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Fr. Gabriel Haber, OSBM	Provincial Superior
Fr. Matthew Drury, OSBM	Parochial Vicar
Fr. Emilian Nychak, OSBM	Parochial Vicar

[position vacant] Parish Secretary

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday
9am-4pm

Liturgical Regular Schedule:

Sundays:	Weekdays:
8:40am Rosary	6:55am (Ukrainian)
9:00am (Ukrainian)	
10:40am Rosary	
11:00am (English)	
7:00pm (English)	

Holy Days of Obligation & First Fridays of the Month
6:55am & 7:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)
15 minutes before Divine Liturgy on Sundays & First Fridays

Sacrament of Baptism & Chrismation (Confirmation)
by appointment with the Pastor

Sacrament of Holy Matrimony (Marriage)
by appointment with the Pastor at least 6 months in advance

Sacrament of Holy Anointing (Sacrament of the Sick)
by appointment

Funerals
by appointment with the Pastor

Parish Bulletin: Sunday, March 25, 2018 Volume 54/12

Palm Sunday Feast of the Annunciation

**Слава Ісусу Христу! Слава на віки!
Glory be to Jesus Christ! Glory Forever!**



Epistle: Phil. 4:4-9

Gospel: John 12:1-18

We extend a **joyous welcome** to all our parishioners and guests that have come to join us this Sunday in offering praise to God.

Please join us for Pancakes following the 9 am & 11 am Divine Liturgies!

Today we celebrate Palm Sunday. As we commemorate Our Lord's Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem, let us all shout:

Blessed is He Who Comes in the Name of the Lord; Hosanna in the Highest!

At the conclusion of today's Divine Liturgy, as is the custom in our Ukrainian Catholic Church, the priest will bless **Pussy Willows**, which remind us of the liturgical symbolism of Palm Sunday. During the winter the willow tree seems to be dead. Yet, with the coming of spring, it sprouts and gives a sign of life. The willow branches bring to mind the wood of the Tree of the Cross, while the buds, a sign of new life, remind us of our own glorious resurrection. The faithful will also receive a special blessing through the anointing of one's forehead with Holy Oil. The priest will greet you with either, "Христос посеред нас!" or "Christ is Among Us!", to which one responds: "Є і буде!" or "He is and will be!"

PARISH COMMUNITY...

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS: MAR. 25-APR. 2, 2018

Sunday, Mar. 25 Palm Sunday/Annunciation

9:00am + Mary Sahan, Nick, Sandra, Dennis Shaw

11:00am +Merlyn Onyschuk

7:00pm Parish & Parishioners

Monday, Mar. 26

6:55am Health of Chris Seneshen

7:00pm Divine Liturgy Deceased ++Sorokousty

Tuesday, Mar. 27

6:55am +Michael Schurko

Wednesday, Mar. 28

6:55am Health of Cheryl Lisowski

Thursday, Mar. 29

10:00am Parish & Parishioners

Saturday, Mar.31

6:55am Parish & Parishioners

Sunday, Apr. 1 Resurrection of Our Lord- Easter

8:00am Parish & Parishioners

11:00am Parish & Parishioners

Monday, Apr. 2 Easter Monday

6:55am +Jin Hines

10:00am Parish & Parishioners

LITURGICAL VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

Please remember that the Epistle Reader for the 11am Liturgy is responsible for reading the Announcements prior to Liturgy.

Sunday, March 25, 2018

9:00 am	Sacristan	Larry Gambrel
	Ushers	Andy Duplak
		Ted Shwaluke
	Rosary (8:40am)	Christine Grywinski
11:00 am	Sacristan	Peter Muzyka
	Ushers	Dennis Kowalchuk
		Art Zaluski
	Epistle Reader	Willow Yakiwchuk
	Rosary (10:40am)	Marlene Skrinski

Sunday, April 1, 2018

8:00 am	Sacristan	Walter Melnyk
	Ushers	Mike Semegen
		Alex Semegen
11:00 am	Sacristan	Art Zaluski
	Ushers	Gord Libitka
		Ron Michalishyn
	Epistle Reader	Janelle Kent
	Rosary (10:40am)	Christopher Robinson

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

Sunday, March 18, 2018

Envelopes (136): \$ 2,954.00 Loose: \$ 70.50

Automatic Debit Program: \$ 224.00

APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER

April 2018 Intention: **For Those who have Responsibility in Economic Matters:** That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

PRAYERS @ SNC

Feel free to submit to the Parish Office the name of anyone who is ill and in need of our prayers. Names must be re-submitted at the start of every month. **Please remember in your prayers those in care homes and those who are not able to join us actively in our community:** Jennie Ewasko, Olga Haber, Olive Yaremko, Debra Procopchuk, Ollie Slobodian & Sukaylo Family.

THIS WEEK @ SNC

Sunday, March 25, 2018

Regular Sunday Schedule
Bozhi Dity to Help with Easter Tagging
Pancake Breakfast following morning Liturgies
Paska Bake Sale
7:00 pm Divine Liturgy

Monday, March 26, 2018

7:00 pm Divine Liturgy & Sorokousty

Thursday, March 29, 2018 - HOLY THURSDAY

10:00am Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great & Washing of Feet with Met. Lawrence
7:00pm Matins of the Passion (12 Gospels)
Plaschanytsia Setup to follow

Friday, March 30, 2018 - GOOD FRIDAY - Office Closed

11:00am Great Vespers & Exposition of the Shroud
4:00pm Passion Hymns (UCWLC)
5:00pm Rosary (Men's Club)
7:00pm Jerusalem Matins

Saturday, March 31, 2018 - HOLY SATURDAY

10:00am Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great & Confessions
Blessing of Easter Basket to follow
Blessing of Easter Baskets & Confession:
2pm, 3pm, 4pm, 5pm
7:00pm Service at the Tomb
Dismantling of the Holy Shroud

Sunday, April 1, 2018 - EASTER SUNDAY

7:00am Resurrectional Matins
8:00am Divine Liturgy & Myrovannia (Ukrainian)
11:00am Divine Liturgy & Myrovannia (English)

Monday, April 2, 2018 - BRIGHT MONDAY - Office Closed

6:55 am Divine Liturgy
10:00 am Divine Liturgy (Bilingual)

Tuesday, April 3, 2018

7:00pm Parish Council Meeting

PARISH COUNCIL

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 3, 2018

We welcome our two new Members-at-Large who were elected to a 2-year term at the last Annual General Meeting:
Peter Muzyka & Aneta Carroll.

ANNUAL PASKA SALE - TODAY

The SNC Annual Paska Sale is today! Buy your Paskas, as well as butter lambs, garlic sausage, horseradish with beets, etc after both the 9 & 11am Liturgies! This year, there is also an Easter Raffle!

HOLY THURSDAY LITURGY WITH MET. LAWRENCE

Come join the Clergy, Religious and all the Faithful of the Archeparchy as they come together for the ancient tradition of the Holy Thursday commemoration of Christ's institution of the Holy Eucharist and the Holy Priesthood at the "Last Supper". Traditionally the Holy Myron Oil used throughout the Manitoba for the Mystery of Chrismation in the coming year is also blessed at this time and the Metropolitan-Archbishop reminds us of Christ's teaching of humility and service by performing the "Washing of Feet". **10am on Thursday March 29** at Saint Nicholas Parish Church.

ANNUAL PARISH EASTER DINNER

The Parish Easter Dinner will be held on **Sunday, April 8, 2018 @12:15 pm** in the Parish Hall. Adults: \$10, Children 6-14: \$5, under 6: FREE. Tickets at the door. *Everybody is Welcome!*

EASTER CHURCH SETUP/PREPARATION

Help is always needed for set up of the Holy Shroud and flowers on **Thurs., March 29 following 7:00 pm Matins** and dismantling on **Sat., March 31 following 7:00 pm service.**

AIR CONDITIONING PROJECT

Through your generosity **\$21,160 has been collected of our \$26,000 goal.**

PRAYERS AND CONDOLENCES

Our deepest sympathy and condolences are extended to the family and friends of **+Sr. Nathaniel Preyma, SSMI**, whose funeral will be held on Monday, March 26 at 10:00am in Church. Please keep her family and the Sister Servants in your prayers. May God grant her Eternal Rest! Вічна Пам'ять!

THANK YOU

Thank you to the many the volunteers that assisted with the Parish's Paska Bake, as well as to the children of Bozhi Dity for assisting the UCWLC with today's Palm Sunday Tagging.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST - TODAY!

Join us in Fellowship with a side of Pancakes & more!

Pancake Breakfast hosted by the St. Nicholas Men's Club (after both morning Divine Liturgies)
Don't miss the opportunity to buy food items for your Easter Baskets!

BEYOND OUR PARISH

CARITAS AWARDS DINNER 2018

April 19, 2018 RBC Convention Centre
Hounouring "The Catholic Health Association of Manitoba"
Tickets \$110.00 are available in the Parish Office

PEROGY BASH

Plan to attend Winnipeg's Largest Perogy Bash at Holy Eucharist Parish Centre on Saturday April 14, 2018 at 5:30-7:30 pm. Doors open at 5pm. Tickets only \$20 Adults; \$8 Children.

**** Cash Bar **** All you can eat homemade perogies, perogy eating contests with guest judges, learn the perogy dance, door prizes, famous Ukrainian Auction, Dancing and much...much More!!!

Music by: The Ukrainian Old Timers. . .

For Tickets call: 204-667-8866.

HOLY GHOST UKR. CATH. CHURCH - EASTER DINNER

All are invited to Holy Ghost Ukr. Cath. Church's Annual Easter Dinner on Sunday April 15, 2018. Divine Liturgy at 11:00am, with Easter Dinner to follow. For more info & tickets, please contact Andrew Pankiw at 204-896-9029, or email: holyghostucc@gmail.com

PARISH INFORMATION & CONTACTS...

PARISH CONTACT INFO

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Aneta Carroll

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Grand Knight: George Ehr / 204.955.8480 / gpehr@shaw.ca

Choir (Ukrainian)

President: Helen Goshlak / 204.582.6298 /

St. Nicholas Men's Club

President: Peter Skrinski / 204.632.0484 / pmskrinski@shaw.ca

Perogy Crew

Organizer: Theresa Antoniuk / 204.586.7985 /

Young Adults of SNC (YA)

Organizer: Jonathan Zulyniak / zulyniak_j@hotmail.com

Bozhi Dity

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism & Chrismation - for infants and adults; by arrangement in advance with the Pastor. For infants- the parents of the child to be baptized must personally meet with the Pastor on Sunday after one of the Divine Liturgies prior to making arrangements with the Parish Office.

Holy Matrimony (Marriage) - please make an appointment with the Pastor at least six months in advance. All couples are required to attend the Marriage Preparation Program held usually during the Lenten season and are expected to be active members of the church community.

Anointing of the Sick - for healing and recovery, in all cases of surgery and grave illness (spiritual or physical), please call the Parish Office at 204.582.6695. **For emergencies** outside of Parish Office Hours, please press 3 when prompted by the phone.