

19 January 2020

31st Sunday after Pentecost

19 січня 2020

## Witnessing to our Faith, Standing up for our elderly and infirm

The present government of Canada (*that's our country in which we are living, not a movie, not on the other side of the world*) wants to extend euthanasia access to even more people. Their plan is to reduce the safeguards and the amount of information and consultation that is now required before administering lethal drugs that will end the life of individuals that have signed off on **M.A.I.D.** (Medical Assistance in Dying). The original narrative was that assisted suicide (that's what it is) was being offered to those that were terminally ill (dying soon anyway) and/or having to deal with chronic suffering (and considered continuous pain-control methods as unpleasant or unbearable). Some 6,700 Canadians have died with MAID so far. Now they want to make it easier for this *civilized murder* to become more mainstream. They want less wait time requirements, less information and less doublechecking if the individual has changed her/his mind, less reason for wanting to be killed - terminal illness need not be the reason, just... the person is, say, depressed or feeling dejected and wants to end it. How many people are lonely and made to feel that they are not a blessing to their children, but rather a bother or a burden. Is that the truth? Of course not, but society makes us so busy and dictates what a 'happy' or 'successful' life is all about. And we, rather than telling the world what life is all about, we buy into the world's selfish, mad version of working insane hours to buy things that aren't really needed but just take up more of our time and give us less time for people - people that brought us into this world, and people that we will never really get to know, because we are too busy living in a fake world of internet and movies and video games, and people that really need us and for whom we can make a life-long or eternal difference by reaching out to them and giving them time. Please pray and consider filling out the government survey at

<https://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/cons/ad-am/index.html>

For help in formulating the best responses to the survey, see the "Guide to Answering..." article at <http://alexschadenberg.blogspot.com>

### Holy Eucharist Ukrainian Catholic Parish Українська Католицька Парафія Пресвятої Євхаристії

Web: [www.HolyEucharist.info](http://www.HolyEucharist.info)  
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Parish Centre: 460 Munroe Ave.  
Tel: 204.661.5240

Remember to visit [www.archeparchy.ca](http://www.archeparchy.ca) website for news and information.

#### LITURGICAL SERVICE SCHEDULE

Divine Liturgy — Божественна Літургія  
Sunday - Неділя\*

8:00 am - Українська 10:00 am - English

Weekdays - Будні (see inside 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.

### PARISH Contacts

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UNDERSTAND THE VALUE OF YOUR PARISH!  
PLEASE GET INVOLVED.

FOR A HOSPITAL VISIT, CALL THE CLERGY  
DIRECTLY - Please don't procrastinate. If some one is taken to hospital let your priest know. Its quite unfair to wait until the person can not communicate or receive Holy Communion. Its called Anointing of the Sick - not "last rites"

The Miraculous Icon is available to be taken to your home. Imagine... the prayerful presence of our loving mother in the heart of your home for a full week!  
**January 19, 2020 - Open**  
 Call Evelyn Tymchak **204-667-6791** today to reserve this beautiful experience for yourself and all who live at or visit your place.



**Holy Eucharist BOOKSTORE (LOWER LEVEL OF CHURCH)**  
 A wide range of spiritual and inspirational readings! Many beautiful gift ideas for ALL occasions!  
 Gift Certificates available!  
 For More Info: **Liz 204-334-2081**

**Our Parish Bingo every Tuesday!** Great fun, fellowship & Support! WANT A FUN EVENING OUT AND DO A GOOD DEED? COME VOLUNTEER! THE GANG WILL SHOW YOU WHAT TO DO!  
 (Just come out by 5 pm first time)



**PARISH ELECTIONS 2020!** Our American neighbours to the south like to start their election campaigns early. It seems, sometimes, that they start right after the election, but certainly well over a year before the next elections are going to take place! Here at Holy Eucharist we don't want to start that early, but we also don't want to wait until the last week. Our Parish AGM will be held in March or early April. What position are you going to hold on Parish Council in 2020!? Like any public office, the parish pastoral council offices are for service and, yes, to be honest, they do mean some sacrifice of time. That is why the parish is indebted to our council and committee members. They keep our parish going throughout the year. Do you have some expertise or even an interest in management, repairs, finances, carpentry, PR, HR, education, etc.? Consider stepping forward for your parish, ... for the Church.

**We really need you!**



Holy Family Home Auxiliary presents: Ladies Night Out Fundraiser  
 "Celebrate The Roaring 20's Sisters"  
 February 7, 2020  
 Holy Eucharist Parish Centre  
 Tickets \$85.00 (includes, Dinner, Drinks & Draw)  
 For more info and tickets contact—  
 Cathy Lentz at 204-805-1431

**Жертводавство**  
 "The portion of your blessings that you have returned to the Lord" **January 12, 2020**

1.	Envelopes	\$1305.00
2.	Open Collection	\$10.00
3.	Vigil Lights	\$38.00
4.	Initial Offering (Envelopes)	\$160.00
5.	Christmas Offering	\$20.00
6.	Sacred Art Fund	\$25.00
7.	Hall Usage Donation	\$300.00
8.	Christmas Caroling	\$10.00
9.	100th Anniversary Fund	\$75.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$1943.00</b>

A very big Thank you to the Holy Eucharist Social Club...Bingo on their generous donation of **\$10,000.00** and Nevada on their donation of **\$1500.00**, towards the Parish. A big thank you to all the volunteers that brave the cold to come out every Tuesday to make it all happen.



**Attention** all Pastoral Council members there will be a meeting on **Thursday, January 30, 2020 at 7:00 pm in the Parish Auditorium.** Anyone not able to attend we ask to please email the parish office at [heparish@gmail.com](mailto:heparish@gmail.com) (regrets only please).

Congratulations to **Curtis Shupenia** on completing his level 4 Electrical trades courses. We wish you many years of dedicated employment in this field....and there may be a light or 2 at the hall that needs replacing!!!

**МНОГАЯ ЛІТА!**

**Youth Winter Games - hosted by Knights of Ukr. Catholic Archeparchy 2020**  
**Theme: "I can do everything Through Christ because He gives me strength"**

**WINTER CARNIVAL** - Sat. Feb. 15, 2020 Immaculate Conception Church, Cooks Creek (68003 Cooks, Creek Rd., Hazelridge). Pancake breakfast 10 am, games 11:15 am, fire pit lunch 12:45 pm. Candy Scramble 3:30 pm. Events include, snowshoeing, snow hockey, wagon rides, snow horseshoes, big steaks bingo (inside).

**CURLING** - Sun. March 1, 2020 - Elmwood Curling Club, 300 Brazier St. Registration 3:00 pm. Curling and snacks 3:30—5:00 pm. RSVP required by Sunday, Feb. 23, 2020 - 204-226-8165, James Rogowsky.

**Mini Olympics** - Saturday, March 21, 2020 Immaculate Heart of Mary School, 650 Flora Ave. Registration at 1:30 pm. Games and snacks from 2-5 pm. Clean indoor shoes please.

**Indoor Soccer** - Saturday, April 25, 2020 Seven Oaks Soccer Plex, 725 Kingsbury. Registration at 2:30 pm. Soccer and snacks 3—5 pm. Clean indoor shoes please.

**BLUE LAMP**  
 (MARIAN Side Altar)

(January 19 – January 25, 2020)  
**+Mike & +Sandra Rychlicki**

**RED LAMP**  
 (SAVIOUR Side Altar)

(January 19 – January 25, 2020)  
**Blessings and good health for**  
**Bruce Smallwood, By wife**  
**Eleanor & Family**



Visiting our Parish? Just stepped in? Checking us out? Came with friends or family? That's great! **We are happy to have you with us today!** Listen, if you have questions or need help or just want to know more about us or want to join us formally just ask the person **beside you** and/or speak with our **Pastor, Fr Michael** and/or contact the **Parish Office. 204-667-8866.**

**PLEASE DO THIS! Please VISIT** - Your visit will not only be MUCH APPRECIATED, it is, in fact, a corporal "Act of Mercy" *"Visiting the Sick is one of the works of mercy found in the teaching of Christ"*

**At Home or in Hospital:** Mary Schurko, Alice Lapka, Steve Romas, Ollie Kowalski, Ollie Kostyuk, Mary Kozubniak, Julian Cherniak, Tony Hendricks, Gloria Kroeker **St. Joseph's Residence:** Mary Ruta **Donwood Manor:** Alex Lasota

**River East Personal Care Home:** Liz Simcoe **Seven Oaks Hospital:** Bruce Smallwood

**Holy Family:** Ollie Smerek, Mary Horbal, Irene Omeniuk, Bill Simcoe, Helen Babiniec, Jennie Huchko, Anne Wach, Fr. V. Yakowchuk

**St. Boniface Hospital:** Milly Manitowich, Sam Sewell **Middle Church:** Olga Hnatiuk, Margaret Sawchuk

**Maples Personal Care Home:** Joe Ewanochko **Concordia Hospital:** Elizabeth Boychuk

**Call a priest (204-996-1310) for a Pastoral or Sacramental visit for yourself or family member, friend, or a fellow parishioner!**



## Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

JANUARY 18 - 25, 2020

*"They showed us unusual kindness"*

Acts 28:2

*Join Christians around the world in praying the scripture texts, reflections and prayers prepared by our Maltese brothers and sisters for the eight days.*

**SERVICES ARE HELD AT TIMES INDICATED IN THE SCHEDULE BELOW**  
*Refreshments and fellowship following most services*

**SATURDAY, January 18**  
*Pray at home today*

**Day 1 "RECONCILIATION: Throwing the cargo overboard"**  
Acts 27:18-19, 21; Psalm 85; Luke 18:9-14

**SUNDAY, January 19**  
7:30 p.m.

**Day 2 "ENLIGHTENMENT: Seeking and showing forth Christ's light"**  
**CITY-WIDE ECUMENICAL WORSHIP SERVICE (with Church Leaders)**  
**EPIPHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH**   
200 Dalhousie Drive, 204-269-2661, www.epiphanychurch.ca

**MONDAY, January 20**  
7:30 p.m.

**Day 3 "HOPE: Paul's message"**  
**KILDONAN UNITED CHURCH**   
187 Kilbride Avenue, 204-979-0510, kucmin@mymts.net

**TUESDAY, January 21**  
7:30 p.m.

**Day 4 "TRUST: Do not be afraid, believe"**  
**HOME STREET MENNONITE CHURCH**   
318 Home Street, 204-783-1721, www.hsmc.ca

**WEDNESDAY, January 22**  
*Pray at home today*

**Day 5 "STRENGTH: Breaking bread for the journey"**  
Acts 27:33-36; Psalm 77; Mark 6:30-44

**THURSDAY, January 23**  
7:30 p.m.

**Day 6 "HOSPITALITY: Show unusual kindness"**  
**THE SALVATION ARMY SOUTHLANDS COMMUNITY CHURCH**   
85 Keslar Road, 204-946-9160, www.southlandschurch.com

**FRIDAY, January 24**  
7:30 p.m.

**Day 7 "CONVERSION: Changing our hearts and minds"**  
**SAINT JOHN XXIII ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**   
3390 Portage Avenue, 204-832-7175, www.johnxxiii.ca

**SATURDAY, January 25**  
*Pray at home today*

**Day 8 "GENEROSITY: Receiving and giving"**  
Acts 28:8-10; Psalm 103:1-5; Matthew 10:7-8

For more information you may contact one of the above churches/groups, or your own minister/pastor, or Saint John XXIII Church: telephone 204-832-7175, office@johnxxiii.ca, www.johnxxiii.ca

For links to the full text of reflections and prayers and for other resources for the 2020 Week of Prayer, go on the web to: [weekofprayer.ca](http://weekofprayer.ca) [semainedepriere.ca](http://semainedepriere.ca)

St. Alphonsus Catholic School will be holding their annual Open House on Sunday, January 26, 2020 from 12-2 PM. St. Alphonsus School, located at 343 Munroe Avenue in East Kildonan, offers programs for students from Nursery to Grade 8. The school has an on-site Before and After School program and an Alternate Day Enrichment Program for Kindergarten students. The school has a bursary program in place to assist families in need of tuition support. For more information, please contact the school at 204-667-6271, email [info@stalphonsusschool.ca](mailto:info@stalphonsusschool.ca), or visit our website: [www.stalphonsusschool.ca](http://www.stalphonsusschool.ca).



Immaculate Heart of Mary School will be hosting their **final Annual Tea** Sunday, February 2, 2020 at 650 Flora Avenue, between the hours of 1:30 and 4:00 P.M..  
Tea Theme: 'Steeped in Tradition'  
This final School Tea will be officially opened by the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate  
An invitation is extended to all to come and visit the school.  
While attending the Tea, enjoy the Bake Room and Raffles.

**Holy Eucharist Busy Fingers Knitting Group**  
**Will be on Christmas break until January 20, 2020 at 10:00 am. Every-one Welcome to come join us in the new year!!!! Donation of wool is always accepted.**



Reminder to all Church Organizations and Chairpersons: Your AGM Reports will be due by **February 14, 2020**. Reports will **only** be accepted via email.

To commemorate the victims and demonstrate our solidarity with the Iranian community at this difficult time, the local Ukrainian Canadian community is planning a memorial service. **A Panakhyda Memorial Service will be held this coming Sunday, January 19, at 11:30 a.m.** following the Hierarchical Divine Liturgy of the Feast Day of Epiphany scheduled at 10:00 a.m. at the **Metropolitan Cathedral of Sts. Volodymyr and Olga, 115 McGregor Street, Winnipeg**. Please join us to honour the innocent lives lost in this terrible tragedy. May their memory be eternal!  
**Vichnaya Pamyat'!**

## Schedule of Liturgies - Розпорядок Богослужінь

<b>January 19, 2020;</b> <b>31st Sunday after Pentecost</b> Timothy 1: 15-17; Luke 18: 35-43	8:00 am	<b>Служба Божа</b>	For all the new immigrants from Ukraine, may they feel welcomed. For all Parishioners
<b>Monday, January 20, 2020</b> <b>Venerable Euthymius;</b> Heb. 13: 17-21; Luke 6: 17-23	9:00 am	<b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>Health and Blessings for Helen Schentag</b>
<b>Tuesday, January 21, 2020</b> <b>Confessor Maximus;</b> James 3:1-10; Mark 11: 11-23	9:00 am	<b>Divine Liturgy</b>	For +Louis Bowman, by Trish & Darryl Jackson
<b>Wednesday, January 22, 2020</b> <b>Apostle Timothy;</b> James 3:11-4:6; Mark 11: 23-26	9:00 am	<b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>День Соборності України - For peace and restored unity in Ukraine</b>
<b>Thursday, January 23, 2020</b> <b>+Martyrs of Pratulyn;</b> Eph. 6:10-17; Luke 21: 12-19	12:00 pm	<b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>Glikeria Iwanuck (Tony Klimchak's sister), by the Perogy Group</b>
<b>Friday, January 24, 2020</b> <b>Venerable Xenia;</b> 1 Peter 1:1-2; 10-12; 2:6-10; Mark 12: 1-12	▶ 10:00 am	<b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>Bethania Care Home - volunteers always welcome to spend some time with our elderly (come earlier to help)</b>
<b>Saturday, January 25, 2020</b> <b>St. Gregory, theologian;</b> Cor. 12:7-11; John 10:9-16	9:00 am 11:00 am	<b>Divine Liturgy</b> <b>Moleben</b>	<b>+Peter, +George, &amp; +John Wach, by Anne Wach and Family</b> <b>Mennonite Community</b>
<b>January 26, 2020;</b> <b>32nd Sunday after Pentecost</b> Timothy 4: 9-15; Luke 19: 1-10	8:00 am 10:00 am	<b>Служба Божа</b> <b>Divine Liturgy (English)</b>	Blessings for <b>Darynka</b> on occasion of her debutante ball For all Parishioners

LITURGY/DAY	LECTORS/EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	GREETERS & USHERS	Sacristan Service
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January 19, 8:00 am	Ч: J. Lewandosky	P. Bodnar	S. Baran
10:00 am	L. D. Rewniak	R & M Shupenia	V. Purtov
	EMHC: A. Tataryn		
January 26, 8:00 am	Ч: C. Hoffman	N. Hoffman	S. Baran
10:00 am	L. K. Shupenia	D. Sirski	V. Purtov
	EMHC: C. Shupenia	Lk. Deptuch	

**Attention all Parish Organizations** once again all dates needed for your events should be handed into the Parish office to insure they will be booked. Also all organizations interested in participating in our Weekly **"Coffee Houses"** are asked to call or email the office on their participation...the office is working on a schedule. (and it should be ready soon!). Although we are still putting away our Christmas trees we are already looking for organizations to help out with our upcoming **Lenten Dinners**. So please think about it and pick a Friday or two!...For more information just give the office a call. **Thank you**

UCWLC ST. JOSEPH'S BRANCH 250 Jefferson Avenue Winnipeg, MB CORDIALLY INVITES EVERYONE TO **VALENTINE SOUP & SANDWICH LUNCH** TO BE HELD: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2020 TIME: 12:30 PM ENTERTAINMENT PROVIDED SYCH BAND 2:00 PM DRAWS WILL BE AT 2:30 PM ADVANCE TICKETS ONLY PLEASE ADULTS: \$15.00 CHILDREN: 7 & UP: \$6.00 CHILDREN: 6 & UNDER: FREE PLEASE CONTACT: Ollie: (204) 334-0858 Florence: (204) 338-8372