Our Mother of Perpetual Help - July 4 - 2021 – 4 Липня - Мати Божа Неустанної Помочі

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Матері Божої Неустанної Помочі

The icon of Our Lady of Perpetual Help is painted on wood, with background of gold. It is Byzantine in style and is supposed to have been painted in the thirteenth century. [In some places, as in the England and Canada the title has been adopted as Our Lady of Perpetual 'Succour' which is a more European word for the same thing - "aid"... Italian: soccorso, French: secour, etc.]. It represents the Mother of God holding the Divine Child while the Archangels Michael and Gabriel present before Him the instruments of His Passion. Over the figures in the picture are some Greek letters which form the abbreviated words Mother of God, Jesus Christ, Archangel Michael, and Archangel Gabriel respectively. It was brought to Rome towards the end of the fifteenth century by a pious merchant, who, dving there, ordered by his will that the picture should be exposed in a church for public veneration. It was exposed in the church of San Matteo, Via Merulana, between St. Mary Major and St. John Lateran. Crowds flocked to this church, and for nearly



three hundred years many graces were obtained through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin. The picture was then popularly called the Madonna di San Matteo. The church was served for a time by the Hermits of St. Augustine, who had sheltered their Irish brethren in their distress. These Augustinians were still in charge when the French invaded Rome (1812) and destroyed the church. The picture disappeared; it remained hidden and neglected for over forty years, but a series of providential circumstances between 1863 and 1865 led to its discovery in an oratory of the Augustinian Fathers at Santa Maria in Posterula.

The pope, Pius IX, who as a boy had prayed before the picture in San Matteo, became interested in the discovery and in a letter dated 11 Dec., 1865 to Father General Mauron, C.Ss.R., ordered that Our Lady of Perpetual Help should be again publicly venerated in Via Merulana, and this time at the new church of St. Alphonsus. The ruins of San Matteo were in the grounds of the Redemptorist Convent. This was but the first favour of the Holy Father towards the picture. He approved of the solemn translation of the picture (26 April, 1866), and its coronation by the Vatican Chapter (23 June, 1867). *(continued inside...)*

TEAR of SAINT JOSEPH 2021

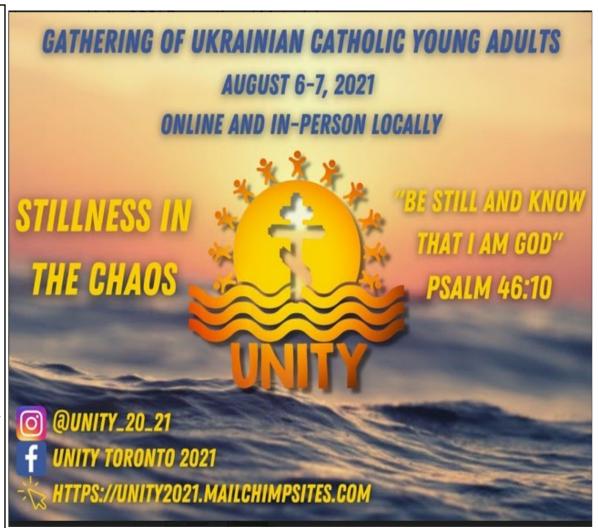
Patron of Many Countries

He's also

the patron of the Americas, **Canada**, China, Croatia, Mexico, Korea, Austria, Belgium, Peru, the Philippines and Vietnam.

DEVOTION

Devotion for St.
Joseph goes back
to at least the 9th
century, when he
was commonly
referred to as
"nutritor Domini"
meaning
"guardian of the
Lord."





Our **Mother Perpetual** Help of continued..... He fixed the feast as duplex secundae classis, on the Sunday before the Feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist, and by a decree dated May, 1876, approved of a special office and Mass for the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer. This favour later on was also granted to others. Learning that the devotion to Our Lady under this title had spread far and wide, Pius IX raised a confraternity of Our Lady of Perpetual Help and St. Alphonsus, which had been erected in Rome, to the rank of an arch-confraternity and enriched it with many privileges and indulgences. He was amongst the first to visit the picture in its new home, and his name is the first in the register of the arch-confraternity.

Two thousand three hundred facsimiles of the Holy Picture have been sent from St. Alphonsus's church in Rome to every part of the world. At the present day not only altars, but churches and dioceses (e.g. in England, Leeds and Middlesborough; in the United States Savannah and in Winnipeg, Canada!) are dedicated to Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

The special Icon has also been popular throughout the Ukrainian Catholic Church, because it is a beautiful icon and it is of true Byzantine style. Over the last century or so, the Ukrainian Redemptorists were very instrumental in spreading its devotion in every land and eparchy in which they served. It wasn't until 2017 that the Synod of Bishops of the Ukrainian Catholic decided to establish an official feast of "Our Mother of Perpetual Help" for our Church that would be celebrated on the first Sunday of July every year.

Also, Read this fascinating enhanced history of the miraculous icon from an Indian perspective... https://www.indiancatholicmatters.org/history-of-our-lady-of-perpetual-help/

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

St. Joseph's Residence: Mary Ruta Middle Church: Olga Hnatiuk,

Margaret Sawchuk Holy <u>Family Home</u>: Jane Budzen, Mary Horbal, Irene Omeniuk, Jennie Huchko, Elizabeth Boychuk, Fr. Victor Yakowchuk, Milly Manitowich

River East Care Home: Liz Simcoe
At Home or in Hospital: Ollie
Kowalski, Ollie Kostiuk, Mary
Kozubniak, Fr. Ed Kwiatkowski

Families, in these covid times, its up to you to request a Pastoral/ Sacramental visit especially when your loved ones request this. (t. 204-996-1310)



COMMUNITY CHARITY COOK BOOK Canon Luhovy Assembly #0374, Knights of Columbus and The Welcome Home, have put together a Cookbook, that will generate much needed funds for their charitable work.

Call Ed or Rose at 204-663-6513



YOUR PARISH NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT! THE PARISH CONTINUES TO SERVE OUR NEEDS AS BEST WE CAN GIVEN THE RESTRICTIONS.
OUR PARISH WILL THRIVE AGAIN AFTER THE RESTRICTIONS! DON'T GIVE UP ON HER....! PLEASE.... GIVE NOW....

God bless you for your kindness and generosity!

1	Sunday, June 27, 2021	\$1605.00
2	Candles	\$8.00
3	Property Maintenance	\$205.00
	TOTAL	\$2168.00

POPE FRANCIS DECLARES THE FIRST WORLD DAY FOR BABAS & DIDOS AND ALL SENIORS! July 25, 2021

Okay, its officially called for "Grandparents and the Elderly" but it is a wonderful day asking all of us to appreciate what a blessing the elderly are in our lives and in society. It is also an occasion for the elderly not to lose hope and to think that their day "has passed". No! The Pope says. The elderly, regardless of what their state of health or age may be, have great things to offer to a world so much in need of their wisdom, their experience, their kindness, and their love of life that they now appreciate like never before. And their prayer and even suffering. All graces for us!



Schedule of Liturgies - Розпорядок Богослужінь July 4 - July 11, 2021 Also Live-streamed via: www.HolyEucharist.ca



July 4, 2021 6th Sunday after Pentecost Mother of God of Perpetual Help Rom. 12:6-14; Matthew 9: 1–8	7:20 am 8:00 am 10:00 am	3rd Hour & Rosary Divine Liturgy Divine Liturgy	God, bless and save America! For All Parishioners
Monday, July 5 Venerable Athanasius of Athos Gal. 5:22-6:2; Luke 6: 17-23	7:20 am 8:00 am	3rd Hour & Rosary Divine Liturgy	Blessings for Bob & Barb, by sister Sr. Ruth Aney, SSMI
Tuesday, July 6 Venerable Sisoes 1 Cor. 6:22-7:12; Matthew 14:1-13	7:20 am 8:00 am	3rd Hour & Rosary Divine Liturgy	Health & Healing of Gabriel Coffey and his family, by Michael & Mary Issigonis
Wednesday, July 7 Venerable Thomas 1 Cor. 7:12-24; Mark 14: 34-15:11	7:20 am 8:00 am	3rd Hour & Rosary Divine Liturgy	+Irene Witt (40 days)
Thursday, July 8 Great Martyr Prokopius 1 Cor. 7:24-35; Matthew 15: 12-21	7:20 am 8:00 am	3rd Hour & Rosary Divine Liturgy	Birthday Blessings Julian Cherniak Многая літа!
Friday, July 9 Priest Martyr Pancratius 1 Cor. 7:35-8:7; Matthew 15:29-31	7:20 am 8:00 am	3rd Hour & Rosary Divine Liturgy	Brig. Gen. Emmanuel Sani Eihoda, by daughter Justina & Family
Saturday, July 10 Venerable Anthony of the Caves Gal. 5:22-6:2; Luke 6:17-23	7:20 am 8:00 am	3rd Hour & Rosary Divine Liturgy	+Father Djura Maljik (40 Days)
July 11, 2021 7th Sunday after Pentecost	7:20 am 8:00 am	3rd Hour & Rosary Divine Liturgy	For All Parishioners
Rom. 15:1-7; Matthew 9: 27–35	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy	Birthday Blessings for Kaitlyn Shupenia, by Dad Curtis & Family

RED LAMP (SAVIOUR Side Altar)

July 4 - July 310 2021 For divine grace and guidance for Canada in these troubled times

BLUE LAMP (MARIAN Side Altar)

June 4 - July 10, 2021 For divine grace and guidance for America in these troubled times