

# St. Joseph's

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

### Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

Served by the Ukrainian Catholic Redemptorists

### ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH OFFICE & MONASTERY

250 Jefferson Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba R2V 0M6

### **HOURS ~ MONDAY TO FRIDAY**

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

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### BLESSED VASYL VELYCHKOVSKY NATIONAL MARTYR'S SHRINE Shrine | Museum | Gift Shop

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### **Sunday Divine Liturgy Schedule**

Saturday 4:00 P.M. Great Vespers Saturday 5:00 P.M. (ENG) Sunday 9:00 A.M (UKR & ENG) 11:00 A.M. (ENG)

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



Dear Parishioners.

Today, September 1, our Church celebrates the New Church Year. Our church calendar follows the ancient Greek secular calendar which had New Year's Day as the beginning of September. With that our liturgical cycle begins again. The church offers us important days throughout the year to help us become more aware of God's tremendous love for us as we celebrate the events of Jesus' life and that of his mother the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Our first major feast day will be next Sunday - the Nativity of the Mother of God. The church marks every day of the year with some event of the life of Jesus and Mary, or the commemoration of some saint. The saints, people like us, are given to us as examples of true Christian lives for us to be inspired and to follow.

With the new church year, we at St. Joseph's begin our year's cycle and community life. I invite all those who have not come to church for a long time to make that effort to make Sunday a day for the Lord and a day for our church community. There are so many needs that we have as a parish. One physical need is to pay for our new furnace. We will need fundraisers and other projects to raise the funds for this necessary improvement to our physical structure. We need people who would volunteer for our maintenance committee. We need people who can become hall managers when we have some outside event, especially involving the kitchen. We need more volunteers for our catechism program, to establish a youth program, and many other community building projects that are possible. We could have more cantors/singers to animate our Divine Liturgies. We definitely need some "techies" to monitor our online productions during the Services. Our parish has been blessed with the influx of new immigrants from Ukraine who are making St. Joseph's their spiritual home. They bring new life to our parish. May we welcome them warmly and involve them in the life of our parish.

I am hoping to establish more formal English language courses for our new-comers from Ukraine. We need an ESL teacher (paid position) to conduct these classes. Please contact me if you are interested and available for this part-time position (three evenings a week).

Our parish Praznyk will be Sunday September 22, when we will have one Liturgy at 10 am followed by a meal. Plan to attend.

I welcome all of you back after your summer vacation. May we have a spirit-filled, holy, and community building church year!

Fr. John

# **Deepest Sympathy**

Condolences are extended to the family and friends of the late +James (Jim) Keller

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

# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO OPERATE THE LIVE STREAM SYSTEM FOR DIVINE LITURGIES

Are you interested in photography, videography or technology in general, and are able to volunteer some of your time to St. Joseph's church. We are in need of a few volunteers to operate the Live Streaming system for Divine Liturgies. Training on the system operation will be provided.

Please contact Michael Dudar at 431-997-3816 to discuss this exciting opportunity.

# Glory to Jesus Christ!

# Слава Ісусу Христу!

### 15th Sunday after Pentecost

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
-	5:00 pm	Divine Liturgy
Sunday	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Ukr. & Eng.)
-	11:00 am	Divine Liturgy (English)

YouTube - St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church Winnipeg

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

YouTube - Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

# Upcoming Events at St. Joseph's

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Sunday	September 1	9:00 am 11:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian & English) Divine Liturgy (English)
Monday	September 2	Labour Day	Office Closed
Wednesday	September 4	1:30 pm 7:00 pm	Rosary for Ukraine Blessed Vasyl Devotions
Thursday	September 5	7:00 pm	K of C Planning Meeting
Saturday	September 7	4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Great Vespers Divine Liturgy (English)
Sunday	September 8	9:00 am 11:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian & English) Divine Liturgy (English)



# Save the Date!!!

The parish Praznyk will be held on Sunday, September 22, 2024 Divine Liturgy at 10:00 am with the blessing of water Followed by a parish luncheon

# ST. JOE'S PEROGY BEE

## Next Perogy Bee is September 10th and 11th!

It's that wonderful time of year again! Our next perogy bee will be September 10th and 11th, 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 to ensure enough volunteers are available to fill each order. Orders will be taken to a maximum of 350 dozen as to not overwhelm our precious and valued volunteers!

# **Fall Supper Outing**

St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church is organizing a Bus Trip to Pansy for their Fall Supper on Sunday September 8, 2024. Pick up will be 12 pm at St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church (250 Jefferson Ave.).

Cost is \$40 and includes the bus, meal and gratuity for the driver. We will be travelling in a comfortable Beaver Motor Coach equipped with air conditioning, reclining seats and a washroom onboard. Payments can be made by cash, cheque or e-transfer (call Michelle to inquire for payments). Spaces are limited so please book early to not miss your chance.

Please call Michelle Blanchard at 204-230-3287 or Ollie Szutiak at 204-334-0858 for any questions or to make a payment.



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# **Epistle Volunteers Needed!**

There is a shortage of Epistle readers, especially for the Sunday 9:00 a.m. Ukrainian Divine Liturgy.

Please consider assisting this very important ministry and share the word of God.

Kindly contact Joanne Malenko at: 204-669-8291 or Via email: malenkaj@mts.net



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# RAISE THE TEMP BOILER FUND

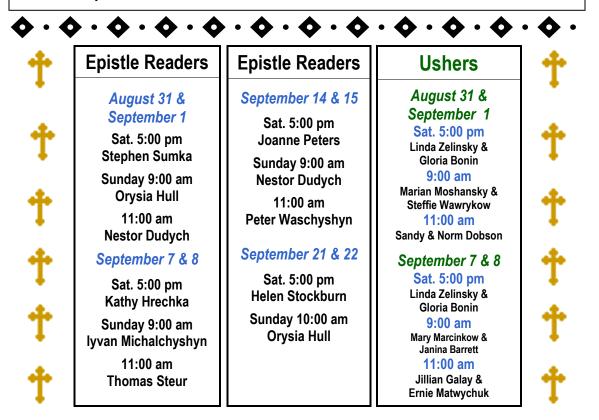
To date we have raised \$52,740.00 towards our fundraising goal of \$150,000.

We offer a big THANK YOU to those who have contributed to the fund, but we still have a long way to go to meet our target.

Please help us reach our fundraising goal, by making a donation to the Boiler Fund.

Donation Envelopes are available in the church. If paying by cheque please make them payable to

St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church with "Boiler Fund" in the memo line



# **English Language Employment Opportunity**

St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church is hoping to establish a more formal English language course for our new-comers from Ukraine. We are looking to hire a part-time (three evenings per week) ESL (English as a Second Language) teacher in a paid position to conduct these classes. ESL certificate is a requirement.

Please contact Fr. John Sianchuk at: (204) 792-2284 for more information or to express your interest in this position.



### Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

will take place on Saturdays & Sundays before Divine Liturgy.

# Prayers for the Sick Please Pray For: Joanna Amer

Ed Faseruk
Margaret Fedorchuk
Orest Fedorchuk
Micheal Homeniuk
John Hykawy
Corinne Kowpak
Patti Leganchuk
Jennifer Lewak
Haley Norman
Steve Prokop
Helen Stockburn
Alicia Topor
Chris Topor
Lesia Whyte
Kolia Winchar

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.

Mary Woytowich

# A Note From the Parish Office

Due to the recent merger of Access Credit Union and Carpathia Credit Union, we are in the process of changes in our banking system in compliance with updates set out by Access.

As such for those of you on Automatic Withdrawals, we are currently unable to access these donations. You may wish to consider E-Transfers or post-dated cheques.

E-Transfers are now available and no security question is required due to automatic deposit. They may be sent to the office email address:

### office@stjosephukrwinnipeg.ca

We thank you for your patience and understanding.

# 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.



### Sunday Collection August 18, 2024

Sunday Collection \$2,555 Open Collection \$75 Vigil Lamps \$105.45

### Raise the Temp Fundraiser

Capital Building \$520

## Sunday Collection August 25, 2024

Sunday Collection \$2,380 Open Collection \$35 Vigil Lamps \$97.40

Thank you for your support

# Save the Date!

Monday September16<sup>th</sup> starting at 9:00 a.m. for church cleaning.

Please consider sharing your time and talents as we prepare the church for Praznyk to be held on Sunday, September 22nd.



# **Coffee Klach**

will begin again on Sunday September 8th following both Divine Liturgies.

Donations of baking are always welcome and volunteers are needed throughout the year.

There will be a volunteer sign up sheet each Sunday in the hall to pick the dates that work best for you.



Divine	Liturgy I	Intentions & Scripture Readings	September 1 ~ 8
Septembe	<b>r1 ~</b> 15th Sun	day after Pentecost New Ecclesiastical Year	2 Cor. 4:6-15 ~ Matt. 22:35-46
Saturday	5:00 pm	God's Blessings & Health for Frances Cropley	Darlene & Duane Dahl
Sunday	9:00 am	For Our Parishioners	
	11:00 am	+Taras Sokolyk	Janice & Michael Sokolyk
September 2 ~ Martyr Mannas		Gal. 4:28-5:10 ~ Mark 6:54-7:8	
Monday	8:00 am	In reparation for all abortions	Denise
September 3 ~ Priest Martyr Anthumus		Gal. 5:11-21 ~ Mark 7:5-16	
Tuesday	8:00 am	God's Blessings on Olga Strashok	Auntie Olga Strashok
September 4 ~ Priest Martyr Babylas		Gal. 6:2-10 ~ Mark 7:14-24	
Wednesda	y 8:00 am	God's Blessings and Health for Oksana Galysh	Ivan Galysh
September 5 ~ Prophet Zachary		Eph. 1:1-9 ~ Mark 7:24-30	
Thursday	8:00 am	+Anthony Sianchuk	Gaylene
September 6 ~ Miracle by Archangel Michael		Eph. 1:7-17 ~ Mark 8:1-10	
Friday	8:00 am	+Josie Macsymach	Stella Halldorson & Family
September 7 ~ Saturday before the Exaltation			1 Cor. 2:6-9 ~ Matt. 10:37-11:1
Saturday	8:30 am	For Israel, Ukraine & Taiwan	Denise
	5:00 pm	God's Blessings & Health for Mary & John Hykawy	Darlene & Duane Dahl
September 8 ~ Sunday before the Exaltation Nativity of the Mother of God Gal. 6:11-18 ~ John 3:13			
Sunday	9:00 am	For Our Parishioners	
	11:00 am	Health of Helen Stockburn & Steve Prokop	Anne Kalyniuk



# 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 Incamation, Passion, Death & Resurrection of Your Son, Jesus, Our Redeemer. Help us to receive and accept the Light of Christ present in your arms. Mary, we present our needs to you and ask that you place them in the hands of your Son. Most Holy Mother of God, Our Mother of Perpetual Help, save us. Amen

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