

Sunday of the Man Born Blind - May 9 - 2021— 9 травня - Неділю Сліпонародженого
Mother's Day

HOLY EUCHARIST PARISH

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OFFICE Office Manager Carlene Deptuch. **Receiving Hours:** Monday - Thursday, 9 am to 2 pm.
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**Masks
Required**

WEEKLY PARISH BULLETIN - AND... COVID-19 PANDEMIC UPDATE - NO. 52

PRESENT COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS!

WE ARE TRULY SORRY, but the present restrictions regarding the number of participants permitted at "worship services" has greatly reduced the list. [Basically we are talking about only ~~10 people~~ ~~besides~~ the pastoral livestreaming team] We know that this is a disappointment to many, but we have always conformed to the Directives put out by our Archeparchy—these directives are based on the public health order put out by our elected government. If you can't get into the church, please **DO** attend online via livestreaming.

Holy Sacraments

The number of participants is restricted for attending full worship services (i.e. Divine Liturgy or Moleben', etc.), but we can make a cautious accommodation for those who want to briefly visit the Church for counselling/**Confession** and to receive our Lord in **Holy Communion**. The general period will be on Sunday's following the 10 AM Divine Liturgy (*after the few attenders have left and the place has been sanitized*) so... from approximately **11:00 to 11:30 AM**, those wanting to receive **Holy Communion** may come individually and adhering to all protocols (e.g. mask, social distancing, etc.). Otherwise, please call Fr. Michael to arrange for an appointed time.



MAYIVKY HAVE BEGUN! 6:30 PM DAILY

We are practicing the long-time tradition of our ancestors this year as we gather to pray a 'May Devotion' (Moleben' or Akafist) at the end of **every day** at **6:30 pm** throughout the **month of May**.

Please join online or in-person (as regulations permit)

Let us make time to add to our daily prayer - a beautiful service, hear a reading from Sacred Scripture and reflect on the role of the **Blessed Virgin Mary**... the **Theotokos**... the **Mother of Jesus** in the Lord's plan for our **salvation**.



UNEXPECTED KINDNESS!

A big thank you to **Glen Novakowski** (Ernie & Helen's son) from Ultra-Tech fire and Safety for performing our annual safety checks in both the Parish Centre as well as the Church at **NO COST**, as a donation towards our parish. Anyone needing any assistance in fire alarms, extinguishers or regulated fire and safety audits, give **Glen** a call at 204-668-1594 he does great work!

For the Week from May 2, 2021

1	Direct Deposit	\$495.00
2	Vigil Candles	\$11.75
3	Sunday, May 9, 2021	\$2120.00
4	Holy Eucharist—Charity Fund	\$100.00
5	Covid-19 Pandemic Fund	\$20.00
6	Good Friday	\$100.00
7	Open	\$20.00
TOTAL		\$2866.75

Can you help out?

As you know, the 35-year-old roof on our Parish Centre needed urgent redoing as the leaking and damage was only increasing.

Well, we paid it from our *rainy day fund* (very appropriate) which is now left greatly depleted. The

goal is to replenish the **\$96,000.00** that was taken out of our savings... so that our financial status would be back up to where it was before the pandemic. We appealed last week and... We are thrilled to say that some of our parishioners have been picking up their donations to help pay off the debt! **THANK YOU VERY MUCH!** When there is a good 'dent' in the amount we will report regularly on how its going!



ONLINE PRAYER AND SHARING

Join Father Michael and other parishioners for some chat time and to share prayer requests and..., yes, to spend a bit of time praying for our parishioner's needs

Wednesday evening after Moleben'

at (approximately) **7:00 PM**

If you would like to attend, send an email with "Parish Gathering" in the subject line to: **heparish@gmail.com** and the call-in information will be sent to you in advance...

A little bit of "lockdown" humour....

"so, let me get this straight... in Alberta **15** people are allowed in a church. Unless, one of them is dead, then only **10** people are allowed. But if you go outside, then there can only be **5**. I see... uh.. okay... I think that makes total sense"



UKRAINIAN PARK

Spring 50/50 Raffle. Tickets are on sale with the **final draw** for 50% of the pot on **May 15th, 2021**. Camp for children and youth, nurturing the growth in Christian virtues and values. For more information and to buy your tickets go to: <https://www.fundingchange.ca/ucec>

Thank you to **Shirley Kowalchuk** for donating the proceeds from the sale of the **Covid-19 Easter Eggs**...She donated \$72.00 and for those of you who have not yet bought your Covid egg she will be selling them at this years Farmers Market or you can contact her directly at **204-663-6353**.

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY SCHOOL

Applications for enrolment at Immaculate Heart of Mary School are now being accepted. Immaculate Heart of Mary School is a Kindergarten to Grade 8 co-ed, Ukrainian Catholic school, that offers strong academic, spiritual, Ukrainian cultural, arts and athletic programs. Kindergarten is a fulltime program. There is also before and after school supervision provided. If you are interested in having your child educated in a Christian environment, please inquire to book your own personal tour.

Phone: **204-582-5698**

Email: **ihms@ihms.mb.ca**

For more information about Immaculate Heart of Mary School **www.ihms.mb.ca**



EDUCATION/STUDIES BURSARIES

Hey... it doesn't hurt to apply!

1. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BURSARY

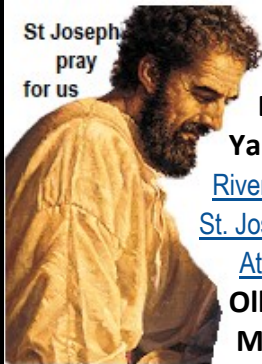
Manitoba's **Canon Luhovy Assembly** of the **Knights of Columbus** is offering its annual Student Bursary for Secondary and Post-Secondary students! Pick up an application form at the Parish Office and/or contact the bursar, **Len Mariash** at **204-668-4358** or **lmariash@mymts.net**. The deadline for this application is 30 September 2021.

2. BURSARY FOR UKRAINIAN WOMEN

Alpha Omega Alumnae has been proudly supporting young women pursuing post-secondary education for over 50 years. The Alpha Omega Bursary Award supports a female student of Ukrainian descent, who is a Manitoba resident, and is entering a fulltime undergraduate degree program at an accredited university. Alpha Omega Alumnae's awards program now resides with The Shevchenko Foundation. Applications are currently available through the Shevchenko Foundation's Scholarship, Bursaries and Awards on its website by accessing the following link: **https://shevchenkofoundation.com/fundingopportunities/**. Deadline for applications is **May 15, 2021**.

**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,
Ollie Kowalski, Ollie Kostiuik,
Mary Kozubniak,

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.**

THE UCC-MPC is pleased to provide activity projects
as part of THE GOVERNMENT OF MANITOBA'S
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A SPECIAL FREE VIEWING OF THE FILM: **HOLODOMOR: VOICES
OF SURVIVORS**. View the award-winning film by acclaimed
Director/Producer Ariadna Ochrymovych. This 30-minute
educational documentary short film features moving firsthand
accounts of 25 Canadian survivors who tell their stories of
experiencing the Holodomor as children. Narration throughout
provides historical context for the Holodomor. Illustrated with
archival photos and footage obtained from Ukraine, and
drawings by Canadian artist Iouri Rybalka; music by Myroslav
Skoryk; voice-overs by Luba Goy and Franko Diakowsky
<https://vimeo.com/143664929> ENTER PASSWORD: **famine**

SUNDAY OF THE MAN BORN BLIND...

The man in today's Gospel is thrilled when he is able

to see! He just wants to rejoice in the kindness and mercy of God! But after he is questioned repeatedly by the religious
leaders who already
don't like Jesus (*many
downright hate Him*) he
gets a bit spunky and
sort of teases them.
Well, it's a difficult time
when those who are
entrusted with the Truth
don't live it or offer it or
even know it as they
should. However,
besides recognizing
this sad state of affairs
as did the formerly
blind man, it is also
important to seek out



Let me get this right... you guys are the
teachers of the Bible and have been studying the
ways of God for years... you've taught us all that
God would not listen to sinners, and now this man
has performed an unheard of miracle of not just
restoring sight, but he obtained sight for one -
me - who never could see! Doncha think that this
man couldn't do such a thing unless he were a
man of God!? Isn't the conclusion obvious...!?

the true Lord, Christ Jesus and to give Him due worship with our entire lives by living our Catholic Faith as best we can.

LET US NOT LOSE **HOPE!** BUT REDEDICATE OURSELVES **TO THE LORD...**

Those of us still living in fear of the coronavirus and those of us deciding what *necessities* of life will
draw us out of our homes—may find guidance in the Word of God and in prayer. Those of us that
have not yet explored the wonderful online livestreaming services that our parish offers as well as
the Church throughout the world, are encouraged to take solace and courage in prayer and the
Word of God... **"We played the flute, but you would not dance! We sang a funeral song, but
you would not mourn! [...] Come to me, all of you who are tired from carrying heavy loads,
and I will give you rest."** (Matthew 11:17-30)

**"I sought the Lord, and He answered me and delivered me from all my fears. Those who look
to Him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed."** (Psalm 34:4-5)

**"The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my
life; of whom shall I be afraid?"** (Psalm 27:1)

Schedule of Liturgies - Розпорядок Богослужінь

May 9 - May 16, 2021

Also Live-streamed via: www.HolyEucharist.ca



May 9—Mother's Day Sunday of the Man Born Blind <i>Acts 16:16-34;</i> <i>John 9: 1–38</i>	7:20 am	3rd Hour & Rosary	For All Parishioners
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	6:30 pm	Moleben'	For all our Mothers
Monday, May 10 <i>Apostle Simon the Zealot</i> <i>Cor. 4:9-16;</i> <i>Matthew 13: 54-58</i>	7:20 am	3rd Hour & Rosary	+Nadia Sirko (wife of 62 years to +John Sirko), by sons Steven & Alexander Sirko
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	6:30 pm	Moleben'	
Tuesday, May 11 <i>Cyril & Methodius,</i> <i>Apostles to the Slavs</i> <i>Tim. 2:1-10;</i> <i>John 15:9-16</i>	7:20 am	3rd Hour & Rosary	+Bruce Smallwood (birthday, 1 year), by Eleanor & Family
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	6:30 pm	Moleben'	
Wednesday, May 12 <i>St. Epiphanius</i> <i>Acts 18:23-28;</i> <i>John 12: 36-47</i>	7:20 am	3rd Hour & Rosary	Anniversary blessings for Katherine & Nelson Hoffman
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	6:30 pm	Moleben'	
Thursday, May 13 **Major Feast Day** Ascension of Our Lord & God Jesus Christ <i>Acts 1:1-12; Luke 24:36-53</i>	7:20 am	3rd Hour & Rosary	For All Parishioners
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	6:30 pm	Moleben'	
Friday, May 14 <i>Martyr Isadore</i> <i>Acts 19:1-8;</i> <i>John 14:1-11</i>	7:20 am	3rd Hour & Rosary	Sister Laura, SSMI, by Elaine Bowman & Bertha Stoyko
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	6:30 pm	Moleben'	
Saturday, May 15 <i>Venerable Pachomius</i> <i>Acts 20:7-12;</i> <i>John 14:10-21</i>	7:20 am	3rd Hour & Rosary	+Metro Gawiuk (40 Days)
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	6:30 pm	Moleben'	
May 16 Sunday of the Holy Father <i>Acts 20:16-18, 28-36;</i> <i>John 17: 1–13</i>	7:20 am	3rd Hour & Rosary	For the health of Lydia Firman, by Greg Yakimischuk For All Parishioners
	8:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	6:30 pm	Moleben'	

RED LAMP
(SAVIOUR
Side Altar)

May 9 - May 15, 2021
The repose of the soul of
+Tena Lisowick

BLUE LAMP
(MARIAN
Side Altar)

May 9 - May 15, 2021
For good health & well being
for the Smallwood Family