

St. Joseph's

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

Served by the Ukrainian Catholic Redemptorists

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH OFFICE & MONASTERY

250 Jefferson Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba R2V 0M6

HOURS ~ MONDAY TO FRIDAY

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. to Closed - 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. for lunch 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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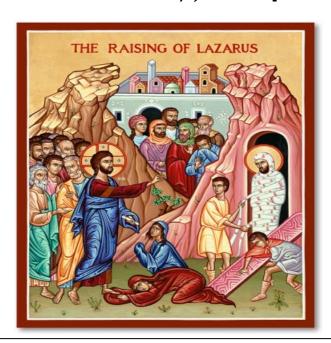
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Sunday Divine Liturgy Schedule

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 2:30 P.M.

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners:

We have one week before we begin Holy Week - the celebration of the core of our faith. In some sense Holy Week is the most important week of the year in which we travel in prayer through the saving events of our Lord. We begin on Saturday with Lazarus Saturday, a foretaste of the power of our Lord over death as He raises Lazarus from the dead. The next day, Palm Sunday, we welcome our Lord into Jerusalem ,into our hearts, where he will complete his saving passion and Resurrection. On Holy Wednesday we will

experience and receive the healing and forgiveness of our Lord through the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. On Thursday we will see the washing of the feet and Jesus preparing for his passion. Then on Good Friday, we will have three services: being present at the passion and crucifixion of our Lord through the reading of the Gospels (Strasty); The Service of the Burial of Jesus (Plashchanytsia); and Jerusalem Matins a mediation on the mystery of Jesus's death burial and resurrection. Holy Saturday we begin with the Liturgy of transformation from dark to Light (Liturgy of St Basil). Then in the evening we explode with song, brightness and life with the celebration of the Resurrection. Please partake of the services as much as you are able. It is worthy coming to all of them.

Today after the 11a.m. Divine Liturgy we will hold our Annual Parish meeting. This is OUR parish. Please be involved and be present and participate in this for the good of our parish. We have several concrete needs. We are searching for a new "operational committee". Especially if you have some experience with mechanical and maintenance of a large building as ours, we could use your help. Also, we are searching for some catechism teachers for this coming fall. This is a beautiful ministry, to pass on our faith to our little ones.

Upcoming events! On April 14th, we will be having an Easter Parish Meal after the 11a.m. Divine Liturgy. Some parishioners have organized themselves to provide this event for us. This is a good opportunity for us to come together as a parish family and share a meal together. Again, I in particular invite all of our new-comers (the new Ukrainians) to share this meal with us.

As you are aware this past year we replaced our air conditioner. This summer we need a new Boiler for the church. Therefore we need to raise some funds. We have invited back AR CASH for a fundraising concert April 26th & 27th Please support our parish and become part of this fundraiser. Thank you.

Church cleaning is Monday morning. Tuesday & Wednesday is the Perogy Bee. And all three days, Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday is the Tri-Parish Mission. It starts at 6:30 p.m. at St. Michael's (Monday), St. Anne's (Tuesday), and St. Joseph's (Wednesday). Please attend all three evenings if it is possible.

Fr. John

Deepest Sympathy

Condolences are extended to the family and friends of the late +Marlene Solman and the late +Mursel Kluke

Grant Eternal Rest, O Lord, to the soul of your servant. Вічная Пам'ять God Grant Them Eternal Memory Вічная Пам'ять

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

Слава Ісусу Христу!

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Fifth Sunday of Lent

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



Saturday 4:00 pm Great Vespers

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am Divine Liturgy

7:00 pm Way of the Cross - Хресна Дорога

(Ukrainian)

Wednesday 6:30 pm Presanctified Liturgy – Mission

Friday 7:00 pm Way of the Cross (English)

YouTube - St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church Winnipeg

Wednesdays 1:30 pm Rosary for Ukraine

2:30 pm Blessed Vasyl Devotions

YouTube - Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

Upcoming Events at St. Joseph's

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March 17	9:00 am 11:00 am 12:30pm 7:00 pm	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) Divine Liturgy (English) AGM ~ Annual General Meeting Way of the Cross - Хресна Дорога (Ukrainian)			
March 18	9:00 am 6:00 pm 6:30 PM	Church Cleaning Parish Executive Meeting Parish Mission ~ St. Michael Parish			
March 19	9:00 am 6:30 pm 6:30 pm	Perogy Bee Prep English Classes Parish Mission ~ St. Anne Parish			
March 20	9:00 am 1:30 pm 6:30 pm	Perogy Bee Rosary followed by Blessed Vasyl Devotions Parish Mission ~ St. Joseph's Parish			
March 22	4:30 pm 7:00 pm	K of C Fish Fry Way of the Cross (English)			
March 23	9:00 am 4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Lazarus Saturday Great Vespers Divine Liturgy (English) & Blessing of Pussy Willows			
March 24	9:00 am 11:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) & Blessing of Pussy Willows Divine Liturgy (English) & Blessing of Pussy Willows			
	March 18 March 19 March 20 March 22 March 23	March 17 9:00 am 11:00 am 12:30pm 7:00 pm March 18 9:00 am 6:00 pm 6:30 PM March 19 9:00 am 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm 6:30 pm March 20 9:00 am 1:30 pm March 22 4:30 pm 7:00 pm March 23 9:00 am 4:00 pm 5:00 pm March 24 9:00 am			

Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

Rosary for Ukraine Wednesday 1:30 pm Devotions Wednesday 2:30 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.



AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM YOUR KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus of St. Joseph's parish, Fr. Shyshkowich Council 8925, invite you to support your council and parish by purchasing Inter-Council Charity Drive (ICCD) raffle tickets. The grand prizes include your choice of brand-new vehicles and cash. Most proceeds of ticket sales go toward supporting a variety of K of C charities in Manitoba. As well, a lesser amount is rebated to our K of C council to support local charities and parish projects.

Please plan to attend the K of C FISH FRIES as advertised in our parish bulletin.

You will be able to purchase your raffle tickets at that time as well. Both initiatives

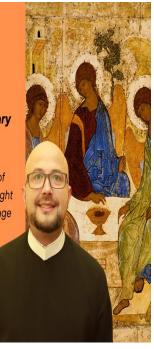
help us to fund many of our parish programs and projects and to serve the needs

of our greater community.

YOU CAN HELP! For tickets, please visit Don Gulchak in the vestibule of our church before and after most Divine Liturgies or call him at 204 338 1030. ORDER TODAY!

With our thanks and prayers,

Fr. Shyshkowich Council



A Time of
Fellowship
will Follow
Each
Evening
following
the Mission

THREE DAY TRI-PARISH MISSION

ENCOUNTER THE TRINITY



With our Missionary
Fr. Ivan Dzhur
C.Ss.R.

the three evenings of reflection, will be thought provoking and challenge us for change.

Followed by fellowship each evening.

A family friendly mission, with youth engagement & activity included.

ATTENTION PARENTS! DID YOU KNOW....

...THAT OUR UPCOMING TRI-PARISH MISSION WILL OFFER A SEPARATE CHILDREN'S MISSION?

Our Children will 'ENCOUNTER THE TRINITY' right alongside us!

Adults will enjoy the thought provoking teachings with our Missionary Fr. Ivan Dzur, C.Ss.R, while the children retreat for a lesson during each of the separate evenings.

PARENTS of Youth~Children at the Parishes!

Please don't forget to sign up your children for the 3 Mission Days using this form <u>OR</u> email office@stannewinnipeg.ca

We are so pleased to offer a children's mission alongside the adult Mission!

https://forms.gle/jqCRpkXsdgQSLUvMA

OUR CHILDREN'S MISSIONARY'S WILL BE SR. EMILY SCHIETZSCH AND SR. GEORGIA!

I'm Sr. Georgia, originally from Ukraine and now I'm calling Canada home. My journey led me here after years of teaching young children in Serbia. Fluent in a few languages and charmed by photography, I cherish the essence of life's beautiful moments. Although



I serve the elderly, my heart loves to spend time with children, teaching them how to love God simply, and learning from them and having fun. Join us in embracing and sharing God's love in daily life. I am looking forward to meeting you!

My name is Sr. Emily Schietzsch, and I am from Edmonton, Alberta. I worked with kids and people with disabilities in both school and community settings. I love reading and being creative and stretching my mind and my heart closer to God. I look forward to encouraging you



to stretch your mind and heart to God as well.

'ENCOUNTER THE TRINITY' Tri-Parish Mission March 18 to 20, 2024

With our Missionary Fr. Ivan Dzhur C.Ss.R,

the three evenings of reflection, will be thought provoking and will challenge us for change.

- St. Michael Parish, 100 Yale Ave. E. Winnipeg Mon. March 18th 6:30 p.m.
- St. Anne Parish, 35 Marcie St. Winnipeg Tues. March 19th 6:30 p.m.
 - St. Joseph Parish, 250 Jefferson Ave. Winnipeg Wed. March 20th 6:30 p.m.

Fellowship will follow each evening.

«Місійні зустрічі ведені св. Трійцею»

Трипарафіяльна місія 18-20 березня 2024 року

Три вечори роздумів з нашим місіонером о. Іваном Джуром, ЧНІ, будуть спонукати до роздумів та спонукатимуть нас до змін.

Парафія св. Михаїла - пн. 18 березня 18:30—100 Yale Ave. E. Winnipeg

Парафія св. Анни - вівт. 19 березня 18:30—35 Marcie St. Winnipeg

Парафія св. Йосифа - ср. 20 березня 18:30—250 Jefferson Ave. Winnipeg

Щовечора - спільне спілкування



Knights of Columbus



Fr. Shyshkowich Council 8925 2024 March 8, 15, 22 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm

St Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church

Menu

A. Fish & Perogy Dinner \$ 11

One piece (4 oz*) deep-fried battered cod, three perogies (boiled or deep-fried), coleslaw, fried onions, sour cream, tartar sauce (on request).

B. Fish & Fries Dinner \$10

One piece (4 oz*) deep-fried battered cod, French fries, coleslaw, tartar sauce (on request).

C. Extra Fish \$ 7 One piece (4 oz*) deep-fried battered cod, tartar sauce (on request).

D. Perogy Plate

\$8

Six perogies (boiled or deep-fried), fried onions, sour cream.

E. Fries Plate

\$4

Only French fries.

F. Take Out Container (per dinner/plate)

🐞 115 McGregor St.

\$ 1

Beverages

Goodwill offering

Coffee, Tea, Cherry drink

Dessert

Goodwill offering

White cake (with icing)



to support parish projects and to help Ukraine

Sunday, March 24, 2024 11:00 a.m - 2:00 p.m

Паски (Easter bread), Вареники (Perogies), Голубці (Cabbage rolls), Бурячок з хріном (Beetroot relish), Смаколики (Homemade cookies and cakes).

Easter crafts (Pysanky, baskets and other Easter decoration).

We accept cash and debit

We also plan another Easter Sale on: Sunday, April 28, 2024 11:00am - 2:00pm At the
Ukrainian
Catholic
Metropolitan
Cathedral of
Sts.
Volodymyr
& Olha

115 McGregor St. Winnipeg. MB





ST. JOE'S PEROGY BEE

Next Perogy Bee is March 19th and 20th!

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!



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Save the Date!!!

On April 14th, we will be having an Easter Parish Meal after the 11a.m. Divine Liturgy. Parish families and newly arrived immigrants are welcome to attend. Cost: Free Will Offering



Epistle Readers

March 16 & 17

Sat. 5:00 pm Helen Stockburn Sunday 9:00 am Orysia Hull 11:00 am **Nestor Dudych**

March 23 & 24

Sat. 5:00 pm **Joanne Peters** Sunday 9:00 am lyvan Michalchyshyn 11:00 am Children's Liturgy

Epistle Readers

Easter March 30 & 31 Sat. 8:30 pm

Kathy Hrechka Sunday 7:30 am Orysia Hull

11:00 am **Beverly Rolston**



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Ushers

March 16 & 17

Sat. 5:00 pm Linda Zelinsky & Gloria Bonin

Sunday 9:00 am

Elaine Kisiow & Marian Moshansky

11:00 am Sandy & Norm Dobson

March 23 & 24

Sat. 5:00 pm Linda Zelinsky & Gloria Bonin Sunday 9:00 am

Janina Barrett & Marian Moshansky

11:00 am

Jillian Galav & Ernie Matwychuk





















Help Raise the Temperature St. Joseph's Parish Boiler Replacement Project

The total cost to replace the Church's Boiler Heating unit was \$150,000.00 We have applied for Capital grants but have not as yet received any grant money.

The Parish must raise the full amount.

Please help us reach our fundraising goal by making a Donation to the Boiler Replacement Fund (envelopes available at the back of the church and are eligible for year end income tax receipts with complete mailing information) and by attending our Fundraiser.

Church Cleaning in preparation for Holy Week and Easter **TOMORROW**

Monday, March 18 at 9:00 a.m.





K.U.C.A. YOUTH WINTER GAMES

CURLING March 17th ~ Today!

ELMWOOD CURLING CLUB 3:00 pm ~ 5:00 pm (1042 Henderson Hwy) (Sign in 2:00 pm)

Equipment is provided.....Costs paid by KUCA and sponsor Tenderloin Meat's & Sausage. For more information please contact:

Dennis Wawrykow 204-339-4261

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)



will take place on Saturdays & Sundays before Divine Liturgy.

Sunday Collection March 10, 2024

Sunday Collection	\$2430
Open Collection	\$25
Vigil Lamps	\$90.10
Easter Flowers	\$90
Share Lent	\$450
Outreach	\$75
Capital Building - Elevator	\$500

Thank you for your support

Prayers for the Sick Please Pray For:

Joanna Amer
Margaret Fedorchuk
Orest Fedorchuk
Corinne Kowpak
Patricia Lewak
Haley Norman
Steve Prokop
Helen Stockburn
Alicia Topor
Chris Topor
Lesia Whyte
Mary Woytowich

O Holy Father, You sent your only-begotten Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, to heal every infirmity. Heal your servants of every spiritual and bodily ill which afflicts them. Restore them by Your grace, and through the prayers of the Mother of God and Ever-Virgin Mary, and of all your Saints. For You, are the fountain of healing, and we glorify You together with your only-begotten Son, and your Spirit, now and ever, and forever. Amen.

PRAYER OF ST. EPHREM

O Lord and Master of my life, keep from me the spirit of indifference and discouragement. Lust of power, and idle chatter. (*Prostration*)

Instead, grant to me, Your servant, The spirit of wholeness of being, Humble-mindedness, patience, and love. (*Prostration*)

O Lord and King,

Grant me the grace to be aware of my sins And not to judge my neighbour.

For You are blessed, now and for ever and ever.

Amen

(Prostration)

O God be merciful to me a sinner.

O God, cleanse me of my sins and have mercy on me. I have sinned without number, forgive me, O Lord. (making twelve bows)

(Once more the entire prayer of St. Ephrem is recited With one prostration at the conclusion.)



Icon courtesy of: https://akinsidepassage.org/2020/02/13/meditating-on-the-prayer-of-st-ephrem-thesyrian-during-lent/

HOLY WEEK & EASTER 2024

March 23 Lazarus Saturday

9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

March 24 Palm Sunday - Blessing of Pussy Willows

5:00 p.m. (Saturday) Divine Liturgy 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 11:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

March 25 Annunciation

9 am Divine Liturgy 7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy

March 26 Holy Tuesday

7:00 p.m. Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

March 27 Holy Wednesday

7:00 p.m. Pre-Sanctified Liturgy

(Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick)

March 28 Holy Thursday

7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy of St Basil the Great

March 29 Good Friday

9:30 am. 12 Gospels Readings - Our Lord's Passion Vespers - Exposition of the Holy Shroud ~ Plashchanytsia

7:00 p.m. Jerusalem Matins ~ Macenko Choir

March 30 Holy Saturday

1 p.m.. Divine Liturgy with Vespers ~ followed by the blessing of

Easter baskets

Pascha Великдень Easter

March 30 Easter (Saturday Eve)

8:30 p.m. Resurrection Matins & Easter Divine Liturgy.

March 31 Easter Sunday

7:30 a.m. Resurrection Matins & Easter Divine Liturgy

(Ukrainian)

11:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

April 1 <u>Bright Monday</u>

9:00 a.m. Resurrection Matins & Divine Liturgy

7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy

April 2 Bright Tuesday

9:00 a.m. Resurrection Matins & Divine Liturgy

7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy

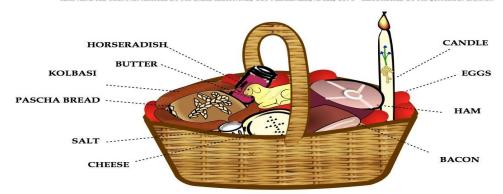


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Blessing of Easter Foods

Holy Saturday March 30 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m. in the auditorium and after the Sunday Divine Liturgies in the church

HOW TO PUT TOGETHER A TRADITIONAL EASTER BASKET





PASCHA - The Easter Bread (Pron. Pa-ska.) A sweet yeast bread rich in eggs, butter, etc. Symbolic of Christ Himself who is our True Bread. Usually round loaf baked with a golden crust decorated with a symbol indicative of Christ. Sometimes a cross (+) of dough is placed on top encircled by a plait given it a crowned effect or Greek CHEESE - (Rusyn: Hrudka or Sirec) A custard type cheese shaped into a ball having a rather bland but sweet taste indicative of the moderation that Christians should have in all things. Also creamed cheese is placed in a small dish and both are decorated with symbols (see Pascha) out of cloves or pepper



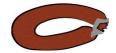
HAM - (Rusyn: Sunka - pron. shoon-ka.) The Flesh meat popular with the Slava as the main dish because of its richness and symbolic of the dish because of its richness and symbolic of the prefer Lamb or Veal. This is usually well roasted or cooked as well as other meats so the festivity of the day will not be burdened with preparation and all may only the Feast.



SAUSAGE (Rusyn: Kolbasi-pron. kol-bus-i.) A spicy, garlic sausage of pork products indicative of God's flavor and generosity.



BUTTER - (Rusyn: Maslo pron. ma-slo.) This favorite dairy product is often shaped into a figure of a Lamb or small cross and decorated as the cheese. This reminds us of the goodness of Christ that we should have toward all things.







EGCS (Rusyn: Pisanki pron. pi-sun-ki) Hardboiled eggs brightly decorated with symbols and markings made with beeswax, indicative of new life and resurrection. Red eggs are also traditional date back to a story with 5t. Marry Magdalens. Having been dyed with onion skins saved over the past Christ's bloot. The color of life and victory that came through Christ's bloot.





HORSERADISH (Rusyn: Chrin pron. khrin) Horseradish mised with grated red beets (optional) symbolizes the Passion of Christ still in our minds but sweetened with some sugar because of the Resurrection. A bitter-sweet red colored mixture reminds us of the sufferings of Christ.

These articles are placed in a wicker basket in the control of the blessing. A linen cover usually embroidered with a picture of the Risen Christ or symbol with the words "Christ is Risen" is placed over the food Christ is Risen is placed over the food In some places a large Easter Bread (Pascha) is made and brought separately in a large linen cloth. If the origin of the people was growing acea, a sweet wine may be brought;



Fifth Sund	ay of Lent			Heb. 9:11-14 ~ Mark 10:32-45
Saturday	5:00 pm	March 16	God's Blessings for Josie Ferniuk on her 103rd Birthday	The Family
Sunday	9:00 am	March 17	For Our Parishioners	
	11:00 am		+Allison Theresa Peters	Joanne & Michael
St. Cyril				Col. 3:12-16 ~ Luke 11:34-41
Monday	8:00 am	March 18	God's Blessings for Phyllis Sianchuk	The Family
Martyr Chry	santus			1 Thes. 5:14-23 ~ Mark 8:30-34
Tuesday	8:00 am	March 19	Health of Viktoriya & her intentions	Mama
Fathers of S	abbas			Eph. 4:7-13~ Luke 12:16-21
Wednesday	6:30 pm	March 20	MISSION	
Confessor	James			Gal. 4:4-7 ~ Luke 18:18-27
Thursday	8:00 am	March 21	Health of Kelsey Colquhoun	Sianchuk Family
			Health of Addison Karsgaard	Gerald Smysniuk
Priest Mart	tyr Basil			Eph. 2:4-10 ~ Matt. 4:1-11
Friday	8:00 am	March 22	+Blair Moshansky	Marian
Lazarus Sa	aturday			Heb. 12:28-13:8 ~ John 11:1-45
Saturday	9:00 am	March 23	+Fred & Rita Hrechka	Marcel Chartier
	5:00 pm		+Norris Pawlychka	Dolores Daniels
Palm Sunday			Phil. 4:4-9 ~ John 12:1-18	
Sunday	9:00 am	March 24	For Our Parishioners	
	11:00 am		+Geraldine Fallis	Fallis Family





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

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.



Prayer to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

O Mother of Perpetual Help, we come before your holy lcon seeking to follow Your Son. Mary, please

gently guide us to enter more deeply into the mystery of Redemption. Help us as we contemplate the Incamation, Passion, Death & Resurrection of Your Son, Jesus, Our Redeemer. Help us to receive and accept the Light of Christ present in your arms. Mary, we present our needs to you and ask that you place them in the hands of your Son. Most Holy Mother of God, Our Mother of Perpetual Help, save us. Amen

O Most Holy Mother of God, save us! Пресвята Богородице, спаси нас!