



31st Sunday after Pentecost

The Transfer of the Precious Relics of Our Father among the Saints John Chrysostom – in the year 438, thirty three years after the death of St. John Chrysostom in Comana of Armenia, his relics were transferred to his episcopal see of Constantinople.

***** Sunday, January 27th, 2019 *****

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Liturgical Services this Week

Sunday, Jan. 27 * 9:30 a.m. Rosary (Eng.)**

***** 10:00 a.m. Div. Lit.:** God's blessings for all parishioners. (Eng./Ukr.)

Monday, Jan. 28 9:00 a.m. Div. Lit.:** Good health & God's blessings for John Kolody

Wednesday, Jan. 30Feast of the Three Hierarchs *** 9:00 a.m. Div. Lit.:** +Emmett, +Margaret, +Angus & +Mary Brady

Thursday, Jan. 31 9:00 a.m. Div. Lit.:** +Russell Black – Stella Black

Friday, Feb. 1 * 3:00 p.m. Moleben to St. Teresa of Calcutta**

Saturday, Feb. 2* Feast of the Encounter of Our Lord *** 10:00 a.m. Div. Lit.:** God's blessings for all parishioners

Sunday, Feb. 3rd * 9:30 a.m. Rosary (Eng.) *** 10:00 a.m. Div. Lit.:** God's blessings for all parishioners. (Eng./Ukr.)



Troparion, Tone 3: Let the heavens be glad, let the earth rejoice, * for the Lord has done a mighty deed with His arm. * He trampled death by death. He became the first-born of the dead; * He saved us from the abyss of Hades * and granted great mercy to the world.

Troparion, Tone 8: The divine Church rejoices * and the whole world keeps feast with radiance * at the transfer of your relics, O venerable hierarch John Chrysostom. * Your life as a bishop was godly * and you willingly became a martyr. * Therefore we cry to you, O martyr, passion-bearer and hierarchs' companion: * Pray to Christ God that our souls may be saved.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Kontakion, Tone 3: You rose from the tomb, O compassionate Lord, * and led us out from the gates of death. * Today Adam exults and Eve rejoices, * and the prophets together with the patriarchs * unceasingly acclaim the divine might of Your power.

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Kontakion, Tone 1: The precious Church rejoices mystically * at the transfer of your holy relics * and treasuring them as costly gold * it lavishly grants to those who hymn you, the grace of healing, * by your prayers, O John the Golden-mouthed.

Prokeimenon, Tone 3 - Sing to our God, sing; sing to our King, sing.

verse: Clap your hands, all you nations; shout unto God with the voice of joy.

Prokeimenon, Tone 1 - My mouth shall speak wisdom and the meditation of my heart understanding.

Epistle - *1 Timothy 1:15–17*

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost. But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Alleluia, Tone 3 - In You, O Lord, have I hoped that I may not be put to shame for ever.

verse: Be a protector unto me, O God, and a house of refuge to save me.

verse: The mouth of the just man shall meditate wisdom and his tongue shall speak judgment.

verse: The law of his God is in his heart, and his steps will not falter.

Gospel - *Luke 18:35–43*



As he drew near to Jericho, a blind man was sitting by the roadside begging. And hearing a crowd going by, he inquired what this meant. They told him, “Jesus of Nazareth is passing by.” And he cried out, “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!” And those who were in front rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, “Son of David, have mercy on me!” And Jesus stopped and commanded him to be brought to him. And when he came near, he asked him, “What do you want me to do for you?” He said, “Lord, let me recover my sight.” And Jesus said to him, “Recover your sight; your faith has made you well.” And immediately he recovered his sight and followed him, glorifying God. And all the people, when they saw it, gave praise to God.

Communion Hymn - Praise the Lord from the heavens; * praise Him in the highest. *** The just man shall be in everlasting remembrance; * of evil hearsay he shall have no

fear. * Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**** ANNOUNCEMENTS ****

“Sacrifice and prayer complement each other. There is no prayer without sacrifice, and there is no sacrifice without prayer. That is what Jesus has shown us. Jesus’ life was spent in intimate union with His Father as He passed through this world doing good. We need to do the same.” **St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta**

Cooperation with God in the Work of Salvation

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The cooperation of humanity with God in the work of salvation involves joining human effort to God’s grace. In Christ, a personal dialogue and union between God and humanity occurs when human efforts are joined to God’s grace. Grace, acting within a person finds expression in his or her actions, and a person’s vocation lies precisely in the willingness to allow grace to inhabit and act within him or her. A person is called to remain open to grace in all his or her actions and to always confirm this openness by saying “yes” to God every day.

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Grace acts where an individual provides personal assent. All stages of the spiritual life require cooperation between human freedom and the grace of God. Grace cannot be achieved or merited as a result of zealous spiritual labour. Such labour is necessary, but God’s grace is given to a person solely as a gift, and not as a reward for something. The very essence of relations between God and the human race is reflected in the giving of grace.

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The capacity of a human being to receive the gift of grace depends on one’s degree of openness and commitment to God. In accepting God’s grace, a person cooperates with it and grows in it. Perfect cooperation between human will and God’s grace is exemplified in the Annunciation of the Most Pure Virgin Mary. This is evident in Mary’s own words: “Behold, I am the servant of the Lord; let it be done to me according to your word” (Lk 1:38). By virtue of her assent, the God-bearer became a participant in the mystery of salvation.

Catechism of the Ukrainian Catholic Church – “Christ Our Pascha” #744-6 p. 243-4 <http://catechism.royaldoors.net/catechism/>

Please Pray for health of ... John H., Matthew H.,



Eugenia W., Myroslava & Michael N., Milynda S., Suzanne C., Sandra Sh., Walter D., Rosa S., John K., Natalia D., Moriss P., Bill & Johanne C., Clay B., Annie A., Maria W., Anne D., Rose K., Maria S., Slava W., Lubko H., Fr. Jeffery S., 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.

Thank you for joining us!



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

Thank you to all our Volunteers – Дякуємо – Many



thanks to everyone for your support of our parish community and all work done at the church property this past week. Thank you to our **parish Ladies** for preparing today's lunch and for your very generous donation of \$ 2173. 40 - proceeds of last week's catering. Our gratitude to **Mr. Myron Wizniak** for his generous gift of \$500 (donation given by CN on behalf of their retirees). God bless you all!

Congratulations! Mnohaya Lita! – very special God's blessings to anyone among our parishioners and their families who celebrated their birthday, name-day, wedding anniversary and any other special anniversary during **the month of January** (3rd - Anastasia Wasylinko; Jan 6th - Zonia St. Pierre; 7th - Steve Usipuk; 24th - Jared Flodstrom).

Parish Annual General Meeting – will take place today, **Sunday, January 27th, 2019** before lunch after the Divine Liturgy at 10:00 a.m. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Next Major Feast Day - Encounter of Our Lord – will be celebrated this coming **Saturday, Feb. 2nd**. This is a day of obligation. Please plan to attend the Divine Liturgy at 10:00 a.m. Part of this celebration is blessing of candles.

Children's Catechism – will continue this coming **Saturday, Feb. 2nd** after the Divine Liturgy at 10:00 a.m.

UCWLC Annual Meeting – will take place next **Sunday, Feb. 3rd** after the 10:00 a.m. Div. Lit.



Next Bible Study – will take place on **Sat., Feb. 9th** at 3:00 p.m.

Next Catechetical Presentation – will take on **Sunday, Feb. 17th** after the Divine Liturgy.

Next Monthly Catholic Youth Meeting – will take place this coming **Friday, Feb. 1st** at 7:00 p.m. at Holy Family RC parish.

“Christmas Candle/Різдвяна свічка” - On behalf of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of New Westminster and myself, we would like to thank all who took part in our global fundraising program, **“Christmas Candle/Різдвяна свічка”**, for Caritas Ukraine. Because of all your generous donations, we were able to help needy, disadvantaged, disabled and orphaned children in Ukraine. This year we raised **\$3285**, bringing us to a total of **\$26,094** collected for Caritas Ukraine since the start of our appeal in 2012. Щиро дякуємо всім тим що взяли участь і нехай Бог благословить Вас. Thank You and God Bless -- Dana Koren Lupynis. For more information, please contact Dana Koren Lupynis or Natalia Lupynis at nweparchy.christmascandle@gmail.com and follow us on Facebook at *Caritas “Christmas Candle/Різдвяна свічка” Campaign, sponsored by NWEparchy.*

House Blessings & Pastoral Visits – please assist Fr. Andrzej in planning these visits by letting him know your most convenient time. A sign-up sheet is provided at the church entrance. Thank you.

Special Petition for the 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.

Monthly Fundraising Breakfast – will take place on Sunday, February 18th.

Family/Faith Day Blazers Hockey Game – will take place on Monday, Feb. 18th, 2019 at the Sandman Centre. Tickets are \$10.00 each.

The Most Holy Trinity Parish Stewardship: Sunday,

Jan. 20th - \$ 518.00 **** May God bless and reward you for your generosity & support.

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.

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.



<i>The Gospel of Luke</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Psalm(s)</i>
1:57-80	Jan 27, 2019	Feb. 02, 2019	Ps 8-9
2:1-20	Feb. 03, 2019	Feb. 09, 2019	Ps 10-11
2:21-38	Feb. 10, 2019	Feb. 16, 2019	Ps 12-13
2:39-52	Feb. 17, 2019	Feb. 23, 2019	Ps 14-15

Pope Francis says Panama to be 'a hub of hope' during World Youth Day - By Courtney Grogan (*EWTN News/CNA*)

Upon arriving in Panama for World Youth Day 2019, Pope Francis met with politicians, diplomats and civil society leaders, extending a message of hope for “a more humane world.”

“In these days, Panama ... will turn into a hub of hope,” Pope Francis told leaders gathered outside Panama City’s Bolivar Palace Jan. 24.

“Young people demand a commitment in which all – beginning with those of us who call ourselves Christians – have the audacity to build an authentically human politics that makes the person the centre and heart of everything,” he said.

In his first public appearance since his arrival in Panama, Pope Francis emphasized that “it is possible to defend the common good above the interests of a few or for few only when there is a firm decision to share with justice one’s goods.”

“The younger generation, with its joy and enthusiasm, with its freedom, sensitivity and critical capacity, demands that adults, and especially all those who exercise roles of leadership in public life, lead a life consonant with the dignity and authority that they possess and that has been entrusted to them,” he said.

Hundreds of thousands of pilgrims from around the world are in Panama this week for World Youth Day, which will culminate with an overnight prayer vigil and Mass with Pope Francis Jan. 26-27.

Pope Saint John Paul II created World Youth Day in 1985 to harness the energy of young people and encourage them to participate in his call for the New Evangelization. This year marks the first time World Youth Day is hosted in Central America.

In his remarks to the Panamanian leadership, Pope Francis reflected upon Panama’s “vocation” to be “a land of convocation and encounter.”

“A bridge between oceans and a natural land of encounter, Panama, the narrowest country of the entire American continent, is the symbol of the sustainability born of the ability to create bonds and alliances,” Francis commented... The pope quoted the Panamanian writer Ricardo Miró, who once wrote, “When they see you, my native land, they might say that you were shaped by God’s will, so that beneath the sun shining down upon you, all humanity can come together in you.”

“By welcoming the dreams of these young people, Panama becomes once more a land of dreams that challenges so many certainties of our time and opens up vital horizons that can enrich the path ahead through a respectful and compassionate gaze upon others,” Pope Francis said. *****

Pope Francis - Panama - Welcoming Ceremony and Opening of WYD -

<https://youtu.be/TiVZxVns0UU>