

Mark you calendars for the following upcoming events this year:

February 10th - Valentine Dinner March 7th - Pysanka (Easter Egg) Bingo March 16th - St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner March 25th - Palm Sunday Brunch April 8th -Swiachene (Easter Meal) April 14th – Big-A-Bucks July 14th – Summer Supper August 18th – Summer Supper September 30th – Praznyk (St. John's Feast Day) October 27th - October Family Night Pasta Supper November 17th - Christmas Bazaar

Valentines Dinner

Saturday February 10th, 2018 Tickets are \$30 per person Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Family Style Dinner begins at 6 p.m.



Menu

Shrimp Cocktail Cream of Potato & Leek Soup Tossed Spring Greens in Heavenly Dressing Parisian Roasted Potato's Mixed Vegetables Chicken Florentine Cabbage Rolls Black Forest Cake with Coffee/Tea Cash bar Tickets will be available from the parish office or store.

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Meatfare Sunday



When You, O God, shall come to earth with glory, All things shall tremble

And the river of fire shall flow before Your judgment seat; The books shall be opened and the hidden things disclosed! Then deliver me from the unquenchable fire,

And make me worthy to stand at Your right hand, righteous Judge!

Pastor: Rt. Rev. Msgr. Anton Szymychalski - Mitred Archpriest In retirement: Rev. Basil Kondusky Parish Secretary - Mrs. Chrystyna Tymczyszyn Parish office is open Tuesday - Friday from 8:30 a.m.- 12:00 noon after hour EMERGENCIES ONLY please call (905) 327-3563

Divine Liturgy:

Saturday 4:15 p.m. (Eng.) Sunday 10:00 a.m. (Ukr. & Eng.) Weekdays & Holy Days: see bulletin

Sacraments:

Confession - Before or after Liturgy; anytime by request **Baptism**, Marriage – Please contact the parish office

February 4, 2018 - Meat-Fare Sunday

Epistle: Cor. 6:12-20 Gospel Reading: Lk. 15:11-32 Reader: M. Skaab (Ukr.) Next week: G. Barton (Eng.)

DIVINE LITURGY SERVICES:

Sat. February 10th: 4:15 p.m. Divine Liturgy (Eng.) - + Michael Simko

req. by George Saranchuk

Sun. February 11th: 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy (Ukr. & Eng.)

THIS WEEK OUR SANCTUARY CANDLES BURN FOR GOD'S BLESSINGS AND GOOD HEALTH UPON GENYA DOMINICK REQUESTED BY BILL & MARY TRUSH.

OFFERINGS:

Jan. 28th: \$1,100.00

<u>Development Donations in memory of +Sherman Lee:</u> M. & C. Dzugan \$30.00;

A. Atamanuk \$30.00; Anonymous \$20.00; W. & C. Lastewka \$30.00; B. &T. Oleksiw \$20.00; Anonymous \$30.00; M. Neprily \$25.00; R. Domaradz \$20.0;

B. & M. Trush \$30.00; T. & B. Hrankowski \$20.00; B. & A. Walters \$20.00;

S. Wowk \$25.00; O. Czerwoaniak \$30.00; W. &. N. Matwijow \$25.00; A. Korotash \$20.00; W. & S. Lee \$100.00

Roof Fund: Anonymous \$30.00;

<u>Development Donations:</u> Anonymous \$50.00; E. Ternowski (in memory of +Michael Simko) \$50.00; Development Donation in memory of +John Romak: P. & D. Holubowsky \$25.00;

G. Waud \$30.00; T. & B. Hrankowski \$20.00; O. Czerwoniak \$30.00

Church Donations in memory of +John Romak: L. & M. Szpak \$25.00; M. & O. Washkevich \$25.00; R. Domaradz \$20.00; L. Sawchuk \$30.00; J. Bradley \$50.00; V. & C. Rundans \$100.00; B. Fisher \$50.00; B. & M. Fisher \$500.00; S. & M. McKenna \$25.00; A. Moskal \$20.00; K. & K. Smith \$25.00; R. & L. Harold \$100.00; K. & L. Campbell \$30.00; P. Rooney \$30.00; L. Moskal \$25.00; W. & M. Szpilewski \$25.00; C. & P. Robinson \$25.00; B. & M. Trush \$30.00;

O. McNeill \$25.00; G. Annand \$50.00; M. Cornelius \$25.00; B. & D. Linklater \$50.00; B. & D. Samborsky\$100.00; S. Romak \$30.00; M. & D. Diakowsky \$100.00; A. Atamanuk \$40.00; E. Ajersch \$50.00; E. & M. Diakowsky \$100.00;

D. & K. Omahen \$100.00

<u>Church Donation:</u> Canadian Bandurist Capella \$500.00; W. & N. Matwijow (in memory of +Michael Simko) \$30.00; A. Korotash (in memory of +Ron Dominick) \$15.00

Errors or omissions? Please call the office. - THANK YOU!

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN:

Kateryna Dacko, Alexandra Matychuk, Becky Mussat, Lesia Melnyk, Olga Onyschuk, Stephania Zubatiuk, Fran Chayka, Helen Brodoway, Rose Kondusky, Matteo Niickolai

Grochowina-Totolo, Sharon Cybulak, Josifa Cuipka, Greg Kondusky, Cecilia Osczypko, Alexandra Bucciarelli, Heidi Walters, Bob French, Fr. Basil Kondusky, Tena Wowchuck, Art Holowachuk, Jean Diggins, Sharon Hudgen, Paula Kozachenko, Sharon Dohan, Sawyer Christie, Bette Johnson, Val Runduns, John Hamm, Phyllis Romak, Ricki Holubowsky, Michalyna Juskiw, Pauline Halowski & Sophie Craig.

Lord, Jesus Christ, You who traveled throughout Galilee healing the sick, enabling the blind to see and the lame to walk, bring healing to Your people who need it this day. Give peace to the minds of those who are tortured by mental illness and anxiety. Comfort those who are alone in their illness. May Your people reach out to them and all who are in need this day. Send grace to the caregivers, that they might be effective and gentle agents of Your loving mercy. May our sufferings be united with Yours to bring healing to people throughout the world. Amen.

Announcements:

Choir Practice: February 6th at 1 p.m.

2017 Income tax receipts are available today to be picked up from the church vestibule.

We are in need of more volunteers to help with collections. If you would like to help and be added to the list, please call the parish office.

We have started planning for our spring fundraisers, PYSANKA BINGO (March 7th) and BIGABUCKS (Apr. 14th). We are in need for prizes for both events. If you would like to donate a new item that can be used as prizes for either fundraiser, please bring it into the parish office during the week. Only new items will be accepted and only prizes that are accompanied with a sales slip/receipt can be included towards your 2018 income tax receipt.

The Ukrainian Black Sea hall will hold their Annual General meeting for members on Sunday, February 11, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at Sts. Cyril and Methodius Church hall. If you are a member, you are asked to attend.

Ukrainian Canadian Social Services (16 Dixie Rd.) invite all to their *Valentines Day Lunch*, February 15th at 12 p.m. Please call Anna to RSVP (905) 5751.

Pysanka (Easter Egg) Bingo Games will be held in our activity centre on Wed. March 7th beginning at 7 p.m. Admission is \$10 and includes 1 bingo card, refreshments at break time and a chance to win a door prize.

We wish everyone who is celebrating a birthday this week a very Happy Birthday. Mnohaya Lita!