



ST. JOSAPHAT UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Summer Schedule of Divine Liturgies

Sundays: 9:00 a.m. (Ukrainian); 11:00 noon (English)

Weekdays: 8:30 a.m. (Ukrainian) **Saturday:** 9:00 a.m. (Ukrainian); 4:00 p.m. (English)

Holy Days & Obligatory Feasts: 9:00 a.m. (Ukr.) and 7:00 p.m. (Eng.) **Confessions** - During Liturgies

To arrange for Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Communion & Funerals - call the Office first.

For Weddings - make an appointment with the Pastor, at least 6 months ahead.

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Вознесіння

Протягом 40 днів після Воскресіння Христос являвся Своїм учням, утверджуючи їх у вірі, а тоді вознісся на небо і возсів праворуч отця. І Він вивів їх аж до Витанії і, знявши руки Свої, благословив їх. а як Він благословляв їх, віддалився від них і почав возноситись на небо. Вони ж, поклонившись Йому, повернулися з радістю великою в Єрусалим (Лк. 24, 50-52; пор. Мр. 16, 19). радість апостолів – у тому, що у Вознесінні Христос не покидає світу: Отож Я з вами по всі дні аж до кінця віку (Мт. 28, 20). Христос невидимо перебуває у світі, в якому людина покликана осягти спасіння. апостоли дістають від Христа благословення та посланництво проповідувати Євангеліє всьому творінню (див. Мр. 16, 15) і зробити учнями всі народи, хрестячи й навчаючи їх берегти все те, що Він заповідав (див. Мт. 28, 9-20).

У Вознесінні Христос підніс відновлену людську природу до божественної слави. Літургійні стихирі празника Вознесіння оспівують відкриті двері до небах, коли Христос увиходить усередину небах, де Його вітають із трепетом ангельські сили. Він підноситься на хмарах понад херувимами й вище від неба. Як Богіві Йому належить місцев праворуч отця. Вознесіння в Божому задумі є передумовою Зіслання Святого духа: Ліпше для вас, щоб Я відійшов. Бо коли не відійду, то Утішитель до вас не зійде (Йо. 16, 7). Христос возноситься до отця задля нас, людей, і нашого ради спасіння (Символ віри). В домі отця Мого багато жител. коли б не так, то Я сказав би вам; іду бо наготовити вам місце. І коли відійду і вам місце споготую, то повернуся і вас до Себе візьму, щоб і ви були там, де Я. (Йо. 14, 2). Як Христос вознісся у славі, так у славі й прийде.

(Христос Наша Пасха-236-7)



The Ascension

During the forty days after his Resurrection, Christ appeared to his disciples, confirming them in faith. He then ascended into heaven and was seated at the right hand of the Father: “He led them out as far as Bethany, and, lifting up his hands, he blessed them. While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven. And they worshiped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy” (Lk24:50-52; see Mk16:19). The apostles’ joy lies in the fact that in his Ascension Christ does not abandon the world: “And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age” (Mt28:20). Christ invisibly abides in the world, in which humanity is called to attain salvation.

The apostles receive from Christ the blessing and commission to preach the Gospel to all creation (see Mt16:15) and to make disciples of all nations, baptizing and teaching them to observe all that Christ commanded them (see Mt 28:9-20).

In his Ascension, Christ raised renewed human nature to divine glory. The liturgical stichera of the Ascension feast sings of the open “doors to heaven” and how Christ enters “into heaven,” where he is greeted by angelic powers in fear and trepidation. He is lifted up “upon the clouds,” above the cherubim and “higher” than heaven. As God, to him belongs a “place” at the right of the Father. In God’s plan, the Ascension is the condition for the descent of the Holy Spirit: “It is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you” (Jn16:7). Christ ascends to the Father “for us men and for our salvation” (Symbol of Faith). “In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also” (Jn14:2-3). Just as Christ ascended in glory, so in glory he will also return again.

(Christ our Pascha-#236-7)

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK**Man Born Blind****Sunday, May 17, 2020**

Acts. 16: 16-34; Jn. 9: 1-38

(Pr.Bk. pg. 223, 340)(Мол. ст. 217, 333)

9:00 — For The Parish#1369 ++ **Zenovia & Peter Bryk** — Stebens Family

* Moleben / Novena

Monday, May 18, 2020

(Mrt. Theodotus)

Acts. 17: 1-15; Jn. 11: 47-57

9:00 #1543 ++ Semen & Iryna Steciuk++ **Onufry & Palagia Piwtorak** — Family

* Moleben / Novena

Tuesday, May 19, 2020

(BMrt. Patrick)

Acts. 17: 19-28; Jn. 12: 19-36

9:00 #1571 + Adrian Panasiuk — Family

* Moleben / Novena

Wednesday, May 20, 2020

(Mrt. Thaleus)

Acts. 18: 22-28; Jn. 12: 36-47

9:00 #1527 Health & God's Blessings for Happy Birthday
Bohdanna Kruczak — Family

#1564 Health & God's Blessings for

Bohdanna Kruczak — Family

#1165 Health & God's Blessings for Happy Birthday

Rosemary Sobol#1527 Health & God's Blessings for **Clergy & Sisters**

* Moleben / Novena

Thursday, May 21, 2020**Annunciation of Blessed Virgin Mary** (Pr.Bk. pg. 346)(Мол. ст. 339)**9:00 #1173 ++ All Deceased Gazda & Maciborski Family**
Members — I. Maciborski

* Moleben / Novena

May 22, 2020

(Mrt. Basiliscus)

Acts. 19: 1-18; Jn. 14: 1-11

9:00 #1609 + Dolores Melnyk (10yrs) — B. Melnyk

* Moleben / Novena

Saturday, May 23, 2020

(BConf. Michael)

Acts. 20: 7-12; Jn. 14: 10-21

9:00 #1611 + Stephanie Rohacz — C. Nazark#995 + **Lily Ondusky** (1 yr) — Family

* Moleben / Novena

Sunday, May 24, 2020

(Pr.Bk. pg. 224, 350)(Мол. ст. 218, 343)

Acts. 20: 16-18, 28-36; Jn. 17: 1-13

9:00 — For The Parish#1610 + **Dolores Melnyk** (10yrs) — B. Melnyk

* Moleben / Novena

Please Note:

The listed liturgies are privately held due to the church being closed due to the Coronavirus.

Please stay tune to updates

**Please Pray
For The Sick**

Fr. Bernard Panczuk, OSBM,
Fr. Lawrence Lawryniuk, OSBM,
Sr. Joan Weiss,

Nicholas Allen, Lisa Thompson-Burton, Chuck, Oleh Cieply, Connie Dorosz, Donna Herrick, Rebecca Holowaty, Eugene Iwasiuk, John Kobasa, Eugen Kondziolka, Christina Lloyd, Nancy McCarthy, Walter Mosuriak, Patrick Nordstrom, Mary Spear, Pat Szymanski, Michael Tereck Jr., Teri Turak, David Tyro, Mark Tyro, Lance Woodliff, George Zwierzycki

- All our elderly parishioners and parishioners that are ill, in nursing homes and home bound. Also for all men & women in Military Duty and for peace in the United States and Ukraine.

За наших старших і хворих парафіян котрі не можуть приходити до церкви. А також за наших вояків і за мир в Україні і в Америці.

Please notify us of any updates to the list. Thank you.

Novenas

for living Mothers - May 10th thru May 18th
for deceased Mothers - May 19th thru May 27th

Дев'ятниця

за живих Матерів - 10-го травня до 18-го травня
за померших Матерів - 19-го травня до 27-го травня

Moleben

We will have a Moleben service to the Sacred Heart in June on Fridays after the 8:30am liturgy.

Молебень

В червні матимемо Молебень до Серця Христового кожної п'ятниці після Сл. Божої 8:30 рано.

Novenas

Starting on Father's Day - June 21th, for nine (9) consecutive days for Living and Deceased Fathers (after 8:30am liturgy). There are special envelopes to list the names.

Дев'ятниця за живих та покійних батьків починатимемо 21-го червня. Імена живих та померших батьків будуть відчитані в часі Молебня.

Панахида / Panakhyda Schedule

May 30th ... Mt. Olivet Cemetery - 10:00a.m.

- Panakhyda & grave blessings

May 31st Pentecost Sunday - 2:00pm

Resurrection Cem. - Panakhyda & grave blessings

June 6th General Panakhyda - after 9:00am liturgy



Моли́мся за ви́лікування хворих
на Коронавірус

Please pray for those ailing
and for the cure for the Coronavirus

Best Wishes, Health, Happiness and God's Blessings.

Happy Birthday

Bohdanna Kruczak, Lubomyr Hewko, Julia Stetkewycz,
Julia Kapitanec, Connie Budzol, Rosemary Sobol,
Maria Piwtorak, Irene Stasyk, Mykola Petryshyn,
Martha Tatarsky, James Blazinski, Kathy Hanson,
Rebecca Holowaty, Igor Ivaniv, Roma Gudziak,
Maria Jakovichtchouk, Ina Shamraj-Keena, Zoryana Lisnyy,
Andrejs Vatulaks, George Woloszczuk, Roman Kravets,
Conrad Tarnavsky

Многая Літа!

Names printed are for birthdays for this week — from Sunday thru Saturday

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

During the recent pandemic of the coronavirus, many churches and houses of worship have been closed. Our Ukrainian Catholic Hierarchy has encouraged us to remain open and celebrate the Divine Liturgy, but do so according to the government guides of proper cleanliness. The icons are not to be kissed, but one may bow-incline to them. The holy water stoups have been removed, and the sick and elderly are encouraged staying home.

If you are unable to attend the Divine Liturgy, or do attend and are not going to receive Holy Communion, you can still reach out to Our Lord by making an Act of Spiritual Communion! St. Thomas Aquinas defined a Spiritual Communion as **“an ardent desire to receive Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament in Communion at the Divine Liturgy, & in lovingly embracing Him as if we had actually received Him.”** No matter what the times we are living in, turn to the Lord Jesus and ask him for His help & guidance in prayers.

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen. St. Alphonsus Liguori

‘Welcome Christ into your heart. Embrace Him, and do not let Him leave you.’-Blessed Henry Heath OFM

You can make a Spiritual Communion as whenever and wherever you'd like, using the prayer given above, others like it, or your own heartfelt thoughts. You can make a Spiritual Communion before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament, or anywhere else where the Spirit moves you. Remember, however, that you can “turn toward the holy tabernacle” and receive Jesus in your heart from anywhere you might happen to be, at any time, day or night! You just need to approach Him with sincerity, humility and a desire to follow in His footsteps in acts of faith and charity. And He's delighted when we do so! Spiritual Communion is an act of devotion, & one very pleasing to God.

St. Jean-Marie Vianney, a French priest famous for converting countless souls to Christ in his parish of Ars in the 19th century, once said **“when we feel the love of God growing cold, let us instantly make a Spiritual Communion. When we cannot go to the church, let us turn towards the tabernacle; no wall can shut us out from the good God.”** We can indeed be grateful for that!

Please Note:

Dear Parishioners and Friends,
Christ is Risen! Indeed, He is Risen!

Church Update:

At this point Immaculate Conception and St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Churches are looking at May 31 (the Feast of the Descent of the Holy Spirit - Pentecost) according to our Gregorian Calendar, as the day to resume Sunday Divine Liturgy for the faithful, we will continue to update you on that, we will also provide guidelines in accordance with local health Authorities and our own [St Nicholas Eparchy](#) for Ukrainian Catholics... stay tuned.

God will guide us out of these as He is guiding us through it! Stay calm and it will be over soon.

We thank you for your support. Please continue to support our Church and Schools,

Have a Blessed week!

Father Daniel, OSBM

[Check us out on YouTube:](#)

https://www.youtube.com/user/charquense9/videos?view_as=subscriber

Дорогі Парафіяни та друзі,

Христос Воскрес! Воістину Воскрес!

До Церкви

Станом на тепер, Українська Католицька Церква Непорочного Зачаття та Українська Церква Святого Йосафата розглядають дату 31 травня (свято Зіслання Святого Духа - Зелені Свята за Григоріанським календарем), як день, коли ми відновлюємо Недільну Святу Літургію для вірних.

Ми продовжимо інформувати вас з цього приводу, зокрема надамо вказівки від місцевих Служб Здоров'я та від нашої власної Української Католицької Єпархії св. Миколая. Слідкуйте за повідомленнями. Брати і Сестри Панікери, - не хвилюйтеся, ми не зробимо чогось зайвого.

Дякуємо всім хто підтримує нашу Церкву та Школу, просимо надалі підтримувати

Нехай Всемогутній Вас Всіх благословить

о. Даниїл Чайковський, ЧСВВ

We are currently sending the bulletin via email.

Please send us email addresses via text on 586-565-2600 of those who would like to be added to the mailing.

Thank you for your prayers and generous donations during this difficult time. May God bless you all!!!



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New Parishioner Registration Form

Please return the completed form to the church office in a sealed envelope marked "office" and drop it into the collection basket or mail it to the office.

Parishioners:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Male: _____ Female: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Date of Marriage: _____ Church (w/ city/state): _____

Status: Single _____ Married _____ Divorced _____ Widowed _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Male: _____ Female: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Date of Marriage: _____ Church (w/ city/state): _____

Status: Single _____ Married _____ Divorced _____ Widowed _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: (_____) - _____ Cell #: (_____) - _____

Email: _____

Children:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Baptism: _____ Holy Communion: _____ Grade level: _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Baptism: _____ Holy Communion: _____ Grade level: _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Baptism: _____ Holy Communion: _____ Grade level: _____

Membership dues per year:

\$25 per family

\$12 per single person

\$10 widow / widower

* Children (at college age) should be registered separately

* Would you like to have the church envelopes sent to you
yes no (circle your response)