

17 May 2015

Sunday of the Holy Fathers

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Blessed JOSAPHATA, Pray for Us! Блаженна ЙОСАФАТО молися за нас!

Today we welcome the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate who bring to our parish the truly extraordinary Holy Icon and Sacred Relics of their co-foundress, BLESSED JOSAPHATA, who was declared 'Blessed' by St. John Paul II in Ukraine in 2001. Our parish has been blessed in the past with the generous work of the SSMI in the areas of catechism and youth. That is why the parishioners already in 2011 asked that a stained glass window of Blessed Josaphata be designed and installed as a permanent memento and

inspiration for future generations. However, today we are honoured and blessed to have the Sisters bring to us the very relics and icon of this special woman dedicated to the Lord - as they prepare to celebrate one and a quarter centuries of service to God's People throughout the world. It is very appropriate that this event is taking place today in the context of the YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE that the Church is celebrating throughout the world. During this year we give thanks to God for the dedication of countless men and women throughout the world and throughout the ages that dedicate themselves 100% to Our Lord and His Church that they would grow in holiness and help lead the people that they serve to that same joy and holiness in Christ! God bless the Sisters! Blessed Josaphata, through your example and intercession, may many more young women choose to dedicate themselves to the consecrated life!

LITURGICAL SERVICES

Divine Liturgy — Божественна Літургія Sunday - Неділя*

9:00 AM Ukrainian/Українська 11:00 AM English/Англійська

Weekdays - Будні (see back page)

Confessions - СповідьBaptisms - ХрещенняPrior to every Divine LiturgyContact the pastor

Weddings - Вінчання

Contact the pastor 9-12 months in advance

* occasionally subject to change—see back page

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On November 20, 2014, a Relic of Blessed Josaphata was placed for veneration at St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church in Winnipeg. People came together to pray, for their

personal and family needs. Through her intercession, faithful also prayed for peace and freedom in Ukraine, and throughout the World.

So who really was Blessed Josaphata?

Sister Josaphata Hordashevska was born Michaelina Hordashevska in the year 1869 in the city of Lviv, where she lived until 1919, when she was called to the Lord. She was a Ukrainian Greek Catholic sister, the first member of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate. At the age of 18, she first chose to consecrate her life to God in a contemplative monastery of St. Basil the Great, the only Easternrite congregation for women. However, at that time, Fr. Jeremiah Lomnitsky, a Basilian, decided to establish a women's congregation that focused on the active apostolic life, and Michaelina was asked to be the first member and superior of the order. In June 1892, she was sent to the Roman Catholic community of the Felician Sisters to experience consecrated life in an active apostolic congregation. Two months Michaelina returned to Lviv and, on 24 August, took the religious habit of the new Congregation and received the name Josaphata, in honor of the Ukrainian Catholic martyr, Saint Josaphat Kuntsevych. Being the first superior of the young sisters, she trained them in the spirit and charism of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate: "serve your people where the need is greatest." Mother Josaphata 1914. diagnosed with tuberculosis of the bone. In 1919, at the age of 49 and on the day she had predicted, she died amidst terrible suffering. Her mortal remains were exhumed in 1982 and taken to Rome, where they are kept in a reliquary in the Generalate Motherhouse of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate in Rome. The process of her beatification began in Rome in 1983 and on June 27, 2001 she was beatified by Pope John Paul II in Lviv. Numerous miracles are ascribed due to her intercession after her death.

"Blessed Josaphata, Pray for Us!"

The three key words of the family: please, thank you, sorry Vatican City, 13 May, 2015 (VIS) - "Please, thank you and sorry" are the three words that Pope Francis "would write on the door of every family home" as they are the key to living well and in peace both inside and outside the home. They are simple words, much easier to say than to put into practice, but "they contain great strength: the strength of protecting the home, even through a thousand difficulties and trials; instead, when they are lacking, cracks gradually open up that can even lead it to collapse". The Pope dedicated the catechesis of

can even lead it to collapse". The Pope dedicated the catechesis of today's general audience to these three words, normally considered as the words of politeness. "A great bishop, St. Francis of Sales, said that kindness is halfway to holiness. However, beware", he warned, "as in history we have also known a formalism of good manners that can become a mask to conceal an arid heart and lack of interest in others. ... Not even religion is immune to this risk, in which formal observance may slip into spiritual worldliness. The devil who tempts Jesus shows off his good manners and cites the Sacred Scriptures. His style appears correct, but his intention is to deviate from the truth of God's love". The first word is "please. "To enter into the life of another person, even when that person forms part of our life, requires the delicacy of a non-intrusive attitude, that renews trust and respect. Confidence, then, does not authorise us to take everything for granted. Love, the more intimate and profound it is, the more it demands respect for freedom

and the capacity to wait for the other to open the door of his or her heart". The second phrase is "thank you". "At times", observed the Holy Father, "it seems that we are becoming a civilisation of poor manners and unpleasant words. ... Politeness and the capacity to thank are seen as a sign of weakness, and at times even arouse distrust. This tendency should be opposed within the family itself. We must become intransigent in the education of gratitude and recognition: the dignity of the person and social justice both come from this. If this

approach is neglected in family life, it will also be lost in social life".

The third word is "sorry", as "when it is lacking, small cracks become larger ... to the point of becoming deep trenches. It is not by chance that in the prayer taught by Jesus, the Lord's prayer that

summarises all the essential questions for our life, we find the expression 'forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us'. Acknowledging our errors and being willing to restore what has been removed – respect, sincerity, love – makes one worthy of forgiveness. ... If we are not capable of apologising, it means

we are not capable of forgiveness either. ... Many hurt feelings, many lesions in the family begin with the loss of those precious words: 'I am sorry'. In married life there are many arguments ... but I advise you never to let the day end without making peace. And for this a

without making peace. And for this, a small gesture is enough".
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"These three key words for the family are simple words, and perhaps at first they make us smile. But ... perhaps our education neglects them too much. May the Lord help us to restore them to their rightful place in our heart, in our home, and also in our civil co-existence".



Sunday of the Holy Fathers

Arius was a protopresbyter of the Church of Alexandria, and in 315, he began to blaspheme against the Son of God

saying that He was not the true God, consubstantial with the Father, but rather a work or creation of God and different from the essence and glory of the Father. He also taught that the Son of God had a beginning. These teachings shook the faithful at Alexandria. The Bishop of Alexandria, Alexander, attempted to correct Arius through admonitions, cut him off from communion, and finally deposed him in 321 through a local council. Arius continued with his heretical teachings, creating controversy and division in the churches of other cities, which led to a theological and ecclesiastical crisis throughout the Christian Church. Moved with divine zeal and concern for unity, the Emperor Constantine the Great, equal to the Apostles, summoned the First Ecumenical Council in Nicaea, a city of Bithynia. It was in this place that the bishops of the Church gathered in 325. All of them, with one mouth and one voice, declared that the Son and Word of God is one in essence with the Father, true God of true God. The Fathers composed the holy symbol of Faith, the Nicene Creed:

"We believe in one God. The Father Almighty. Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, the only begotten, begotten of the Father before all ages. Light of Light; true God of true God; begotten, not made; of one essence with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and became man. And He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate, and suffered, and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of the Father: and he shall come again with glory to judge the living and the dead; whose Kingdom shall have no end."

The Fathers also anathematized Arius for his heretical beliefs and teachings, cutting him off from the Church.

Recognizing the divine Fathers of the First Ecumenical Council as heralds of the

First Ecumenical Council as heralds of the Faith after the divine Apostles, the Church of Christ has appointed this present Sunday for their annual commemoration, in thanksgiving and unto the glory of God, unto their praise and honor, and unto the strengthening of the true Faith.

VIGIL LAMPS May 17 - May 23, 2015			
BLUE Marian Side Altar	In memory of +Ted Moskal, By the Pawlin Family		
RED Saviour Side Altar	Blessings for Ted & Sophie Gierys.		
THIS WEEK'S READERS:			
9:00 AM	John Petryshyn		
11:00 AM	Ron Aftanas		
READERS <u>Next</u> Sunday (May 24, 2015)			
9:00 AM	Carlyle Hoffman		
11:00 PM	Dwayne Rewniak		
THIS WEEK'S USHERS			
	Joan Lewandosky		
9:00 AM	Semeon Hrushovetz		
11:00 AN			
	Morris Mazur		
USHERS Next Sunday (May 24, 2015)			
	Matthew Bakan		

HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK STORE

Tom Bodie

Shirley Skochylas

Ron Aftanas

9:00 AM

11:00 AM

A wide range of spiritual and inspirational reading... Many beautiful gift ideas for Birthdays, Weddings, Holy First Communion, Baptisms... cards, Rosaries, Icons, Chotky Crosses.

GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE! For More Information Contact Liz at 204.334.2081 Living Faith Booklets are now



Жертводавство

"The portion of your blessings that you have returned to the Lord" For the Week of Easter Sunday May 10, 2015

1.	Envelopes	\$2024.00
2.	Open Collection	\$150.00
3.	Vigil Lights	\$92.15
4.	Van Donations	\$10.00
	Total this	\$2276.15
	week	\$2270.1J

A special thank you to all the ladies of the Holy Eucharist UCWLC for there generous gift to the Parish! We all appreciate the countless hours you donate of your time and talents!!

МНОГАЯ ЛІТА!

Our deepest condolences, prayers and blessings go out to Debbie Smith & the Kysco family, on the passing of +Michael Kysco. Funeral services will be held Tuesday, May 19 at 10:00 AM at Cropo Funeral Chapel.

Birthday Blessings to Joan Lewandosky from the Sunday Van Ladies. We thank you for everything you do!

Holy Eucharist Parish "Doors Open" Family Zabava Saturday, May 30, 2015 460 Munroé Avenue Prizes, Ukrainian Entertainment and much, much more... Ticket includes Ukrainian dinner! \$10.00 each Doors open 4:30 **Cash Bar** Children 12 and under FREE!!

We still need many volunteers please call Shirley - 204-668-1485 or Paul - 204-663-9621

Check us out - www.doorsopenwinnipeg.ca



A special thank you to *Mae* Kotyluk who donated the beautiful Ascension Icon you can venerate on the Tetrapod.

Important PARISH Contacts

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SEE A CONCERN? LET US KNOW!

Maintenance request forms are in the Church, Parish Centre and Parish Auditorium. Please fill out the form and leave it in the drop box. The P.M. committee will get on it ...!



Miraculous Icon Will be in the home of Joan Lewandosky. Anyone interested in gracing your home with this Miraculous Icon can call

Evelyn Tymchuk @204-667-6791. Please call if you would like to have the ICON in your home!

Knights of Columbus

All knights are urged to attend a very important special meeting at 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 20 in the Parish Centre Multi Purpose Room. The purpose of this meeting is to determine whether our Council should become inactive or should continue to operate on a modified basis like this year. Letters with details have been sent to all knights. Mark your calendar to attend. dar to attend

Ernie Shume, Grand Knight

Please remember in your PRAYERS and VISIT:

Ollie Kostiuk, Michael Kostiuk, Fr. Eugene Rudachek, Mary Schurko, Tena Lisowick, Alice Colle Rostluk, Michael Rostluk, Pr. Eugerie Rudachek, Mary Schurko, Terla Lisowick, Alic Lapka, Steve Romas, Mary Ann Prociuk, Stan Evanyshyn, Susan Chomiak, Ally Letwin, Bethania: Metro Babiak, Riverview: Bill Tataryn, Sharon Williamson Holy Family: Ollie Smerek, Nell Lupyrypa, Mary Horbal, Irene Omeniuk Maples Care Home: Julia Parabochy Donwood: Kay Laschuk

Call Elaine Bowman of the Pastoral Visits Team at 204.668.9630 to find out more. Call our priests anytime for a Pastoral or Sacramental visit.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Check the website of our Winnipeg Archeparchy on a regular basis! There you'll find events and news from many parishes around Manitoba!

17 May, Sunday

9:00 am and 11:00 am - BLESSED JOSAPHATA Icon and Relics. Visitation to Holy Eucharist Church.

<u>Prayer through the Interce</u>ssion of Blessed Josaphata

O Blessed Josaphata,

you, who lived heroically your consecration as a Sister Servant of Mary Immaculate

teach us by your example to place our complete trust in God.

Hear our prayers and intercede with the Most **Holy Trinity**

to grant us the grace for which we so ardently plead

for the greater glory of God. Blessed Josaphata, pray for us.

18 May, Monday Victoria Day! - Parish Centre/Office—CLOSED

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24 May, Sunday
Rose Sunday, TAG DAY!! After both Divine
Liturgies. K of C will be tagging on this day. All
proceeds will be donated to "Pro Life" (Life's
Vision").

24 May, Sunday
2:00 pm - Alpha Omega presents "Laughs with
LUBA", an afternoon with Canadian Air Farce's
Luba Goy. Manitoba Theater for Young People.
Tickets \$30 each and are available at Kalyna, Co-op
& Oseredok.

28 May. Thursday

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7:00 pm - Parish Pastoral Council Meeting, Parish
Centre - Multi-purpose Room.
30 & 31 May, Saturday & Sunday
"DOORS OPEN" - Family Zabava!

31 May, Sunday

1:30 pm—WALK FOR MARY registration begins, 1:00 pm, Walk begins at 2:00 pm. For more info call Joan @204-669-3666 or 204-294-2276

6 June, Saturday 12 noon to 3 pm—St. Michael's Parish will be celebrating Transcona's Hi Neighbour Festival by hosting a "Baba's Kitchen". Tickets—Adult \$13.00, children 6-12—\$6.00. For more info call Helen at 204.222.6544.



Indoor Farmers Market - Hosted by Kildonan MCC Thrift Shop 480 Chalmers Ave. Saturday, May 23, 2015 10:00 am - 2:00 pm.

For more info contact ktsboardchair@shaw.ca or call 204 -218-5073

May 23 2015

Graveside Panachyda Services will be held at Holy Family Cemetery, 4355 Main Street on SATURDAY, MAY 23, 2015 beginning at 2pm with the Main Panakhyda at the front of the cemetery, after which priests and deacons will be available for Panachyda services at individual gravesites

May 31 2015

Memorial services at All Saints Cemetery for Heroes of Ukraine and late Metropolitan Maxim Hermaniuk, CSsR and Clergy will be held on Pentecost Sunday, May 31 st, at 2:00 pm.

Weekly Liturgical Service

Порядок Богослужінь

Sunday, May 17, 2015 Sunday of the Holy Fathers (Epistle: Acts 20: 16 - 18, 28 - 36;

Gospel: John 17: 1 - 13)

9:00 am Divine Liturgy • +Metro Babiuk

11:00 am Divine Liturgy •For the Sisters and all those living the Consecrated Life

6:00 pm - "Moleben & Mission Days"

Monday, May 18 **Martyr Theodotus** (Epistle: Acts 21: 8-14; Gospel: John 14:27 – 15:7)

9:00 am Divine Liturgy ● Birthday Blessings for Jennifer

Kadeschuk, By Mom & Dad

6:00 pm - "Moleben & Mission Days"

Tuesday, May 19 **Priest Martvr Patritius** (Epistle: Acts: 21: 26 - 32; Gospel: John 16: 2 - 13)

8:00 am* Divine Liturgy ● For health, By Anonymous

(*clergy conference day, please pray for its success)

6:00 pm - "Moleben & Mission Days"

Wednesday, May 20 **Marytr Thalaleus** (Epistle: Acts 23:1 - 11; Gospel: John 16: 16 - 23)

9:00 am Divine Liturgy ● +Nick Harasymko, By cousins Olga

& Eddie Page

Andy & Pat Sirski

6:00 pm -"Moleben & Mission Days"

Thursday, May 21

Emperor Constantine and his mother Helen

(Epistle: Galatians 1:11 - 19; Gospel: John 10: 1 - 9)

11:15 am - Divine Liturgy ● +Grace Forvich, By Lucille Dunn

6:00 pm - "Moleben & Mission Days"

Friday, May 22 Martvr Basilicus (Epistle: Acts 27: 1 - 28:1;

Gospel: John 17: 18 - 26) 10:30 am Divine Liturgy (Bethania Home)

◆ +Tony Tymchyshyn,

6:00 pm - "Moleben & Mission Days"

Saturday, May 23 **All Souls Saturday** (Epistle: Acts 28: 1 - 31; Gospel: John 21: 14 - 25)

9:00 am Divine Liturgy • +Herman Laskowich (9yrs), By wife Stella Laskowich & family & Friends

5:30 - "Vespers & Mission Days"

Sunday, May 24 **Pentecost Sunday** (Epistle: Acts 2: 1 - 11; Gospel: John 7: 37 - 52, 8: 12)

9:00 am Divine Liturgy ● For All Parishioners

11:00 am Divine Liturgy ● +Amy Hawkins-Bowman, By Joan

Lewandosky & Henry Kuzia

6:00 pm - "Moleben & Mission Days"