



Saint Basil the Great Ukrainian Catholic Parish Парафія Св. Василя Великого УГКЦ

Parish Mission of All the Saints of Ukraine
Парафія Всіх Святих Українського Народу
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Morden, MB

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Parish Bulletin—Парафіяльний Вісник

Sunday, November 16, 2025—Неділя, 16 листопада, 2025



Glory be to Jesus Christ!

My dear friends in Christ,

I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude for your active response and generous support toward our **Church Windows Project**.

Thank you to all who have already contributed. May God bless you abundantly!

As a reminder, our goal is to raise **\$20,000** to replace the windows on one side of the church. Every gift makes a difference.

Thank you also to everyone who joined us for the **Remembrance Day service**.

It was truly uplifting to pray together and to remember—*lest we forget*.

This week we begin our **Christmas Fast (Pylypivka)**—a sacred time to reflect, to pray, and to perform works of mercy. Let us prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ through faith, charity, and peace.

Please also come and support our **Parish Dinner** this **Saturday, November 22**.

In the afternoon, there will be a **special service at City Hall** in remembrance of the **victims of the Holodomor**—you are all warmly invited to attend.

Finally, on **Friday**, we will celebrate the **Feast of the Entrance of the Mother of God into the Temple**.

Divine Liturgies will be celebrated at **9:00 a.m. (in English)** and **7:00 p.m. (in Ukrainian)** to allow everyone the opportunity to participate.

May God bless each of you with a peaceful and grace-filled week.

Let us continue to walk together in faith and gratitude.

With prayer,

~Fr. M

СЛАВА ІСУСУ ХРИСТУ!

Дорогі друзі!

Щиро дякую вам за вашу активну підтримку нашого **проекту заміни вікон у церкві**.

Дякую всім, хто вже зробив свій внесок. Нехай Господь щедро благословить кожного з вас!

Нагадую, що наша мета — зібрати **20 000 доларів**, щоб замінити вікна з одного боку храму. Кожна жертва має значення.

Також дякую всім, хто долучився до **молитовного вшанування Дня Пам'яті (Remembrance Day)**.

Було справді піднесено молитися разом і згадувати тих, хто віддав своє життя за мир і свободу — *щоб ми не забули*.

Цього тижня розпочинаємо **Різдвяний піст (Пилипівку)** — це час роздумів, молитви та добрих діл милосердя.


Нехай це буде нагода приготувати наші серця до приходу Христа через віру, любов і мир.

Також сердечно запрошую всіх на **парафіяльну вечерю**, яка відбудеться в **суботу, 22 листопада**.

А **13:30** в цей день буде **молитовна панахида біля міської ратуші (City Hall)** в пам'ять про жертв **Голодомору**. Щиро запрошую всіх взяти участь.

У **п'ятницю** будемо святкувати **Вхід у храм Пресвятої Богородиці**. Святі Літургії відбудуться о **9:00 ранку (англійською мовою)** та о **7:00 вечора (українською мовою)** — щоб кожен міг долучитися до молитви.

Нехай Господь благословить вас миром, добрим здоров'ям і духовною радістю. Нехай цей тиждень буде наповнений вдячністю, молитвою і Божою благодаттю. **З молитвою, ~о. М**

		ST BASIL'S LITURGICAL SCHEDULE
	<i>Time</i>	<i>Feast or Intention, requested by</i>
16 November, 23rd Sunday after Pentecost	9:00 AM 9:30 AM 10:00 AM 2:30 PM 8:00 PM	Children's Catechism Rosary Divine Liturgy <i>Health & speedy recovery for Carl Lemke by Dorothy Labay followed by K of C Pancake Breakfast followed by K of C Pancake Breakfast</i> Morden (Anglican church) Rosary—Jesus Prayer — Live stream on Facebook
17 November, Monday	<u>5:00 PM</u> <u>6:00 PM</u> <u>8:00 PM</u>	Divine Liturgy for the soul of Walter Bohonos by Silvia Bohonos Parish Council Meeting Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
18 November, Tuesday	<u>9:00 AM</u> <u>10:00AM</u> <u>8:00 PM</u>	Divine Liturgy for the soul of Daria (nee Labay) Grant 15 years by Pauline Labay Pastoral/Renewal Committee Meeting Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
19 November, Wednesday	<u>9:00 AM</u> <u>6:40 PM</u> <u>8:00 PM</u>	Divine Liturgy for the soul s of Phillip & Mary Rehaluk by Silvia Bohonos School of Catechism Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
20 November, Thursday	<u>9:00 AM</u> <u>11:30 AM</u> <u>8:00 PM</u>	Divine Liturgy for the soul of Jack Mead by Leon Wartzaba Deanery Pilgrimage & meeting at the Shrine of Blessed Vasyl Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
21 November, Friday	<u>9:00 AM</u> <u>4:30 PM</u> <u>7:00 PM</u> <u>8:00 PM</u>	Feast of Entrance of the Mother of God into Temple Divine Liturgy for all parishioners (Eng) Ukrainian Club Divine Liturgy (Ukr) Heavenly Birthday Blessings for the soul of Ann Lamothe by her Children, Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
22 November, Saturday	<u>1:30 PM</u> <u>5:30 PM</u> <u>8:00 PM</u>	HOLODOMOR Pahakhyda for vistims of Holoomor at the City Hall Parish Dinner & Elimination Draw Evening Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
23 November, 24th Sunday after Pentecost	9:00 AM 9:30 AM 10:00 AM 2:30 PM 8:00 PM	Children's Catechism Rosary Divine Liturgy +PANAKHYDA for victims of Holodomor followed by Coffee House by K of C Morden (Anglican church) - панахида Rosary—Jesus Prayer — Live stream on Facebook



**God's Blessings for your
Happiest Birthday!!!
Walter Shurraw (16), Ve-
ronika Kostiuik (16), Vlada
Kushnir (19), Alexis
Prychitko Kriewald (20)
МНОГАЯ ЛІТА !!!**

Tatsa counters
November—Orest and Ariel Kulchyski, and
Linda Gardener.

Church Custodians

November—Alan & Wanda Prychitko
Dear Parishioners, Please contact me, Diane Pinuta
204-774-1350 to help clean the church for a month
in 2025

Ushers and Greeters Welcome

November 16-23—Bill & Brenda Morant
November 30—Bill & Brenda Morant
Knowing Jesus is the best gift you can re-
ceive. His power and love can fill you when
you encounter Him.
Please join Father Mykhaylo for the Lectio
Divina/Catechism classes and the teachings
of the church on Wednesdays at St. Basil's

HAPPY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY!!!



**Mariana Korbylo &
Ivan Lutsiv (18)**

**МНОГАЯ ЛІТА !
GOD'S BLESSINGS FOR
MANY MORE YEARS OF
LOVE & HAPPINESS !**

EPISTLE READING Читання Апостола: якщо ви бажаєте читати раз у місяць в укр. м—прошу
повідомити до офісу чи священика. Це буде завжди 3-тя неділя місяця.

Epistle readers:

November 16—Ivan Horodetsky, November 23 –Linda Labay, November 30 –Martin Nechwediuk

SANCTUARY LIGHT from November 2 to November 23 burns eternally to indicate the presence of the Holy
Eucharist. In the tabernacle.

Health & God's Blessings for Bain Family

The Sanctuary light can be reserved , please contact the office at 204-837-4180.

The Parish office will be open according to this schedule:

- ⇒ **on Tuesday (November 18), Wednesday (November 19)**
- ⇒ **and Thursday (November 20)**
- ⇒ **Monday (November 24), Tuesday (November 25) and**
- ⇒ **Wednesday (November 26)**
- ⇒ **Monday (December 1) and Wednesday (December 3)**
from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM.

For any notices for the bulletin, please email to the parish office by Wednesday.

Parish Office Email: parish@saintbasilwpg.ca. Parish Office: 204-837-4180



PEROGIES FOR SALE

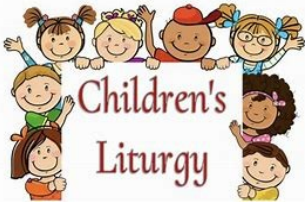
Please call Phyllis at 204-832-0175 to buy your perogies.
\$8.00 per dozen for potato & cheese

SANCTUARY LIGHT from November 30 to December 4 burns eternally to indicate the presence of the Holy Eucharist.

*For the souls of Bob Antonyshen & Ann Macsymack by Jean Derhak
In the tabernacle.*

For the soul of Aidan Egan by Issigonis Family

The Sanctuary light can be reserved , please contact the office at 204-837-4180.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY—every first Sunday of the month.

Renewal Committee suggested to continue to celebrate Children's Liturgy once a month. That will include the leading of responses by Youth (Veronica Hotel will be in charge), the reading of the Epistle (so if your child would like to read please notify parish office—Lesia Dukas). Also children will go with donation baskets—and when is a time will serve Coffee House - Дитяча Літургія у 1шу неділю

місяця. Якщо ваша дитина хоче читати Апостол—повідомте офіс або мене.

Choir Practicing

Please note the following **DATES** for our practice at 9:00 AM on Sunday, November 9,16,23&30.

Note last practice will be on November 30! We will resume in 2026.

Tentative date Sunday February 8/26 in boardroom. All interested people are welcome! **Choir leader—Cynthia Zimrose.** Please contact at 204-888-7793



HAMPERS FOR WELCOME HOME!!! Please consider to donate not perishable food to our parish Food bank which is going to the Welcome Home. The hamper is located at the back of the church. One of the suggestions is a Gift Card for groceries; the recommended value is \$20.00 So that is a great opportunity to help those less fortunate. +++Пожертва їжі для потребуючих у WELCOME HOME!!!!
Однією з пропозицій є придбати Подарункову картку у продуктовий магазин; рекомендована вартість становить 20 доларів, тож це чудова можливість допомогти потребуючим. Або, якщо ви бажаєте, у нас є корзина позаду церкви, ви можете принести продукти, які можуть довго зберігатися.

THANK YOU FOR YOU LOVING HEART!

Next School of Catechism / Lectio Divina will be on WEDNESDAY at 6:40 PM—

Let's grow in our faith together. Also we still keep on our online Zoom meeting

Meeting ID: 860 6773 0650 Passcode: Jesus

UCWLC Christmas Bake Sale

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202 Harcourt Street

FEATURING AUTHENTIC UKRAINIAN FOODS

- Potato & Cheese / Cabbage Perogies
- Cabbage Rolls
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- Nalysnyky (*Crepes*) with Meat
- Poppyseed Rolls / Pampushky (Poppy Seed or Prune)
- Perishke (*Buns*)
- Krychenyky (*Pork Cutlet*)
- Horseradish
- Borsch
- Pelmeni (*Dumplings*)
- Meat Loaf

6th December 2025
10:00AM - 12:30PM



We are happy to announce that now our PERIISHKY are ready for our Christmas Bake Sale! A heartfelt thank you to everyone who came to help with this project — your time, teamwork, and joyful spirit made it possible. Nov. 7

Tropar, tone 6: Angelic powers were upon Your tomb* and the guards became like dead men;* Mary stood before Your tomb seeking Your most pure body.* You captured Hades without being overcome by it.* You met the Virgin and granted life.* O Lord, risen from the dead, glory be to You.

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

Kondak, tone 6: With His life-giving hand Christ our God, the Giver of life,* raised all the dead from the murky abyss* and bestowed resurrection upon humanity.* He is for all the Savior,* the resurrection and the life, and the God of all.

Prokimen, tone 6: Save Your people, O Lord, and bless Your inheritance.

Verse: Unto You I will cry, O Lord my God, lest You turn from me in silence.

Epistle: A reading from the Letter of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Ephesians. (2: 4 - 10)

Brothers and Sisters! God is rich in mercy; because of his great love for us he brought us to life with Christ when we were dead in sin. By this favor you were saved. Both with and in Christ Jesus he raised us up and gave us a place in the heavens, that in ages to come he might display his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. I repeat, it is owing to his favor that salvation is yours through faith. This is not your own doing, it is God's gift; neither is it a reward for anything you have accomplished, so let no one pride himself on it. We are truly his handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to lead the life of good deeds which God prepared for us in advance.

Alleluia Verses: He who lives in the aid of the Most High, shall dwell under the protection of the God of heaven. He says to the Lord: You are my protector and my refuge, my God, in Whom I hope.

Gospel: Luke 8: 26 - 39 At that time, Jesus came into the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. When he came to land, he was met by a man from the town who was possessed by demons. For a long time he had not worn any clothes, he did not live in a house, but among the tombstones. On seeing Jesus he began to shriek; then he fell at his feet and exclaimed at the top of his voice, "Jesus, Son of God Most High, why do you meddle with me? Do not torment me, I beg you." By now Jesus was ordering the unclean spirit to come out of the man, This spirit had taken hold of him many a time. The man used to be tied with chains and fetters, but he would break his bonds and the demon would drive him into places of solitude. "What is your name?" Jesus demanded. "Legion," he answered, because the demons who had entered him were many. They pleaded with him not to order them back to the abyss. It happened that a large herd of swine was feeding nearby on the hillside, and the demons asked him to permit them to enter the swine. This he granted. The demons then came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd charged down the bluff into the lake, where they drowned. When the swineherds saw what had happened, they took to their heels and brought the news to the town and country roundabout. The people went out to see for themselves what had happened. Coming on Jesus, they found the man from whom the devils had departed sitting at his feet dressed and in his full senses; this sight terrified them. They were told by witnesses how the possessed man had been cured. Shortly afterward, the entire population of the Gerasene territory asked Jesus to leave their neighborhood, for a great fear had seized them; so he got into the boat and went back across the lake. The man from whom the devils had departed asked to come with him, but he sent him away with the words, "Go back home and recount all that God has done for you." The man went all through the town making public what Jesus had done for him.

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

Тропар, глас 6: Ангельські сили на гробі Твоїм,* і сторожі омертвіли;* Марія ж стояла при гробі,* шукаючи пречистого тіла Твого*. Полонив Ти ад і, не переможений від нього,* зустрів Ти Діву, даруючи життя.* Воскреслий з мертвих, Господи, слава Тобі!

Слава Отцю, і Сину, і Святому Духові, і нині, і повсякчас, і на віки вічні. Амінь.

Кондак, глас 6: Животворною рукою Життєдавець, Христос Бог.* Воскресив з темних безодень всіх померлих* і подав воскресіння людському родові;* Він бо всіх Спаситель,* воскресіння, життя і Бог всіх.

Прокімен, глас 6: Спаси, Господи, людей Твоїх і благослови спадкоємство Твоє.

Стих: До Тебе, Господи, взиватиму; Боже мій, не відвертайсь мовчки від мене.

Апостол: До Ефесян послання святого апостола Павла читання. (2: 4 - 10) Браття і Сестри!

Бог, багатий милосердям, з-за великої своєї любови, якою полюбив нас, мертвих нашими гріхами, оживив нас разом із Христом -- благодаттю ви спасені! -- І разом з ним воскресив нас, і разом посадив на небі у Христі Ісусі; щоб у наступних віках він міг показати надзвичайне багатство своєї благодаті у своїй доброті до нас у Христі Ісусі. Бо ви спасені благодаттю через віру. І це не від нас: воно дар Божий. Воно не від діл, щоб ніхто не міг хвалитися. Бо ми його створіння, створені у Христі Ісусі для добрих діл, які Бог уже наперед був приготував, щоб ми їх чинили.

Стихи на Алилуя: Хто живе під охороною Всевишнього, під покровом Бога небесного оселиться. Скаже він Господеві: Ти заступник мій і пристановище моє, Бог мій, на котрого я надіюся.

Євангелія: Від Луки 8: 26 - 39 В той час прийшов Ісус у Герасин-околицю, що проти Галилеї. Як Ісус вийшов на берег, попався йому назустріч один чоловік з міста, що мав бісів. Він з давного часу не носив одежі і мешкав не в хаті, а в гробах. Побачивши Ісуса, він закричав, припав йому до ніг і сказав сильним голосом: “Що мені і тобі, Ісусе, сину Бога Всевишнього? Благаю тебе, не муч мене!” Він бо велів нечистому духові вийти з чоловіка. Дух той часто хапав чоловіка, і його тоді в'язали кайданами та ланцюгами і стерегли, та він трошив окови, і демон гонив його по пустинях. Ісус спитав його: “Як тобі на ім'я?” “Легіон,” відповів той, багато бо бісів увійшло в нього. І вони благали його, щоб він не велів їм іти в безодню. Було ж там велике стадо свиней, що паслося на горі, і демони просили його, щоб він дозволив їм увійти в них. Він дозволив їм. Вийшли демони з чоловіка, увійшли в свиней, і кинулося стадо з кручі в озеро і потонуло. Побачивши, що сталося, пастухи кинулись урзтіч і розповіли про це в місті та по селах. І вийшли люди подивитися, що сталося. Прибули вони до Ісуса і нашли, що чоловік, з якого вийшли біси, сидів при ногах Ісуса, одягнений та при умі -- і злякались. Наочні свідки їм розповіли, як вилікувався біснுவатий. Тоді все населення герасинської округи почало його просити, щоб відійшов від них, бо великий страх огорнув їх. І він увійшов до човна і вернувся. А чоловік, з якого вийшли біси, просив Ісуса, щоб бути з ним, але він відпустив його, кажучи: “Вернися додому і розкажи все, що Бог зробив тобі.” Пішов той, сповіщаючи по всьому місті, що Ісус зробив йому.

Причасний: Хваліте Господа з небес, хваліте Його на висотах. Алилуя! Алилуя! Алилуя!



St Joseph Ukrainian Catholic Church

Christmas Craft and Food Sale

(perogies, cabbage rolls, borscht, etc.)

Saturday, November 29th, 2025

10 am – 3 pm

250 Jefferson Ave.

Admission: Adults \$2.00/ Children Free

Proceeds: Medical Aid for Soldiers in Ukraine



Holy Family Home Auxiliary
Ladies' Night Out Fundraiser

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Raffles

Holy Eucharist Parish Centre
460 Munroe Avenue
Friday, February 6, 2026, 7:00 PM
Tickets \$120
includes appetizers, dinner, drinks, and elimination draw
For tickets contact:
Cathy: 204-254-2071
Rozalia: 204-489-5705
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St. Basil's Ukrainian Catholic Church

Dinner & Elimination Draw Evening

2025

November 22, 2025

202 Harcourt Street

**Cocktails at 5:30pm, Dinner to follow
Draw at 8:30pm**

\$35 Raffle Only, \$70 Dinner & Raffle

**Tickets: Contact Harry Fediuk
(204) 470 - 1772**

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2026

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LAST WILL & TESTAMENT: Leaving a bequest is a process of giving a donation through your will. It is simply a distribution from your estate to a charitable organization through your last will and testament. It can be as small or as large a donation as you wish. It is important that you talk to your lawyer about the process. In your kindness please remember St. Basil the Great Ukrainian Catholic Parish in your bequests and wills. If anyone wishes to make such a bequest in their will, the following clause may be included or added to a will: "I give, devise, and bequeath to St. Basil the Great Ukrainian Catholic Church at 202 Harcourt St, Winnipeg, MB, R3J 3H3 the sum of \$_____ (or ____% of my estate), to be used for the benefit of the church/parish and it's needs and pastoral ministry.

**CALL FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE "CHILDREN PRAY FOR CHILDREN" PRAYER INITIATIVE / ЗАКЛИК
ДО УЧАСТІ В МОЛИТОВНІЙ АКЦІЇ «ДІТИ МОЛЯТЬСЯ ЗА ДІТЕЙ»**

Glory be to Jesus Christ! Слава Ісусу Христу!

His Beatitude Sviatoslav has appealed for support for an important spiritual initiative, "Children Pray for Children", proposed by the Ukrainian women's organization "Soyuz Ukrayinok" (Ukrainian National Women's League), dedicated to World Children's Day (November 20).

The goal of this initiative is to unite children and adults in prayer for the children of Ukraine who have been affected and suffered from the war: those who have been killed, wounded, or forced to leave their homes, and especially for those who have been abducted and forcibly deported by Russian forces.

In this regard, please organize and offer a special prayer petition in your parishes for the children of Ukraine. We ask that this be done during one of the regular Divine Liturgies or services in November 2025, choosing a day convenient for your parish, such as the Sunday closest to November 20. Our prayer will become a powerful spiritual shield and will strengthen faith, hope, and love in the hearts of the Ukrainian people.

Блаженніший Святослав звернувся з проханням підтримати важливу духовну ініціативу від Всеукраїнської громадської організації «Союз українок» присвячену до Всесвітнього дня дитини (20 листопада) - «Діти моляться за дітей». Мета цієї акції — об'єднати дітей та дорослих у спільній молитві за дітей України, які постраждали від війни: тих, хто загинув, був поранений, змушений покинути рідний дім, а особливо — за тих, кого викрали та насильно депортували російські війська. У зв'язку з цим, просимо Вас, організувати та піднести у Ваших парафіях особливе молитовне прохання за дітей України. Просимо зробити це під час одного з регулярних богослужінь у листопаді 2025 року, обравши зручний для вашої парафії день, наприклад, у неділю, що найближча до 20 листопада. Наша спільна молитва стане потужним духовним щитом та зміцнить віру, надію і любов у серцях українського народу.

Thank you very much! Sincerely Yours, in Christ,

Most Rev. Andriy Rabi, Auxiliary Bishop

In response to the initiative of **His Beatitude Sviatoslav, "Children Pray for Children,"** our parish will hold a special prayer service **on Friday, November 21, at 6:30 p.m., prior to the 7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy for Feast of Entrance of the Mother of God to the Temple.**

We warmly invite all children and youth to come and take part in the Holy Rosary, which we will offer for the children of Ukraine. May our united prayers uplift the spirits of children who are suffering because of the war and bring them hope for a peaceful and brighter future. Let us pray together, trusting that the Lord hears the pure hearts of children and blesses our world with peace.

Діти моляться за дітей – Спільна молитва на вервиці

У відповідь на ініціативу Блаженнішого Святослава «Діти моляться за дітей», у нашій парафії відбудеться особлива молитовна зустріч **у п'ятницю, 21 листопада, о 18:30, перед Святою Літургією о 19:00**, з нагоди свята Входу у храм Пресвятої Богородиці. Щиро запрошуємо всіх дітей і молодь взяти участь у спільній молитві Святої Вервиці, яку ми присвяtimo за дітей України. Нехай наша спільна молитва піднесе дух дітей, які страждають від війни, і подарує їм надію на мирне та світле майбутнє. Молимося разом, вірячи, що Господь чує чисті серця дітей і благословляє наш світ Своїм миром.

No Show Ukrainian Park Fundraiser 2025

October 17, 2025 Dear Supporters of Ukrainian Park,

We are immensely grateful for your past generosity and are writing to you today to invite your support for our annual (No Show) Ukrainian Park Fundraiser.

Your continued financial support is essential to help us maintain and preserve the park as the prayerful, relaxing greenspace we have all enjoyed for years. Your contribution to this important event helps sustain Ukrainian Park Camp for current and future generations.

This year, the funds raised will go toward the restoration of our St. Volodymyr chapel. This unique chapel is a stunning example of traditional Ukrainian wood architecture and serves as a cultural and spiritual beacon for our community. Needed renovations include restoring the log exterior, repairing the cupola, and replacing the interior flooring—all while carefully preserving the building's precious heritage value.

Fundraiser Details

The Elimination Draw will take place on Wednesday, December 10, 2025, at the Archeparchy Chancery (233 Scotia Street).

Tickets are \$80.00 each, which guarantees your participation in the Elimination Draw for a chance to win \$1,000.

Your \$80.00 ticket includes a \$50 tax-deductible donation acknowledging your generous support for our park.

Draw-only tickets (with no donation portion) are also available for \$30.00 each.

Tickets are sold in each parish or email parkdirect@archeparchy.ca for more details.

Please return all sold and unsold tickets to the Archeparchy office by Monday, December 8, 2025.

On behalf of the Archeparchy, our Director, the Park Executive Board, and the children and youth who enjoy the park, we thank you for your vital financial support. We are also incredibly grateful to all the volunteers who generously offer their time and help. May the Lord bless your abundant generosity!

Sincerely, The Ukrainian Park Executive Board



THE FEAST OF THE ENTRANCE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (BVM) INTO THE TEMPLE (NOVEMBER 21)

The Feast of the Entrance of the Blessed Virgin Mary into the Temple is an ancient feast in the history and tradition of Christianity. Although this narrative is NOT found in the canons of Holy Scripture (Old and New Testaments), the Protoevangelium of James (apocryphal writing) is attributed to the Apostle St. James (beheaded by King Herod Agrippa I, circa 44 AD). This Protoevangelium speaks to the Birth of Mary, the Holy Mother of God and Very Glorious Mother of Jesus Christ. It is worthy of being read and believed to strengthen our faith.

According to tradition, St. Anne (the mother of the BVM) was unable to bear a child, especially because of her advanced age. Together with her husband, St. Joachim (also known as Ioachim), and through their devoted prayers, they were blessed with a daughter, Mary. St. Anne dedicated Mary to God in service at the Temple (Jerusalem) as a thanksgiving for His grace. The High Priest, St. Zacharias (the father of St. John the Baptist), received and brought the child into the Holy of Holies (where the Ark of the Covenant was kept). The Holy of Holies was a sacred part of the Temple reserved only for the High Priest and only on the Day of Atonement (the holiest day in Judaism, for atonement of sins and reconciliation with God). Moved by the Holy Spirit, St. Zacharias took the Blessed Virgin to the place where God dwelt on earth.

This short narrative centres on the birth and childhood of Our Lady, the Blessed Virgin Mary. From the very beginning, she was conceived through the power of God's will. God created her, and her parents prayed and consecrated Mary to His providence and power. Mary grew honouring the Father. Still, as a young teenager, Mary gave her fiat ("yes," Latin: "let it be done"), God became flesh and dwelt among us (John 1:14). Through her consent, she bore our Redeemer! She is **the Theotokos, in Greek, the God-bearer** (official doctrine of the Catholic Church through the Council of Ephesus, 431 AD). She was always "full of grace," with no place for sin (the Annunciation of the Birth of Christ to the Blessed Virgin Mary through the Archangel, St. Gabriel (Luke 1:28)).

The Blessed Virgin Mary's role in our faith is her intercessory power to her Son and to the Father. She is also the Co-Mediatrix for our salvation. Christ is the Saviour who redeemed our souls. The Virgin Mary is a Co-Mediatrix who guides us to her Son. She is always serving and devoted to Our Saviour, with her focus constantly on God, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit. By looking to Mary and seeking her intercession, the faithful can experience God's love and mercy in a profound way (praying the Mysteries of the Holy Rosary).

Our Mother always guides us toward Christ and the salvation he offers each of us. May we turn to her, pray for her intercession, and seek her prayers to the Holy Trinity. May we trust that she will stand by us throughout our lives, as we pray that she "pray for us and at the hour of our death."

The Protoevangelium of James (chapter VII, verse 2)

2 And the child became three years old, and Ioachim said: **Call for the daughters of the Hebrews that are undefiled, and let them take every one a lamp, and let them be burning, that the child turn not backward and her heart be taken captive away from the temple of the Lord. And they did so until they were gone up into the temple of the Lord. And the priest received her and kissed her and blessed her and said: The Lord hath magnified thy name among all generations: in thee in the latter days shall the Lord make manifest his redemption unto the children of Israel. And he made her to sit upon the third step of the altar. And the Lord put grace upon her and she danced with her feet and all the house of Israel loved her.**

Most Holy Theotokos, save us! Glory be to Jesus Christ! Glory be forever!

Pray the Rosary every day!

John (Ivas) Babick

Remembrance Day Service at our parish November 11th, 2025.

Lessons for us:

The Value of Peace

The greatest lesson of Remembrance Day is that peace is precious — and it never comes without cost. Those who fought in wars and peacekeeping missions gave their lives so that we might live in freedom and safety. “Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God.” — Matthew 5:9

The Power of Sacrifice and Love

Remembrance Day reminds us that true love often requires sacrifice. The soldiers who died did not know our faces, but they believed in our future. Their courage teaches us to give of ourselves — to serve, to help, and to love others without expecting reward. “No one has greater love than this, to lay down one’s life for one’s friends.” — John 15:13

Gratitude and Memory

We live in freedom because others paid the price. The new generation must never take peace and liberty for granted.

To remember means to keep alive the story of those who served — not only in our minds, but in our hearts and actions.

When we say “Lest we forget,” we promise never to forget their sacrifice and to live lives worthy of it.



Candle of Promise

Holodomor 1932-33

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

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.
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~ Luba Fedorkiw
~ Orysa Petryshyn



Bitter Memories of Childhood : Sculptor: Petro Drozdovsky
Manitoba Legislative Grounds



Mother and Child, Sculptor: Roman Kowal
Winnipeg City Hall

Ukrainian Canadian Congress - Manitoba Provincial Council

invites you to participate in the 92nd Anniversary Holodomor Commemorations

Конгрес Українців Канади - Манітобська Провінційна Рада

запрошує українську громаду Манітоби прийняти участь у відзначення 92-ї річниці великого Голодомору

November 10, 2025 7 p.m. ET – How to Hide a Famine: Holodomor as History and Heuristic Annual Toronto Ukrainian Famine Lecture by Dr. Henry Prown, on ZOOM or in person at the Campbell Conference Facility, Munk School, Toronto
<https://munkschool.utoronto.ca/event/how-hide-famine-holodomor-history-and-heuristic>

Dr. Henry Prown, the Temerty Postdoctoral Fellow in Holodomor Studies at University of Alberta (2022-25), is a specialist in the relationship between Stalinism and the US media in the 1930s. In his lecture, Dr. Prown will look at the dynamics of this Stalinist crime in the context of mass media manipulation in the Depression era. His lecture will shed light on how the Holodomor served as a precursor to further instances of genocidal state violence and denialist propaganda.

November 13 at 1 – 4 p.m. ET – Canadian Leadership on Holodomor Education and Awareness Town Hall in person at Delta Hotels Toronto Airport and Conference Centre with special guest presenters: Anne Applebaum; Olya Soroka, Chair, Ukrainian World Congress International Holodomor Awareness and Recognition Committee; Chair, Global Holodomor Descendants Network · Cowater International

[UCC Holodomor Awareness Committee Events - 1 Upcoming Activities and Tickets | Eventbrite](#)

Fri., November 21, 2025 - Holodomor Memorial Day in Schools. A downloadable pamphlet (French and English) is available online. For more information: <https://education.holodomor.ca/holodomor-memorial-day/>

Saturday, November 22, 2025 International Holodomor Famine Genocide Memorial Day

- **Holodomor commemoration ceremony and panachyda at Winipeg City Hall**
 - Honour guard – Plast, CYM, CYMK, students of Ukrainian Schools
 - Panachyda memorial service - Officiants: Ukrainian Orthodox and Ukrainian Catholic clergy
- Drive past or visit and/or lay a flower, wreath, or stalk of wheat at the Holodomor monuments
 - The *Mother and Child* monument in front of Winnipeg City Hall
 - The *Bitter Memories of Childhood* monument on the grounds of the Manitoba Legislature
- In recognition of the years 1932-33, communities will ring church bells and families will light candles of remembrance in their windows at 7:32 p.m. – 7:33 p.m. (19:32 – 19:33 hrs.) while observing a moment of silence. Post photos of lit candles together with your thoughts on social media

Sunday, November 23, 2025

- Attend Holodomor memorial Panachyda services and commemorative programs at participating Ukrainian churches or view virtual services on live stream or You Tube

Holodomor descendants are encouraged to register with the **Holodomor Descendants Network**

<https://hdn.ukrainianworldcongress.org/#>



SUNDAY LITURGY

9:00 a.m. Children's Catechism

9:30 a.m. Rosary

10:00 a.m. English/Ukrainian

Office Hours (Weds& Thurs.)

5:00 pm – 8:00 pm

CONFESSIONS Before Liturgies

BAPTISM By appointment

FUNERALS By arrangement

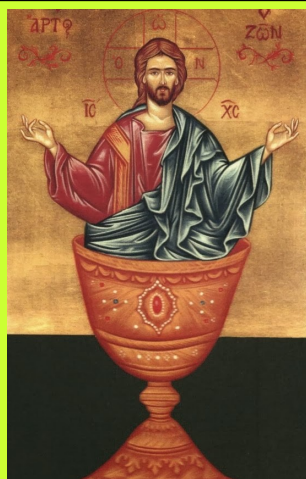
MARRIAGES: By appointment at least six months in advance

All our Church services are live-streamed to Facebook page and YouTube channel regularly. Photographs from special Parish events will be submitted to our website & other social media sources. If you have any questions or disagreements, please contact our Parish Office. Thank you for understanding. Respectfully ~ Fr. Mykhaylo



Basic Guidelines for Reception of Holy Communion

You are a member of the Catholic Church; You have participated in the Sacrament of Confession at least during the Easter or Christmas seasons this past year if not more frequently; You attend Divine Services regularly; Your lifestyle is consistent with the teaching of the Catholic Church; You have kept the Liturgical fast – no food at least one hour prior to the Divine Liturgy (water and medicine does not break the fast). You have been in church from the beginning of the service, or at least heard the Gospel. To the best of your ability, you are in the state of Grace. ***If for any of these or other reasons you cannot receive Holy Communion, you are welcome to come for a blessing. Please indicate to the priest that you would like to receive his blessing.*** For those who are divorced and living common-law the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist cannot be received. You are welcome to come for a blessing. (If you are divorced with a Church annulment, and remarried in the Church you are more than welcome to receive the Holy Sacraments.)



PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR: Dobrodiyka Olga, Ed T., David P, Stanley S, ALL UKRAINI-ANS in time of WAR, John S., Fran C, David P., Ed & Sylvia P., Ernie H, Mary P., Luba H., Jack M., Alexander Z., Virginia M., Mary I.Z., Bryce G, Alex Z., Shane M., Ruthie P., Ed T, Wayne G., Rose O. Tillie Z., Charlene G., Natalie B , Olga B... and all members of our parish family and those who are not able to join actively in our community, your families, relatives, friends, neighbors, governments and armed forces, especially the shut-in or those in the hospitals, traveling, working or studying, nursing and senior homes, seeking God's answer to their prayers or those rejoicing with God's answer; your spiritual fathers, those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries; those called to their eternal reward and for the family they leave behind; widows and widowers, orphans, homeless, those who love us and those who hate, use & hurt us; and all people who have asked us pray for them. Please, also in your kindness keep praying those daily for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Remember to ask for special blessings to all Christian families and yourselves! **REMINDER for families of individuals, who are admitted to hospital - If you or a family member is admitted to hospital and you wish to have a priest visit, please be sure to have someone call our parish rectory office to make this request. Your pastor may have no other way of knowing that you are in hospital, as per privacy legislation.**

