



**Українська Католицька Парафія  
Покров Пресвятої Богородиці**

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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**

Before both Sunday Divine Liturgies

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 8 months before the  
marriage

**Funerals** - by arrangement

**Basilian Fathers serving the Parish**

Fr. Joseph Pidskalny, OSBM - Administrator

**Друга Неділя Великого Посту**



**Second Sunday of Great Lent**

Hebrews 1:10 - 2:3

Mark 2:1-12

**Welcome! The Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish welcomes everyone to our Sunday Divine Liturgy. Thank you for worshipping with us today. Your presence is a blessing to us.**

Претерпівий, за нас страсти, Ісусе Христе, Сину Божий, помилуй, помилуй, помилуй нас! (Після відпусту)

Having suffered the passion for us, O Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy, have mercy, have mercy on us. (After Divine Liturgy)

**Today: Monetary collection for the Vancouver Food Bank at both morning Divine Liturgies.** If you would like a tax receipt, please write your name and address on the envelope marked "*Vancouver Food Bank Donation*". Please make cheques payable to "St. Mary's Parish" and indicate in the memo portion that it is for the "Vancouver Food Bank." May Our Lord bless you for your kindness and generosity.

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

### **Hymns at the 10:30 am Divine Liturgy**

Opening: page 154: Під хрест Твій стаю, Pid khrest Tviy stayu

Communion: page 146: Вже зближається година; Vzhe zblyzhayet'sia hodyna

Closing: page 158: Страдальна Мати, Stradal'na Maty

Income tax receipts for the 2025 donations are found in the church vestibule.

Посвідки за звільнення від податку на 2025 рік в притворі церкви.

### **Blessings and Congratulations**

Happy Birthday to Deacon Howard Burton who will celebrate his 88th birthday on March 3rd. Deacon Howard, may Our Lord bless you and our Blessed Mother spread her mantle of protection over you! Многая Літа!

**Wednesday, March 4: 7:00 pm - Stations of the Cross in chapel.**

**Середа, 4 березня: Хресна Дорога о 7:00 год. веч. у каплиці.**

**Friday, March 6: Parish Mission. 10:00 am: Divine Liturgy**

No Sorokousty on this day. We will celebrate a Panachyda after the Divine Liturgy for the intention of all those commemorated at the Sorokousty service.

**Saturday, March 7: Parish Mission. 10:00 am: Divine Liturgy**

**Sunday, March 8: Parish Mission. Mission talks at both Divine Liturgies.**

**Easter Paska** - Our UCWLC, together with ladies from the parish, will be making Paska to be ready for Easter. Bread will be ready for pickup on Sunday, March 29 (Palm Sunday). Order forms are available in church. There will be no sales on the day of pickup. Please take a form and place your order early.

Thank you for your support.

Marlayne Andrijaszyn, President

### **Frozen Pyrohy (Perogies)**

Frozen pyrohy (perogies) will be available for purchase after both Sunday Divine Liturgies in the Fellowship Room kitchen. \$10/dozen.



# St. Mary's Parish Lenten Mission

**Missionary: Fr. Dmytro Dnistrian, C.Ss.R.**

Associate Pastor - Sts. Peter & Paul  
Ukrainian Catholic Church, Saskatoon, SK

## "Our Lenten Journey in the Modern World"

**Friday, March 6:** 10:00 am - Divine Liturgy, Panachyda & Mission Homily

**Saturday, March 7:** 10:00 am - Divine Liturgy & Mission Homily

**Sunday, March 8:** Mission Homily at 8:30 am & 10:30 am Divine Liturgies

Opportunity for the Sacrament of Confession at each Divine Liturgy

## Special Collection for Zhyve TV - Живе ТБ

**Sunday, March 15 - Неділя, 15 березня**

Bishop Michael is appealing to all Parishes in the Eparchy of New Westminster with a special request. In his letter to the clergy Bishop Michael writes the following:

*"I am turning to you today regarding a matter that calls for our prayerful support. His Beatitude, Sviatoslav, has highlighted a significant service within the global Ukrainian Catholic Church and is asking for our assistance. This concerns **Живе ТБ (Zhyve TV)**, a ministry that has become an indispensable tool for information, Evangelization and spiritual formation throughout our Church.*

***Zhyve TV** is the official media resource of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church. Through this platform, thousands of people join daily in prayer, participate in Liturgies, and receive spiritual guidance. Millions around the world access Zhyve TV to stay informed about Church life, hear the voice of the Church, and deepen their faith. It serves as a bridge connecting our faithful across continents, bringing the teaching, mission, and pastoral care of the Church directly into people's homes. Beyond broadcasting Liturgies, catechesis, and Church news, Zhyve TV plays a vital role in forming conscience, fostering community, and sustaining our shared Ukrainian Catholic identity in an increasingly digital world."*

Bishop Michael is appealing to all Parishes within our Eparchy to hold a special collection to support **Zhyve TV**. **This collection will be held at St. Mary's on Sunday, March 15, 2026. Special envelopes will be made available at the entrance to the church for this collection.**

If you would like a tax receipt, please write your name and address on the envelope marked "**ZhyveTV - Живе ТБ**". Please make cheques payable to "St. Mary's Parish" and indicate in the memo portion that it is for "**ZhyveTV**". All donations collected will be forwarded to the Eparchy of New Westminster.

Information sheets about Zhyve TV (in Ukrainian) are found in the church vestibule.

## Reflection for the Second Sunday of Great Lent

As we begin the third week of this holy Fast, O faithful, let us praise the Holy Trinity. Let us spend the rest of the time filled with joy, and let the passions of our flesh fade away. Let us gather the divine flowers of our souls and weave a crown for that Sunday, the king of days. With crowns upon our heads, we shall praise the victory of Christ.

## Розважання на Другу Неділю Великого Посту

Розпочавши третій тиждень посту, похвалім, вірні, Пресвяту Тройцю. Проводячи радісно дальший час і, послаблюючи тілесні похоті, пожнімо в душах наших божественне квіття та й вінки сплетім для Великодня, щоб нам у вінках оспівувати Христа Переможця.

## Camp St. Volodymyr - August 2026

**Week 1:** Sunday, August 16 - Saturday, August 22 (English/Ukrainian)

**Week 2:** Saturday, August 22 - Friday, August 28 (Ukrainian only)

We invite you to save the date and join us this August for Camp St. Volodymyr! The camp is for children in our Eparchy aged 7 to 15 as of December 2026. Camp will once again take place in Princeton as Owaissi continues to rebuild. We are thrilled to announce that we have secured a second week, allowing us to offer an all-Ukrainian option. Campers are welcome to attend one or both weeks. Bus transportation will be available from New Westminster on all three travel days.

Camp is a vibrant place for kids to be active, build confidence, and develop outdoor skills. As they reconnect with nature, they grow spiritually, form lasting friendships, and deepen their connection to our rich Ukrainian culture. We hope your family will be part of this unforgettable summer experience.

**Pre-register** using our Google Form: <https://forms.gle/TKHxXjSqWWhfn8Zt8>

For more information, contact Jennifer Caldwell at [csv.nweparchy@gmail.com](mailto:csv.nweparchy@gmail.com) or phone: 604.220.0584

### Ways to Support our Camp

Camp St. Volodymyr is a non-profit camp, run on a volunteer basis. If you are interested in helping, please email us at [csv.nweparchy@gmail.com](mailto:csv.nweparchy@gmail.com).

**Volunteer as a Camp Counsellor:** We are seeking between 8-10 individuals to help plan and organize our camp activities. Apply online using Eventbrite. Search "Camp St. Volodymyr BC 2026." Applications due March 1, 2026. All volunteers will be subject to a criminal record check and must sign the camp code of conduct.

**Donate Monetarily:** Each year the Eparchy sponsors several children to attend. You can help send a deserving child to camp through your donations. Donations can be made through the Eparchy or online at our Eventbrite page. Tax receipts can be issued for donations of \$25 or more. Visit our website [www.nweparchy.ca](http://www.nweparchy.ca)