



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.

**Closed - 12:00 p.m. to
1:00 p.m. for lunch**

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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BLESSED VASYL VELYCHKOVSKY NATIONAL MARTYR'S SHRINE

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Parish Bulletin

JANUARY 4, 2026



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Sunday Divine Liturgy Schedule

Saturday Great Vespers 4:00 P.M.

Saturday Divine Liturgy 5:00 P.M. (ENG)

Sunday 9:00 A.M (UKR)

11:00 A.M. (ENG)

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



Dear Parishioners

Happy New Year to all of you and your families.

It's a great honour for me to be your Parish Priest and Pastor. Thank you to all of you for your support, prayers and best wishes as I transition into this new role. I would like to take this opportunity to extend a big thank you to Fr. John Sianchuk, CSsR, who graciously welcomed me to the community at St. Joseph's. Under his tutelage I have been learning the ways of being a parish pastor in Canada. I have known Fr. John since I was a student in Lviv, Ukraine in 1991 and our spiritual relationship has continued ever since. During my studies as a seminarian, I was intrigued by Fr. John's retreats and missions in Ukraine, as well as his life experience as a priest. Once again, thank you to Fr. John for your excellent role as Pastor and I humen and for all you have done for my spiritual life. I am grateful that I can still turn to you, when the need arises.

I arrived to Canada in 2019 and served at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church in Yorkton, Saskatchewan for 4 years. On August 1, 2023, I was transferred to St. Joseph's here in Winnipeg as an assistant pastor. Since my arrival, I have had the opportunity to get to know many of you and to serve the parish.

I am thankful to God that I am a part of the Redemptorist Community who together with Fr. John Sianchuk, CSsR, Fr. Frank Szadiak, CSsR, Fr. Bohdan Lukie, CSsR, Fr. Larry Kondra, CSsR, Fr. Ivan Dzhur, CSsR and Br. Eumir Batista help to serve the faithful in Winnipeg. As a Redemptorist community we work together in the mission of Christ the Redeemer to serve the wounded world.

As we enter the Feast of Theophany, we have a beautiful tradition of blessing water which will take place Monday evening at 6:30 pm and Tuesday morning at 9:00 am. Afterwards, our Redemptorist community will be available to bless your homes and families. Should you wish to have one of us come to bless your home, please call Natalia at the parish office to advise of your availability (date and time) for a priest to visit. We are looking forward to come and meet you in person. Also, for those who are unable to come to church, please let Natalia know if you would like us to bring Holy Communion when we come to bless your home.

Once again, wishing you a blessed and Happy New Year!

Fr. Yevhen

Sunday Collection December 28, 2025

Недільна збірка

28 грудня 2025 р.

Sunday Collection	\$10,505
Open Collection	\$480
Vigil Lamps	\$387.15
Flowers	\$100
Christmas Offering	\$13,260
Outreach	\$500
Capital Building	\$3,200

Thank you for your support

St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church has been asked to help transport residents at Holy Family Home to

the Divine liturgy on Sunday, January 4th and 18th, 2026 between 9:15am-11:15am.

We are looking for 8-10 volunteers.

Please contact the Spiritual Care office if you can help.

Call 204-589-7381 ext. 213 or email: spiritualcare@holymfamilyhome.mb.ca.



Holy Family Home
Дім Пресвятої Родини

Christ is Born!

Glorify Him!

Христос Раждається!

Славіте Його!

Sunday before Theophany ~ Неділя перед Богоявленням

*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

Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian)

11:00 am

Divine Liturgy (English)

YouTube - St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church Winnipeg

Wednesdays

1:30 pm

Rosary for Ukraine

Wednesdays

7:00 pm

Devotions

YouTube - Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

Upcoming Events at St. Joseph's ~ Майбутні події у церкві Святого Йосипа

Sunday	January 4	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) Божественна літургія (українською)
		11:00 am	Divine Liturgy (English) Божественна літургія (англійською)
Monday	January 5	6:30 pm	Theophany Eve ~ Baptism of Our Lord Divine Liturgy & Water Blessing
		18:30	Божественна Літургія та Урочисте Освячення води
Tuesday	January 6	9:00 am	Theophany ~ Baptism of Our Lord Divine Liturgy & Water Blessing
		09:00	Божественна Літургія та Урочисте Освячення води
Wednesday	January 7	1:30 pm	Rosary for Ukraine Молитва на вервиці за Україну
		7:00 pm	Healing Liturgy ~ Blessed Vasyl Літургія цілення ~ Блаженний Василь
Saturday	January 10	4:00 pm	Great Vespers ~ Велика вечірня
		5:00 pm	Divine Liturgy (English) Божественна літургія (англійською)
Sunday	January 11	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) Божественна літургія (українською)
		11:00 am	Divine Liturgy (English) Божественна літургія (англійською)

St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church
Christmas Divine Liturgy Schedule 2025 - 2026
Українська католицька церква Святого Йосипа
Розклад Різдвяної Божественної Літургії 2025-2026 рр.

Monday January 5

Theophany Eve - Baptism of Our Lord
Богоявленська напередодні - Хрещення Господнє
6:30 pm Divine Liturgy
18:30 Божественна Літургія
Solemn Blessing of Water
Урочисте освячення води

Tuesday January 6

Theophany - Baptism of Our Lord
Богоявленська Хрещення Господнє
9:00 am Divine Liturgy
9:00 Божественна Літургія
Урочисте освячення води

Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

will be continuing with
Divine Liturgy with
anointing for Healing
1st Wednesday of the Month
7:00 p.m.

Confession available beginning at 6:30 p.m.
Next Healing Liturgy - January 7, 2026

Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine at
St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church
250 Jefferson Ave.—Winnipeg, MB
Ph# 204-338-7321
Email: info@bvmartyrshrine.com
Website: bvmartyrshrine.com



♥♥♥ ST. JOE'S PEROGY BEE ♥♥♥

Next Perogy Bee is February 3rd and 4th, 2026!

Our next perogy bee will be in February, giving our wonderful volunteers a much needed and deserved break in January! We'll see you all in the New Year!





Epistle Readers

January 3 & 4

Sat. 5:00 pm
Donna Sumka

Sun. 9:00 am
Ivan Michalchyshyn
Sun. 11:00 am
Joanne Malenko

January 10 & 11

Sat. 5:00 pm
Kathy Hrechka

Sun. 9:00 am
Orysia Hull
Sun. 11:00 am
Joan Washchyshyn

Epistle Readers

January 17 & 18

Sat. 5:00 pm
Joanne Peters

Sun. 9:00 am
Nestor Dudych
Sun. 11:00 am
Peter Washchyshyn

January 24 & 25

Sat. 5:00 pm
Kathy Hrechka

Sun. 9:00 am
Ivan Michalchyshyn
Sun. 11:00 am
Children's Liturgy

Ushers

January 3 & 4

Sat. 5:00 pm
Gloria Bonin &
Linda Zelinsky

9:00 am
Marian Moshansky &
Nettie Royko

11:00 am
Sandy & Norm Dobson

January 10 & 11

Sat. 5:00 pm
Gloria Bonin &
Linda Zelinsky

9:00 am
Janina Barrett &
Elaine Kisiow

11:00 am
Jillian Galay &
Ernie Matwychuk



Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

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

Shrine Hours

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

The Shrine is open for prayers following
the Saturday 5:00 pm and Sunday Liturgies.



Prayers for the Sick Please Pray For:

Joanna Amer
Margaret Fedorchuk
Orest Fedorchuk
Josephine Ferniuk
John Hykawy
Regina K.
Corinne Kowpak
Patricia Lewak
Kim Nenzen

Haley Norman
Steve Prokop
Helen Stockburn
Annette Syrotiuk
Alicia Topor
Chris Topor
Kolias Winchar
Nelson Wolfe
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.



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

JANUARY 18 - 25, 2026

***“There is one body and one Spirit,
just as you were called to the one hope of your calling”***

Ephesians 4:4

Join Christians around the world in praying the scripture texts, reflections and prayers which were chosen and prepared by an ecumenical group gathered at the headquarters of the Armenian Apostolic Church in Armenia.

GATHERINGS ARE HELD AT TIMES INDICATED IN THE SCHEDULE BELOW
Refreshments and fellowship following most gatherings

SUNDAY, January 18
7:30 pm

Day 1 “Our calling” – Opening of the Week of Prayer
CITY-WIDE ECUMENICAL WORSHIP SERVICE (with Church Leaders)
FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH OF WINNIPEG 
922 Notre Dame Avenue, Winnipeg, 204-772-2419, www.firstmennonitechurch.ca

MONDAY, January 19
7:00 pm

Day 2 “Bearing with one another in love”
KILDONAN COMMUNITY CHURCH (PRESBYTERIAN) 
2373 Main Street, Winnipeg, 204-339-3502, www.kildonancommunitychurch.com

TUESDAY, January 20
7:00 pm

Day 3 “The bond of peace”
ST. LUKE’S ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH 
2903 McPhillips Street, Winnipeg, 204-339-0412, www.stlukeszion.ca

WEDNESDAY, January 21
6:00 pm

Day 4 “Called to one hope”
ST. MARY’S ACADEMY (CATHOLIC SCHOOL) (Taizé candlelight prayer)
Service will be held in the Chapel – use the Administration entrance facing Wellington Crescent
550 Wellington Crescent, Winnipeg, 204-447-0244, www.smamb.ca

THURSDAY, January 22
7:00 pm

Day 5 “One faith, one baptism”
ST. MARY’S ANGLICAN CHURCH 
3830 Roblin Boulevard, Winnipeg, 204-832-1302, www.stmarywinnipeg.org

VENDREDI, 23 Janvier
19h00

Sixième Jour « Un seul Dieu et Père »
PAROISSE ST. NORBERT PARISH  (Service in French)
70 rue St-Pierre, Winnipeg, 204-269-3240, www.stnorbertparish.ca

SATURDAY, January 24
Pray at home today

Day 7 “God’s gift given in baptism”
Jeremiah 1:4-9; Psalm 131; Ephesians 4:7; Matthew 25:14-18

SUNDAY, January 25
7:00 pm

Day 8 “Growing in Christ” – Closing of the Week of Prayer
ST. JOSEPH’S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH 
AND BISHOP VELYCHKOVSKY NATIONAL MARTYR’S SHRINE
250 Jefferson Avenue, Winnipeg, 204-339-4512, www.stjosephukrwnnipeg.ca

For more information you may contact one of the above churches/groups, or your own minister/pastor, or Saint John XXIII Church: telephone 204-832-7175, office.stjohnxxiii@gmail.com, www.stjohnxxiii.ca
For links to the full text of reflections and prayers and for other resources for the 2026 Week of Prayer, go on the web to: weekofprayer.ca semainedepriere.ca

St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church Employment Opportunity

St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church is looking to hire a **Church Hall/Kitchen Coordinator**

Knowledge & Skills include but not limited to:

- Ability to meet the needs of a wide variety of clients and other stakeholders with effective customer service skills
- Excellent administrative, organizational, scheduling and time management skills with attention to detail and accuracy, ability to manage tight deadlines while balancing multiple priorities
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills
- A well-defined sense of diplomacy, conflict resolution and people management skills
- Knowledge of the operation of all the kitchen appliances and equipment
- Availability to be on site for events as booked/required
- Have a valid Food Handlers Certificate

Remuneration for this position will be based on an hourly payment of \$25 per hour with a minimum of 10 hours per month

For more information or to submit an resume please contact:

Don Boitson, Parish President
donboitson@shaw.ca

Українська Католицька Церква св. Йосипа Можливість працевлаштування

Українська Католицька Церква Святого Йосифа шукає на роботу **координатора церковної зали/кухні**

Знання та навички включають, але не обмежуються:

- Здатність задовольняти потреби широкого кола клієнтів та інших зацікавлених сторін, володіючи навичками ефективного обслуговування клієнтів
- Відмінні адміністративні, організаційні навички, навички планування та управління часом з увагою до деталей і точністю, здатність керувати стислими термінами, збалансовуючи численні пріоритети
- Сильні міжособистісні та комунікативні навички
- Чітко виражені навички дипломатії, вирішення конфліктів і управління людьми
- Знання роботи всієї кухонної техніки та обладнання
- Можливість бути на місці для проведення заходів за бронюванням/вимогою
- Мати дійсний сертифікат спеціаліста з обробки харчових продуктів

Винагорода за цю посаду базуватиметься на погодинній оплаті 25 доларів за годину з мінімум 10 годинами на місяць

Для отримання додаткової інформації або для подання резюме звертайтеся:

Дон Бойтсон, голова парафії
donboitson@shaw.ca

ST. JOSEPH'S & HOLY EUCHARIST PARISHES PRESENT

PUSCHENKA

FUNDRAISING DINNER & DANCE PARTY

FEBRUARY 7, 2026 | 6PM - 12AM

FEATURING

**MEH
CHER
JOYS**

\$50

FULL BUFFET MEAL
\$5 BEER & WINE
SILENT AUCTION
DOOR PRIZES

HOLY EUCHARIST
PARISH CENTRE
460 MUNROE AVENUE

for more info
holyeucharistwinnipeg.ca or stjosephukrwinnipeg.ca
204-667-8866 or Carol at 204-226-7447



Divine Liturgy Intentions & Scripture Readings January 4 ~ 11

Наміри та читання Святого Письма на Божественній Літургії

4 ~ 11 січня

January 4 ~ Sunday before Theophany			2 Tim. 4:5-8 ~ Mark 1:1-8
Saturday	5:00 pm	God's Blessings for Larissa	Mom & Dad
Sunday	9:00 am	For Our Parishioners	
	11:00 am	Health for Dennis & Pat Beyak	Frank & Kathy Hrechka
January 5 ~ Eve of Theophany			1 Cor. 9:19-27 ~ Luke 3:1-18
Monday	8:00 am	Health of Ollie Szutiak	Marcel Chartier & Sandra Kolter
	6:30 pm	Birthday Blessings for Sandra Kolter	Kathy & Frank Hrechka
January 6 ~ Theophany of Our Lord ~ Jordan			Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7 ~ Matt. 3:13-17
Tuesday	9:00 am	For Our Parishioners	
January 7 ~ Plenary Memorial of John the Baptist			Acts 19:1-8 ~ John 1: 29-34
Wednesday	8:00 am	God's Blessings & Health of Eunice Hanischuk	Marcel Chartier & Sandra Kolter
	7:00 pm	Healing Liturgy	
January 8 ~ Venerable George			James 1:19-27 ~ Mark 10:17-27
Thursday	8:00 am	Health of Guillermo Estuardo Catalan	Family
January 9 ~ Martyr Polyeucte			James 2:1-13 ~ Mark 10:24-32
Friday	8:00 am	Health of Frank Hrechka	Annette Syrotiuk & Nelson Wolfe
January 10 ~ Saturday after Theophany			Eph. 6:10-17 ~ Matt. 4:1-11
Saturday	8:30 am	+For the deceased members of the Zelenko & Vandyck Family	Family
	5:00 pm	+Aurore Bernardin	Bernardin Family
January 11 ~ Sunday after Theophany			Eph. 4:7-13 ~ Matt. 4:12-17
Sunday	9:00 am	For Our Parishioners	
	11:00 am	+Walter Huska (one year)	Violet & Family



Prayer to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

O Mother of Perpetual Help, we come before your holy Icon 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 Incarnation, 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!

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY



OPEN HOUSE

January 13, 2026 at 7:00 PM