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

#### Liturgical Regular Schedule:

<b>Sundays:</b>	<b>Weekdays:</b>
9:00am (Ukrainian)	7:00am
11:00am (English)	
7:00pm (English)	

#### Holy Days of Obligation & First Fridays of the Month

7:00am & 7:00pm

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

15 minutes before Sunday morning Liturgies and by appointment. Please call parish office to arrange.

#### 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

**Sunday, April 6 2025**  
**Volume 61/14 Parish Bulletin**

### Fifth Sunday of Lent

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



**St. Mary of Egypt**

**Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14 Gospel: Mark 10:32-45**

We extend a joyous welcome to all our parishioners and guests that have come to join us on the on the **Fifth Sunday of Lent**

The seasonal greeting is "Слава Ісусу Христу!" or "Glory Be To Jesus Christ!",  
to which one responds "Слава навіки!" or "Glory Forever!"

## PARISH COMMUNITY...

### DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS: APR. 6 - 14, 2025

#### Sunday, April 6 - Fifth Sunday of Lent

9:00am +Peter & + Anna Kuc

11:00am +Doug Shaw

7:00pm Parish & Parishioners

#### Monday, April 7

7:00am Health & Blessings for Olga Khomko

7:00pm Sorokousty for Deceased

#### Tuesday, April 8

7:00am +Helen Senkiw

#### Wednesday, April 9

7:00am Health & Blessings, Peace in the soul for Luda

#### Thursday, April 10

7:00am +Jerry Zuk

#### Friday, April 11

7:00am +Nicholas Zemilak

#### Saturday, April 12

7:00am +Cornelius (Con) Lynch

#### Sunday, April 13 - Palm Sunday

9:00am Parish & Parishioners

11:00am +Margaret & +Harry Kwasny

7:00pm +Cornelius (Con) Lynch

#### Monday, April 14

7:00am Health & Blessings, Peace in the soul for Luda

7:00pm Sorokousty for Deceased

### SANCTUARY VIGIL LAMP INTENTION

In memory of +Peter & +Anna Kuc as requested by Peter Kuc

### LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING

**Sunday, March 30, 2025**

Envelopes: \$2,000 Automatic Debt Program: \$233

Thank you for your generous support of your parish.

### LITURGICAL VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

Note: the Rosary Reader (for 9am) and Epistle Reader (for 11am) are responsible for reading the announcements prior to Liturgy.

#### Sunday, April 6, 2025

9:00am	Sacristan	Mykola Kobetiak
	Ushers	Andy Duplak
		Jonathan Zulyniak
	Rosary	Chris Winchar
11:00am	Sacristan	Ron Michalishyn
	Ushers	Patricia Peckover
		Sylvia Bourgeois
	Epistle Reader	Margaret Synyshyn
	Rosary	Doreen Procopchuk

#### Sunday, April 13, 2025

9:00am	Sacristan	Mykola Kobetiak
	Ushers	Andy Duplak
		Jonathan Zulyniak
	Rosary	Christine Grywinski
11:00am	Sacristan	John Balagus
	Ushers	Patricia Peckover
		Richard Sawka
	Epistle Reader	Michael Yakiwchuk
	Rosary	Donna Libitka

### 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.

### PEROGY CREW

The Perogy Crew are taking orders for **May 6**. Frozen perogies are available for purchase. Price \$ 8.00 per dozen. Orders may be placed with Marilyn 204 338 4784 or Sophie 204 633 8783.

## 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, Mike Erstelle, Debra Procopchuk, Michele Halas Moore, Lori Smelski, Theresa Antoniuk, Katherine Antoniuk, Donald Procopchuk, Derek Erstelle, Metropolitan Lawrence Huculak, OSBM, Dr. Trevor Meredith, Kolia Winchar, Anne Balagus, Laurie McIvor, Nellie Manchur, Bill Zuk as well as those parishioners housebound and in hospitals and nursing homes.

### THIS WEEK AT SNC

#### Sunday, April 6

Regular Sunday Schedule  
10:15am Bible Meeting  
11:50am Holy Communion Preparation Class  
12Noon K of C Meat Bingo  
6:15pm Stations of the Cross

#### Monday, April 7

7:00am Perogy Prep  
7:00pm Divine Liturgy & Sorokousty

#### Tuesday, April 8

7:00am Perogy Making/Sale

#### Wednesday, April 9

7:00pm Early Games Bingo  
7:30pm Regular Bingo

#### Thursday, April 10

1:00pm Club 55+  
6:45pm K of C Executive Meeting  
7:30pm K of C General Meeting

#### Friday, April 11

8:00am Baking Paska  
7:00pm Stations of the Cross

#### Saturday, April 12

10:00am Mens' Club Setup for Pancake Breakfast  
Setup for Easter Bake Sale

### LENT

During Great Lent we will celebrate: Divine Liturgy and the Sorokousty Service (praying for our deceased family members and friends) on Mondays at 7:00pm; Stations of the Cross on Sundays at Fridays at 7:00 pm.

### CLUB 55+

CLUB 55+ invites parishioners to a special Lenten meeting - guest speaker Father Isidore. Please join us Thursday, Apr 10th - 1:00-3:00pm in the church hall. Everyone is welcome

### APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER - APRIL 2025 INTENTION

**For the use of the new technologies.** Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

### PARISH EASTER DINNER

**Sunday, April 27, 2025 Parish Easter Dinner** in Parish Hall 12:15pm. **Advance tickets only.** Only 150 tickets available for sale. Tickets available after the 9:00am & 11:00am Sunday Liturgies and from the Parish Office, Monday-Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm. Adults \$20.00, Youth 6-14 \$9.00, Children 5 and under Free. Please join us.

### THANK YOU

I want to thank the group of ladies who came out on March 29 to make pershke. The weather was a little dicey but that didn't stop this **"dream team"** from producing 40 doz. buns! Thank you to Marlene and Shirley for coming the day before to help prepare the filling. I appreciate you all. Willow Yakiwchuk

### MARK THE DATE

- **April 11** Paska Bake. Volunteers welcome
- **April 13** Pancake Breakfast hosted by Mens' Club  
Easter Bake Sale  
UCWLC Tag Day

#### April 17 Holy Thursday at 8:00pm

**Volunteers needed** to set-up Holy Shroud and arrange the flowers. Please come and help get the church ready for Good Friday.

#### April 19 Holy Saturday 6:30pm.

**Volunteers need** to dismantle the Holy Shroud, change the altar cloths and get the church ready for Easter Sunday.

-**April 27** Parish Easter Dinner following 11:00am Liturgy

-**May 4** 11:00am Solemn First Communion

## JOB OPPORTUNITY - PARISH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

St. Nicholas Church is currently looking for an individual to assist the Pastor and Assistant Priests in the administration of the Parish (including Holy Family Cemetery). The successful individual will be someone who is:

- committed to the teachings and traditions of the Catholic faith and has a history of active involvement in parochial life;
- passionate about working with people, especially the elderly in our community and our parish as well as with grieving families making cemetery arrangements;
- committed to a team approach to ministry;
- able to work with minimal direct supervision and willing to act with self-initiative;
- personally mature with a professional manner;
- willing to work within the context of the whole parish, addressing complex or menial tasks that may be shared by all staff, or volunteers;
- dedicated to working with the Pastor and his Assistants, Parish Council and other parish committees to fulfill the mission and vision of the parish;

### **Skills, Knowledge and Technical Skills:**

The Successful individual will be someone who:

- demonstrates good organizational, planning, and communication skills (including listening skills and a pleasant telephone presence);
- has computer skills (email, word processing, spread sheet, power point, basic graphic design, etc.) and the ability to learn other software packages;
- has strong interpersonal skills, ability at conflict resolution and problem solving;
- is able to maintain discretion (and/or confidentiality) at all times about Parish and Cemetery business;
- fluency in English required (written and spoken); fluency in Ukrainian considered an asset, though not required.

This is a full-time position (9am - 4pm M-F). Interested applicants are invited to submit their resume electronically to: Fr. Zachary Shwaluk, OSBM, (zachary@osbm.ca)

**Application deadline: April 25, 2025.**

## 2025 EASTER SCHEDULE

**Sunday, April 13, 2025** *Palm Sunday- Blessing of Pussy Willows*

9:00am Divine Liturgy (Ukr)

11:00am Divine Liturgy (Eng)

*Pancake breakfast sponsored by St. Nick's Men's Club to follow both morning liturgies*

7:00pm Divine Liturgy

**Monday, April 14, 2025** *Passion Monday*

7:00am Divine Liturgy

7:00pm Divine Liturgy & Sorokousty

**Thursday, April 17, 2025** *Holy Thursday*

7:00am Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great

7:00pm Matins of the Passion (12 Gospels)  
Confessions

**Friday, April 18, 2025** *Good Friday*

11:00am Great Vespers & Exposition of the Holy Shroud & Confessions

4:00pm Passion Hymns (UCWLC)

5:00pm Rosary (Men's Club)

7:00pm Jerusalem Matins & Confessions

**Saturday, April 19, 2025** *Holy Saturday*

**NO** 7am Divine Liturgy

10:00am Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great - Blessing of the Easter Baskets to follow & Confessions  
Blessing of the Easter Baskets & Confessions

2:00pm, 3:00pm, 4:00pm, 5:00pm

6:00pm Service at the Tomb

Dismantling of the Holy Shroud

**Sunday, April 20, 2025** *Easter Sunday*

7:00am Resurrection Matins

8:00am Divine Liturgy & Myrovannia (Ukrainian)

11:00am Divine Liturgy & Myrovannia (English)

**Monday, April 21, 2025** *Easter (Bright) Monday*

7:00am Divine Liturgy

10:00am Divine Liturgy (Bilingual)

**Tuesday, April 22, 2025** *Easter (Bright) Tuesday*

7:00am Divine Liturgy

**Sunday, April 27, 2025** *Sunday of Myrrh-Bearing Women*

9:00am Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian)

11:00am Divine Liturgy (English)