

**Second Sunday of LENT - February 28, 2021 A.D Друга Неділя Великого ПОСТУ!**

## HOLY EUCHARIST PARISH

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**Masks  
Required**

### WEEKLY PARISH BULLETIN - AND... COVID-19 PANDEMIC UPDATE - NO. 42

**St. Joseph**, protect our home. Pour forth from heaven blessings on our family. Remain in our midst. Help us to live in love and harmony, in peace and joy. May the wholesome fear of God strengthen us that virtue may adorn what we do and our way may lead to heaven.

To you this day I give the key to our dwelling place. Lock out all things that could do us harm. Lock my home and my loved ones with me in the hearts of Jesus and Mary. This I beg of you, that our days may be like your days in the holy home at Nazareth. Amen.

### Journeying in Prayer Through THE GREAT FAST



#### Weekdays:

8:20 am - 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour  
8:35 am - Rosary  
9:00 am - Divine Liturgy

#### Sunday:

7:20 am - 3<sup>rd</sup> Hour  
7:35 am - Rosary  
8:00 am - Служба Божа  
9:35 am - Rosary  
10:00 am - Divine Liturgy

**In-person**  
(\*Pre-register)  
**and online**

**ALSO:** Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts

6:00 pm Wednesday & Friday

Vespers

6:00 pm Saturday

Way of the Cross

7:00 pm Friday

'Sorokousty' Prayer for the Deceased

9:00 am Saturday

## YEAR OF SAINT JOSEPH

Pope **Saint John Paul** in his Apostolic Exhortation **Redemptoris Custos** (Guardian of the Redeemer) (paragraph 18), "...the "just" man of Nazareth [Joseph] possesses the clear characteristics of a husband. Luke refers to Mary as "a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph" (Lk 1:27). Even before the "mystery hidden for ages" (Eph 3:9) began to be fulfilled, the Gospels set before us the image of husband and wife. According to Jewish custom, marriage took place in two stages: first, the legal, or true marriage was celebrated, and then, only after a certain period of time, the husband brought the wife into his own house. Thus, before he lived with Mary, Joseph was already her "husband." Mary, however, preserved her deep desire to give herself exclusively to God. ... From the moment of the Annunciation, Mary knew that she was to fulfill her virginal desire to give herself exclusively and fully to God precisely by becoming the Mother of God's Son. Becoming a Mother by the power of the Holy Spirit was the form taken by her gift of self: a form which God himself expected of the Virgin Mary, who was "betrothed" to Joseph... The fact that Mary was "betrothed" to Joseph was part of the very plan of God. This is pointed out by Luke and especially by Matthew..... Addressing Joseph through the words of the angel, God speaks to him as the husband of the Virgin of Nazareth. What took place in her through the power of the Holy Spirit also confirmed in a special way the marriage bond which already existed between Joseph and Mary. God's messenger was clear in what he said to Joseph: "Do not fear to take Mary your wife into your home." Hence, what had taken place earlier, namely, Joseph's marriage to Mary, happened in accord with God's will and was meant to endure. In her divine motherhood Mary had to continue to live as "a virgin, the wife of her husband" (cf. Lk 1:27)."

### **"It's my Mom. Don't take her away."**

*This quote is from the heartbreaking scene from the film **Fatal Flaws**, uttered by a woman whose mother was slated for "MAID".*

WE ALL CAN AND **NEED** TO TAKE SOME ACTION REGARDING BILL C-7

From the **Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops**... "As you know, the Senate has amended **Bill C-7**. If these amendments pass the House of Commons, it will make it much **easier for vulnerable Canadians to access assisted suicide and euthanasia**. The most concerning amendments are:

1. Allowing people to write advance directives that **require** euthanasia to be administered if they are **sick or disabled** and **lose the ability to make their own medical decisions**.
2. **Removing the restriction** on euthanasia for people whose primary diagnosis is **mental illness**. This change will automatically come in to effect 18 months after the Bill is passed.

The **Senate's** amendments will soon be sent back to the **House of Commons** for approval. **Write to your MP today**, before the sun goes down! Ask your MP to **reject** the Senate's amendments. The organization **Coalition for Healthcare and Conscience**, found at: [www.canadiansforconscience.ca](http://www.canadiansforconscience.ca) which makes such contacting your MP much easier. Please pray about this and act TODAY. If you and I don't start doing something, Canada is lost. [It wasn't long ago that we condemned things like Nazi Germany's 'Aktion T4' and now we're heading there]

Come join a group of sincere seekers of the truth... "the whole truth and nothing but the truth"! We talk, we pray and we apply the truth to our own lives to better ourselves according to the Will of God.

## **heart, soul, mind & neighbour\***

Is an informal spiritual self-help group that meets on

**TUESDAY evenings** at our church at **6:00 PM**

We spend time in **prayer, reflection, sharing, self-challenge** and **supporting**

The goal is to challenge ourselves with the intention of **bettering ourselves** first and clarifying who we are and what we need then looking to our neighbours and seeing how we can help. - Open to all Parishioners \_\_\_\_\_

\* Matthew 22:37-40

You can receive **HOLY COMMUNION** now by attending the **Divine Liturgy** and the **Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts** (be wise to "pre-register" well in advance, so that you aren't left waiting in your car until the service is over and everyone leaves before you can come in). But what about **CONFESSION**? We are planning to have a **pandemic-appropriate** evening for Confessions at some point before Easter. However, in the mean time call Fr. Michael **204-996-1310** and see what is possible (e.g. *sometimes for a couple of people prior to services*)



## **WE NEED TO BE VIGILANT AND CAUTIOUS, BUT... LET'S GET BUSY...!**

We can now have in-person attendance at 10% capacity at our church services. Funerals, Weddings and Baptisms - 10 participants. We are exploring what can happen in our parish centre and church auditorium. We can do more things! To make it happen according to the directives of our Metropolitan-Archbishop (who bases his directives on the Public Health Orders issued by our government), **we need people** to step forward and volunteer their assistance. For example, if you come to a church service, offer to help with ushering and help sanitize your area. Follow the regulations and directions given by the ushers. Please, sorry, but we cannot congregate at this time. **Not at the back** of the church, **NOT outside** the church. For the time being, get into and away asap and then call the people you saw and chat about the experience from your home (or your car, etc.) When you preregister or show up for a service, you will have to provide your Name, Surname and Contact number. [Alas, as numbers are limited, sometimes people may be declined but just to allow others the opportunity] If you are **feeling ill** or have been **travelling** or have been in **contact** with someone who **has had the coronavirus**, please refrain from coming at this time. When you come, please do **follow the rules**. - esp. face covering, social distance, no loitering.

But the real thing right now is... **WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS** for **usher**ing and **sanitizing**. Those wanting to attend in-person will be asked to volunteer occasionally.



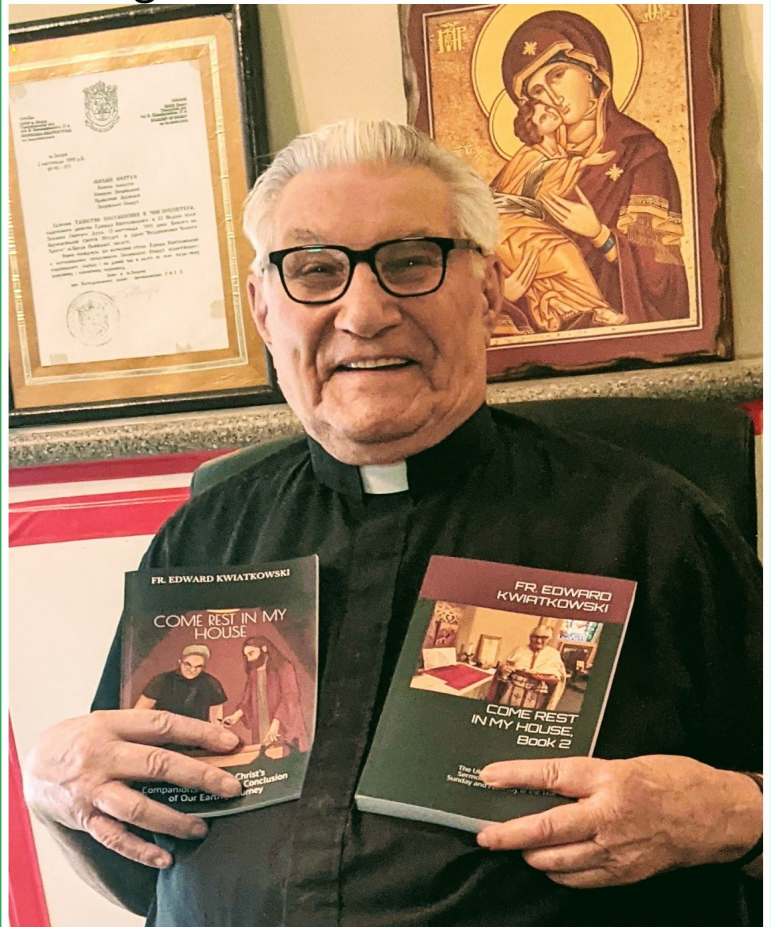
As our Annual General Meeting approaches, we find ourselves once again contemplating the needs of our Parish and the need for volunteers and staff to oversee the daily activity of our parish. One position that is resurfacing is **Parish Centre Events Manager**. If you have or someone you know has (or would like to have) experience *overseeing* the **scheduling** and **booking** of events at our parish centre please speak/email our Parish Priest **Fr. Michael** (pastor.heparish@gmail.com) and/or our Council Chair **Curtis Shupenia** (cmsshupenia@shaw.ca) ASAP. What would this entail exactly? **Let's talk!** And see what we need and what we can work out!

Holy Eucharist is looking for Parishioner-**Volunteers** to serve as essential personnel - Readers, Prayer Readers, Rosary Leaders. This should be arranged in advance and all safety precautions taken. If you are interested please call **Elaine Bowman 204-668-9630**.

THE UKRAINIAN CANADIAN CONGRESS - MANITOBA PROVINCIAL COUNCIL IS PLEASED TO PROVIDE FOUR ACTIVITY PROJECTS AS PART OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MANITOBA

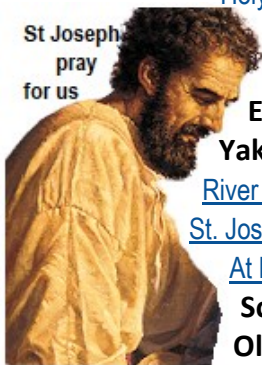
**SAFE AT HOME PROGRAM.** Please visit the website at <https://uccmanitoba.ca/category/projects/safeathomemb> to register for the many stay at home activities you can now participate in. UCC-MPC is grateful to the Government of Manitoba, specifically Sport, Culture and Heritage Minister Hon. Cathy Cox and Municipal Relations Minister Hon. Rochelle Squires for this important program.

## Congratulations to Father Ed!



*on the publishing of his second book of sermons and memories*

**Please remember in your prayer, call, write to our isolated parishioners...**



St Joseph pray for us

Holy Family Home: Jane Budzen, Mary Horbal, Irene Omeniuk, Jennie Huchko, Elizabeth Boychuk, Fr. V.

Yakowchuk, Milly Manitowich

River East Care Home: Liz Simcoe

St. Joseph's Residence: Mary Ruta

At Home or in Hospital: Mary Schurko, Ollie Kowalski, Ollie Kostiuik, Mary

Kozubniak, Anthony Hendricks

Middle Church: Olga Hnatiuk, Margaret Sawchuk

**Ask our clergy (t. 204-996-1310) to make a Pastoral/Sacramental visit - especially when your loved ones request this.**

### Annual General Meeting - **TENTATIVELY** - March 14

We are still working out details as to the time and how the safest meeting will take place... watch the bulletin for more details.

Feed Your Soul with Prayer this Lent!

This year's BEST LENT EVER journeys through I Heard God Laugh: A Practical Guide to Life's Essential Daily Habit. Through all forty days of Lent, you will receive a daily email with a short video to help you re-connect with yourself and your God. Sign up for Best Lent Ever: <https://www.dynamiccatholic.com/lent/bestlent-ever.html#form-signup>

### For the Week from February 21, 2021

1	Envelopes	\$2765.00
2	Initial Envelopes	\$30.00
3	Sorokousty Services	\$50.00
4	Open	\$50.30
5	Easter Flowers	\$50.00
6	Metropolitan Lent	\$15.00
7	Sacred Art	\$5.00
8	Candles	\$5.00
TOTAL		\$2970.30



## Schedule of Liturgies - Розпорядок Богослужінь

**February 28 — March 7, 2021**

**Participate ONLINE - Live-streamed via: [www.HolyEucharist.ca](http://www.HolyEucharist.ca)**

<b>February 28</b> <b>Second Sunday of LENT</b> Heb. 1:10-2:3; Mark 2: 1-12 (Participate via <b>livestreaming</b> )	7:20 am 8:00 am 10:00 am	<b>3rd Hour &amp; Rosary</b> <b>Служба Божа</b> <b>Divine Liturgy (Eng)</b>	<b>For All Parishioners</b> <b>For the Fotine Kokonas Family</b> , by Dr Mary Egan
<b>Monday, March 1</b> <b>Venerable Martyr Eudoxia;</b> Eph. 4:25-32; Matthew 5: 42-48	8:20 am 9:00 am	<b>3rd Hour &amp; Rosary</b> <b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>+Richard Grunsten</b> , by Joan Lewandosky & Henry Kuzia
<b>Tuesday, March 2</b> <b>Priest Martyr Theodotus;</b> Phil. 2:12-16; Matthew 10:32-38, 19:27-30	8:20 am 9:00 am	<b>3rd Hour &amp; Rosary</b> <b>Divine Liturgy</b>	That our <b>MPs</b> will <b>reject</b> the heartless <b>C-7</b> euthanasia <b>bill</b>
<b>Wednesday, March 3</b> <b>Martyr Eutropius;</b> Eph. 4:1-6; Matthew 7: 1-8	8:20 am 9:00 am	<b>3rd Hour &amp; Rosary</b> <b>Divine Liturgy</b>	For the soul of +Fr. <b>Emil Kardasinec</b>
	6:00 pm	<b>Presanctified Gifts</b>	
<b>Thursday, March 4</b> <b>Venerable Gerasimus;</b> Col. 3:4-11; Matthew 7:24-8:4	8:20 am 9:00 am	<b>3rd Hour &amp; Rosary</b> <b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>Blessings for Pope Benedict XVI</b> who left office 28 Feb 2013
<b>Friday, March 5</b> <b>Martyr Conon of Isauria;</b> Eph. 5:1-8; Matthew 6:22-34:	8:20 am 9:00 am	<b>3rd Hour &amp; Rosary</b> <b>Divine Liturgy</b>	Blessings for <b>Ken &amp; Gloria Heide &amp; Family</b> , by Issigonis Family
	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	<b>Presanctified Gifts</b> <b>Way of the Cross</b>	
<b>Saturday, March 6</b> <b>All Souls Saturday;</b> Heb. 10:32-38; Mark 2: 14-17	8:20 am 9:00 am	<b>3rd Hour &amp; Rosary</b> <b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>"Sorokousty"</b> (for our deceased family and parishioners)
	6:00 pm	<b>Vespers</b>	
<b>March 7</b> <b>Third Sunday of LENT</b> Heb. 4:14-5:6; Mark 8: 34-9:1	7:20 am 8:00 am 10:00 am	<b>3rd Hour &amp; Rosary</b> <b>Служба Божа</b> <b>Divine Liturgy</b>	<b>Birthday Blessings for Natalia</b> , by Baba and family <b>For All Parishioners</b>

### BLUE LAMP

(**MARIAN** Side  
Altar)

(February 28, 2021-March 6, 2021 )

**+Tom Bodie**, (2 years), by wife  
Oksana & daughters Patricia &  
Janice

### RED LAMP

(**SAVIOUR** Side  
Altar)

(February 28, 2021-March 6, 2021 )

**Birthday blessings for Fr. John Mostivsky** (March 4)