



St. Joseph's

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

Served by the Ukrainian Catholic Redemptorists

ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH OFFICE & MONASTERY

250 Jefferson Avenue
Winnipeg, Manitoba R2V 0M6

HOURS ~ MONDAY TO FRIDAY

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Closed - 12:00 p.m. to

1:00 p.m. for lunch

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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BLESSED VASYL VEYCHKOVSKY NATIONAL MARTYR'S SHRINE

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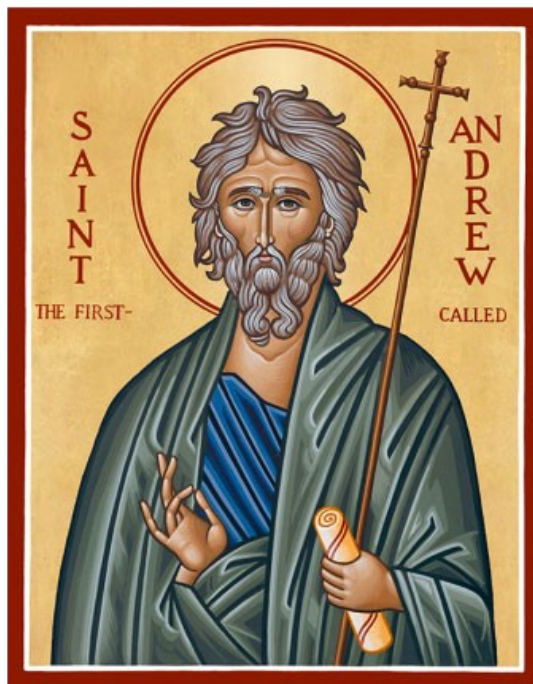
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Sunday Divine Liturgy Schedule

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.

*From the
Pastor's
Desk*



Dear Parishioners:

This weekend our Ukrainian community is commemorating the Holodomor, the forced famine in 1932-33 that caused the starvation of almost a million of Ukrainians. The desire of the Russians to dominate Ukraine still continues to today. We commemorated this with an ecumenical Moleben, celebrated by both the Orthodox and Catholics at City Hall on Saturday 1pm. I would ask that, if possible, light a candle in your homes this weekend to remember and to pray for all who have died because of this famine. May we never forget. May they be in the hands of God.

In this time of the church years, we celebrate the feast of the "Entrance into the Temple of the Mother of God". The one who the Lord had chosen is brought to the Holy Place (the Temple), but it is she who brings holiness to the Temple and sanctifies it by the presence of the Holy Spirit within her. When we allow the Blessed Mother to be part of our life and our mentality, then she also brings this holiness to us. We become holy through the grace that she brings to us from the Holy Trinity. May we always welcome her.

Again a big thank you to all who came and volunteered at another successful perogy bee. It is good to see the fellowship and the co-operation that exists in this community-building event. At this fundraiser, the Winnipeg Free Press was present to do a story on our parish. The article should be in next Saturday's Free Press (November 30).

Our Archeparchy will have a new priest. Proto-deacon Stefan Tyrawski, who has been a Deacon in our Archeparchy for the past 38 years and who has deaconed on many occasions in our parish, will be ordained to the priesthood on Saturday, December 7, at 12 noon in our Cathedral. All are welcome. A reception will follow. Tickets will be necessary for the reception. Details in this bulletin.

In the next few weeks, there is much happening in our parish - preparation for the Yarmarok (Dec. 14), UCWLC preparation of holubtsi, English classes for the Ukrainians, St. Nicholas celebrations (Dec 15), church cleaning (Dec. 9) and all the other preparations for the Christmas season. It is good for us to work together for the good of our parish community.

This coming week, we Redemptorists welcome our Provincial from Toronto, Very Rev. Santo Arrigo, C.Ss.R. He will spend the week with us to come to know the various ministries that we are doing here in Winnipeg - our ministry in St. Joe's, Shrine ministry, Welcome Home, Redemptorist community life, Holy Family Nursing Home ministry, and our help in the various other parishes. He'll be here Sunday through Friday. Please welcome him.
Fr. John

SAVE THE DATE!!!

CHRISTMAS YARMAROK ~ BAZAAR

***In Support of St. Joseph's Boiler Fund and for
Medical Supplies for Ukraine***

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2024

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Craft, Miscellaneous Goods, and Ukrainian Food and Bake Sale
Admission: Adults \$1.00 / Children Free

Anyone wishing to donate baked items for the Bake Sale portion of the Yarmarok, all donations will be greatly appreciated as the funds will be allocated to the boiler fund and Ukraine for medical supplies. Please bring your items to the church hall on Friday, December 13th between 10 am and 5 pm.



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Glory to Jesus Christ!

Слава Ісусу Христу!

27th Sunday after Pentecost

The Redemptorists and parishioners of St. Joseph's extend a warm welcome to all. Thank you for worshipping with us.



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| 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

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

YouTube - Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine

A Divine Liturgy will be celebrated for the good health and speedy recovery of Metropolitan Lawrence by Bishop Andriy and clergy on Friday, December 6, 2024, at 7:00 PM. The service will take place at St. Anne's Ukrainian Catholic Parish, located at 35 Marcie Street.



The St. Joseph branch of the Ukrainian Catholic Women's League of Canada is currently accepting renewal memberships for the year 2025. The cost is \$25.00. Cheques may be sent to Olga Szutiak, 35 Woodcrest Avenue, Winnipeg, R2V 2T1, payable to UCWLC - St. Joseph Branch.

Upcoming Events at St. Joseph's

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| Sunday | November 24 | 9:00 am | Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian & English) |
| | | 10:00 am | Catechism Classes |
| | | 11:00 am | Divine Liturgy (English) |
| Monday | November 25 | 7:00 pm | Parish Council Meeting |
| Tuesday | November 26 | 7:00 pm | English Classes |
| Wednesday | November 20 | 1:30 pm | Rosary for Ukraine |
| | | 7:00 pm | Blessed VasyI Devotions |
| | | 7:00 pm | English Classes |
| Friday | November 29 | 7:00 pm | English Classes |
| Saturday | November 30 | 4:00 pm | Great Vespers |
| | | 5:00 pm | Divine Liturgy (English) |
| Sunday | December 1 | 9:00 am | Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian & English) |
| | | 10:00 am | Catechism Classes |
| | | 11:00 am | Divine Liturgy (English) |

Save the Date!

Church Cleaning in preparation for
Christmas
Monday, December 9th at 10:00 a.m.



Coffee Klatch

Today following both Divine
Liturgies.

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



Members of St. Joseph's UCWLC

Pre-ordered uncooked
holubtsi are to
be picked up on

Friday, December 6th
in the church hall.

Order pick-up between
2:00 pm and 5:30 pm

*****PLEASE NOTE WE ARE AT
MAXIMUM ORDERS AND
ARE UNABLE TO TAKE
ANYMORE*****

Thank you for supporting our fundraiser.



Candle of Promise

Holodomor 1932-33

Шанувати пам'ять невинних жертв Голодомору.
Визнати 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.
Vichna Yim Pamyat ©.

~ Luba Fedorkiw
~ Orysa Petryshyn



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 November 17, 2024

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| Sunday Collection | \$3,831 |
| Open Collection | \$75 |
| Vigil Lamps | \$97 |
| Christmas Flowers | \$20 |
| Holy Spirit Seminary | \$100 |

Capital Building

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| Boiler Fund Donations | \$1010 |
| In memory of +Jim Keller | \$600 |

Thank you for your support

Prayers for the Sick Please Pray For:

Joanna Amer
Ed Faseruk
Margaret Fedorchuk
Orest Fedorchuk
Micheal Homeniuk
John Hykawy
Regina K.
Corinne Kowpak
Patti Leganchuk
Patricia Lewak
Haley Norman
Steve Prokop
Helen Stockburn
Alicia Topor
Chris Topor
Lesia Whyte
Kolia Winchar
Mary Woytowich

O Holy Father, You sent your only-begotten Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, to heal every infirmity. Heal your servants of every spiritual and bodily ill which afflicts them. Restore them by Your grace, and through the prayers of the Mother of God and Ever-Virgin Mary, and of all your Saints. For You, are the fountain of healing, and we glorify You together with your only-begotten Son, and your Spirit, now and ever, and forever. Amen.

“Mary’s Angels” are available before and after each Divine Liturgy on Saturday and Sunday. The sale of these angels is a Christmas “in memoriam” project. Each angel is \$7.00. A panahyda service will be celebrated after the 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy on December 21st for all the “in memoriam” names.



A portion of the proceeds from the sale of the Angels will go to help fund the Marian Hour on 92.7 CKJS Radio. The remaining portion will support the soldiers defending Ukraine against the Russian aggression. Donations will be used to purchase medical supplies, winter gear and surveillance drones.



ST. JOE'S PEROGY BEE

Next Perogy Bee is December 10th and 11th!

Thank you to all the wonderful volunteers that came out this week for our perogy bee! We are truly Blessed to have our volunteers.

Our next perogy bee will be December 10th and 11th.

Mark your calendars as extra hands make light work and helps us to continue this fundraiser for our parish! Please feel free to bring a friend along as we are always looking for more volunteers. To volunteer please call Donna Sumka 204-339-6025

****PLEASE NOTE DECEMBER ORDERS ARE FULL****



Epistle Readers

November 23 & 24

Sat. 5:00 pm
Helen Stockburn

Sunday 9:00 am
Ilyan Michalchyshyn

11:00 am
Peter Washchyshyn

*November 30 &
December 1*

Sat. 5:00 pm
Donna Sumka
Sunday 9:00 am
Orysia Hull

11:00 am
Thomas Steur



Epistle Readers

December 7 & 8

Sat. 5:00 pm
Stephen Sumka

Sunday 9:00 am
Nestor Dudych

11:00 am
Joan Washchyshyn

December 14 & 15

Sat. 5:00 pm
Helen Stockburn
Sunday 9:00 am
Ilyan Michalchyshyn

11:00 am
Children's Liturgy

Ushers

November 23 & 24

Sat. 5:00 pm
Linda Zelinsky &
Gloria Bonin

9:00 am
Janina Barrett &
Elaine Kisiow

11:00 am
Sandy & Norm Dobson

*November 30 &
December 1*

Sat. 5:00 pm
Kathy & Frank Hrechka

9:00 am
Janina Barrett &
Nettie Royko

11:00 am
Sandy & Norm Dobson





At this time of year we are inspired to “give gifts”. The act of exchanging gifts reminds us that each person in our life is a gift from God. Consider a unique tribute gift to acknowledge a loved one or friend and at the same time help a cause that is a special gift in our Church.

Donations to the Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine enables us to continue to maintain:
the Shrine and Museum at St. Joseph's support the Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky ministry in Ukraine and promote the cause of the canonization of Blessed Vasyl.

This Christmas consider a gift to the Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine in honour of someone special. An acknowledgement card will be prepared for your tribute gift.

Donation envelopes are available at the entrance of the Church or
 Donations can be made online at bvmartyrshrine.com

For more information call the Shrine office 204-338-7321

IHMS Back to School 2024

The IHMS Bursary Program provides financial support to students in need -- newcomers from Ukraine and any families who need help sending their children to IHMS. Founded to serve Ukrainian refugees and new Canadians, Immaculate Heart of Mary School continues to respond to the needs of families who want to educate their children in an environment of deeply instilled values that nurture academic, spiritual, physical, emotional and social growth.

Your gift of:

\$55 enables one student to participate in the after-school program for one month (\$550 would cover the whole year);

\$135 would buy a child's basic uniform (one each of pants / skirt, shirt, cardigan, socks);

\$250 provides 10 hours of extra English help;

\$2,850 (or \$238 / month) funds a full year of tuition.

To learn more or make your gift today, follow the QR code, visit www.lubovfoundation.ca, call 204-942-0443, or send mail (or come visit!) to 1085 Main Street, Winnipeg MB R2W 3S1. Thank you for your support!

St. Joseph's Outreach

In the spirit of charitable giving, throughout Pylypivka/Advent, please consider taking part in this “Reverse Advent Calendar” for the Outreach Ministry. In addition to the items listed you may wish to consider:

Gift cards to grocery stores (\$10-\$20) so that the people receiving the hampers can buy themselves fresh dairy/eggs, bread or produce

Salt, Pepper, Spices & Condiments

Christmas candy

Additional protein items

Hygiene products

“Pylypivka is a time of preparing our hearts and lives for the coming Christmas season. It's characterized by fasting or the abstinence of certain foods, prayer, attending pre-Christmas services, and acts of charity to others.”



Divine Liturgy Intentions & Scripture Readings November 24 ~ December 1

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| November 24 ~ 27th Sunday after Pentecost | | Eph. 6:10-17 ~ Luke 13:10-17 |
| Saturday | 5:00 pm | Health & Birthday Blessings for Mary Hykawy Darlene & Duane Dahl |
| Sunday | 9:00 am | For Our Parishioners |
| | 11:00 am | Health of Luba Sirdar Burdeniuk Family |
| November 25 ~ Pope Clement | | 2 Tim. 2:20-26 ~ Luke 19:37-44 |
| Monday | 8:00 am | +Anthony Sianchuk Gaylene |
| November 26 ~ Venerable Alypius | | 2 Tim. 3:16-4:4 ~ Luke 19:45-48 |
| Tuesday | 8:00 am | Birthday Blessings for Jason Sliva Mom & Dad |
| November 27 ~ Great Martyr James | | 2 Tim. 4:9-22 ~ Luke 20:1-8 |
| Wednesday | 8:00 am | Health of Walter Artymko Joan Korchinski |
| November 28 ~ Venerable Stephen | | Titus 1:5-2:1 ~ Luke 20:9-18 |
| Thursday | 8:00 am | God's Blessings & Health for Bishop Peter Sirdar Family |
| November 29 ~ Martyrs Paramon and Philumenes | | Titus 1:15-2:10 ~ Luke 20:19-26 |
| Friday | 8:00 am | +Michael Kiernicki Hazel & Family |
| November 30 ~ Apostle Andrew | | 1 Cor. 4:9-16 ~ John 1:35-42 |
| Saturday | 8:30 am | God's Blessings & health for daughters & Grandchildren Elsie Baryluk |
| | 5:00 pm | +Steve Yach Ted Yachemetz |
| December 1 ~ 28th Sunday after Pentecost | | Col. 1:12-18 ~ Luke 14:16-24 |
| Sunday | 9:00 am | Health of Dr. Babick and family Mark & Sonya Galarnyk |
| | 11:00 am | For Our Parishioners |



By the Grace of God, and with Blessing of His Grace Metropolitan Lawrence Huculak, OSBM
Rev. Protodeacon Stefan Tyrawski
Will be ordained to the Holy Priesthood
by His Excellency Bishop Andriy Rabiychuk,
at the Divine Liturgy on Saturday, December 7, 2024,
at 12:00 noon at Sts. Volodymyr and Olha Cathedral,
115 McGregor St. Winnipeg, MB.
Following the Ordination and Divine Liturgy reception
will be at Blessed Virgin Mary Church Hall
at 965 Boyd Ave. Winnipeg, MB.
Tickets are: \$50 for adults, \$25 children ages 6 - 12
and free under 6.
Please RSVP by December 2, 2024
at tyrawski@shaw.ca 204-229-7687 or 204-294-4078