### Schedule of Liturgies - Розпорядок Богослужінь

**Sunday, December 11; Holy Fore-Fathers** (Ep: Col. 3: 4-11; Gp. Lk. 14: 16-24)

8:30 am - Divine Lituray (Ukrainian) •+Orysia Tracz, By Joan Lewandosky & Henry Kuzia 9:30 am - Rosary

10:00 am - Divine Liturgy (English) • For All Parishioners

Monday, December 12; Venerable Spiridion (Ep: Heb. 11: 17-31; Mt. 9: 42-10:1)

9:00 am - Divine Lituray • +Wally Turchyn, By Don & Sonia Tomchuk

Tuesday, December 13; Martyr Eustratius (Ep: Cor. 11: 21-12:9; Gp: Lk. 21:12-28)

9:00 am - Divine Lituray • Birthday Blessings Angelica Malo, By Family

Wednesday, December 14; Martyr Thyrcas and others (Ep. Jas. 1: 1-18; Gp. Mk. 10:11 - 16)

9:00 am - Divine Liturgy • +Peter Charne, by the UCWLC

Thursday, December 15; Priest Martyr Eleutherius (Ep. Jas. 1:19-11: 27; Gpl: Mk. 10:17-27)

11:15 am - Divine Lituray • +Amy Hawkins Bowman, by the Deptuch Family

Friday, December 16; Prophet Aggeus (Ep. Jas. 2:1-13; Gpl. Mk. 10:23-32)

9:00 am - Divine Liturgy • +Steven, +Nettie & +Edward Balzar, by the Bowman Family

Saturday, December 17; Prophet Daniel (Epist: Col. 1:1-6; Gp: Lk. 16: 10-15)

9:00 am - Divine Lituray • +Deacon Nicholas Kohuch (1 yr), by Judy Shkolny

Sunday, December 18; Sunday before Christmas, the Holy Fathers (Ep: Heb. 11: 9-10; 17-23;

32-40; Gp. Mt. 1: 1-25)

8:30 am - Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) ● For All Parishioners

9:30 am - Rosary

10:00 am - Divine Liturgy (English) • For All Parishioners

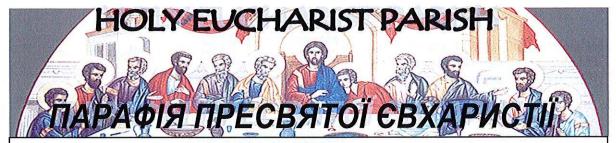
Please see the Christmas Schedule...please plan to attend and Celebrate this special season!!!!

Note once again we will be having a Christmas Eve /Sviaty Vechir pot luck supper following the 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy. Please R.S.V.P. to the Parish office 204-667-8866 by December 20th if you are planning to attend!! Bring your family, friends and neighbors!!! It's great fun!!

PLEASE DO THIS! Please VISIT or if you can't then at least CALL: Mary Schurko, Tena Lisowick, Alice Lapka, Steve Romas, Ted Gierys, Olga Boychuk, Ollie Evanyshyn, Angie Hall, Nadia Kozoris, Andy Sirski, Ernie Shume Riverview: Bill Tataryn Amber Meadows: Walter Drewniak, Walter Babiniec Holy Family: Ollie Smerek, Nell Lupyrypa, Mary Horbal, Irene Omeniuk, Bill Simcoe, Sam Gowriluk, Helen Babiniec Concordia: Olga Hnatiuk

And our Priests: Fathers E. Evanko, L. Ratushniak, E. Rudachek, V. Yakowchuk.

Call our priests 204-996-1310 anytime for a Pastoral or Sacramental visit.



11 December 2016

Sunday of the Holy Fathers

11 Грудня 2016 р.



# Who are the "Holy Forefathers"?

On this second Sunday before Christmas we celebrate the memory of the holy and righteous ones who lived in the innocence of life before God in the first age of the Old Testament up to the time when Moses received and proclaimed the Law of God. These people we refer to as

the Forefathers or Patriarchs. The amazing paths along which Divine Providence led them are a great testimony of how God over the ages watched over and always will watch over the Righteous. The Forefathers lived holy lives and they died in sanctity, but their souls after death could not yet see God. They awaited the coming of the Saviour with great anticipation in the place assigned to them and it was only after His death when Christ descended into Hades that Heaven was open to them and they were able to gaze upon their Creator face to face. Today the remembrance of these holy patriarchs... Adam, Abel, Seth, Enoch, Noah, Shem, Japheth, Abraham, Lot, Isaac, Melchizedek, Jacob, Joseph and so many others are a sign that our solemn celebration of the coming of Christ Jesus has begun...

#### LITURGICAL SERVICE SCHEDULE

Divine Liturgy — Божественна Літургія Sunday - Неділя\*

8:30 am Ukrainian/Українська 10:00 am English/Англійська Weekdays - Будні (see back page)

Confessions - Сповідь - Prior to every Divine Liturgy

Baptisms - Хрещення - Contact the pastor Weddings - Вінчання - Contact the pastor at least 6 months in advance \* occasionally subject to change—see back page

To request a Divine Liturgy or other

service, Please call the Parish Office

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SEE A CONCERN? LET US KNOW!

# CHRISTMAS CONFESSIONS

Thursday, December 22 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm

We will have a time of prayer and reflection. Father Michael, Father Ed and Father Janusz from St. Alphonsus will be on hand to hear confessions.

In support of the Marian Hour Radio



Program - Angels of the during Houses on Sunday

Sunday, December 11 Coffee House - Seniors Monday, December 12

7:00 pm - K of C Meeting - Multi-purpose Rm. Thursday, December 15

Last Day of Perogy making until the New Year!!!

Sunday, December 18

THE LIGHT FROM BETHLEHEM will be brought to our

church by the Brotherhood

Friday, December 30 10:30 - Divine Liturgy at Bethania.

Monday, January 1, 2017 New Years Day!!! Sunday, January 8, 2017 Parish Pot Luck Dinner!! Saturday, January 14, 2017

St. Anne's Parish Malanka. For Tickets call Emile at 204-661-0373

Saturday, January 14, 2017
Plast Malanka...Tickets \$100 each please call 204-202 -8221 or email malankawinnipeg.ca for more details.

The blessing of homes begins after the Feast of Holy Theophany January 6.

If you wish to have your home blessed, please leave your name and number with the Parish office 204-667-8866 and an appointment will be made for you.

Holy Eucharist as a Parish will be collecting food for the less fortunate in our community for the Christmas Season. We ask all parishioners to please donate non-perishable foods...soup, beans, pasta, pasta sauce, etc... Please drop off your items in the box located at the back of the Church or bring your items to the Parish Office during the week!! If you are unable to donate food items and would still love to participate we will be accepting cash donations. Lets make this Christmas count for Everyone!!!

Thank you to everyone who joined in by helping or even just by participating in the St. Nicholas Day events last week! That is a taste of true parish spirit. Let us keep moving forward - joyful and relaxed and yet energetic - to make this a beautiful Remembrance may be Christmas not only for ourselves and our own, purchased for \$5.00 but for absolutely everyone! What is the spirit of Coffee the season? It is about self-sacrifice, love, giving and gathering around the only source of joy - Jesus our Lord...

#### Pick up your CATECHISM Book Today!!! Ushers will have them at the back of the Church this Sunday!!!!!

Epistle Readers	Dec.11, 2016	Dec. 18, 2016	Dec. 24, 2016 Christmas Eve	Dec. 25, 2016 Christmas Day!!!
8:30 am 10:00 am	M. Mazur D. Rewniak	J. Petryshyn A. Letwin	5:00 pm - A. Letwin 10:30 pm - C. Hoffman	9:00 am - C. Hoffman
Greeters/Ushers				
8:30 am	J. Petryshyn	J. Lewandosky	5:00 pm - A. Manzhura D. Fawcett	9:00 am - C. Shupenia J. Petryshyn
10:00 am	S. Skochylas R. Aftanas	A. Tataryn D. Rewniak	10:30 pm - J. Lewandosky J. Petryshyn	

**BLUE MARIAN** (Dec. 11 - Dec. 17, 2016) **RED SAVIOUR** (Dec. 11 - Dec. 17, 2016) For the health of Olga Hnatiuk, By For All our Catechism Teachers & (Side Altar) (Side Altar) Evelyn Tymchak & Tilly Gorman

Жертводавство "The portion of your blessings that you have returned to

the Lord" For the Week of Sunday Dec. 4, 2016

1.	Envelopes	\$7030.00	
2.	Open Collection	\$31.75	
3.	Vigil Lights	\$54.00	
4.	Vigil Lamps	\$20.00	
5.	Flowers	\$408.00	
6.	Direct Deposit	\$370.00	
	Total this week	\$7913.75	

Please note next weeks (Dec. 18) coffee house will be cancelled. Please watch bulletin for further coffee houses!!

HOLY EUCHARIST BOOK STORE

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

GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE!

For More Information Contact Liz at 204.334.2081

Living Faith Booklets are now available at
the bookstore!



If you have not yet picked up a copy of the all-new English version of the Catechism for the Ukrainian Catholic Church - "CHRIST, OUR PASCHA" - FOR ONLY \$20!!! - You want to do it fast! The supply in Manitoba is quickly disappearing!

Facilitators.



Miraculous Icon Will be in the home of *Mary Ruta*. Anyone interested in gracing your home with this Miraculous Icon can please call Evelyn Tymchak @ 204.667.6791.

## Catechism News!!!

Thank you to everyone who helped with the St. Nicholas Celebration last week! The food prepared by the teachers was hot and ready and the dainties donated by the parishioners very much appreciated. St. Nick even came! On behalf of all those present, thank you!

Catechism Schedule: The last catechism class for the year is on December 18th. Please refer to the detailed schedule for January - May that is attached below. All classes are from held from 11:00 - 12:00 on the scheduled Sundays.

Some exciting new developments! Please note that due to parent requests, we will be offering activity-based classes for 3 and 4 year olds going forward and that registrations are still being accepted for children between 3 years of age through 12 who wish to join the program in January. Parents, grandparents and family members are invited come downstairs and join in the opening prayer service and parent discussions facilitated by Dr. Penny held each catechism Sunday, too.

For more information, please contact the parish office at 204-667-8866 or email me at parzyp@gmail.com.