



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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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 Vasyl Devotions: Wednesday 7:00 P.M.

*From the
Pastor's
Desk*



Dear Parishioners,

A big thank you to all those who came out last Tuesday and Wednesday to make perogies. May God grant you strength and health.

This third Sunday of Lent is called Holy Cross Sunday. On this day we decorate holy Cross and venerate it. This is the middle point of Lent. The Cross is the sign of the victory Jesus Christ over the power of darkness. Cross is the symbol of the great love God has for each one of us. Holy Cross gives us the strength to overcome our daily burdens. It gives us hope and courage. Jesus's sufferings were a harbinger of His Resurrection. When we experience sufferings in our lives we experience it with Jesus Christ. We don't are alone in our suffering. God is always with us and He walks beside us. Still, we cannot give a complete answer to why there is suffering in our lives. We will see and understand this answer only after our resurrection. Now we live by faith and walk in the shadow of obscurity. Only faith helps us to go forward, not to despair, not to give up. Jesus Christ is with us, and He first carried his cross. And now carries it with each of us. We live in faith and hope in His victory of life over death. Therefore we bow in adoration before the Holy Cross and glorify His Resurrection.

This week in our parish community we gathered in prayer and remembrance for two of our faithful members. On Wednesday, I celebrated the funeral service for +Ted Chaikowski at Cropo Funeral Chapel. On Thursday, Fr. John together with Fr. Bohdan celebrated the funeral service for +Ollie Humeniuk. Please continue to keep Ted and Ollie, and their families, in your prayers. May the Lord grant them eternal rest and comfort to all who mourn.

We also keep Fr. Ivan in our prayers as he provides the first round of Lenten Mission. May God grant him strength, wisdom, and many spiritual blessings.

Looking ahead, our parish Knights of Columbus will be organizing a Fish Fry on Friday, March 13. Everyone is warmly invited to come and enjoy fellowship with our parish family. Following the Fish Fry, we will gather in the church for the Way of the Cross at 6:30 PM.

Please join us for this evening of prayer and community as we continue our Lenten journey together.

May God bless all of you this coming week!

Fr. Yevhen



Coffee Klatch

Following the 9:00 am and 11:00 am Divine Liturgies.

Baking donations are gratefully accepted.

Volunteers Needed. We are looking for volunteers to help at 9:00 AM and/or 11:00 AM.

We will train you, extremely simple and fun. Contact Mark & Sonya Galarnyk.

204-781-8446 or markgalarnyk@mymts.net

204-799-6240 or sgalarnyk@gmail.com

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Слава Ісусу Христу!

Third Sunday of Lent

Третя Неділя Посту

The Redeemers 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

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| Sunday | March 8 | 9:00 a.m. | Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) Божественна літургія (українською) |
| | | 11:00 a.m. | Divine Liturgy (English) Божественна літургія (англійською) |
| | | 5:00 p.m. | Way of the Cross (Ukrainian) Хресна дорога (українською) |
| Monday | March 9 | 6:30 p.m. | K of C Meeting Збори Лицарів Колумба |
| Wednesday | March 11 | 1:30 p.m. | Rosary for Ukraine Молитва на вервиці за Україну |
| | | 7:00 p.m. | Pre-Sanctified Liturgy Літургія Напередосвячених Дарів |
| Friday | March 13 | 6:30 p.m. | Way of the Cross (English) Хресна дорога (англійською) |
| Saturday | March 14 | 8:30 a.m. | Sorokousty ~ Сорокоусти |
| | | 4:00 p.m. | Great Vespers ~ Велика вечірня |
| | | 5:00 p.m. | Divine Liturgy (English) Божественна літургія (англійською) |
| Sunday | March 15 | 9:00 a.m. | Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) Божественна літургія (українською) |
| | | 11:00 a.m. | Divine Liturgy (English) Божественна літургія (англійською) |
| | | 5:00 p.m. | Way of the Cross (Ukrainian) Хресна дорога (українською) |

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

takes place on Saturdays & Sundays before the Divine Liturgy



ST. JOE'S PEROGY BEE

Next Perogy Bee is March 24th and 25th, 2026!

Thank you to all the wonderful volunteers that came out this week to fill our perogy orders. Your continued help is always truly appreciated.

Our next perogy bee will be March 24th & 25th, where extra hands are always appreciated! Please consider coming out and blessing us with your time towards a beautiful and worthy cause. If you would like to volunteer, please call :

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



UCWLC St. Joseph's Branch

Orders are now being taken for Cabbage Rolls (Rice & Bacon)
Cost is \$15.00 per dozen.

Orders to be placed by no later than
March 9, 2026

Please call: Audrey Smith at
204-255-0487

Pick up date is: Wednesday, March
11th

From 2-5 pm in the church hall.

This will be our last cabbage roll making session until Thanksgiving



Easter Babkas and Paskas Sale

St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church



Easter Babkas and Paskas will be available for purchase again this year. **Pre-orders only** will be taken. Deadline is **March 20th**. Please contact Anna **204-668-3878** or Christine **204-694-1549**. Orders will also be taken after each Liturgy.

Proceeds will go for **medical supplies** for our Ukrainian soldiers in Ukraine.



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Epistle Readers

March 7 & 8

Sat. 5:00 pm
Joanne Peters

Sun. 9:00 am
Ilyan Michalchyshyn
Sun. 11:00 am
Norm Dobson

March 14 & 15

Sat. 5:00 pm
Kathy Hrechka

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

Ushers

March 7 & 8

Sat. 5:00 pm
Gloria Bonin &
Linda Zelinsky

9:00 am
Mary Marcinkow &
Jannina Barrett
11:00 am
Jilian Galay &
Ernie Matwychuk

March 14 & 15

Sat. 5:00 pm
Gloria Bonin &
Linda Zelinsky

9:00 am
Elaine Kisiow &
Jannina Barrett
11:00 am
Sandy &
Norm Dobson

Divine Liturgy & Sorokousty

Prayers for our dearly departed

Saturdays 8:30 am

March 14 & May 23

IF YOU WISH US TO REMEMBER YOUR FAMILY MEMBERS PLEASE COMPLETE THE ENVELOPE FOUND IN YOUR ENVELOPE PACKAGE OR THE EXTRA ENVELOPES MARKED "SOROKOUSTY" AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.

*****CHEQUES MADE PAYABLE TO
ST. JOSEPH'S MONASTERY*****

Welcome to the Macenko Choir
Joining us for the 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy



SAVE THE DATE!

Church clean up in preparation for
Easter will take place on
Monday, March 30, 2026, 9:00 a.m.

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.



Prayers for the Sick Please Pray For:

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| Joanna Amer | Haley Norman |
| Margaret Fedorchuk | Steve Prokop |
| Orest Fedorchuk | Helen Stockburn |
| Annette Syrotiuk | Cory Macsymach |
| John Hykawy | Alicia Topor |
| Regina K. | Chris Topor |
| Corinne Kowpak | Kolia Winchar |
| Patricia Lewak | Nelson Wolfe |
| Jan Lukie | Mary Woytowich |
| Kim Nenzen | |

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.

AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ALL KNIGHTS OF FR. SHYSHKOWICH COUNCIL

On February 9 during the Council's last business meeting, a motion was made and seconded to repair and refurbish the pool table and shuffleboard in the parish hall.

The cost of this project requires this notice of motion to be posted three weeks prior to our next business meeting on March 9 when it will be voted upon.

Full details of this project will be available at that time.

We need as many Knights as possible to be in attendance!

Thank you!



Job Posting: Parish Receptionist and Greeter at Holy Eucharist Ukrainian Catholic Parish
Position: The Parish Receptionist and Greeter supports the daily operation of the parish office and serves as a welcoming and professional point of contact for parishioners and visitors. The position combines basic administrative duties with hospitality and requires discretion, reliability, and respect for the pastoral mission and liturgical life of the Ukrainian Catholic Church. **Employment Type:** Part-time employee.

Hours: Approximately 12-16 hours per week. **Remuneration:** \$21.00 per hour.

Please send your resume to pastor@holyeucharistwinnipeg.ca by March 24, 2026.



Knights of Columbus

K.U.C.A.

2026 Youth Winter Games



KUCA

| Event | Date | Location | Time <small>** Sign in: 30 Minutes prior to Start Time</small> |
|---|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Hockey Challenge | February 8 Sunday | St. Anne Ukrainian Catholic Church (35 Marclie Street / Outdoor Parking Lot) | 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm <i>Sign in 1:30 pm</i> |
| Mini Olympics | February 21 Saturday | Immaculate Heart of Mary School (650 Flora Avenue.) | 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm <i>Sign in 2:30 pm</i> |
| Curling | March 15 Sunday | Elmwood Curling Club (300 Brazier Street) | 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm <i>Sign in 2:30 pm</i> |
| Indoor Soccer | March 28 Saturday | Gateway Recreation Centre (1717 Gateway Rd) | 10:00 am – 12:00 pm <i>Sign in 9:30 am</i> |
| Awards Banquet (All Participants) | April 18 Saturday | Sts. Peter and Paul Parish Hall (390 Marion Street) | 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm |

"BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO PLAY WITH A PURE HEART, FOR THEY WILL REFLECT THE GLORY OF GOD"

Fr. Yaroslav, KUCA Chaplain



Youth Winter Games Provided by:
KUCA
 Knights of the Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy

Tenderloin 
Meat & Sausage

All Costs Covered by KUCA and sponsors 
 INFORMATION: Bernard Boguski: 204-390-1537

Spring Yarmarok

at Ukrainian National Federation
935 Main Street

March 14, 2026 • 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Easter Baking: Paska, Babka & more!
Handicrafts by Ukrainian Artisans
Ukrainian Food Meals Available for Eat-in

Invitation

You are cordially invited to a Testimonial Banquet in honor of
His Grace Metropolitan Lawrence Huculak, OSBM

Marking his 75th Anniversary of Birth
The 49th Anniversary of Priesthood
The 29th Anniversary Episcopal Consecration
The 20th Anniversary as Metropolitan-Archbishop of Winnipeg

Joining together in gratitude for his lifetime of dedicated service to the Church & our community

Tuesday April 14, 2026
Victoria Inn Hotel & Convention Centre
1808 Wellington Avenue, Winnipeg MB
Doors Open - 5:30PM | Dinner - 6:30PM

\$100
For tickets: 431-999-8041 or banquet@archeparchy.ca

Please purchase your tickets by March 25, 2026

Knights of Columbus

Fr. Shyshkovich Council #8925
2026

Fish Fry

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| A. Fish & Perogy Dinner \$ 15 <i>one piece (4 oz*) deep-fried battered cod, three perogies (boiled or deep-fried), coleslaw, fried onions, sour cream, tartar sauce (on request).</i> | E. Fries Plate \$ 5 <i>Only French fries.</i> |
| B. Fish & Fries Dinner \$ 13 <i>one piece (4 oz*) deep-fried battered cod, French fries, coleslaw, tartar sauce (on request).</i> | F. Take Out Container (per dinner / plate) \$ 1 |
| C. Extra Fish \$ 10 <i>one piece (4 oz*) deep-fried battered cod, tartar sauce (on request).</i> | Beverages Goodwill offering <i>Coffee, Tea, Cherry drink</i> |
| D. Perogy Plate \$ 10 <i>six perogies (boiled or deep-fried), fried onions, sour cream.</i> | Dessert Goodwill offering <i>White or Chocolate cake (with icing)</i> |

March 13, 20 and 27
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm
St Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church
250 Jefferson Ave, Winnipeg, Manitoba

UKRAINIAN EASTER SALE

Fundraiser to support parish projects and to help Ukraine

SUNDAY, MARCH 22
11:00a.m. - 2:00p.m.

Easter bread / Paska, perogies, cabbage rolls, beetroot with horseradish, smoked meats, homemade cookies and cakes, Ukrainian and Easter decorations and much more.

Divine Liturgy Intentions & Scripture Readings March 8 ~ 15
Наміри та читання Святого Письма на Божественній Літургії 8 ~ 15 березня

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| March 8 ~ Third Sunday of Lent. Veneration of the Holy Cross | | Heb. 4:14-5:6 ~ Mark 8:34-9:1 |
| Saturday | 5:00 p.m. + Walter and his parents Bill & Mary | Marie Gwozd |
| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. + Don Barrett – 40 days | Family |
| | 11:00 a.m. For the Health & God's Blessings of our Parishioners | |
| March 9 ~ 40 Martyrs of Sebastia | | Heb. 12:1-10 ~ Matt.20:1-16 |
| Monday | 8:00 a.m. + Mary Furmaniuk/Yaroslav Furmaniuk/Julian Furmaniuk and Marilyn Derkach | Terry Furmaniuk |
| March 10 ~ Martyr Codratus of Corinth | | 1 Cor. 1:18-25 ~ Matt. 13:36-43 |
| Tuesday | 8:00 a.m. + Marlene Solman, 2 years | Family |
| March 11 ~ Patriarch Sophonius | | Gal. 2:16-20 ~ Matt. 9:18-26 |
| Wednesday | 7:00 p.m. Pre-Sanctified Liturgy | |
| | For health of Andriy, Nestor and all Family | Andriy |
| March 12 ~ Confessor Theophane | | Gal. 5:22-6:2 ~ Matt. 25:14-30 |
| Thursday | 8:00 a.m. For Health of Luba Sidar | Friends |
| | For health of Yura, Kleyton, Tayler and their Families | Ihor |
| March 13 ~ 42 Transfer of the Relics of Nicephorus | | 2 Tim. 3:10-15 ~ Matt. 25:1-13 |
| Friday | 8:00 a.m. For health - recovering of Marcel Chaitier | Kathy and Frank Hrechka |
| March 14 ~ All Souls Saturday | | Heb. 6:9-12 ~ Mark 7:31-37 |
| Saturday | 8:30 a.m. SOROKOUSTY | |
| | 5:00 p.m. For the Health & God's Blessings of our Parishioners | |
| March 15 ~ Fourth Sunday of Lent | | Heb. 6:13-20 ~ Mark 9:17-31 |
| Sunday | 9:00 a.m. For God's blessing for Yaroslav, Maksym, Maria | Family |
| | 11:00 a.m. + Alice Mary Gallagher Osborne | Joanne Peters |

Chotke is a special knotted roped used to pray the "Jesus Prayer— *Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me a sinner*".



We are blessed at the **Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine** to have **Jason Sliva**, our parishioner from St. Joseph's parish, who shares his gift of creating Chotke. His Chotke are available for purchase in the Gift Shop.

Jason has offered to present a workshop on how to create your own Chotke
Saturday, March 21 at 10 a.m. (*this is a 2-hour session*)

Please register by March 16th, through the **Shrine Office** at 204-338-7321 or email info@bvmartyrshrine.com
Registration Fee: \$10



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.