



# PARISH BULLETIN



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### CLERGY:

Parish Priest: Very Rev. Fr. Mark Gnutel

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## Sunday, November 13, 2022 23rd Sunday After Pentecost



*Lord Jesus, unbind me  
that I may love you fully  
and walk in the freedom  
of Your way of life and  
holiness. May there be  
nothing which keeps me  
from the joy of living in  
Your presence."*



**JOIN US!** The St Anne Knights of Columbus invite you to a PANCAKE BREAKFAST on Sunday Nov. 13th, from 10 -11 am. in the hall.

***Welcome—Bitaemo***

*Our Mission is to Know, Love and Serve Our Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ.*

## LITURGY SCHEDULE Nov. 12 to Nov. 20, 2022

Sat. Nov. 12	11:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.		+Lillian Joyce Spewak (40 day) by family  For our Parishioners	St. Anne  St. Anne
Sun. Nov. 13	9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	<b>23rd Sunday after Pentecost</b>	For our Parishioners For our Parishioners +Helen Michalishyn by Elsie Gillies	St. Anne - Livestream St. Michael - Livestream St. Anne
Sat. Nov. 19	4:00 p.m.		+Michael Kuzminski (15 yrs) by family	St. Anne
Sun. Nov. 20	9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	<b>24th Sunday after Pentecost</b>	For our Parishioners + Msgr Michael Buyachok by Luba Grywinski +Olga & +Wladyslaw Karhut by Anna Tyrawski	St. Anne - Livestream St. Michael - Livestream St. Anne

### Sunday Collections & Donations

#### St. Michael Parish

For week ended Nov. 6, 2022 - \$1895  
In memory of Msgr. Michael Buyachok - \$390

#### St. Anne Parish

Donations will be printed next week.

**THANK YOU!**

### St. Anne Perpetual Light: Nov. 13 - 19

For the health of Alice Miller (Beyak) of Burlington, ON by Jennie Beyak and family

#### St. Anne Offertory Counters:

**Nov. 13:** Dave Mazur, Elsie Gillies, Violet Walechuk

**Nov. 27:** Connie Cox, Marilyn Bird, Jeannette Golletz



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### *Welcome*

*Fr. Larry Kondra, from  
Welcome Home ,  
who is celebrating Divine Liturgy today @  
St. Michael Parish.  
Coffee & Fellowship following Liturgy.*

### UP-COMING COUNCIL MEETINGS

#### St. Anne Parish

Thursday, Nov. 24 at 7:00 pm.

#### St. Michael Parish

Tuesday, November 29 at 7:00 pm.

#### St. Michael EPISTLE READERS

Sunday, Nov. 13 - Pat Hawthorn

Sunday, Nov. 20 - David Kawaler

#### St. Michael ROSARY LEADERS

Sunday, Nov. 13 Lezah & Basil Evan

Sunday, Nov. 20 - Joanne Tanchuk

#### St. Michael U.C.W.L.C. MEETING

Sunday, Nov. 13 following the Coffee & Fellowship  
All members are asked to attend.

## Gospel Reflection: Luke 8: 26-39



Do you ever feel driven by forces beyond your strength? A man who was possessed and driven mad by the force of many evil spirits found refuge in the one person who could set him free. Both Mark and Luke in their Gospel accounts of this incident describe this demonic force as a legion (Mark 5:9 and Luke 8:30). A legion is no small force – but an army 6,000 strong! For the people of Palestine who were often hemmed in by occupied forces, a legion – whether human or supernatural – struck terror!

Jesus took pity on the man who was overtaken by a legion of evil spirits. The destructive force of these demons is evident for all who can see as they flee and destroy a herd of swine. After Jesus freed the demoniac the whole city came out to meet him. No one had demonstrated such power and authority against the forces of Satan as Jesus did. They feared Jesus as a result and begged him to leave them. Why would they not want Jesus to stay? Perhaps the price for such liberation from the power of evil and sin was more than they wanted to pay. The Lord Jesus is ready and willing to free us from anything that binds us and that keeps us from the love of God. Are you willing to part with anything that might keep you from his love and saving grace?

**Report from St. Michael Annual Meeting:** The Annual Meeting was held at St. Michael Parish last Sunday, with 66 people in attendance: The following make up the new 2022-23 Parish Council:

**Pastor:** - Rev. Mark Gnutel  
**Chairperson** - Ron Kawaler  
**Vice Chairperson** - Mark Brooker  
**Recording Secretary** - Diane Brooker  
**Financial Secretary** - David Kawaler  
**Treasurer** - Daniel Kawaler  
**Maintenance** - Clint Remarchuk  
**Assistance Maintenance** - Peter Klimchak  
**Safe Environment Officer** - Aaron Balla  
**Catechism Leader** - Marian Polakoff

**Members at Large:** Pat Hawthorn, Lynn Dubesky, Brent Early, Val Bernier, Basil Evan

### **Organization Appointments**

UCWLC - Lezah Evan  
UCB - Ron Kawaler  
K of C - Mark Brooker

**Auditors-** Richard Dubesky,  
- Don Willms  
- Wilma Pawluk

**We wish our newly elected Council God's Blessings** for a successful year and ask that all our parishioners to continue to support the Council as they work toward that future needs and for the good of our church.

**A BIG THANK YOU** to all the parishioners who took time out to attend and support the meeting.

**A HUGE THANK YOU IS EXTENDED TO OUR OUTGOING COUNCIL MEMBERS** - Wayne Tanchuk, Helen Kurylko, Marilyn Krochak & Rose Jansen for the many dedicated years and all the hours and work they have provided to our church. Your love of your parish will always be appreciated. God's blessing to each of you for a well deserved rest.

**First Meeting of the new Parish Council - Tuesday, Nov. 29 @ 7:00 pm.**

*thank you!*

We extend a huge thank you to the many volunteers that came out to help with the St. Michael Perogy Preparations last Friday and Saturday. It was so nice to see so many people, especially our young families, come out and support this project. May God bless all of you most abundantly.

### **The St Anne UCWLC and Knights Christmas Party**

**Thursday, Dec. 1st.**

Cost \$10. Doors open at 6 with a traditional turkey dinner served at 6:30. Please contact the membership committee to reserve your spot.



### **ST. MICHAEL CHRISTMAS FOOD & BAKE SALE**

**Saturday, Nov. 26, 2022 beginning 11 am.**  
Parishioners are asked to donate a favorite Christmas baking toward the Bake Sale.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR** - help will be needed with the preparations and setting up for the Christmas Food and Bake Sale on Friday, Nov. 25

### **St. Michael's Raffle**

St. Michael's Christmas Food and Bake Sale is quickly approaching and will be held on Saturday, November 26, 2022. We are requesting donations of new items towards our Raffle table. Prizes may be brought to the hall as soon as possible to give us time to compile them well. Please do not wait until the last minute. Please attach the names of donors to the prizes. For further information please contact Nicole Balla at 204-416-2497 or email nicoleballa83@gmail.com. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

### **ST. ANNE PARISH PEROGY MAKING**

Last chance to order Perogies before Christmas! Place your order today for pick up on Wed. November 16th.  
(between 11am and 1pm)

Potato and Cheese Perogies are \$8 per dozen. Please call 204-479-8952 to order. The next St. Anne Parish Perogy session will be Tuesday, November 15 (potatoes) and Wednesday, November 16 (perogies).

**All volunteers are welcome.**

### **ST. ANNE PARISH UCWLC MEMBERSHIP**

St. Anne UCWLC membership fees are due. Fees are \$20 and can be dropped off in the collection basket or given to the membership committee (Elsie Marykuca, Annette Manchulenko or Mary Gnutel.)

**St. Anne & St. Michael Catechism registration is ongoing and all students are welcome. Contact your parish office to join!**

**St. Anne Parish 2023 Donation Envelope Boxes are now available at the back of the church. Pick up yours today!**

### **St. Michael 2023 Donation Envelopes Boxes**

will be available at the church entrance this month. (The new envelopes should not be used until the new year.) Please note that envelope numbers #102 - #110 will be changed and you will be given a new number. Also if you do not have a donation envelope and would like one, please contact the parish office or email [stmichaelucc@mymts.net](mailto:stmichaelucc@mymts.net).



# ST. MICHAEL PARISH FEAST DAY PRAZNYK

## Sunday, November 27, 2022

Divine Liturgy of Thanksgiving – 9:30 am

With special guest His Grace Metropolitan Lawrence Huculak

followed by our **PRAZNYK DINNER.**

*(Veal Cutlet Dinner with all the trimmings catered by Luigi's Catering.)*

*(Menu posted on the board at the church entrance.)*

**Adults: \$20.00 & Children \$5.00** (Chicken fingers & fries only)

**Advance Tickets Only - available** at the church entrance today

or call Pat Hawthorn @ 204-661-6744 **no later than Sunday, Nov. 20**

**UNF CLUB: HELPING UKRAINIAN NEWCOMERS:** Since April we have had over 7000 Ukrainians have landed at the Winnipeg Airport. There are about 50 a day that arrive. They arrive with what they can fit in a suitcase. At the Airport there is a help desk run by volunteers where they record all that arrive. Hopefully there is a toy for the children, water and snacks to provide. There is a list of hotels the government funds that is updated daily. If they need a hotel we call to confirm a room is available and get them a shuttle or a taxi chit. **Ideally there are two volunteers per each 3 hour shift chosen whenever you can help. There is an online calendar you can choose your time at your convenience. You can contact recallyou@yahoo.com or the person who is organizing to volunteer your time: [podzizei.svitlana@gmail.com](mailto:podzizei.svitlana@gmail.com)**

**MENTORS** are also to help with the Ukrainian families who are arriving everyday to Winnipeg. Volunteers are needed to help with little things like driving them places or just someone to reach out to them and help in any way they can. The person who is running the Mentor program is: Michelle Kowalchuk [mikowalchuk@gmail.com](mailto:mikowalchuk@gmail.com).

**Existing volunteers have been giving their time since April and are starting to become exhausted.** Ukrainian language would make it easiest but volunteers have managed to help who do not speak Ukrainian by using Google Translator. Thank you for taking the time to listen.

**Should you have any question please email at [unfclub@gmail.com](mailto:unfclub@gmail.com)** If you have large items to donate for newcomers please send pictures as they have no room to store. Thank you!

### **MOST needed items. St. Anne Knights of Columbus Ukraine Newcomers collection:**

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| 1. Hygiene (Shampoo, Women's Pads/Tampons) | 8. Can openers  |
| 2. Size 3/4/5 Diapers                      | 9. Towels   |
| 3. Canned Tomatoes                         | 10. Canned Meat   |
| 4. Pasta                                   | 11. ONLY ACCEPTING winter clothing in Children's sizes (10-16)  |
| 5. Pasta Sauce                             | Please be sure that all donations are clean, no stains or rips. |
| 6. Chicken Soup                            | NOT accepting baby clothing.                                    |
| 7. NEW pillows                             |   |

Every day, more families arrive and supplies are **RUNNING LOW.**  
**These items are delivered by your St. Anne Knights to the UNF Club to be distributed to the newcomers in need. Thank you for your support and generosity!**

### **UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC BISHOPS ISSUE CALL TO END UKRAINE WAR**

The Ukrainian Catholic Bishops in Canada have issued a Pastoral Letter calling for continued Prayer, Fasting and Action to end the tragic War in Ukraine. The letter is issued in view of the annual commemoration on the last Saturday of November of the Holodomor – Genocide, the man-made famine in Ukraine that claimed millions of lives during 1932-1933. Addressed to the faithful in Canada and to all people of good will, the bishops urge a response of faith to the evil of war, violence and death.

**Read the letter here:**

[http://archeparchy.ca/news\\_details.php?news\\_id=1203](http://archeparchy.ca/news_details.php?news_id=1203)

## AN APPEAL TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS

We ask that you be sure to continue donating to your parish, especially now that the cold weather is here. The parish continues to have high expenses such as utilities, insurance bills, etc. For your convenience Pre-Authorized donations offers a simple, safe and easy method of payment as a donation option. Donations can also be done through E-Transfers. By making your donations you are providing crucial support to your parish. Let's all do our part in supporting our parish both spiritually and financially.



## Knights of Columbus Bishop Budka Council DONATION BIN

K of C Blessed Bishop Budka Council is reminding parishioners of the donation bin at the church entrance for non-perishable food items to be donated to the local food bank. Please check dates to ensure food items have not expired.

### IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY SCHOOL

ANNUAL FUND RAISING RAFFLE  
7:00PM, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 30, 2022  
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY  
SCHOOL GYMNASIUM,  
650 FLORA AVENUE

\$50.00 per ticket available at the IHM  
School Office Phone: 204-582-5698 E-Mail:  
ihms@ihms.mb.ca All proceeds are for the  
academic, spiritual and cultural programs  
at Immaculate Heart of Mary School

Bishop Velychkovsky National Mar-  
tyr's Shrine—a prayerful, peaceful at-  
mosphere of holiness. St. Joseph's

Ukrainian Catholic Church at 250

Jefferson **Open:** Tuesday to Friday – 10

am to 5pm; Saturday – 10 am to 1 pm; Every Wednesday

at 1:30 pm Rosary-Praying for Ukraine ; **Every Wednesday**

**at 7 p.m. Devotional Service.** To arrange a guided group

tour of the Museum and Shrine Chapel, call 204-338-7321

or email: [info@bvmartyrshrine.com](mailto:info@bvmartyrshrine.com). For more infor-  
mation, visit the website: [bvmartyrshrine.com](http://bvmartyrshrine.com)



St. Basil's Ukrainian Church  
Auditorium  
202 Harcourt St.

10am - 2pm

Pre- Christmas Bake Sale  
December 3, 2022

- Perogies
- Cabbage rolls
- Peroshki
- and more



## CHRISTMAS CRAFT & VENDOR SALE

St. Nicholas Church Hall  
(corner of Arlington St. & Bannerman Ave.)

Saturday, November 19th, 2022  
11 am - 3pm

ADMISSION \$1

\*\*\*canteen will be open\*\*\*

Great way to complete your  
Christmas shopping!

Sponsored By: U.C.W.L.C

PIC-COLLAGE

**The Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of Sts Vladimir and Olga is organizing a Christmas campaign called "Become St. Nicholas for the Children of Fallen Heroes".**

In Ukraine, the Feast of St. Nicholas on December 19 is an opportunity for children to receive small gifts from St. Nicholas, rewarding them for good behavior and reminding them of God's love and His endless blessings.

This year, we do not know what the Feast of St. Nicholas will be like for those in Ukraine. What we do know is that this time of year will look and feel very different. In some homes, family members will be missing from the table this Christmas. In others, children will wake up on the Feast of St. Nicholas without any toys, because their parents have been killed in the war, and they have been left orphaned. This tragedy is the unescapable reality of what is taking place in Ukraine right now. **This year, the Cathedral is working with the Drohobych SOS Volunteer Organization to collect and deliver donations to make this year's Feast of St. Nicholas and Christmas a bit easier for families in Ukraine. In particular, we are focusing this year's campaign on children of Heroes who have died in the war.** We are collecting the following items, in addition to financial donations: **Items will be collected until Tuesday, November 15, 2022**, so as to ensure that the donations arrive in Ukraine on time.

- Pencils
- Paints
- Felt-tip pens
- Notebook or Colouring Book
- Toys
- Socks
- Gloves
- Hats
- Hair elastics
- Hairbrushes
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Vitamins
- Candies

Items can be brought to Sts. Vladimir and Olga Cathedral during the week from 10:00am to 3:00pm, or we can arrange to have donations picked up from your parish.

**Also donations are being accepted by cash, cheque, or e-transfer. Donations via e-transfer can be sent to [office@stvo.ca](mailto:office@stvo.ca) marked "St. Nicholas".**

***The Welcome Home*** needs your help. They are in need of non perishables for the weekly Wednesday morning hamper program. They also need volunteers to help out on family nights with setting up, serving and cleaning up afterwards. If you can



Pope Francis has approved the decision of the Synod of Bishops of the Ukrainian Catholic Church that

**BISHOP  
ANDRIY RABIY**

be appointed to serve as  
**Auxiliary Bishop**  
for the  
Archeparchy  
of Winnipeg



**На многії літа, Владико!**  
**WE WELCOME YOU!**

## Aid to Ukraine

**Donate Now  
via the  
Archeparchy of  
Winnipeg App**





## **St. Phillips Fast ( Pre-Nativity Fast) Begins Nov. 15th**

The Pre-Nativity Fast (Advent) is called the Philippian Fast in the Ukrainian Catholic Church because it begins on the day after the feast of St. Phillip. The fast was introduced to prepare the church for a worthy celebration of the great and holy days of the birth of Christ and Theophany of our Lord. The fast is an ancient practice which lasts 40 days and helps us to better understand and appreciate all of God's saving plan.

The Fast prepares us for the Nativity and the events that follow and prepare us to receive the public ministry of Christ announced at Theophany.

### **The Purpose of the Nativity Fast**

*The purpose of the Nativity Fast is to draw closer to God through denying the body by fasting with repentance and humility. . The fast is not solely based on refraining from eating certain foods. It is also based on fasting from sin, increasing one's prayer life, increasing the practice of almsgiving and good works.*

*So then rather than approaching this Nativity season with feelings of anxiety and distress, dedicate yourself to the true spirit of the season and the greater purpose that lies within: the salvation and healing of the world.*



*It's Time to Reflect.*

Reflect, today, upon the power and glory of God. He desires to do great things and to bring total transformation to your life. He desires to cast out the evil one lurking within our world, bringing instead His mercy and peace. As you reflect upon God's power, allow yourself to more clearly understand Him. If you understand Him, you will be more fully ready to rejoice in His good works.



*Most powerful and glorious God, I rejoice in Your almighty power. I rejoice in Your greatness and glory. Help me to see the many ways that You are at work in our world and in the lives of those around me. As I see Your transforming power at work, fill my heart with gratitude for all that You do.*

### **Prayer As We Begin St. Phillip Fast ...**

Lord God, may we, Your people, who look forward to the birthday of Christ experience the joy of salvation and celebrate that feast with love and thanksgiving. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.