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Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ukrainian Catholic Parish

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"Today the Virgin stands before us in the temple, And together with the choirs of saints prays to God for us."

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Служби Божі/Divine Liturgies

Неділя/Sunday: 8:30 am English

10:30 am Ukrainian

У Свята/Holy Day of Obligation

10:00 am

Щодня/Daily (Mon-Sat)

7:30 am in Chapel

Сповідь/Confessions

9:40 - 10:15 am Sunday morning By appointment during the week

Baptism by appointment

Anointing of the Sick/Hospital Visits/ Eucharist for the sick - any time

Marriages - the arrangements with the priest must be made at least 6 months before the marriage

Funerals - by arrangement

Basilian Fathers serving the Parish

Fr. Joseph Pidskalny, OSBM - Administrator

Томина Неділя



Thomas Sunday

Acts 5:12-20 John 20:19-31 Welcome! The Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish welcomes all parishioners, guests and friends participating in this Divine Liturgy.

A heartfelt "Thank You" to all parishioners and guests for your generosity and kindness during Holy Week and Easter. Thank you to all who assembled and took down the Tomb and to all who helped sing our Holy Week and Easter services. May Our Risen Lord bless you!

Anointing with Holy Oil and distribution of the Artos bread (bread blessed at Easter) after each Divine Liturgy.

Coffee and sweets following the 8:30 and 10:30 am Divine Liturgies. Please join us.

Before the Final Blessing at today's Divine Liturgies, we will offer the prayer for Ukraine that is found in the bulletin, together with an "Our Father", "Hail Mary" and "Glory be".

Canada-Wide Prayer for Ukraine

On April 24, which is Pascha (Easter Sunday on the Julian calendar) the *Canadian Council of Churches*, in solidarity with the Ukrainian Bishops of Canada invites everyone to join together to pray for peace in Ukraine and in the world, to proclaim that Christ is Risen, that love overcomes fear, and that life overcomes death and destruction.

Prayer for Ukraine

O God of love, we pray for the people of Ukraine, the frail and the elderly, the women and children who are left alone, grieving families with loved ones who have fallen, and the multitudes who have lost everything.

O God of peace, how we long that violence will cease, that the machines of war, will be transformed into implements of peace.

Be with the leaders of this world, that their decisions will be keenly oriented towards a just and lasting peace.

O God of compassion, open our hearts, to care for the refugees who may come to our shores and the needy stranger in our midst. We pray this though Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Today: Cemetery Services at Forest Lawn Cemetery beginning at 2:00 pm.

Congratulations and Best Wishes to Mary Golinsky who will celebrate her 90th birthday on Tuesday, April 26. May Our Lord grant her many more years. Многая Літа!

Saturday, **April 30**: Cemetery Services at Ocean View Cemetery begin at 1:00 pm. The cemetery services will be done by appointment. Please phone the parish office for an appointed time between 1:00 pm & 3:00 pm.

Sunday, May 1: Our Parish will be celebrating First Holy Communion at the 10:30 am Divine Liturgy.

Saturday, May 7: Cemetery Services at Gardens of Gethsemane Cemetery begin at 11:00 am. The cemetery services will be done by appointment. Please phone the parish office for an appointed time between 11:00 am & 12:30 pm.

Hymns at 10:30 Divine Liturgy

Opening: pg 198: Христос Воскрес! Під небозвід; Khrystos voskres! Pid nebozvid

Communion: pg 188: Согласно заспіваймо; Sohlasno zaspivaimo

Closing: pg 200: Христос Воскрес! Радість з неба; Khrystos voskres! Radist' z neba

Moleben to the Blessed Mother

Moleben to the Blessed Mother will be celebrated during the month of May. We will celebrate Moleben on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7:00 pm in the residence chapel, and at 10:00 am in church on Sundays. Please join us for this most beautiful service in honour of Our Lady. **Note: No Moleben on Sunday, May 1.**

Parish Easter Dinner

Sunday, May 1, 2022

Divine Liturgies: 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM

12:00 Noon: Parish Dinner in the Auditorium

Catered Dinner - 150 person limit

Tickets: Advance purchase only

Weekday - Parish Office: 604.879.5830

Sunday - Following the Divine Liturgies on April 24

Cut-off date for ticket purchase: April 28, 2022

Adults: \$30 / Children 7-12: \$15 / Children 6 & under: no charge

No walk-ins at the door

UCWLC News

UCWLC meeting for May has been rescheduled to Saturday, May 7/22 at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Room. Please try to attend this meeting as we have a few important matters to discuss.

Also, on that day, we will be supporting the Young Adult group in their perogy *Support* for *Ukraine Fundraiser* with a bake sale. I am asking that all of us do some baking to support the worthy cause they are doing.

I am also asking all parishoners that if you are willing to do some baking and bring it to the hall on that Saturday, it would be very much appreciated. Please package, label and price the baking.

I also would like to thank all parishoners who supported the Paska Sale. We did a different format this year - it was a change with a few challenges but all the bread was gone. God's blessings!

Marlayne Andrijaszyn, President

Our Ladies League (UCWLC) is supporting and collecting donations in the church vestibule (on behalf of our Parish) in **Aid to Ukraine.** All funds will be forwarded to CNEWA (Catholic Near East Welfare Association). An "Aid to Ukraine Thermometer" poster is displayed (in the church vestibule and in the Fellowship Room) to indicate how much our Church has already contributed. Donations will be ongoing for the next while.

Please donate to the "Aid for Ukraine". All donations collected in our parish will be forwarded to Catholic Near East Welfare Association Canada (CNEWA Canada) that collaborates closely with local churches and Caritas Ukraine. They supply aid by accessing and delivering food, shelter, medical supplies and providing spiritual and psychological support for those in need, including refugees fleeing their homes to other parts of Ukraine.

Please make cheques payable to St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, with memo 'Aid for Ukraine'. Tax receipts will be issued.

Online donations to CNEWA Canada: https://cnewa.org/ca/campaigns/ukraine/

Or, one may send a cheque directly to: CNEWA Canada

233 Main Street, Box 80 Ottawa, ON K1S 1C4

Support Ukraine Fundraiser

Saturday, May 7, 2022 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Centre 3150 Ash Street, Vancouver

Frozen Homemade Perogies
Homemade Baking
Coffee
Crafts
T-shirts

All profits go toward humanitarian help in Ukraine

Parking available

For more information: Matthew @ 604.868.0468

