



## **22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

**The Holy Martyrs Galaction and Epistemis**  
– they suffered for Christ under the Emperor Decius in the middle of the 3<sup>rd</sup> century.

**\* Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 \***

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### ***Liturgical Services this Week***

**Sunday, Nov. 5 \*\*\* 1:30 p.m. Rosary**  
**(Eng.) \*\*\* 2:00 p.m. Div. Lit.:** God's blessings for all parishioners. (Eng./Ukr.)

**Saturday, Nov. 11 \*Remembrance Day\*\* 9:00 a.m. Div. Lit.:** +For those who lost their life in defense of freedom.

**Sunday, Nov. 12 \*\*\* 9:30 a.m. Rosary (Eng.) \*\*\* 10:00 a.m. Div. Lit.:** God's blessings for all parishioners. (Eng./Ukr.)

**\*\* Sunday's Propers - Tone 5 - pg. 97 \*\***

**Epistle:** *A reading from the Holy Apostle Paul to the Galatians (6:11-18):*



Brothers and Sisters, see what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. Even the circumcised do not

themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God. From now on, let no one make trouble for me; for I carry the marks of Jesus branded on my body. May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers and sisters. Amen.

***Gospel: Luke 16:19-31***

The Lord told this parable: “There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man’s table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. He called out, ‘Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.’ But Abraham said, ‘Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.’ He said, ‘Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father’s house— for I have five brothers—that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.’ Abraham replied, ‘They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.’ He said, ‘No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.’ He said

to him, ‘If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.’”

## **\*\* ANNOUNCEMENTS \*\***

*“When we serve the poor and the sick, we serve Jesus. We must not fail to help our neighbors, because in them we serve Jesus.” St. Rose of Lima*

A warm welcome - to all parishioners, your families, visitors and guests. Thank you for joining us in this Divine Liturgy. Have a blessed week!

**Please Pray for health of ...** Clay B., Larissa K., Mike B., Ann W., Lawrence S., Fr. Jeffery S., John H., Lawrence & Ping B., all the sick brothers and sisters in our families and our parish community. Please let Fr. Andrzej know if you would like to add names to the prayer list and also notify him about any sick and/or hospitalized parishioners and family members.



**The Most Holy Trinity Parish welcomes Fr. Stepan Dovahshyya!**

**Fr. Andrzej’s vacation time** – from Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> until Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup> inclusive, Fr. Andrzej will be away on the final part of his annual vacation. **Fr. Stepan Dovahshyya** from Vernon will be substituting him. In case of emergency, Fr. Stepan’s contact information: phone - **250-549-1327** & e-mail: [dovhoshiastepan@gmail.com](mailto:dovhoshiastepan@gmail.com).

**Thank you** – to everyone who came out and helped with all the work connected with our perogy & cabbage roll bees.

Our gratitude for all the other voluntary work done this past week at the church premises. May God richly bless you all!



**Can you believe it? Already? Choose Life 40 Day Candlelight Vigil this Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 4**

**p.m.** - ecumenical devotional, followed by vocal prayer in small groups or individual silent prayer; 4:50 - closing ecumenical prayer; 5:00 - procession to Sacred Heart Cathedral plaza with singing and final prayer. Plan to join other Christians in support of life at corner of Nicola and Third Avenue.

**Saturday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017 – Remembrance Day** – may God remember all the souls of our departed brothers and sisters who lost their lives in defense of freedom – Vichnaya Pamiat!!!

**Next Parish Fundraiser Brunch** – will take place next **Sunday, Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>** after the Divine Liturgy at 10:00 a.m.

**Perogy Sale** – We are now accepting **phone calls for orders**. Anyone wishing to purchase perogies or cabbage rolls, please call Mrs. Adelle Dmyterko at **250-554-3107** or Mrs. Mildred Kolody at **250-376-8330**.



**2017 Parish Fund** – just a friendly reminder to our parishioners that not everyone has contributed toward “2017 Parish Fund”.

**Sunday’s Divine Liturgy for November 19** – will be celebrated on Saturday, November 18<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 p.m.

**St. Josaphat’s parish Praznyk** – will be celebrated on **Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup>**. There will be **one Divine Liturgy at 11:00 a.m.** followed by lunch. Tickets: \$20.00 - adults; \$10.00 - children 6-12 years of age; children 5 years & under - free.

**St. Philip’s Fast (Пилипівка)** – a time of 40 days preparation for Christmas will begin on **Wed., Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017**.

**St. Philip’s Fast Mission** – will take place on Sunday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017 with Confession starting at 9:30 a.m. **Our Guest:** Most Rev. Joseph P. Nguyen, Roman Catholic bishop of Kamloops.



**Monthly Parish Council Meeting** – will take place on **Tuesday, Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>** at 7:00 p.m. at the parish hall.

**Next UCWLC Monthly Meeting** - will take

place on **Wednesday, Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 p.m.**

**The Compassionate Community Care (CCC) helpline**, 1-855-675-8749 is a national service for people who are seeking advice, help & support regarding euthanasia & assisted suicide prevention, &/or end-of-life treatment issues or concerns.

**Knights of Columbus the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree** – will hold their monthly meeting on Thursday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m. at LeJeune Manor.



Each 'degree' of the Knights of Columbus is associated with a particular virtue, the fourth being "Patriotism". Consequently, the 4th Degree is often known as the 'The Patriotic Degree'. The 4th Degree was established in New York on 22 February, 1900. On June 28th, 2017, Bishop Gary of Victoria and two of his priests received the honours of the 4th Degree. On **November 25<sup>th</sup>**, our Bishop Joseph will become a member of the 4th Degree. All 3rd Degree members in good standing are encouraged to seriously consider becoming a part of the visible arm of the Church. If you are seeking more information, please contact Lawrence Beaton, Faithful Navigator at [beatonlawrence47@gmail.com](mailto:beatonlawrence47@gmail.com) or any 4th Degree member from Assembly 0033 that you may know.



### **Special Petitions for Divine Liturgy:**

\* We also pray for the people of Ukraine, that with the help of the Holy Spirit, they may obtain social peace, political harmony and economic stability: Lord, hear us and have mercy.

\* We also pray to be blessed with generous hearts to contribute to our Bishop's initiatives and programmes, such as: the support of parishes, the education of parishioners, and the formation of seminarians, Lord hear us and have mercy.

**The Most Holy Trinity Parish Stewardship:** Sunday, Oct. 29 - \$550.00 \*\*\*\* *May God bless and reward you for your generosity & support.*



### **Pastoral Ministry and Sacraments:**

**Reconciliation:** on Sundays and Holy Days: before Divine Liturgies and other days, by appointment.

**Holy Communion:** for the sick, by appointment, any time.

**Baptisms:** by appointment.

**Marriages:** six months' notice should be given to the parish priest, and he should be contacted before any other arrangements are made.

**Funerals and Memorials:** by appointment.

**Anointing of the Sick (Holy Unction):** Those anticipating surgery, hospitalization or treatments and who would like to receive anointing or to meet with parish priest, please call or email Fr. Andrzej in advance to arrange a time and a day.



### **Basic Guidelines for Reception of Holy Communion:**

1. You are a member of the Catholic Church (Orthodox faithful are welcome to receive Holy Communion); 2) You have participated in the Sacrament of Confession at least during the Easter or Christmas seasons this past year if not more frequently; 3) You attend Divine Services regularly; 4) Your lifestyle is consistent with the teaching of the Catholic Church; 5) You have kept the Liturgical fast – no food at least one hour prior to the Divine Liturgy (water and medicine does not break the fast). 6) You have been in church from the beginning of the service, or at least heard the Gospel. 7) To the best of your ability, you are in the state of Grace.

*If for any of these or other reasons you cannot receive Holy Communion, you are very welcome to come for a blessing. Please indicate to the priest that you would like to receive his blessing.*



### **Vibrant Parish Prayer**

**O** Lord Jesus Christ, our Good Shepherd, as you once gathered lost sheep that they might hear Your voice and be your flock, so also today graciously look down from heaven upon our parish

community, and send down on it your Holy Spirit, that it might be a place to receive the joy of Your Good News. Strengthen us with your presence, and always gather us together in prayer. Grant us the spirit of serving others, so that in our parish all might encounter You, the merciful God. Bless our spiritual leaders with Your wisdom, and inspire us to generously give of our time, talents and treasure for the building up of Your Kingdom. Unite us in peace and harmony, as befits Your community of love. Instill in us a missionary spirit, and let our parish community shine with the light of the Gospel, with prayer and good works, inviting all to share in the divine life, so that Your Name, O Savior, may be praised, together with Your eternal Father, and your most-holy, good and life-giving Spirit. Amen.



**Awareness Sunday, November 19, 2017**



***Our partners in faith***

**Catholic Missions In Canada\*** was founded in 1908 to provide financial, corporal and spiritual assistance to the thousands of Ukrainian Catholic immigrants arriving to settle Canada in the early 20<sup>th</sup> Century. Our mission? To allow the faith of settlers celebrating the Ukrainian Catholic rite to not only thrive, but to flourish in their new country.

Our founders were instrumental in the establishment of the first Ukrainian diocese in Canada, with Winnipeg as the seat of the first Ukrainian Catholic bishop in Canada, the Blessed Nykyta. Bishop Budka in 1918 wrote:

“What does your help mean for Catholic [Ukrainian] Ruthenians in Canada?...You have supported the main factor in my exceptionally hard mission work with money, [and] by encouraging and creating interest and sympathy in the Catholic world...[I want to thank you] for all your help to the priests by [Mass] intentions, to poor colonies by chapel funds and church vestments...may the Giver of all goods bless you.”

Our partnership in faith continues today, with almost \$300,000 in grant allocations for 2018 already approved to assist Ukrainian eparchies in Canada.

To receive your free *Catholic Missions In Canada* magazine and 2018 calendar—featuring Ukrainian saint days, liturgical feasts and daily Gospel readings, call toll-free 1-866-937-2642 or visit [cmic.info](http://cmic.info)



### Chancery Office

### Eparchy of New Westminster

To the Rev. Clergy, Religious and Faithful of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of New Westminster

3 November 2017

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

I have designated 19 November as Catholic Missions In Canada (CMIC) awareness Sunday in our Eparchy. I want each of our faithful to know how important has been and continues to be to our Eparchy. Without a doubt over the last decade they have been our greatest benefactor and a very respected partner. I would like to share with you information about CMIC.

**Catholic Missions In Canada** was founded in 1908 as The Catholic Church Extension Society, with the Ukrainians being of special concern in the early 20<sup>th</sup> Century, throughout the nation, but especially in the western provinces, where they were settling in the thousands to begin life on vast farmlands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.



Not only language and culture separated the Ukrainians in the strange new land, but also very different religious rites and traditions from the established Latin rite Church. Of grave concern was the lack of Ukrainian Catholic clergy in Canada.

Roman Catholic Father Alfred Burke, and Archbishop Fergus McEvay (Roman Catholic Archbishop of Toronto 1908-1911), to become the co-founders of The Catholic Church Extension Society, knew that something concrete had to be done or their Ukrainian brothers and sisters would be in grave danger of losing their Catholic faith.

In 1908, with the founding of The Catholic Church Extension, the efforts of these two men not only raised awareness of the needs of the Ukrainian Catholic faithful among the clergy and laity of the Latin rite Catholic Church already established in Canada, but from them, also the means to provide the financial, corporal and spiritual assistance that was needed to allow them to keep their faith.

Archbishop McEvay also convinced the Latin Rite episcopacy to allow the use of the (then) new St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto to become a centre for training Ukrainian Catholic priests.

Perhaps more importantly, however, in 1910, McEvay met with our Great Metropolitan Andriy Sheptytsky (Archbishop of Lviv) who was appointed the apostolic visitor to Canada, to begin recommendations for the establishment of a Ukrainian Eparchy in Canada. The result? An Apostolic Exarchate for the faithful was erected by Pope Pius X in 1912, with Winnipeg as the seat of the bishop. In the same year, the first Ukrainian Catholic bishop for Canada was named: the Blessed Nykyta Budka, only 35 years of age when he was consecrated in Lviv by Metropolitan Andriy.

In 1918, Bishop Budka in 1918 wrote a letter to express his feelings about the relationship of The Catholic Church Extension and the Ukrainian Church :

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Dear Friends, on Nov. 19 you will find in your bulletins a specially addressed envelope for your donation to Catholic Missions In Canada. You will receive a tax receipt directly from CMIC for your donation. Please be generous so that CMIC may continue to not only assist our Eparchy but also other Eparchies and Diocese in Canada that are in need of financial support.

With assurance of my prayerful best wishes and Episcopal blessings, I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ!

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