

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH OFFICE & MONASTERY

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HOURS ~ MONDAY TO FRIDAY 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Closed - 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. for lunch 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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## St. Joseph's

#### UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

Served by the Ukrainian Catholic Redemptorists

## Parish Bulletin NOVEMBER 19, 2023



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#### Sunday Divine Liturgy Schedule

Saturday Great Vespers 4:00 P.M. Saturday 5:00 P.M. (ENG) Sunday 9:00 A.M (UKR/ENG) 11:00 A.M. (ENG)

Blessed Vasyl Devotions: Wednesday 7:00P.M.

Dear Parishioners:



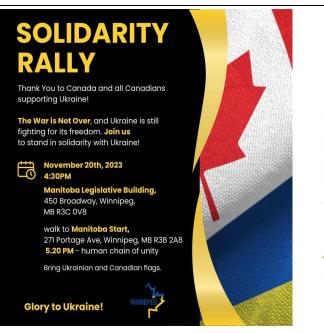
AXIOS!!! A Greek word that means "He is Worthy". This is sung by the church at the ordination of a priest (as well as a deacon and bishop), acknowledging that the candidate is worthy of this ministry in the church. This I experienced and sang for our newly-ordained priest, Fr. Ivan Dzhur, C.Ss.R. while at his ordination in Peremeshl, Poland on November 8, 2023. It was a glorious celebration. Many Redemptorists were present, confreres from Ukraine, Slovakia, Poland, the United

States and Canada. A priest is a great gift of our Lord for the Church and for us at St. Jospeh's. It is God's way of saying I will not leave you "orphaned" but I will be with you through the actions and words of this new priest. It will be through Fr. Ivan that the Lord will offer His Eucharist to all of you and all the other Mysteries - Baptism, Confession, Marriage, Anointing of the Sick, etc. Let us thank our Lord for this Gift of his mysterious presence through our new priest.

I took the opportunity to visit Ukraine, our workers who labour promoting the knowledge and devotion of Blessed Vasyl throughout Ukraine and Sister Natalia and all of her ministries with the orphans, the abused and vulnerable young girls, and with pregnant mothers from Eastern Ukraine. It was wonderful to be able to bring your support to all of them. In particular we were able to spend some time with the commander of the Lvivski brigand from the Ukrainian Army (a friend of Sister Natalia). He gave us some of the details about the sacrifices our young men and women are making for freedom and peace. Especially moving was our visit to the Lviv cemetery where hundreds of young soldiers are buried. We had to opportunity to pray the Panahyda for them. A very emotional and moving experience!

It's good to be back. Next week has many events including our fundraiser for the military in Ukraine. The Holodomor will also be commemorated next weekend. Check the bulletin for all the upcoming events.

Fr. John



THE UKR. CATHOLIC MISSION-REDEMPTORISTS PRESENT

**A.R CASH** 



FUNDRAISER FOR SOLDIERS IN UKRAINE
WINTER GEAR AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES
FRI NOV 24 & SAT NOV 25 2023
ST. JOSEPH'S UKR. CATH. PARISH HALL
DOORS OPEN AT 7 - SHOW AT 7:30pm
TICKETS \$30 ARCASHSHOW.COM

## **Glory to Jesus Christ**

## Слава Ісусу Христу!

#### 25th Sunday After Pentecost

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

Upcoming Events at St. Joseph's					
Sunday	November 19	9:00 am 11:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) Divine Liturgy (English)		
Monday	November 20	7:00 pm	K of C Business Meeting		
Tuesday	November 21	7:00 pm	English classes for newcomers		
Wednesday	November 22	1:30 pm	Rosary for Ukraine		
		7:00 pm	Blessed Vasyl Devotions		
Thursday	November 23	7:00 pm	K of C Fraternal Nights		
Friday	November 24	7:00 pm	A. R. Cash Fundraiser		
Saturday	November 25	4:00 pm	Vespers		
		5:00 pm	Divine Liturgy (English)		
		7:00 pm	A. R. Cash Fundraiser		
Sunday	November 26	9:00 am 11:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) Divine Liturgy (English)		

#### Good Samaritan Pantry Sts. Vladimir & Olga Cathedral 115 McGregor Ave.

We are accepting donations for people in need (bedding, towels, kitchen items, clothes, shoes in a good condition, hygiene items etc.) Warehouse is open on Sundays at 11:00 am to those in need. Office Telephone: (204) 589-5025



Saturday4:00 pm Great VespersSunday9:00 am & 11:00 am Divine LiturgyYouTube - St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church Winnipeg						
Wednesdays	1:30 pm 7:00 pm	Rosary for Ukraine Blessed Vasyl Devotions				
YouTube - Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine						

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

will take place on Saturdays & Sundays before Divine Liturgy. Confessions will now be heard in our **renovated confessional**, located at the back of the church.



## St. Joseph's Outreach

In the spirit of charitable giving, throughout Pylypivka/Advent, please consider taking part in this "Reverse Advent Calendar" for the Outreach Ministry. In addition to the items listed you may wish to consider:

Gift cards to grocery stores (\$10-\$20) so that the people receiving the hampers can buy themselves fresh dairy/eggs, bread or produce

Salt, Pepper, Spices & Condiments

Christmas candy

Additional protein items

Hygiene products

"Pylypivka is a time of preparing our hearts and lives for the coming Christmas season. It's characterized by fasting or the abstinence of certain foods, prayer, attending pre-Christmas services, and acts of charity to others."



## Epistle Readers

November 18 & 19 Sat. 5:00 pm Norm Dobson

Sunday 9:00 am Mary Marcinkow

11:00 am Joanne Malenko

November 25 & 26

Sat. 5:00 pm Donna Sumka

Sunday 9:00 am Iyvan Michalchyshyn

> 11:00 am Thomas Steur

## **Epistle Readers**

December 2 & 3 Sat. 5:00 pm Stephen Sumka

Sunday 9:00 am Orysia Hull

11:00 am Beverly Rolston

#### December 9 & 10

Sat. 5:00 pm Joanne Peters

Sunday 9:00 am Mary Marckinkow

11:00 am Joan Washchyshyn

## Ushers

#### November 18 & 19

Sat. 5:00 pm Linda Zelinsky & Gloria Bonin Sunday 9:00 am Mary Marcinkow 11:00 am Jillian Galay & Ernie Matwychuk

#### November 25 & 26

Sat. 5:00 pm Elaine Kisiow & Kathy Hrechka Sunday 9:00 am Mary Marcinkow 11:00 am Norm & Sandy Dobson





PEROGY BEE Thank vou to all of the wonderful volunteers that helped with our perogy bee!!

ST. JOE'S

Our next perogy bee will be November 28th and 29th! See you then! For our church to continue with this amazing event, volunteers are always required to fill the following positions: Potato peelers, Dough makers, Dough pressers, Ballers, Pinchers, Pincher runners, Perogy boilers, Perogy runners, Perogy packers, Order fillers, Perogy wrappers, Coffee/ tea and lunch prep, Clean up. This is a wonderful way to gather as community. So come on out to enjoy a day of fellowship, hard work and fun. We KNEAD your help in making this program a success.

#### To volunteer please contact: Donna Sumka (204) 339-6025

To order please contact Mary at 204-339-1296. \$8.00/doz. There will be a limit of 10 dozen per order at this time to ensure enough volunteers are available to fill each order. Orders will be taken to a maximum of 350 dozen as to not overwhelm our precious and valued volunteers!

## Candle of Promise Holodomor 1932-33

Шанувати пам'ять невинних жертв Голодомору. Визнавати правду скоєного геноциду. Передавати знання нащадкам Діаспори, Запалити свічку в наших серцях. Вічна Їм Пам'ять ©.

~ Орися Петришин ~ Люба Федорків



To remember and honour the innocent souls of Holodomor. Acknowledge the truth of this deliberate genocide. Educate future generations in Diaspora. Burn the flame eternal in our hearts. Vichna Yim Pamyat ©.

Se souvenir des âmes innocentes d'Holodomor. Reconnaître la vérité de ce génocide délibéré. Éduquer les générations futures de la Diaspora. Illuminer la flamme éternelle dans nos cœurs. Vichna Yim Pamyat ©.

~ Luba Fedorkiw ~ Orysya Petryshyn



#### Sunday Collection November 12

Sunday Collection	\$1685
Open Collection	\$80
Vigil Lamps	\$91
Holy Spirit Seminary	\$100

Thank you for your support

### Prayers for the Sick ~ Молитви за хворих

If you would like to have your name added to the list of Prayers for the Sick, please contact Natalia in the office (204) 339-4512. Only those who are ailing, or their immediate family may contact the church to have their name added, due to confidentiality.

Якщо ви бажаєте, щоб ваше ім'я було додано до списку молитов за хворих, будь ласка, зв'яжіться з Наталією в каб. (204) 339-4512. Лише хворі або їхні найближчі родичі можуть зв'язатися з церквою, щоб додати своє ім'я з огляду на конфіденційність.

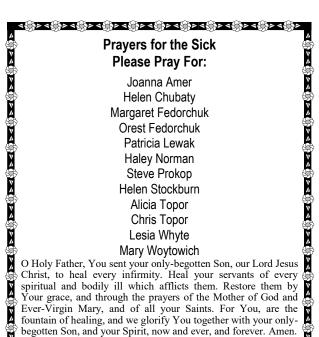


## ATTENTION ALL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OF FR. SHYSHKOWICH COUNCIL

On Thursday evening, November 23, our Council will be having our first annual cribbage tournament and games night.

Please read your Knights bulletin and mailings for details. If you plan to attend, please contact DGK Jim Tchir or GK Michael Ryczak as soon as possible to assure we have enough supplies for everyone to enjoy the evening!







## Calling All Volunteers!!!

Fr. John would like to start a coffee klatch after the Sunday Liturgies but is need of volunteers.

If you are able to help in this amazing community and social building ministry, please contact the office at (204) 339-4512 and we will add your name to the list.

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Are you a natural organizer? The ministry will be in need of a coordinator. Please consider sharing your talents!

Electronic Funds Transfers (EFT) and E-Transfers are available for your contributions to St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church.

> Contact Natalia at the office (204) 339-4512 or by email: office@stjosephukrwinnipeg.ca if you would like an EFT form. E-Transfers can be sent to: office@stjosephukrwinnipeg.ca

## **Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine**

Devotions

Rosary for Ukraine Wednesday 1:30 pm Wednesday 7:00 pm

#### Shrine Hours

Tuesday-Friday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, Saturday 10 am -1:00 pm The Shrine is open for prayers following the Saturday 5:00 pm and Sunday Liturgies.

During this season of Advent/Pylypivka as we journey towards and prepare for Christmas, please consider the gift of spending more time in prayer. The Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine hosts times of prayer on Wednesdays during the Rosary at 1:30 pm and during the Devotions at 7:00 pm.

## A Note from the Parish Office

As the year is guickly drawing to a close, please ensure that the parish office is advised of any and all address and telephone contact changes that may have occurred over the course of the year. This is important for your Income Tax Receipts that will be issued in January 2024

If you are new to the parish and would like donation envelopes issued for 2024, please contact Natalia at (204) 339-4512

Anyone wishing to make their contribution via a Stock Donation ~ Gift of Securities in Kind, all contributions must be received and processed no later than December 10, 2023 (in order that the brokerage/ clearing centres have time to complete transactions by no later than December 22, 2023, due to Christmas Holiday closures). Please contact Natalia via email:



office@stjosephukrwinnipeq.ca to request a form. Image courtesy of PxHere.com



St. Anne Parish

# Perogy Supper



9 perogy dinner \$12.00 5 perogy dinner \$9.00

Each dinner includes dessert & beverage.

Bowl of Borscht \$5.00 Garlic Sausage \$4.00

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#### Lubov SSMI Foundation on behalf of Immaculate Heart of Mary School

Now in its 118th year. Immaculate Heart of Mary School continues to be the choice for families to educate their children in an environment of deeply instilled values that nurture the opportunity for each child to grow academically, spiritually, physically, emotionally and socially.

Your gift to the 2023 Back to School Campaign will make learning more comfortable for our students. The school needs new classroom furniture for the K-Grade 6 rooms. We hope to raise enough to re-furnish three classrooms this

year. There is no provincial funding for any capital improvements or equipment, so we rely on your tremendous generosity.

Upgrading a classroom:

Chairs with bookracks 30 x \$157 Student desks with slide-in tote 30 x \$140 Cabinet to lock totes \$4,056 Teacher desk on casters \$1,339 TOTAL per classroom: \$14,305 x 7 classrooms = \$100,135 (plus taxes and shipping)

To learn more or make your gift today, visit www.lubovfoundation.ca, call 204-942-0443, or mail to 1085 Main Street, Winnipeg MB R2W 3S1. Thank you for supporting IHMS!

#### **Divine Liturgy Intentions & Scripture Readings**

November 12 ~ 19

25th Sunda	y after Pente	ecost	Eph. 4:1-6 ~ Luke 10:25-37	
Saturday	5:00 pm	November 18	God's Blessing for Fr. Ivan	NN
Sunday	9:00 am	November 19	For Our Parishioners	
	11:00 am		+Dave Anderson	Vivian & Isadore Burdeniuk
Venerable Gregory			1 Tim. 1:1-7 ~ Luke 14:12-15	
Monday	8:00 am	November 20	Health of Victor, Svyatoslav, Maksym & Nadia	Maksym Samotiy
•			Heb. 9:1-7 ~ Luke 10:38-42; 11:27-28	
Tuesday	9:00 am	November 21	For Our Parishioners	
	7:00 pm		Thanksgiving for the Family	Peter & Joan
				Washchyshyn
Apostle Philemon				1 Tim. 1:13-20; 2:8-15 ~ Luke 15:1-10
Wednesday	/ 8:00 am	November 22	Health & Protection	Dutchak Family
Amphilochius				1 Tim. 3:1-16 ~ Luke 16:1-9
Thursday	8:00 am	November 23	+Lillian Sianchuk	The Pasieczka's
Great Martyr Catherine 1 Tim. 4:4-8 ~ Luke 16:15-18; 1				
Friday	8:00 am	November 24	+Taisa Bohdanska (1 year)	Maria
Pope Clement Gal. 3:8-12 ~ Luke 9:57				
Saturday	8:30 am	November 25	+Klemens Kurycki	Louise K. Rodzen
26th Sunda y after Pentecost Eph. 5:8-19 ~ Luke 12:16				
Saturday	5:00 pm	November 25	God's Blessing for Padre Jean-Pierr	e Denise
Sunday	9:00 am	November 26	For Our Parishioners	
	11:00 am		+Tom Ciuba	George Welleck



#### Presentation of the Mother of God in the Temple November 21

The Entrance of the Mother of God into the Temple, also called The Presentation, is one of the 12 Great Feasts of the Church, celebrated on November 21. Although this feast has no basis in history, it stresses an important truth about Mary: From the beginning of her life, she was dedicated to God. She herself became a greater temple than any made by hands. God came to dwell in her in a marvelous manner and sanctified her for her unique role in God's saving work. Mary was the only child of her parents Saint Anne and Saint Joachim. Though it was not obligatory to present a first-born daughter to the Lord, as it

was with a first-born son, many Jewish parents did follow this custom. When Mary was presented, she was received by St. Zacharias, the father of St. John the Forerunner, as he was the High Priest at that time. Her presentation at the Temple meant that Mary later probably learned to read sacred Scripture & also to write. This feast reminds us of our fundamental vocation, which is the call to holiness. We are all called to be holy. Like Mary, our first and foremost mission in this life is to live our lives to the fullest. To live a holy life is a tall order but it is not impossible. It is through God's grace that we can fulfill this vocation and mission. The Letter of Paul reminds us of this sublime reality: The grace of the Lord is enough for those who strive to live good and holy lives (cf. 2 Cor, 12:9).