



St. Joseph's

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky, CSsR Shrine
Bishop - Martyr

Served by the Ukrainian Catholic Redemptorists

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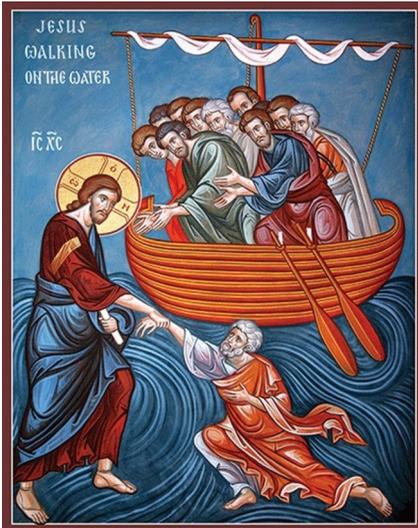
Sat. Divine Liturgy—5:00 p.m. Sun. Divine Liturgy 10:00 am
Live Streaming

YouTube—St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church Winnipeg

Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky CSsR Devotions Wednesdays 7:00 pm

YouTube—Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

Matthew 14:22-34



In today's Gospel, we are presented with the account of Jesus walking on the water of the lake (Mt 14:22-23). After the multiplication of loaves and fish, He asks the disciples to get into the boat and go before him to the other side of the lake while He dismisses the crowds. He then goes up into the hills by himself to pray until late at night. Meanwhile a strong storm blows up on the lake and right in the middle of the storm Jesus reaches the disciples' boat, walking upon the water of the lake. When they see him, the disciples are terrified, but He calms them: "Take heart, it is I; have no fear!" (v. 27). Peter, with his usual passion, practically puts him to the test: "Lord, if it is you, bid me come to you on the water"; and Jesus answers "Come!" (vv. 28-29). Peter gets out of the boat and walks on the water; but a strong wind hits him and he begins to sink. And so he yells: "Lord, save me!" (30), and Jesus reaches out his hand and catches him.

This story is a beautiful icon of the faith of the Apostle Peter. In the voice of Jesus who tells him: "Come!", he recognizes the echo of the first encounter on the shore of that very lake, and right away, once again, he leaves the boat and goes toward the Teacher. And he walks on the waters! The faithful and ready response to the Lord's call always enables one to achieve extraordinary things. But Jesus himself told us that we are capable of performing miracles with our faith, faith in Him, faith in his word, faith in his voice. Peter however begins to sink the moment he looks away from Jesus and he allows himself to be overwhelmed by the hardships around him. But the Lord is always there, and when Peter calls him, Jesus saves him from danger. Peter's character, with his passion and his weaknesses, can describe our faith: ever fragile and impoverished, anxious yet victorious, Christian faith walks to meet the Risen Lord, amid the world's storms and dangers.

And the final scene is also very important. "And when they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshipped him, saying, 'Truly you are the Son of God!'" (vv. 32-33). All the disciples are on the boat, united in the experience of weakness, of doubt, of fear and of "little faith". But when Jesus climbs into that boat again, the weather suddenly changes: they all feel united in their faith in Him. All the little and frightened ones become great at the moment in which they fall on their knees and recognize the Son of God in their Teacher. How many times the same thing happens to us! Without Jesus, far from Jesus, we feel frightened and inadequate to the point of thinking we cannot succeed. Faith is lacking! But Jesus is always with us, hidden perhaps, but present and ready to support us.

This is an effective image of the Church: a boat which must brave the storms and sometimes seems on the point of capsizing. What saves her is not the skill and courage of her crew members, but faith which allows her to walk, even in the dark, amid hardships. Faith gives us the certainty of Jesus' presence always beside us, of his hand which grasps us to pull us back from danger. We are all on this boat, and we feel secure here despite our limitations and our weaknesses. We are safe especially when we are ready to kneel and worship Jesus, the only Lord of our life.

Pope Francis
Sunday, 10 August 2014

Glory be to Jesus Christ!

Glory be forever!

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



Live Streaming

YouTube—St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church Winnipeg

Sunday Divine Liturgy

10:00 am

Blessed Vasyli Devotions Wednesday 7:00 pm

YouTube—Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine



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Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

will take place on Saturdays & Sundays before Divine Liturgy.

Confessions will be heard in the Family Room, which is located to the left of the sanctuary (altar area).

Confessions may also be by appointment during the week. Please call the parish office, 204-339-4512 to make arrangements.



New Live Streaming System

For over a year, St. Joseph's has been live streaming our liturgical services. It has truly been a blessing for our parish.

The current live streaming system could be described as a temporary setup. There is a need for the temporary setup to become permanent.

Currently proposals are being accepted for a permanent live streaming system. Certainly this will be a significant financial undertaking.

Donations for a new permanent live streaming system are now being accepted. Simply mark on an envelope "Live Streaming". Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Donations to date: \$5,910

9th Sunday after Pentecost - Sunday July 25, 2021

Tropar, tone 8: You came down from on high, O Merciful One,* and accepted three days of burial* to free us from our sufferings.* O Lord, our life and our resurrection,* glory be to You.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and ever. Amen!

Kondak, tone 8: When You rose from the tomb,* You also raised the dead and resurrected Adam.* Eve exults in Your resurrection,* and the ends of the world celebrate Your rising from the dead,* O most merciful One.

Prokimen, tone 7: Pray and give praise to the Lord our God.

Verse: *In Judea God is known; His name is great in Israel.*

Epistle: A reading from the First Letter of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Corinthians. (1 Cor. 3:9-17)

Brothers and Sisters! We are God's co-workers; while you are his cultivation, his building. Thanks to the favor God showed me I laid a foundation as a wise master builder might do, and now someone else is building upon it. Everyone, however, must be careful how he builds. No one can lay a foundation other than the one that has been laid, namely Jesus Christ. If different ones build on this foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay or straw, the work of each will be made clear. The Day will disclose it. That day will make its appearance with fire, and fire will test the quality of each man's work. If the building a man has raised on this foundation still stands, he will receive his recompense; if a man's building burns, he will suffer loss. He himself will be saved, but only as one fleeing through fire. Are you not aware that you are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you? If anyone destroys God's temple, God will destroy him. For the temple of God is holy, and you are that temple.

Alleluia Verses: *Come, let us rejoice in the Lord; let us acclaim god our Savior.*

Let us come before His countenance with praise and acclaim Him with psalms.

Gospel: Matthew 14: 22-34

At that time while dismissing the crowds, Jesus insisted that his disciples get into the boat and precede him to the other side. When he had sent them away, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray, remaining there alone as evening drew on. Meanwhile the boat, already several hundred yards out from shore, was being tossed about in the waves, raised by strong head winds. At about three in the morning, he came walking toward them on the lake. When the disciples saw him walking on the water, they were terrified. "It is a ghost!" they said, and in their fear they began to cry out. Jesus hastened to reassure them: "Get hold of yourselves! It is I. Do not be afraid!" Peter spoke up and said, "Lord, if it is really you, tell me to come to you across the water." "Come!" he said. So Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water, moving toward Jesus. But when he perceived how strong the wind was, becoming frightened, he began to sink and cried out, "Lord, save me!" Jesus at once stretched out his hand and caught him. "How little faith you have," he exclaimed. "Why did you falter?" Once they had climbed into the boat, the wind died down. Those who were in the boat showed him reverence, declaring, "Beyond doubt you are the Son of God." After making the crossing they reached the shore at Gennesaret.

Communion Hymn: Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!



Bursaries for the 2021-2022 Academic Year

The Canon Luhovy Assembly Ukrainian Educational Foundation is pleased to announce that eight bursaries of \$300 each are available to Ukrainian Catholic students, seminarians and religious sisters, of the Archeparchy of Winnipeg, who attend post-secondary institutions, seminaries and private Catholic secondary schools. The 2021 "Bursary Application Form" is available in the parish office. Please return completed Bursary Application forms to Canon Luhovy Assembly Ukrainian Educational Foundation, 115 Regatta Rd., Winnipeg, MB R2G 2Y7, no later than September 30, 2021. Should you have any questions or require more information, please call Leonard Mariash at 204-668-4358 or email at lmariash@mts.net

Unity 2021 Stillness in Chaos

Unity, a national gathering of Ukrainian Catholic young adults (18 to 35 years of age) to further understand, embrace and celebrate the Ukrainian Catholic faith through prayer, education, and fellowship, will be hosting Unity 2021 Stillness in Chaos August 6 and 7, 2021. The goal is to arm young adults with the tools needed to deepen their faith amidst the turbulence of modern life. As society becomes more reliant on technology and instant gratification, we believe in the importance of centering one's life around Jesus and His teachings. Unity 2021 provides the opportunity to show young adults the importance of building a faith community around themselves and being a part of a vibrant church where they are free to be children of God.

There is no cost associated with Unity 2021, but you need to register by August 2, 2021 at the following link: <http://bit.ly/3cns4KT> Once registered you will receive an email with further information and confirmation of registration.

Ignite Redemptorist Young Adult Ministry is hosting an in-person viewing option for Saturday, August 7. Please share this information to our young adult community and should you have any questions please contact Liz Artymko, Young Adult Coordinator for Ignite Redemptorist Ministry, at rymcscr@gmail.com or 431-999-8969.

Canon Luhovy Assembly, Knights of Columbus and The Welcome Home have produced a Community Charity Cookbook, that will generate funds for both The Welcome Home programs and Canon Luhovy Assembly #0374 Community Charities. The cookbook offers 286 recipes with contributions from community leaders including His Grace Most Reverend Lawrence Huculak, OSBM. Cookbooks are \$15 each and are available at Galamyk Insurance, Neumann's Market, Petal's or The Welcome Home. For further information contact Robert Erstelle at (204) 339-3837 or via email coltsp2015@gmail.com.



August 1 is the Feast of Saint Alphonsus Liguori.

Saint Alphonsus Liguori was a great moral theologian as well as the founder of the Redemptorists.

Father Ivel Mendanha CSsR offers a beautiful reflection the life of St. Alphonsus. It may be viewed on YouTube:

Saint Alphonsus Liguori

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G_g4e-Y9OEw

Divine Liturgy Intentions & Scripture Readings

July 25-August 1

9th Sunday after Pentecost

1 Cor. 3:9-17 Matt. 14:22-34

Saturday 5:00 pm July 24 +Stella Suchynsky Dr Taras & Mrs Babick

Sunday 10:00 am July 25 For Our Parishioners

Martyr Hermolaus

1 Cor. 15:12-19 Matt. 21:18-22

Monday July 26 Birthday Blessings Heather Ryczak & O'Neil Families

Great Martyr Panteleimon

2 Tim. 2:1-10 John 15:17-16:2

Tuesday July 27 +George Zawortny (20 yrs) Kay & Family

Apostle Prochorus

1 Cor. 16:4-12 Matt. 21:28-32

Wednesday July 28 Intention Jim & Family Maureen Lawrence

Martyr Callinic

2 Cor. 1:1-7 Matt. 21:43-46

Thursday July 29 God Blessings & Health Fr Frank John & Mary Hykawy

Apostle Silas

2 Cor. 1:12-20 Matt. 22:23-33

Friday July 30 +Mary Winchar Jean Michasiw

Venerable Eudocimus

Rom. 15:30-33 Matt. 17:24-18:4

Saturday July 31 No Liturgy

10th Sunday after Pentecost

1 Cor. 4:9-16 Matt. 17:14-23

Saturday 5:00 pm July 31 Thanksgiving Frank & Kathy Hrechka Friends

Sunday 10:00 am August 1 For Our Parishioners



Prayer to Saint Joseph

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you
God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary
placed her trust; with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a
father and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage, and
defend us from every evil.

Amen.

Sunday Collection July 18

Sunday Collection \$405
Miscellaneous Donation \$1,240

Thank you for your support

Bishop Velychkovsky Martyr's Shrine

Shrine Hours are:
Tuesday-Friday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm,
Saturday 10 am -1:00 pm

Those wishing to visit the Shrine must be in good health, only individuals, no groups and please note all COVID-19 guidelines/directives will be followed. All visitors are asked to wear masks when entering the Shrine.