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Слава Ісусу Христу!

6th - 9th SUNDAYS after PENTECOST

Welcome to our Parish Вітаємо Вас у нашій парафії від 6-ої до 9-ої НЕДІЛІ по **July 9-30, 2023**

ЗІСЛАННЯ Св. ДУХА

СЛАВА ІСУСУ ХРИСТУ!

It is summertime, so this bulletin will cover the next three weeks. As you travel, and/or spend time with your family, remember to spend time with the Lord together... and don't forget church on Sunday! Make the next three weeks an opportunity for stretching out your Evangelizing muscles and do a bit of Apostolic and pastoral ministry! The themes of the Sunday readings from the world of God will work perfectly as the right inspiration and guidance pointers....

"Arise, pick up your mat and go home!"

Our Lord is a Lord of

forgiveness and redemption. This is an important part of His Gospel message. He has come to teach us a better (i.e. the best and only) way of life and, in many cases to heal us and cast out our evil spirits. However, His real and lasting mission was to free us from slavery to sin and to grant us life everlasting! To achieve this we need to repent, and our repentance is responded to by God's forgiveness. The result of that is reconciliation with God, resulting in restoration of life...

eternal life! We encounter many people in our lives and a number of them are experiencing difficulty with health issues - physical, emotional or spiritual. Perhaps our task for this week can be to let them know that the Lord may or may not deem it necessary to their salvation that they be Healed from their challenge. But He definitely wants them to know the utter joy July 16

of forgiveness and assurance of life eternal after this fleeting earthly life of only so many years. Many people around us (and maybe

Jesus prays to the Father for us

we ourselves to some degree) do not believe that we are not worthy of forgiveness or that we even

can be forgiven. We can be - but only

through Jesus Christ Who

The Gospel reading in our tropar booklets (page 10) is taken for the feast of the Fathers of the first Six Ecumenical

loves us so very Councils (325-681 AD). This Gospel reading is an much! excerpt from the very earnest prayer of Jesus on His last evening of the Last Supper and His being arrested and lead into His passion. The Gospel reading for the 7th Sunday after Pentecost is Matthew 10:37-11:1 and it is

all about our calling to see and understand that age in which we are living!... Jesus

- Fr. Michael

the Son of God has come into the world and redemption of the human race has been set in motion. The world will never be the same. We have been baptized into Christ and have become part of the Mystical Body of Christ - the Church. We have been given a mission ("should we choose to accept it") and now we move forward. Yes, the Lord asks us to

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open our minds and souls and tune ourselves 100% with The challenge the Will of God and live our lives as people that have this week can be done just that. We make our faith and renewal of a trust in that promise of the Lord that as (and if) we Our Lord our priorities in life, trusting that He will in turn take care of busy ourselves with the work of the Lord He everything will see to all our needs. He mentioned this a few times

in His teaching and in today's example He stresses that the followers of Christ will also have the authority of and grace of God to see to it that all things that they (truly) need will be provided to them. "You give them something to eat yourselves!". And this occurred. Yes, even in a miraculous way. This does not mean that we should be irresponsible or not think or plan. It means that if we know in our hearts that the Lord is calling us to do something, He will

Multiplication of 5 loaves, 2 fish

also provide what's needed....

Parish News & Events:

- 1. The ice cream treat was well received this past Sunday. Thanks to Irene Hanuta who picked up the icecream treats and Bernard Boguski, Greg Yakimishchak and others who all helped with making it happen.
- 2. The first bulletin in August will include the full July income summary.
- 3. Parishioners who enjoy singing are very much encouraged to gather near the front this past Sunday you did a delightful job again. I have asked that Sr. Michaila just remain in the front pew from now on from where she also oversees the livestreaming. This way she, will have a better view of movement for the livestreaming while also serving as a consistent singing presence. HOWEVER, all other singers are encouraged to join her - Sundays and weekdays. Come right to the front! (although, she will be off-site for a period of about 3 weeks as she goes for her surgery. During that period... we
- 4. As we work out the best possible plans for our parish pastoral and spiritual (and, yes, practical) life, we will be looking for more volunteers in almost every aspect of parish activity! Not sure that you would know what to do? We will work it out in short order and train as needed. What do you get out of it besides serving the Lord and His parishioners? Well, sure, let's talk about that and work something out. Right now we are looking for teams (yes many, who can take turns as needed) of sacristans, altar servers, readers, (not just Sunday, but for weekdays and funerals and molebens and weddings and baptisms and ordinations, etc.!), Rosary leaders, office administration assistance, visiting seniors homes, prisons, shut-ins, etc. Also Catechism teachers, varenyky makers, hall facility set-up. etc. Please talk with Father Michael.
- ıly 14, 15 & 16, 2023 5. You will see that there has been a bit of movement in the area where the old hall was. John Natyna has already removed a portion of the old fencing. There is a plan to have the grounds there basically landscaped, a new (albeit more simple) fence erected. a parking dock and small compound erected at the side of the parish centre garage. God willing, this basic work will be completed this summer. As for future plans after that basic work... the sky and our lack of enthusiasm are the only limits.
- 6. Oh hey... the **scammers** never take a break. If you get emails from Father Michael, other parishioners or other clergy asking for money or more information - first check the email address - is it authentic? Even then, why not make a phone call and verify if the request is real.

News & Events Elsewhere:

- 7. There is still a chance to see Manitoba's Passion Play this weekend: July 14th, 15th &n16th at 7:30 PM, all evenings. Go to www.passionplay.ca.
- Mark your calendar for Cook's Creek Pilgrimage 18, 19 & 20 August. There will be only one earlier Divine Liturgy on August 20th for those who really can't make it to Cooks Creek, but the idea is that all

the rest of us will make it to Fr. Ruh's inspirational Marian pilgrimage destination to join all of our Archeparchy in praying for Ukraine and Canada!

Holy Family Home Auxiliary presents:

The Zero Calorie Fundraiser 50/50 Draw

Get your tickets now!

Online: In person: By phone: raffle.link/holy-family-home-auxiliary Lubov SSMI Foundation, 1085 Main St 204-942-0443 (M-F, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.)

1 for \$10.00.

3 for \$20.00,

15 for \$50.00,

50 for \$100.00

Draw: August 1st, 2023

Since we have not been able to hold our Ladies' Night Out Dinners yet, we are holding a 50/50 draw instead to help with the lost fundraising revenue. No Dinner, Zero Calories! Proceeds will support resident programs and the purchase of specialized equipment and furnishings.

Three gangsters kidnapped a jeweler,



murdered him, and took his jewel case to their hideout in the country. There they planned to divide the jewels. Two went to the hideout at once, but sent the youngest to town to buy a bottle of whiskey. While he was gone, one of the older men said, "Say, why should we give that kid a third of the heist? When he comes back, let's give him

the works, and share 50-50." Meanwhile, the younger man was thinking,

"Those two will double-cross me if they can. Why shouldn't I have the whole jewel box myself? I'll be rich! All that's needed is a little poison in the whiskey I'm bringing back."

So he bought some poison at a drugstore and put it into the whiskey. As soon as he got inside the hideout shack and put the bottle on the table, one of the gangsters shot him from behind. Then they sat down, divided the jewels happily and drank the poisoned whiskey. In an hour, they were both dead! The police found all three bodies, traced the shopkeepers who sold the whiskey and the poison, and were able to find out what had happened.

Application: Never begrudge someone what you cannot enjoy yourself. Greed stops at nothing! Rather, thank God that He has been generous to those around you... and then He will be even more generous to you!

Fr. L. Lovasik

Please pray for the sick and shut-in members of our Blessed Virgin Mary parish, and be in touch with them when you can (cards, short telephone conversations, visits).

'Lord God, please be present to all the ill, infirm and elderly of our parish. You love each and every **River East Care Home:** Edward Holowich Maples Care Home: Anna Paslawsky, Eleanor Harik <u>Beacon Hill</u>: Helen Naherny <u>Riverview</u>: Helen Dolski <u>Holy Family Home</u>: Lorraine Putasnick, Adam Romanchuk, Fr. Yakowchuk, Helena Dubik, Mary Kozelko



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Date: Thursday 28 September 2023 - Sunday 1 October 2023

Location: Saint Michael the Archangel Ukrainian Catholic Church 411 Harriet St, Welland, ON L3B 2H9

Canada Registration fee: \$200 CAD (includes all meals,

photocopies, etc.) Student rate: \$175 CAD

Online payment: https://square.link/u/bY6Oj2Hg

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VIGIL LAMPS This week... (***Check BVM Website for updates this month)

Sanctuary Lamp/Вічна Лямпа — For our children at the Archeparchial and other camps this summer Christ Icon – For the restoration and growth of fervent faith within our parish community **Mother of God Icon – Mary, save Ukraine and may her faith be a light for the world!**



Request your Vigil Lamp at least a week ahead. This is such a beautiful way of praying, knowing the candle burns for a week for your intention. \$10 each; your preference of lamp will be accommodated whenever possible.

Schedule of Services July 9 to July 30, 2023

Sun., July 9 **6th Sunday after Pentecost** 6-а Неділя по Зіс. Св. Духа

8:00 a.m. -- Divine Liturgy (Ukr.) - for all our parishioners

10:00 a.m. -- Divine Liturgy (bilingual) -- Health & God's blessings for Claudia Kuryk Serray by Janet Kuchma

Mon., July 10 6:30 a.m. - Holy Rosary

Ven. Anthony of the Caves 7 Galatians 5:22-6:2 Luke 6:17-23 7:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... Health of Myron Fedoruk

7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary Tues., July 11

8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For ++Olga & Elko Nakonechny (3/33 yrs) by family Matthew 14:1-13 St. Olga 1 Corinthians 6:20-7:12

Wed., July 12 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy...For ++poor souls in Purgatory *by Dmytro Sikora* Matthew 14:35-15:11 Martyr Proclus 1 Cor. 7:12-24

Thurs., July 13 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

Synaxis of Angel Gabriel 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For +Mary Henkewich by SSJ 1 Cor. 7:24-35 Matthew 15:12-21

Fri., July 14 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For +Rev. Nestor Baraniouk (2 yrs) by Dr. A. Baranjouk Matthew 15:29-31

Apostle Aquila 1 Cor. 7:35-8:7

7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary Sat., July 15

St. Volodymyr 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For the renewal & growth of the Christian Faith in Ukraine

Sun., July 16

7th Sunday after Pentecost 7-а Неділя по Зіс. Св. Духа 8:00 а.m. - Divine Liturgy (Ukr.) - for Sister +Paula Dubasiuk, SSJ (9 days) Holy Fathers of the 1st 6 Councils 10:00 a.m. -- Divine Liturgy (bilingual) -- for all our parishioners

Mon., July 17 6:30 a.m. - Holy Rosary

Great Martyr Marina 7:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... Health and Blessings for the Adam & Jessica Fuga Family

1 Cor. 9:13-19 Matthew 16:1-6

Tues., July 18 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

Martyr Hyancinthe 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For Parents +Tony & +Doris & grandparents +Michael & +Eva

1 Corinthians 10:5-12 Matthew 16:6-12 by Thomas Kwiatkowski

Wed., July 19 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

Venerable Macrina 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy...For +George Palmer by Marianne Troup

1 Cor. 10:12-22 Matthew 16:20-24

Thurs., July 20 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For +Rev. Mitrat Roman Dobriansky (21 yrs.)

Prophet Elijah James 5:10-20 Luke 4:22-30

Fri., July 21 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For Metropolitan +Michael Bzdel (Birthday 1930) Matthew 17:10-18 Venerable Simeon 1 Cor. 11:8-22

Sat., July 22 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For the protection of legitimate places of worship Matthew 12:30-37 (55th anniversary of the burning of St. Boniface Cathedral)

Mary Magdalene Romans 13:1-10

Sun., July 23 8th Sunday after Pentecost 8-а Неділя по Зіс. Св. Духа

8:00 a.m. - Divine Liturgy (Ukr.) - for all our parishioners

10:00 a.m. -- Divine Liturgy (bilingual) -- For our grandparents and all the elderly

Mon., July 24 6:30 a.m. - Holy Rosary

7:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For int. of Sr. Michaila Martyrs Boris & Hlib

Romans 8:28-39 John 15:17-16:2

Tues., July 25 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

Dormition of St. Anne 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... For +Cecil & +Pearl (40 days) Semchyshyn

by friends Galatians 4:22-31 Luke 8:16-21

Wed., July 26 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

Martyr Hermolaus 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy...For ++Helen, Sofia & Volodymyr by Dmytro Sikora 1 Cor. 13:4-14:5 Matthew 20:1-16

Thurs., July 27 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

Great Martyr Panteleimon 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... God bless Ukraine on this День Української Державності 2 Timothy 2:1-10 John 15:17-16:2

Fri., July 28 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... Blessings for Fr. Michael Kwiatkowski
Matthew 21:12-14;17-20 (anniversary of priestly anniversary) Apostle Prochorus 1 Cor. 14:26-40

Sat., July 29 7:20 a.m. - 1st/3rd Hour & Rosary

Martyr Callinicus Romans 14:6-9 8:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy... Birthday Blessings for Arsen Vlokh and family Matthew 15:32-39

Sun., July 30 9th Sunday after Pentecost 9-а Неділя по Зіс. Св. Духа

8:00 а.m. -- Divine Liturgy *(Ukr.)* - За швидке та успішне одужання сестри Михаїли

10:00 a.m. -- Divine Liturgy (bilingual) -- for all our parishioners