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Easter Parish Bulletin—Пасхальний Парафіяльний Вісник

May 17, 2026— 17 травня, 2026



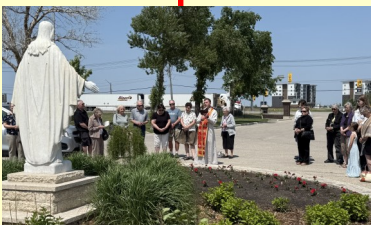
Glory be to Jesus Christ! My dear parishioners, Once again, I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to all 23 volunteers who traveled to Ukrainian Park to help with the renovation of the cabins and the demolition of the old grotto. Your hard work, sacrifice, and love for our Church and community are truly inspiring. A special thank you also goes to the Knights of Columbus and to everyone who financially supported these projects. We are truly blessed to have all of you as part of our parish family.

This coming Saturday is also a special day of remembrance, as we gather to pray for our departed loved ones before the Feast of Pentecost. They are not forgotten. Throughout the year we remember them in our prayers, and now we come together at the cemeteries to bless their graves. Saturday Schedule:

10:00 AM We will gather at the entrance to Chapel Lawn Cemetery, by the statue of Mother of God. A Panakhyda service will be served, after which Deacon Ivas and I will proceed individually to bless the graves of your loved ones at the Chapel Cemetery and Assumption Cemetery.

2:00 PM At Holy Family Cemetery, together with Bishop Andriy and the clergy, we will serve another Panakhyda. Following the service, we will continue blessing the graves of our parishioners at Holy Family Cemetery **and All Saints Cemetery.**

If you would like your family graves to be blessed, please notify us ahead of time or meet us at the cemetery. God bless you all. ~Fr. M



Слава Ісусу Христу! Дорогі парафіяни, ще раз хочу щиро подякувати всім 23 волонтерам, які приїхали до Українського парку допомагати з відновленням кабін та демонтажем старої гроти. Ваша праця, жертвенність і любов до Церкви та нашої спільноти є справді надихаючими.

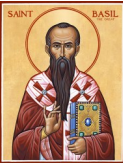
Особлива подяка також лицарям Колумба та всім, хто фінансово підтримав ці проекти. Ми справді благословенні мати вас у нашій парафіяльній родині.

Цієї суботи ми також матимемо особливий день пам'яті, коли збиратимемося на молитву за наших померлих рідних і близьких перед святом П'ятидесятниці. Вони не забуті. Протягом року ми молимося за них у церкві, а тепер разом зберемося на цвинтарях, щоби благословити їхні могили.

Розклад на суботу:

10:00 ранку Зустрічаємося при вході на цвинтар Chapel Lawn біля статуї Божої Матері. Буде відслужена Панахида, після якої разом з дияконом Івасом ми індивідуально благословлятимемо могили ваших рідних на цвинтарях Chapel Cemetery та Assumption Cemetery.

2:00 по обіді На Holy Family Cemetery разом з владикою Андрієм та духовенством буде відслужена Панахида. Після цього ми продовжимо благословення могил наших парафіян на цвинтарях Holy Family Cemetery та All Saints Cemetery. Якщо бажаєте, щоби могили ваших рідних були поблагословенні, просимо повідомити нас завчасно або зустрітись з нами на цвинтарі. З Богом! ~o. M



ST BASIL'S LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

	Time	Feast or Intention, requested by
May 17, Sunday of Nicean Fathers	9:30 AM 10:00 AM 2:30 PM 8:00 PM	Rosary Divine Liturgy Morden with Bishop Andriy Rosary—Jesus Prayer — Live stream on Facebook
May 18, Monday	8:00 PM	Happy long weekend! Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
May 19, Tuesday	9:00 AM 10:00 AM 8:00 PM	Divine Liturgy for the soul of Morley Luhowy by Greg Stebeleski Pastoral/Renewal Committee Meeting Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
May 20, Wednesday	9:00 AM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM 8:00 PM	Divine Liturgy for the soul of Morley Luhowy by Janis & Sernon Klassen LECTIO DIVINA MOLEBEN-MAHIVKA TO BVM Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
May 21, Thursday	9:00 AM 8:00 PM	Divine Liturgy for the soul of Morley Luhowy by anonymous Welcome Home Supper & Fellowship Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
May 22, Friday	9:00 AM 2:00 PM 7:00 PM 8:00 PM	Divine Liturgy for the soul of Victoria Margaret Makowski by Bill Makowski Panakhyda for the souls of +Steve & +Lavinia Nowak with burial MOLEBEN-MAHIVKA TO BVM Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
May 23, Saturday	10:00 AM 2:00 PM 8:00 PM	ANNUAL BLESSINGS OF THE GRAVES AT: CHAPEL LAWN CEMETERY (We will meet at the Statue of Blessed Virgin Mary at the entrance to the Cemetery) HOLY FAMILY CEMETERY & ALL SAINTS CEMETERY (Panakhyda with Bishop Andriy and then we will bless the graves upon request) Rosary—Jesus Prayer —Live stream on Facebook
May 24, Sunday of Feast of Pentecost — Свято Зіслання Святого Духа	9:30 AM 10:00 AM 2:30 PM 8:00 PM	Rosary Divine Liturgy Birthday blessing for Fr. Mykhaylo by Prayer Partner Morden for all parishioners Rosary—Jesus Prayer — Live stream on Facebook



[Next School of Catechism / Lectio Divina](#) will be **on WEDNESDAY, May 20** at 6:00 PM— Let's grow in our faith together. Also we still keep on our online Zoom meeting **Meeting ID: 860 6773 0650 Passcode: Jesus**



**God's Blessings for your
Happiest Birthday!!!
Adele Holunga (17) (80th)
Martin Nechwediuk (17),
Volodymyr Kostyuk (17),**

**Yaryna Levchuk (18),
Lillian Remillard (19),
Mary Lamont (20),
Yurii Zubrei (21),
Daniel Kohanchuk (22)**

МНОГАЯ ЛІТА !!!

Tatsa counters

May—Joanne Pitura, Wanda Prychitko &
Mariana Korbylo
June—Orest & Ariel Kulchyski and
Linda Gardner

Church Custodians

May—John & Geraldine Lamont
Dear Parishioners, Please contact me, Diane Pinuta
204-774-1350 to help clean the church for a month
in 2026



Ushers and Greeters Welcome

May 17—Tony Sklar & Jean Derhak
May 24—Phyllis Fedorchuk &
Ivanna Ratushna

Knowing Jesus is the best gift you can receive. 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!!!

**Yaroslav & Lesia Dukas (17)
Mervin & Cathy Cherewyk (18)
Ivan & Lesia Horodetski (19)
Volodymyr & Iryna Zakharovi(21)
Anthony & Dorothy Maksymchuk (22)
Drew & Lorelee Eldridge (22)**



**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 священника. Це буде завжди 3-тя неділя місяця. Epistle readers:
May 17—Lesia Dukas, May 24—Denys Lutsiv, May 31—Ed Yaskiw, June 7—Linda Labay



The Parish office is open according to this schedule:

- ⇒ **Wednesday (May 20) from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM**
- ⇒ **Thursday (May 21) from 5:30 PM to 8:30 PM.**
- ⇒ **Wednesday (May 27) from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM**
- ⇒ **Thursday (May 28) 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

SANCTUARY LIGHT burns eternally to indicate the presence of the Holy Eucharist. In the tabernacle.

For the souls of John & Anna Labay by Andy & Linda Labay & Family

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

Health & Blessings for Family



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 продуктового магазину; 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 YOUR LOVING HEART!**



PEROGIES FOR SALE

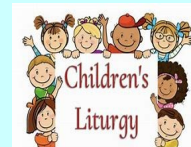
Please call Phyllis at 204-832-0175 to buy your perogies.

\$8.00 per dozen for potato & cheese



PRAYER VIGIL will be every first Tuesday in May, the Month of St Virgin Mary. Please pray with us!

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.



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 its needs and pastoral ministry."



A REMINDER TO ALL KNIGHTS MEMBERS of our upcoming

We will be preparing supper for The Welcome Home on Thursday May 21st for approx. 40 people. We will meet at 2:30 as the food needs to be delivered and served at 5:30. If you are able to assist in the preparation or the delivery your help would be appreciated.

Thank you. GK. Gerald / Gerry Skochyles

UKRAINIAN PARK RENOVATION May 8-9, 2026.

Dear friends, did you hear about the renovations at Ukrainian Park?

Last week, we officially launched the renovation project! Many materials have already been purchased, and this past Friday and Saturday, May 8-9, 23 faithful volunteers from St. Basil's Parish came together and worked incredibly hard to begin renewing Cabin "Kyiv" in the White Middle Hall.

So far, the team has:

- Patched & painted the walls
- installed new vinyl flooring
- installed new baseboards
- fixed and tightened all bunk beds

Next weekend, the volunteers will return to continue and complete the work! We are deeply grateful to St. Basil's Knights of Columbus, Ukrainian Catholic Women's League, and all St. Basil's parishioners for their generous financial support of this project.

A very special and heartfelt thank you goes to Metropolitan Lawrence and Bishop Andriy for their ongoing guidance, prayerful support, and blessings for this renewal project.

We would also like to express our sincere gratitude for the wonderful cooperation and support from the members of the Executive Board of Ukrainian Park. A special thank you goes to the director of the Ukrainian Park, Taras Veryha, for his tremendous help with the current project, including the super delicious meal prepared for all the volunteers. May God bless them all for their generosity, kindness, and dedication.



Sunday, May 17 Sunday of the Holy Fathers/Post-feast of Ascension/Ascension post-festive period

First Antiphon: All you peoples, clap your hands; shout to God with cries of gladness!.

Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

For the Lord, the Most High, the awesome, is the great king over all the earth.

Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

He brings people under us; nations under our feet.

Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

The Lord mounts his throne amid shouts of joy; the Lord amid trumpet blasts.

Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

Glory be . . . now and forever . . . : Only Begotten Son . . .

Third Antiphon: Regular 3rd Antiphon but with the following response:

Son of God, who ascended in glory, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!

Sunday 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.

Tropar of the Ascension, tone 4: You ascended in glory, O Christ our God;* You delighted the disciples with the promise of the Holy Spirit.* Through this blessing they were assured that You are the Son of God,* the Redeemer of the world.

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

Kondak of the Holy Fathers, tone 8: The preaching of the apostles and the decisions of the Fathers* have established the true faith of the Church* which she wears as the garment of truth* fashioned from the theology on high.* She justly governs and glorifies the great mystery of worship.

Prokimen, tone 4: Blessed are you, and praiseworthy, O Lord, the God of our fathers, and glorious forever is your name.

Verse: For you are just in all you have done.

Epistle: A reading from the Acts of the Apostles. (20: 16 - 18, 28 - 36)

In those days Paul had decided to sail past Ephesus so as not to lose time in Asia, for he was eager to get to Jerusalem by the feast of Pentecost if at all possible. Paul sent word from Miletus to Ephesus, summoning the presbyters of that church. When they came to him, he delivered this address: "Keep watch over yourselves, and over the whole flock the Holy Spirit has given you to guard. Shepherd the church of God, which he has acquired at the price of his own blood. I know that when I am gone, savage wolves will come among you who will not spare the flock. From your own number, men will present themselves distorting the truth and leading astray any who follow them. Be on guard, therefore. Do not forget that for three years, night and day, I never ceased warning you individually even to the point of tears. I commend you now to the Lord, and to that gracious word of his which can enlarge you, and give you a share among all who are consecrated to him. Never did I set my heart on anyone's silver or gold or envy the way he dressed. You yourselves know that these hands of mine have served both my needs and those of my companions. I have always pointed out to you that is by such hard work that you must help the weak. You need to recall the words of the Lord Jesus himself, who said: 'There is more happiness in giving than receiving.' "

Alleluia Verses: The Lord, God of gods, speaks, he summons the earth from east to west.

Assemble my faithful before me who sealed my covenant by sacrifice.

Gospel: John 17: 1 - 13: At that time Jesus looked up to heaven and said: "Father, the hour has come! Give glory to your Son that your Son may give glory to you, inasmuch as you have given him authority over all mankind, that he may bestow eternal life on those you gave him. Eternal life is this, to know you, the only true God, and him whom you have sent, Jesus Christ. I have given you glory on earth by finishing the work you gave me to do. Do you now, Father, give me glory at your side, a glory I had with you before the world began. I have made your name known to those you gave me out of the world. These men you gave me were yours; they have kept your word. Now they realize that all that you gave me comes from you. I entrusted to them the message you entrusted to me. They have known that in truth I came from you, they have believed it was you who sent me. For these I pray -- not for the world but for these you have given me, for they are really yours. Just as all that belongs to me is yours, so all that belongs to you is mine. It is in them that I have been glorified. I am in the world no more, but these are in the world as I come to you. O Father most holy, protect them with your name which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. As long as I was with them, I guarded them with your name which you gave me. I kept careful watch, and not one of them was lost, none but him who was destined to be lost -- in fulfillment of Scripture. Now, however, I come to you; I say all this while I am still in the world that they may share my joy completely."

O my soul, extol the Lord* who in glory ascended bodily into heaven.* O Mother of God,* who in a manner beyond understanding and beyond words* gave birth to Him* whom time cannot contain,* we the faithful magnify you* with one accord..

Communion Hymn: Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. Exult, you just, in the Lord; praise from the upright is fitting. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens; above all the earth be your glory.

Неділя, 17 травня **Неділя Святих Отців/Попразденьство Вознесіння/Попразденство Вознесення**

Перший Антифон: Всі народи заплещіте руками, воскликніть Богові голосом радості.

Молитвами Богородиці, Спасе, спаси нас.

Бо Господь Всевишній страшний, цар великий по всій землі.

Молитвами Богородиці, Спасе, спаси нас.

Він покорив людей нам, і народи під ноги наші.

Молитвами Богородиці, Спасе, спаси нас.

Зійшов Бог під оклики веселі, Господь під голос сурми.

Молитвами Богородиці, Спасе, спаси нас.

Слава . . . : і нині . . . ; Єдинородний Сину . . .

Третій Антифон: Звичайний 3-ій антифон, але з цим припівом:

Спаси нас, Сину Божий, що вознісся у славі, співаємо тобі: Аلیلуя!

Тропар воскресний,, глас 6: Ангельські сили на гробі Твоім,* 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!

Тропар Вознесіння, глас 4: Вознісся Ти в славі, Христе Боже наш* учинивши учням радість, обітуванням

Святого Духа,* і скріпив їх Твоім благословенням,* бо Ти Син Божий, Визволитель світу.

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

Кондак Отців, глас 8: Апостолів проповідування і Отців* догмати єдину віру утвердили церкві,* яка і, ризи істини з богословія вишнього носячи,* право править і славить благочестя* велике таїнство.

Прокімен, глас 4: Благословен еси, Господи Боже Отців наших, і хвальне і прославлене ім'я Твоє повіки.

Стих: Бо праведний Ти всьому, що сотворив Ти нам.

Апостол: Діянь Святих Апостолів Читання. (16: 16 - 18, 28 - 36)

Тими днями Павло вирішив плисти попри Ефес, щоб не баритися в Азії; поспішав бо, щоб, по змозі, на день П'ятдесятниці бути в Єрусалимі. З Мілету він послав у Ефес і прикликав пресвітерів Церкви.

Коли ж вони прийшли до нього, він до них промовив: "Зважайте на самих себе й на все стадо, над яким Дух Святий поставив вас єпископами, щоб пасли Церкву Божу, що її він придбав кров'ю власною. Я знаю, що по моїм відході ввійдуть поміж вас самих вовки хижі, які не щадитимуть стада.

Та й з-поміж вас самих повстануть люди, що говоритимуть погубні речі, щоб потягнути за собою учнів. Тому чуйте, пригадуйте собі, що я три роки, ніч і день, не переставав кожного з вас із сльозами наводити на розум. А тепер передаю вас Богові і слову його благодаті, що може збудувати й

дати вам спадщину між усіма освяченими. Ні срібла, ні золота, ані одежі я не вимагав ні від кого. Ви самі знаєте, що моїм потребам і тих, які зо мною, служили оці руки. У всьому я показав вам, що, так працюючи, треба допомагати слабосильним і пам'ятати слова Господа Ісуса, що сам сказав: 'Більше шастя давати, ніж брати.' "Промовивши це, він упав на коліна і з усіма ними почав молитися.

Стихи на Алілуя: Бог богів Господь промовив, і призвав землю від сходу сонця до заходу.

Зберуть йому преподобних його, що заповідають завіт його в жертвах.

Євангелія: Від Івана 17: 1 - 13

В той час Ісус, підвівши очі до неба, сказав: "Отче, прийшла година. Прослав свого Сина, щоб Син твій тебе прославив, згідно з владою, яку ти дав йому над усім тілом: дати життя вічне тим, яких ти дав йому. Це вічне життя, щоб пізнали тебе, єдиного істинного Бога, та Ісуса Христа, якого ти послав. Я прославив тебе на землі: виконав діло, яке ти дав мені виконати. Тепер, отже, прослав мене, Отче, у себе, тією славою, яку я мав у тебе, перше ніж постав світ. Я об'явив твоє імя людям, яких ти дав мені зо світу. Вони були твої, і ти дав їх мені, і вони зберегли твоє слово. Тепер вони зрозуміли, що все, що ти дав мені, від тебе походить; слова бо, що ти дав мені, я дав їм, і вони прийняли і справді зрозуміли, що я від тебе вийшов, і увірували, що ти мене послав. Я молюся за них, не за світ молюся, а за тих, яких ти дав мені, бо вони твої. І все моє - твоє, а твоє - моє, і я прославився в них. Я більше не у світі, але вони у світі, і йду до тебе. Отче святий, ради імени твого бережи їх, тих, яких ти дав мені, щоб вони були одно, як і ми. Коли я був з ними у світі, я беріг їх у твоє імя; я стеріг тих, яких ти дав мені, і ніхто з них не погіб, крім сина погібелі, щоб збулося Писання. Тепер же йду до тебе і говорю це у світі, щоб вони мали у собі радість мою повну."

Величай, душе моя, Господа,* що з плоттю во славі вознісся на небеса.* Тебе вище ума і слова* Матір Божу,* що в часі безлітнього несказанно родила,* вірні однодумно величаємо.

Причастин: Хваліте Господа з небес, хваліте Його на висотах.

Радуйтеся, праведні, в Господі, правим належить похвала. Алілуя! Алілуя! Алілуя!

Вознесися на небеса, Боже, і по всій землі нехай буде слава Твоя.



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MAY 21 @ 6:00PM.
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Шановні Друзі!

За встановленою традицією, 21 травня, буде проводитися Всесвітній День Вишиванки, покликаний об'єднати Українців на всіх Континентах та пригадати народам Світу про Україну, її традиції та звитяжну боротьбу Народу за збереження нашої Нації і Державності!
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Вінніпегу на який Вас Щиро Запрошуємо!

Збираємось о 18.00, біля пам'ятника Т.Шевченка або у приміщенні Парламенту.

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Одягти Вишиванки (бажано на цілий день, зробити фото і помістити у мережу)

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Також (в залежності від погоди) у відзначення 20-ї річниці започаткування Дня Вишиванки, плануємо **ВИШИВАНУ ХОДУ** від місця збору до Human Rights Museum.

Окупація тимчасова – Вишиванка Вічна! Слава Україні!

Dear Friends!

Following established tradition, on May 21 we will celebrate World Vyshyvanka Day, intended to unite Ukrainians on all continents and remind the peoples of the world about Ukraine, its traditions, and the heroic struggle of our people to preserve our nation and statehood!

“SCORCHED BY WAR, BUT NOT DEFEATED!” — is the slogan of Vyshyvanka Day in Winnipeg, to which we sincerely invite you!

We will gather at 6:00 PM near the monument to Taras Shevchenko or inside the Legislature building.

We ask you to:

Wear vyshyvankas (preferably for the entire day),

take photos, and post them online.

Bring embroidered rushnyky, flags, patriotic posters, and other items.

Decorate your vehicles with Ukrainian symbols.

Also, weather permitting, in honour of the 20th anniversary of the founding of Vyshyvanka Day, we are planning an **EMBROIDERED MARCH** from the gathering place to the Human Rights Museum.

The occupation is temporary — the Vyshyvanka is eternal! Glory to Ukraine!



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Registration for **St. Basil the Great Parish Summer Camp 2026** is now open and available **online only!** Spots are limited, so we encourage you to register early.

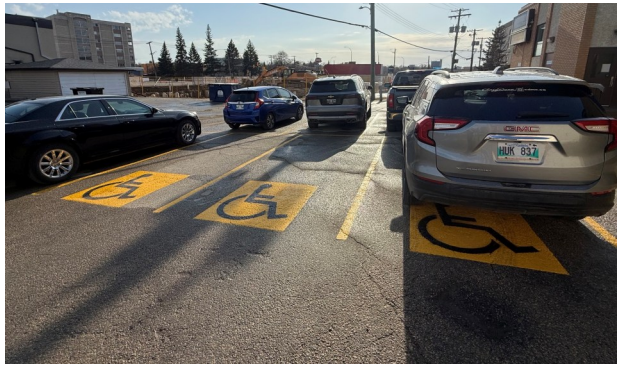
*Реєстрація на Літній табір при парафії св. Василя Великого 2026 вже відкрита і лише **ОНЛАЙН!** Кількість місць обмежена, тому просимо реєструватися завчасно.*



THANK YOU TO Dennis Glowa

on behalf of St Basil
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lot!

Your time, dedication, and loving hands are
such a blessing to our parish community. We are
deeply grateful for your hard work.
May God bless you for your generous helping!



A very special thank you goes to Amanda Downie from the
Social Committee for organizing another successful plant fund-
raiser to support our church's needs.

Amanda, thank you for all your hard work, dedication, and contri-
bution toward this wonderful project, as well as to all supporters
who helped make it possible.

May God bless you all abundantly!

And may your gardens always remind you not only of beauty and
growth, but also of your spiritual home and the blessings of our
parish family.



Grotto of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Ukrainina Park

For many decades, the grotto of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Ukrainian Park has been a sacred place for generations of campers. It was a place where children began their day with prayer, and where many ended their evenings quietly placing their hearts, joys, fears, and hopes into the hands of the Mother of God.

So many prayers were offered there: prayers of gratitude, prayers for help, prayers for families, prayers through tears and joy, prayers of thanksgiving and hope.

Over the years, the grotto became more than simply stones and structure — it became a place of peace and encounter with God through the loving intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Now the time has come for the Mother of God to receive a new grotto.

After prayer and with the help of the Knights of Columbus of St. Basil's Council and many volunteers, the old grotto was carefully dismantled. The stones were not discarded. Instead, they were respectfully placed beside the chapel, helping strengthen and protect the ground near the creek where erosion had begun to threaten the chapel foundation.

In a beautiful way, the grotto continues its mission: what once surrounded the Mother of God now protects the chapel itself.

Temporarily, we will prepare a simple prayer space for the camp season so that children may continue to gather in prayer through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

And in the near future, we hope to build a new grotto — because the Mother of God deserves not our leftovers, but the very best we can offer with love and faith.

Please stay tuned for future updates and continue to keep this project in your prayers. *Fr. Mykhaylo*



Perogy Supper

FRIDAY, MAY 29th, 2026

From 4 to 7 p.m.



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Христос Воскрес! Christ is Risen!

Canadian Council of Churches Meeting Session at Sts. Volodymyr & Olha Cathedral
We are excited to share that Winnipeg will host the Canadian Council of Churches (CCC) Executive Board meeting from May 20–22, 2026. During this time, the Council will be convening several meetings to discuss critical issues, including a significant focus on the current situation in Ukraine and how the Council can best provide support and advocacy at this time. The Executive Board warmly invites the public to join them for a special evening session hosted **at our Cathedral on Thursday, May 21, 2026 at 7:00 PM.**

Program Agenda:

7:00 PM – 8:00 PM: Panel Discussion – Canada, Ukraine, and the Present Crisis A panel of distinguished guests will share insights on the current state of Canada-Ukraine relations, humanitarian aid efforts, assistance for newly arrived Ukrainians in Manitoba, and the religious situation in Ukraine during the war: Mr. Ihor Mychalchyshyn, Former CEO of the Ukrainian Canadian Congress Ms. Joanne Lewandosky, President of the Ukrainian Canadian Congress – Manitoba Most Rev. Andriy Rabyi, Auxiliary Bishop of the Archeparchy of Winnipeg
8:00 PM – 8:30 PM: The Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada: Metropolitan Lawrence Huculak will offer a reflection on the history and significant milestones of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada.

Closing: The evening will conclude with the Prayer of the Ninth Hour. All presentations and discussions will be conducted in English. We encourage all parishioners and members of the community to attend this insightful evening of dialogue and prayer.

All are welcome.

Sincerely,
Most Rev. Andriy Rabyi
Auxiliary Bishop
Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of
Winnipeg

The Ascension of Our Lord, God and Saviour, Jesus Christ (Forty Days after Pascha)

The Ascension of Our Lord, God and Saviour, Jesus Christ, is a Holy Day of Obligation (attending Divine Liturgy and receiving the Holy Eucharist). It is a movable Feast celebrated forty days after Pascha Sunday (the Resurrection of Our Lord) and always falls on a Thursday. The

Ascension of Our Lord brings the glorious Paschal Season to a close.

On this day, the Son of God is raised to Heaven, body and spirit, and returns to His eternal Kingdom of Heaven. Christ's Ascension brings to an end the presence of the 'historical Jesus' (His life on earth). However, although He is taken to heaven, this day inaugurates His one and only Church, the living presence known as the Body of Christ (Our Saviour being the Head of the Church).

This day is a day of triumph and victory! Christ returns to heaven as a conqueror! He does not abandon us but sits at the right hand of the Father as Redeemer and Mediator. It is on this feast day that Jesus Christ promises to return for His Second Coming, the sending of the Holy Spirit (Pentecost), but most importantly, that He will be with all the faithful even to the end of time!

The Ascension Jesus Christ: "So when the apostles were with Jesus, they kept asking him, "Lord, has the time come for you to free Israel and restore our kingdom?" He replied, "The Father alone has the authority to set those dates and times, and they are not for you to know. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere—in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." After saying this, he was taken up into a cloud while they were watching, and they could no longer see him. As they strained to see him rising into heaven, two white-robed men suddenly stood among them. "Men of Galilee," they said, "why are you standing here staring into heaven? Jesus has been taken from you into heaven, but someday he will return from heaven in the same way you saw him go!" (Acts 1:6-11)

What does that mean for us, Ukrainian Greek Catholics, today (among the other faithful)? The Ascension is primarily about HOPE. Through the love of God, the Father, He sent His only Son to become human and dwell among us. Jesus Christ's salvific actions through His Passion, death, and Resurrection have purchased for us eternal life... the chains and bondage of sin no longer bind us to death. In Christ, we have eternal salvation if we choose it. Jesus' Ascension is the promise of what we shall experience if we strive to accomplish God's will, which is our salvation. As Christ rose into heaven, so shall we! We HOPE in the Father's grace and the Saviour's love that we may spend eternity with Him in His Kingdom.

May the Feast of the Ascension bring you peace, faith, love, and hope! Trust in God's will for your eternal soul. Pray and ask for His grace and mercy. Believe and hope that you may be blessed with eternal rest among the just, where there is no pain, tears, or sorrow!

Kontakion for the Feast: "When You had fulfilled Your plans for us, and united things on earth with those in heaven. You ascended in glory, O Christ our God. In no way distant, but remaining inseparable. You cried to those who love You: I am with you and there is none **against you.**"

Glory be to Jesus Christ! Glory be forever!

Rev. Dcn. John (Ivas) Babick

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, Dobrodiyka Tillie Z., Ed T., Stanley S, ALL UKRAINIANS in time of WAR, John S., Fran C, David K., Ed & Sylvia P., Mary P., Luba H., Jack M., Alexander Z., Virginia M., Mary I.Z., Bryce G, Alex Z., Shane M., Ruthie P., Ed T, Rose O., Charlene G., Adele H., Frances Y., Marilynn S., Jason D., David & Helen K ., Stella B., Adele G., Wayne G., Natalie 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.**

