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**Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Fathers of the 7th Ecumenical Council**

**Слава Ісусу Христу! Слава на віки!
Glory Be To Jesus Christ! Glory Forever!**

Parish Administered by:
The Order of St. Basil the Great (Basilian Fathers)

Fr. Zachary Shwaluk, OSBM
Fr. Isidore Dziadyk, OSBM
Fr. Gabriel Haber, OSBM
Fr. Emilian Nychak, OSBM

Pastor
Assistant Pastor
Provincial Superior
Parochial Vicar

Bro. Peter Pitchko, OSBM

Parish Office
(Pastoral Intern)

Parish Office Hours:

Monday to Friday
9am-4pm

Liturgical Regular Schedule:

Sundays: (livestreamed) Weekdays: (livestreamed)

8:40am Rosary
9:00am (Ukrainian)
10:40am Rosary
11:00am (English) - at SNC by pre-registration only
7:00pm (English)

Holy Days of Obligation & First Fridays of the Month

7:00am & 7:00pm (livestreamed)

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



Icon of Christ & the Fishers of Men

Epistle: Heb. 13:7-16 **Gospel:** Jn. 17:1-13

We extend a **joyous welcome** to all our parishioners and guests that have come to join us in offering praise to God. Today, the Church is celebrating the *Sunday of Fathers of the 7th Ecumenical Council*. Today, the gradual reopening of our church building for public worship continues with the 11am Liturgy. The 9am and 7pm, and weekday liturgies will continue to be livestreamed on the SNC YouTube Channel. The Province of Manitoba has mandated that face masks be worn in all indoor public places- this includes worship services in church. Please comply with this order. **Слава Ісусу Христу! Слава на віки!** **Glory be to Jesus Christ!**

PARISH COMMUNITY...

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS: OCT. 11-20, 2020

Sunday, October 11

9:00am Parish & Parishioners

11:00am +Walter Krawec

7:00pm

Monday, October 12 - Thanksgiving Monday

6:55am Blessings for the OSBM Canadian Apostolate

Tuesday, October 13

6:55am +Nadia Dmytryshyn

Wednesday, October 14

6:55am +Wayne Skirzyk

Thursday, October 15

6:55am +Joseph & +Sophie Fliss

Friday, October 16

6:55am +Wayne Skirzyk

Saturday, October 17

6:55am

Sunday, October 18

9:00am Anniversary Blessings & Health: John & Olga

11:00am Parish & Parishioners

7:00pm

Monday, October 19

6:55am +Merlyn Onyschuk

Tuesday, October 20

6:55am

SANCTUARY VIGIL LAMP

The Parish is accepting your intentions for The Sanctuary Vigil Lamp. The lamp will be lit Sunday morning and remain for the entire week, and your intention will be printed in Sunday's bulletin. Suggested donation: \$20. Please call the parish office to make such arrangements.

SANCTUARY VIGIL LAMP INTENTION

For the Parish & Parishioners of SNC

LIVESTREAMED LITURGICAL SERVICES @ SNC

YouTube Channel: SNC - Winnipeg

(direct link on parish website)

COVID-19 HEALTH RESTRICTIONS - FACE MASKS

As of Monday, September 26, 2020, the Province of Manitoba has made the **wearing of face masks mandatory** in all indoor public places in Winnipeg and the surrounding area. This includes worship services at SNC. Parish Council will be updating its COVID-19 Protocol to reflect this recent development.

PARISH RAFFLE 2020

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic situation, the Raffle Books have been mailed out to parishioners who have participated in the Raffle in the past. If you would like additional raffle books, please contact the parish office. The raffle books can be returned by dropping them off at the parish office, or by mail. This year's raffle proceeds will be used towards offsetting the cost of the A/C replacement for the office/monastery complex. Thank you for your continued support.

PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT - SNC DONATIONS

Don't forget, SNC offers the Automatic Debit Program for Sunday Donations- A simple, safe and easy way to support your parish! Please contact the parish office for more info.

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

Sunday, October 4, 2020

Envelopes : \$ 3,153 Loose: \$0

Automatic Debit Program: \$ 1,356

PRAYERS @ SNC

Feel free to submit to the Parish Office the name of anyone who is ill and in need of our prayers. **Please remember in your prayers those in care homes and those who are not able to join us actively in our community:** Olive Yaremko, Nellie Manchur, Debbie Yaremko, Debra Procopchuk, Sukaylo Family, Vera Horechko, Peter Melnyk, Geraldine Kwasny, Mildred Kucher, Jan Karchut & Kathy Iskat.

PARISHIONER PHONE VISITS

The societal restrictions that have accompanied the COVID-19 Pandemic have led some parishioners to feeling abandoned and lonely. At its most recent meeting, the Parish Council discussed ways in which the Parish can make outreach to these individuals. If you would like a phone call visit by a member of the parish, please inform the parish office and one will be arranged.

APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER - OCTOBER 2020

The Laity's Mission in the Church. We pray that by the virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

MONTH OF OCTOBER - ROSARY MONTH

During the Month of October, the rosary will be prayed from the monastery chapel and livestreamed on Tuesday and Thursdays at 7pm, and Sundays at 6:30pm. The link will be posted online.

SUPPORT IN UNCERTAIN TIMES

In order to help curb the spread of the COVID-19 virus and in accordance with the health regulations of the Manitoba Provincial Government, St. Nicholas Church has reduced its service to people at this time. The Basilian priests resident in the monastery will be celebrating the scheduled liturgies, but not all will be open to the public. Those closed to the public will be livestreamed and links will be posted to on the web page.

Our primary concern is the health and well-being of our parishioners and those in our community. However, without public liturgical services being held in the church and the suspension of public fundraising activities, the parish has lost a large portion of its revenue. It will be a challenge for St. Nick's parish to maintain operations without the weekly offertory collection. There are several ways that a parishioner can continue to support St. Nick's at this time:

1. Drop off or mail your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish office.
2. Sign up for Automatic Pre-authorized Debits. Please contact the parish office for more information.
3. Contributions via Interac e-transfer.

The parish is now setup to receive your donations via Interac e-transfer services, by sending funds to: donations@stnicholaschurch.ca

We sincerely thank you in advance for remembering your parish. during these uncertain times. The Basilian Fathers remain fully committed to serving the parish and parishioners. Please contact us at the parish office if we could be service. May God keep all of you healthy!

GRADE 2 CATECHISM & HOLY COMMUNION PREP

In light of the current pandemic of Covid-19, the Archeparchy of Winnipeg along with it's clergy, have decided to offer online classes for those that would have been receiving their First Solemn Communion in the Spring of 2021. Please Find our Group on Facebook "Archeparchy of Winnipeg -First Solemn Communion Class 2021" This group is meant for the communication of the parents and for the distribution of materials. All classes will be held through Zoom. With permission of His Grace Metropolitan Lawrence, Fr. Mykhaylo Khomitsky along with other clergy of the Archeparchy are organizing an online opportunity for Level 2 Children and their families to prepare for their First Confession and Solemn Communion for 2021. An introductory 45 min session for these families will take place on **Thursday October 15, at 7pm** on zoom, the link will be sent to registered participants. To register, please contact the parish office **by noon on October 15th.**

PRAYER DURING TIMES OF COVID 19 PANDEMIC

(To say this prayer after the Ambo prayer, aloud)

Priest: Bowing our heads and bending our knees, let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Priest: Jesus Christ, you traveled through towns and villages "curing every disease and illness." At your command, the sick were made well. Come to our aid now, in the midst of the global spread of the coronavirus, that we may experience your healing love.

Heal those who are sick with the virus. May they regain their strength and health through quality medical care.

Heal us from our fear, which prevents nations from working together and neighbors from helping one another.

Heal us from our pride, which can make us claim invulnerability to a disease that knows no borders.

Jesus Christ, healer of all, stay by our side in this time of uncertainty and sorrow. Be with those who have died from the virus. May they be at rest with you in your eternal peace. Be with the families of those who are sick or have died. As they worry and grieve, defend them from illness and despair. May they know your peace. Be with the doctors, nurses, researchers and all medical professionals who seek to heal and help those affected and who put themselves at risk in the process. May they know your protection and peace.

Be with the leaders of all nations. Give them the foresight to act with charity and true concern for the well-being of the people they are meant to serve. Give them the wisdom to invest in long-term solutions that will help prepare for or prevent future outbreaks. May they know your peace, as they work together to achieve it on earth.

Whether we are home or abroad, surrounded by many people suffering from this illness or only a few, Jesus Christ, stay with us as we endure and mourn, persist and prepare. In place of our anxiety, give us your peace. For yours is the Kingdom and Power and Glory of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit now and forever and ever.

People: Amen.

PARISH INFORMATION & CONTACTS...

PARISH CONTACT INFO

Pastoral Council

Chair: George Ehr / 204.955.8480 / gpehr@shaw.ca

Members at Large

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Pres.: Doreen Procopchuk/204.582.2187/dprocopchuk@shaw.ca

Apostleship of Prayer

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

Choir (Ukrainian)

Pres.: Helen Goshlak / 204.582.6298 /

St. Nicholas Men's Club

Pres.: Willie Korchynski / 204.338.1861 / dwillie@shaw.ca

Perogy Crew

Organizer: Theresa Antoniuk / 204.586.7985 /

Young Adults of SNC (YA)

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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.