation—Confession

During the Sunday Divine Liturgies or by appointment

| February 13th | February 20th |
|--------------------------------|---|
| February 14, 2016 | February 21, 2016 |
| Epistle Readers | <u>Epistle Readers</u> |
| 5:00 pm Saturday | 5:00 pm Saturday |
| S. Rorabeck | P. Lewak |
| 8:30 am Sunday | 8:30 am Sunday |
| O. Hull | Parish Choir |
| 11:00 am Sunday | 11:00 am Sunday |
| S. Sirdar | Children's Liturgy |
| <u>Ushers</u> | <u>Ushers</u> |
| 5:00 pm Saturday | 5:00 pm Saturday |
| M. Gwozd | M. Hykawy |
| P. Gwozd | J. Hykawy |
| 8:30 am Sunday A. Danylchuk | 8:30 am Sunday L. Hudyma Z. Hudyma |
| 11:00 am Sunday | 11:00 am Sunday |
| E. Faseruk | G. Kukura |
| K. Chrapchynski | L. Trach |
| <u>Vigil Lamps</u> | Vigil Lamps |
| Feb 1 - Feb 14 | Feb 15 - Feb 28 |
| C. Berezowski | J. Pawlychka |
| H. Stockburn | G. Fallis |

| Sunday Collections February 7, 2016 | | | | |
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| 146 envelopes | \$3,701.00 | | | |
| Initial Offering Open Collection Vigil Lamps Outreach Christmas Offering | \$70.00 \$125.00 \$143.10 \$100.00 \$200.00 | | | |
| Building & Capital Fund +Ernie Kolsun | \$220.00 | | | |
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Adult Faith Study

Starting Sunday February 21 9:45 am—10:45 am Monastery Basement

Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother

As Catholics, we have a profound reverence for the Blessed Mother. We turn to her in prayer, in the Liturgy, in the Rosary, and in Marian devotions. We honour her with special feast days, celebrating the significant events in her life. We place icons of her in our churches and homes.

The better we know Mary, the better we will know her Son

Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother is an extraordinary pilgrimage that reveals Mary's unique role in God's Kingdom and in our lives.

Filmed on location in the Holy Land, this eight part DVD series will place you in the midst of the powerful drama of Mary's earthly life, taking you through her joys....and her sorrows. You will deepen your devotion to Mary as you discover our Blessed Mother in a uniquely personal way.

Through Mary you will be drawn closer to Christ as she leads you to a more profound and personal relationship with her Son.



St. Joseph's Parish Perogy Bee

A Big Thank You is extended to everyone who helped at the last Perogy Bee.

The NEXT Perogy Bee is Tuesday, March 8 & Wed. March 9.

Help is always needed! It is also a good opportunity to spend time with one another.

Coffee breaks & delicious lunches are provided!

All funds raised go to the church. Please come & help support this worthy endeavour.

To place your order ~ \$5 a dozen ~ Call Mary 339-1296

SISTERS' REFLECTIONS' EXHIBIT

A Tribute to the Catholic Women Religious
Congregations in Manitoba,
featuring personal stories contained in
letters written by the Sisters,
including two Sisters Servants of
Mary Immaculate:
Sr Darleane Pelechaty, SSMI
Sr Veronica Bartkiw, SSMI

St. Mary's Academy: Feb 22 to Mar 7
Visit www.sisterslegacy.ca to read more
Sisters' letters.