

ST. STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

A PLACE TO ENCOUNTER THE LIVING CHRIST

MAY 21, 2017



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DIVINE LITURGIES

Sunday Services:
8:30am – Ukrainian
10:30am – English
1:00pm – Arabic / English [Melkite]
5:00pm – English

Weekday Services:
Mon/Tues/Thurs/Sat—English
@ 9:00 am
Friday at Westview—English
@ 10:00 am

SIXTH SUNDAY OF PASCHA Sunday of the Man Born Blind



Rulers with faith possess it as a weapon against foes; a glorious standard frightful in battle revealed for the sake of all.*

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

Kontakion: Blinded in the eyes of my soul, I come to You, O Christ, like the man who was blind from birth,* and I cry in repentance.* You are the brilliant light of those in darkness.*

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Kontakion: Though You descended into a tomb, O Immortal One, yet You destroyed the power of Hades;* and You rose as victor, O Christ God,* calling to the myrrh-bearing women: Rejoice!* and giving peace to Your Apostles.* You, who grant Resurrection to the fallen.*

Prokeimenon

Pray and give thanks to the Lord our God.
verse: In Judea God is known; His name is great in Israel. (Psalm 76:12,2)

Prokeimenon

Their utterance has gone forth into all the earth, and their word unto the ends of the world. (Psalm 18:5)

Epistle

Acts 16:16-34

In those days, as the apostles were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, "These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation." She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, "I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her." And it came out that very hour.

But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the marketplace before the authorities. When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, "These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews and

Paschal Troparia

Christ is risen from the dead,* trampling death by death,* and to those in the tombs* giving life.

Troparia and Kontakia

Troparion: Let us the faithful acclaim and worship the Word, co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit,* and born of the Virgin for our salvation.* For He willed to be lifted up on the cross in the flesh, to suffer death* and to raise the dead by His glorious resurrection.*

Troparion: After seeing the image of Your cross in the heavens, O Lord, and receiving like Paul the summons that was not from men,* Your apostle among kings entrusted into Your hands the imperial city.* Always save it in peace by the prayers of the Mother of God,* only Lover of mankind.*

Kontakion: Today Constantine and Helen his mother reveal the cross, the all-precious wood which shames those who refuse to believe.**

HOLY MYSTERIES

Confession:

Sunday 10:00 am —12:00 pm
Saturday @ 4:00 pm—5:00 pm
or by appointment

Marriage:

Arrangements with Fr. Bo.

Baptism-Chrismation-Eucharist:

Arrangements with Fr. Bo.

Anointing of the Sick:

For emergencies call 403-249-4818,
press 9.

Funeral: Arrangements with Fr. Bo.

CLERGY and RELIGIOUS

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HALL / KITCHEN

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are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe." The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted in a loud voice, "Do not harm yourself, for we are all here." The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. Then he brought them outside and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" They answered, "Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household." They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

Please gather your children to hold candles for the Gospel.

Alleluia

verse: Look upon me and have mercy.
verse: Direct my steps according to Your word.
(Psalm 118,131-132)

verse: I have exalted one chosen from among
My people.

verse: O Lord, by Your power the king shall
rejoice, and shall greatly exult in Your
salvation. (Psalm 88:20; 20:2)

Gospel

John 9:1-38

At that time, as Jesus walked along, he saw a man blind from birth. His disciples asked him, "Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?" Jesus answered, "Neither this man nor his parents sinned; he was born blind so that God's works might be revealed in him. We must work the works of him who sent me while it is day; night is coming when no one can work. As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world." When he had said this, he spat on the ground and made mud with the saliva and spread the mud

on the man's eyes, saying to him, "Go, wash in the pool of Siloam" (which means Sent). Then he went and washed and came back able to see.

The neighbours and those who had seen him before as a beggar began to ask, "Is this not the man who used to sit and beg?" Some were saying, "It is he." Others were saying, "No, but it is someone like him." He kept saying, "I am the man." But they kept asking him, "Then how were your eyes opened?" He answered, "The man called Jesus made mud, spread it on my eyes, and said to me, 'Go to Siloam and wash.' Then I went and washed and received my sight." They said to him, "Where is he?" He said, "I do not know."

They brought to the Pharisees the man who had formerly been blind. Now it was a sabbath day when Jesus made the mud and opened his eyes. Then the Pharisees also began to ask him how he had received his sight. He said to them, "He put mud on my eyes. Then I washed, and now I see." Some of the Pharisees said, "This man is not from God, for he does not observe the sabbath." But others said, "How can a man who is a sinner perform such signs?" And they were divided. So they said again to the blind man, "What do you say about him? It was your eyes he opened." He said, "He is a prophet." The Jews did not believe that he had been blind and had received his sight until they called the parents of the man who had received his sight and asked them, "Is this your son, who you say was born blind? How then does he now see?" His parents answered, "We know that this is our son, and that he was born blind; but we do not know how it is that now he sees, nor do we know who opened his eyes. Ask him; he is of age. He will speak for himself." His parents said this because they were afraid of the Jews; for the Jews had already agreed that anyone who confessed Jesus to be the Messiah would be put out of the synagogue. Therefore his parents said, "He is of age; ask him." So for the second time they called the man who had been blind, and they said to him, "Give glory to God! We know that this man is a sinner." He answered, "I do not know whether he is a sinner. One thing I do know, that though I was blind, now I see." They said to him, "What did he do to you? How did he open your eyes?" He answered them, "I have told you already, and you would not listen. Why do you want to hear it again? Do you also want to become his disciples?" Then they reviled him, saying, "You are his disciple, but we are disciples of Moses. We know that God has spoken to Moses, but as for this man, we do not know where he comes from." The man answered, "Here is an astonishing thing! You do not know where he comes from, and yet he opened my eyes. We know that God does not listen to sinners, but he does listen to one who worships him and obeys his will.

If this man were not from God, he could do nothing." They answered him, "You were born entirely in sins, and are you trying to teach us?" And they drove him out.

Jesus heard that they had driven him out, and when he found him, he said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?" He answered, "And who is he, sir? Tell me, so that I may believe in him." Jesus said to him, "You have seen him, and the one speaking with you is he." He said, "Lord, I believe." And he worshiped him.

Hymn to the Mother of God

The Angel cried out to the One full of Grace: O chaste Virgin, rejoice! And again I say, Rejoice!

Your Son has risen from the tomb on the third day, and raised the dead. Let all people rejoice! Shine, shine, O new Jerusalem, for the glory of the Lord has risen upon you! Exult now and be glad, O Sion! And you, O chaste Mother of God, take delight in the resurrection of your Son.

Communion Hymn

Receive the Body of Christ;* taste the fountain of immortality.* Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest. (Psalm 148:1)* Their utterance has gone forth into all the earth,* and their word unto the ends of the world.* Alleluia, alleluia,* alleluia. (Psalm 18:5)



What is a Marian consecration? Why consecrate Canada to Our Lady?

In what way are we already consecrated to God?

Through the gift of Baptism, we are reborn, both spiritually and sacramentally, and become children of God. The other Sacraments of Christian Initiation, Confirmation and the Eucharist, strengthen and nourish our life of faith, leading us into an even deeper relationship with Christ through his grace. Through each of these Sacraments, we experience the joy of living as sons and daughters dedicated to the Lord, sharing in his divine life, joining ourselves to his Passion, Death, and Resurrection, and receiving the free and empowering help that God gives us to respond to his call to become disciples, temples of the Holy Spirit, and members of his Church. As baptized persons, young and old, we are called to follow Christ through a life of holiness and service, to witness and evangelize, spreading the Kingdom of God in our midst. When we strive to follow Christ, despite our personal and communal weaknesses and failings, we embody more fully our vocation as "a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own

people" (1 Peter 2:9). Informed and motivated thus by our God-given identity, as Christians we look daily to the teachings of Christ and his Church to shape how we think, decide, and act. It is not easy to respond to life's challenges and trials in a manner which is coherent and deeply faithful to Christ. With the unfailing help of the Holy Spirit, however, we can turn to the Father for divine assistance, not only at the crossroads of our life, but at every moment. The first and foremost way of understanding what consecration means comes from the viewpoint of God himself, for it is he who consecrates us before all else. Through Baptism, God makes us his adoptive children and confers on us his very own holiness of life and love. With God's sanctifying and healing grace, we are made partakers of his Trinitarian life, enabling us to believe in him, to hope in him, and to love him through the theological virtues; we live and act under the promptings and with the gifts of the Holy Spirit; we grow in goodness through the moral virtues. A second, complementary way of understanding consecration is from the viewpoint of our human and Christian experience. Living in holiness and truth, we share in God's life and love. To consecrate ourselves to him personally, then, is to make a faith-filled decision in which our response to God's love for us is uniquely our own. A personal act of consecration is a means of further appropriating our Christian calling and continuing to abide in God's grace. It is the renewal of our first consecration at Baptism in the particular form of a personal pledge, made willingly in faith, to live in more profound communion with Our Lord, committing ourselves to him and his Kingdom with greater fervour. It is an entrustment of our entire being to God, including all that we are and do, that we may belong to him more fully and to open ourselves even more to his grace in our lives. Christ Jesus is the best and prime example of what it means to consecrate oneself to God and to his will.

Liturgy Intentions

for this week:

Sunday, May 21: SUNDAY OF THE MAN BORN BLIND

- 8:30am – in memory of the repose of the soul of +Helen Irene Keller
- 10:30am – "keeping you in our prayers" for Dave and Judy Shewchuk
- 5:00pm – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

Monday, May 22:

- 9:00am – for the repose of the soul of +Janice Govia

Tuesday, May 23:

- 9:00am – for blessings and thanksgiving for Maureen L and Doris R

Wednesday, May 24:

- NO Divine Liturgy

Thursday, May 25: FEAST OF THE ASCENSION

- 9:00am – for the repose of the soul (40 day memorial) of +Barbra Loczy w/panakhyda
- 7:00pm – Festal Divine Liturgy

Friday, May 26:

- 10:00am – WestView – for the repose of the soul of +Victoria Burlack

Saturday, May 27:

- 9:00am – for health and healing for Ernie & Elizabeth Agli

Sunday, May 28: SUNDAY OF THE HOLY FATHERS

- 8:30am – for the repose of the soul of +Julia LaVerne
- 10:30am – for blessings and intentions for Vanessa Miller
- 5:00pm – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

**ST. STEPHEN CHARITABLE
COMMITTEES, ACTIVITIES &
ORGANIZATIONS**

Charity Subcommittee:

Coordinate and market the efforts of all parish charitable activity.

Contact: Eugene Woychyshyn

587-891-9898;

eugene.woychyshyn@gmail.com

Pass It On:

Donates clothing to needy families

Contact: Theresa Lewchuk

403-208-0850; lewchukt@hotmail.com

Men's Dinner:

Annual major church fundraiser for capital expenses plus Inn From the Cold endeavors. Contact: Greg Bobyn

403-271-0011; greg.bobyn@mdp.ca

The Helping Others Network:

Distributes used furnishings and clothing to the needy.

Contact: Sean Quinn

connect@helpingothersnetwork.com

Art Committee:

studies and plans new religious artwork for parish.

Contact: Jim Ochitwa

jim.ochitwa@maryngroup.com

UCWLC:

Responds to parish and community needs through volunteerism, pastoral works, Ukrainian culture & aid.

Contact: Stacey Bobyn

403-860-2185 sbobyn1@telusplanet.net

Knights of Columbus:

Provide financial aid & support for members and their families, and help the sick, needy and disabled in our parish, city and abroad. Contact: Earle Kowalewich at

403-831-5503, earlekoko@shaw.ca

Plus 50 Club:


Provides social

interaction for parish seniors, promotes Ukrainian cultural events, and raises funds for the parish.

Contact: Ed Tysowski







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MAY / JUNE

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
21 SUNDAY OF THE MAN BORN BLIND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 am Divine Liturgy: Ukrainian 10:30 am Divine Liturgy: Eng.—NO Sunday School 1:00 pm Melkite Divine Liturgy—Arabic 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy: English 	22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy <p>- office closed-</p> 	23 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 11:00 Plus 50 meeting 7:00 pm Art Committee meeting
28 SUNDAY OF THE HOLY FATHERS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 am Divine Liturgy: Ukrainian 10:30 am Divine Liturgy: Eng. with Sunday School 1:00 pm Melkite Divine Liturgy—Arabic 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy: English <p>**SANDWICHES FOR DROP-IN CENTRE</p>	29 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am Open Iconography Studio 4:00 pm Newman College Course 6:30pm WTFSE training with Andrea from Eparchy 	30 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
4 PENTECOST SUNDAY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 am Divine Liturgy with Fr. Andrij: Ukrainian 10:30 am Divine Liturgy with Fr. Andrij: Eng. with Sunday School 1:00 pm Melkite Divine Liturgy—Arabic 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy with Fr. Andrij: English 	5 TRINITY MONDAY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am Open Iconography Studio 4:00 pm Newman College Course 	6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 1:00 pm Regnum Christi
11 1ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 am Divine Liturgy : Ukrainian 10:30 am Divine Liturgy : Eng. with Sunday School 1:00 pm Melkite Divine Liturgy—Arabic 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy : English 	12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Divine Liturgy 7:00 pm Finance Committee meeting 	13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Divine Liturgy

Checkout our web page : <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca/>

JUNE 2017

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
24 ♦ No Divine Liturgy	25 FEAST OF THE ASCENSION ♦ 9:00 am Festal Liturgy ♦ 7:00 pm Festal Divine Liturgy 	26  ♦ 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at Westview (tentative)	27 DEACON ANDRIJ'S ORDINATION IN EDMONTON 
31 ♦ No Divine Liturgy	1 June ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 7:00 pm KofC—3rd Degree Meeting at the Assumption parish Welcome back Fr. Mark!	2  ♦ 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at Westview - office closed-	3 ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 9:30 am Knights of Columbus Meeting
7 ♦ No Divine Liturgy ♦ 7:00 pm Choir Practice	8 ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 5:00pm UCWLC General meeting ♦ 7:00pm KofC 4th Degree meeting	9  ♦ 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at Westview Walking for the Rock Come join us.. - office closed- An evening with the Bishop Event	10 ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
14 ♦ No Divine Liturgy	15 ♦ No Divine Liturgy	16  ♦ 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at Westview	17 ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 11:15: Choir Practice
Clergy Retreat			

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St. Stephen's Choir: Provides music ministry to the parish for liturgical services and other events.

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Prayer & Support Group: Accepts prayer requests for the confidential needs and intentions of parishioners.

Contact: Marilyn Comchi

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Support Network: Provides support, encouragement & help for parishioners facing various difficulties/situations with referrals to services or help they need.

Contact: Marilyn Comchi

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International Trust Fund: Solicits & invests donations and disburses earned income to international charities in 2nd and 3rd world countries.

Contact: Steve Groch

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Family Support Trust Fund: provides temporary financial support to parishioners in need. Donations to this fund are always welcome.

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Calgary Pro-Life Association: Raises funds for educational awareness programs.

Contact: John Siroishka

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Parish Library: A great place to borrow great books about our faith.

Contact: Olga Kizlyk Scarpari

ststephens.library@gmail.com

ARK Store: Looking for the perfect religious item? Check it out at the entrance to our hall. Open most Sunday mornings after Liturgy.

Contact: Donna Chelack

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Mothers and Fathers in Action

(M.A.F.I.A.): A group for parents and little ones from 'in utero' to Grade 6.

Contact: Zenon Berg
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Sunday School: A program run on most Sundays during the 10:30am Divine Liturgy for preschoolers age 4 through grade 2 children.

Contact: Lynsey Lowey
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First Solemn Communion (FSC): Sacramental Classes for children around GRADE 2 who are ready to approach for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist on their own.

Contact: Karen McMillan
s.david.mcmillan@gmail.com

Children of Mary & Altar Servers: Elementary school children who have completed their FSC, are encouraged to get involved by serving at the Altar, learning, playing and growing together.

Contact: Fr. Bo Nahachewsky
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Junior Youth & Senior Youth: This is an active group of Jr. & Sr. High School students who work, play and grow together in Christ. We are currently looking for a youth group leader, so if interested, please contact Fr. Bo.

Young Adults: Those aged 18 - 35 are encouraged to gather as a community and learn, embrace and celebrate their faith. We are currently looking for a young adults leader, so if interested, please contact Fr. Bo.

Adult Catechism (RCIA): This program is open to Adults and Teens who want to receive the sacraments or just understand the faith.

Contact: Fr. Bo Nahachewsky
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Bible Study: On many Mondays we study our faith through Sacred Scripture. Join us.

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CHRIST IS RISEN!

PRAYER & CATECHESIS

GREETING CARDS AND DIVINE LITURGIES: If you know someone in our Parish Family who the Love & Care Committee should be attending to, please contact Anne Lozinski at 403-241-8905.

The Feast of the Ascension of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ will be celebrated on May 25 at 9:00 am and 7:00pm

Mission Days guidebook : from the Ascension of our Lord to the Descent of the Holy Spirit. -> Download from Facebook or St Stephen's website

Newly ordained Fr. Andrij will be celebrating the Divine Liturgies on Sunday, June 4th

MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Art Committee meeting : May 23 at 7:00pm

Sandwiches for the drop-in centre : May 28.
Thank you for your generosity

Mandatory Safer Environments Training Workshop for St Stephen volunteers on Monday, May 29 from 6:30-9:00 pm

Plus 50 meeting Potluck Luncheon will be on Tuesday, May 23. Card games will begin at 11:00 am

UCWLC General meeting : May 8th at 5:00pm

An Evening with the Bishop : June 9th at 6:00 pm

LITURGICAL HELP

Today	Next week (May28)
EPISTLE READERS 8:30 am : UCWL 10:30 am : UCWL 5:00 pm : UCWL	EPISTLE READERS 8:30 am : UCWL 10:30 am : UCWL 5:00 pm : UCWL
HOSTS/USHERS 8:30 am— UCWL 10:30— UCWL	HOSTS/USHERS 8:30 am— UCWL 10:30— UCWL
ROSARY 10:00 am : UCWL	ROSARY 10:00 am : UCWL
ARK STORE Boby	ARK STORE Chubat

"UCWLC: Building Bridges Across the Generations"

An activity-based, age-appropriate retreat for all females, 6 years old through to adulthood
Saturday, June 17, 2017—9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Exaltation of the Holy Cross Ukrainian Catholic Parish (9003-153 Ave., Edmonton)

"To register, contact: phillipseparchy@hotmail.ca or 780-467-4351.

REGISTRATION FEE: Adults - \$10; Youth (13-17) - \$5; Children (6-12) - no charge **REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** June 5, 2017. NO LATE REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED.

EPARCHIAL EVENTS

The Annual "Aid to the Missionary Church in the World" collection is taken up throughout the Eparchy on Pentecost Sunday. Christ died for our sins on the life-giving wood of the Cross. His message of love, mercy and forgiveness is needed ever more in our broken world. As Christians, we are called to continue Jesus' mission of spreading the Good News, each according to our ability and means. Concretely, the Church invites us to collaborate in the mission of the Church, guided by the Holy Spirit, by giving generously to the following international collections:

- Peter's Pence (Pope's Pastoral Works or Papal Charities),
- World Mission Fund,
- Collection for the Holy Land,
- Catholic Near East Welfare Association, and
- Aid to the Church in Ukraine.

Bishop David will confer the Sacred **Orders of the Priesthood** upon Deacon Andrij Nykyforuk at 10:00 am, Saturday, May 27, at Saint Josaphat Cathedral.

World Communications Day this year will be celebrated on May 28 to mark Pope Francis' theme, "Fear not, for I am with you" (Is 43:5).

The **Catholic Bishops of Canada**, upon a proposal by the Bishops of Alberta and the Northwest Territories, will **consecrate Canada to the Mother of God** on Saturday, **July 1**, or on the day following, marking the 150th anniversary of Confederation. Other pastors are invited to do the same with their respective parish community on Sunday, July 2.

Unity 2017 Retreat : Ukrainian Catholic Young Adult Gathering (18-35) - August 17 - August 20
More details : <http://skeparchy.org/ucya/event/unity-2017/>

For Eparchy Event updates visit:

<http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca>
->Parish Life -> Eparchial events

Or <http://www.eeparchy.com/events/>

EPARCHIAL CAMPS

- **Camp Oselia Children's Camp** (July 9 – Aug 4 – 2017)
- **Camp Oselia Teen Camp** – July 9-14
- **Camp St. Basil Ukrainian Catholic Summer Camp** (Pigeon Lake): (July 2 – July 15, 2017)
- **Acolyte Camp:** (August 1-6th, 2016)

More information on www.eeparchy.com/



2017 UKIE STAMPEDE STOMP

Saturday, June 24th 2017,
St Stephen's Cultural Centre— 4903—45th Street SW
 Doors open at 6:00 pm
 BBQ Steak and Perogie Supper @ 7:00 pm
 Entertainment & Dance @ 9:00 pm

For tickets contact:
 Terry : 403-540-0411,
 Ron : 403-239-5555,
 Ambrose : 403-862-3269



Clothing Collection
 Shared with
 Calgary Families
 in Need

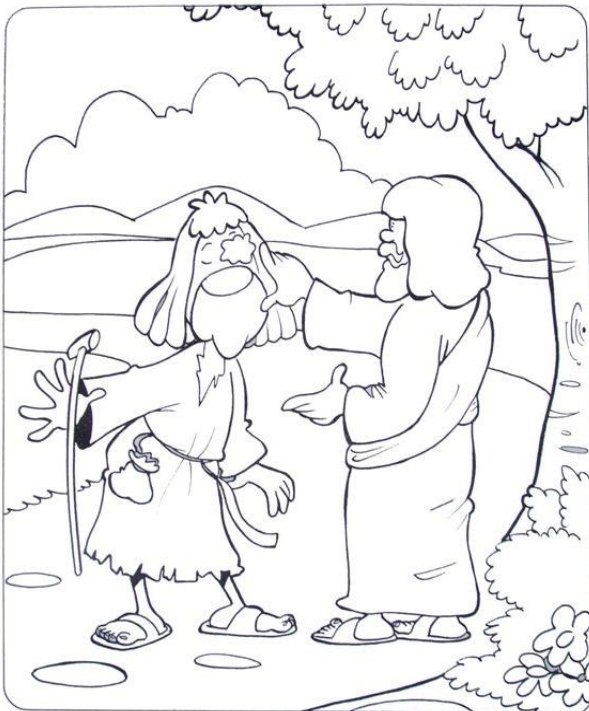
Start saving to PASS IT ON!

This clothing giveaway is a partnership between St. Stephen's and the Calgary Catholic School District and is a great way to help Calgary families in need receive free winter clothing! **The Giveaway will be held on Saturday October 14, 2017 at Father Lacombe High School.** We will be looking for clean and gently used clothing donations, with a focus on winter items and boots.

We will also need volunteers to help with St. Stephen's clothing collection on Sunday Oct.1, the clothing sort day on Monday Oct. 2, event set up on Friday Oct. 13 and the Giveaway day on Saturday Oct. 14.

Please consider volunteering for this event as last year we helped make winter bearable for over 800 people in 4 hours! More information will be coming in the next few months. For more details please contact Theresa Lewchuk at 403-815-6055 or lewchukt@hotmail.com

Jesus heals the blind man



Please join Most Reverend Bishop David Motiuk at a fundraiser in support of our Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy in Alberta.

Friday June 9, 2017

St. Stephen Protomartyr Ukrainian Catholic Church
 4903-45 Street SW, Calgary, Alberta

Tickets: \$75.00 per person

6:00 PM Bishop David's Welcome
7:00 PM Chef's Delights, Cash Bar
 Art Displays & Silent Auction
8:30 PM Presentation by Bishop David

An Evening with the Bishop

For Tickets or Information Contact:

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Co-hosted by Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ukrainian Catholic Church and St. Stephen Protomartyr Ukrainian Catholic Church, Calgary, AB

An Evening with Bishop David:

On Friday June 9, join Bishop David and your fellow parishioners for an evening of conversation and fun! Event timing is 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm. In true Ukrainian style we will feed you with Chef's delights (come hungry) and there will be a cash bar. Check out the Silent Auction tables and try outbidding your friends!

For tickets (\$75 per person) and more information:

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We are looking for donations for our Silent Auction (to be valued at no less than \$50). Some suggestions: artwork, paintings, pottery, home décor items; Holy Icons, paintings, decorative crosses; gift baskets, gift certificates, gift cards; Ukrainian folk art items, embroidery, Easter eggs.

We also welcome financial support. Please be as creative and generous as you can!

Please contact Eugene or Marilyn Nahirney em.nahirney@telus.net or 403-276-5722 for further information or to provide your support.



St. Stephen's Parish would like to invite **all the altar boys** to **Laser Quest** for a fun filled afternoon on **Saturday, June 3rd, 2017 at 3:30PM.**

After a couple of laser tag games, pizza will be served in the party room shortly after 5PM. **All boys who have received their first solemn communion** who are interested in playing laser tag and meeting the altar boys are welcome. Please RSVP to Glen Kulak, ph# 403-247-1591 or gckulak@shaw.ca by Monday May

The Ukrainian Canadian Professional & Business Association of Calgary is awarding Dr. Linda Dudar



with their annual Lifetime Achievement Award
 at the Scholarship Dinner Meeting -

Thursday May 25th to be held at the Danish Canadian Club.

For more info www.ucpbacalagary.ca or call 403-276-1835. Poster and flyers available in our foyer.

Mandatory Safer Environments Training Workshop for St Stephen volunteers

Monday, May 29

from 6:30-9:00 pm

at St. Stephen's Parish.

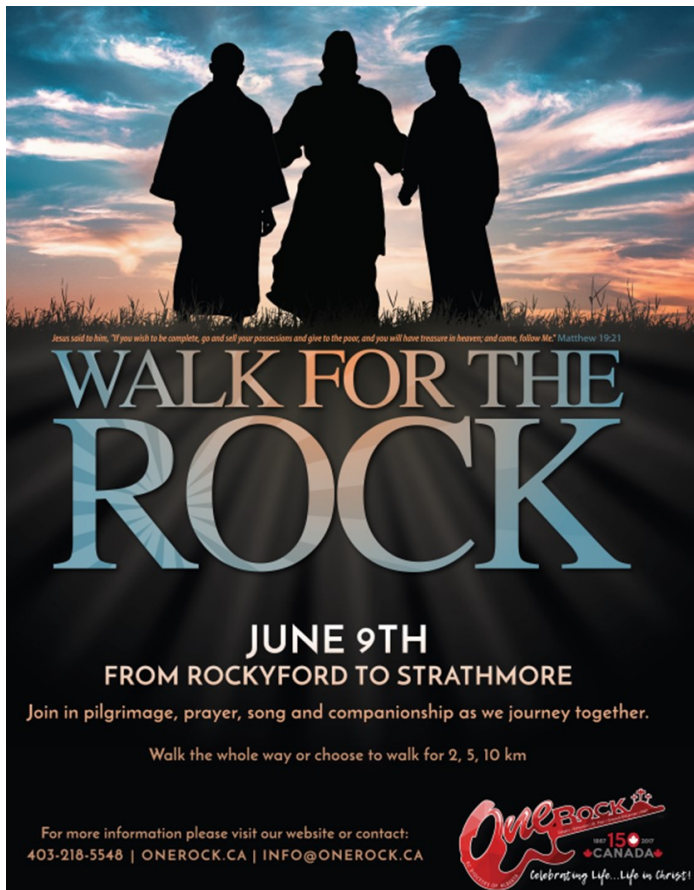
Those who have been volunteering to church activities are kindly required to attend the workshop.

Please call the office to confirm attendance.

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND WALK IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS

12-23 OCTOER 2017

An unforgettable experience with Fr. Joe Ostapowich & Sister Angelica SSML. Please call Myrna Arychuk : 604 617 7200 or email : marychuk@thetravelagentnextdoor.com program details in the atrium



Jesus said to him, "If you wish to be complete, go and sell your possessions and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me." Matthew 19:21

WALK FOR THE ROCK

JUNE 9TH
FROM ROCKYFORD TO STRATHMORE

Join in pilgrimage, prayer, song and companionship as we journey together.

Walk the whole way or choose to walk for 2, 5, 10 km

For more information please visit our website or contact:
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One Rock Canada
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Join Fr. Bo and Fr. Ephrem in Walking for the Rock.

Details and Pledge forms are at the atrium

TWO Summer Job Opportunities at Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Senior Children's Camp Director

Develop, prepare, organize and present a summer children's catechism camp. Basic materials and curriculum is provided. Responsible for developing the program and activities, promoting the camp, registration, preparing the facilities for the camp, organizing volunteer helpers, presenting the program and all administration with this camp.

The position is for nine weeks between May 15 and September 1, with thirty hours per week, but we are flexible in how the total hours are scheduled. Remuneration is \$15.00/hour.

Supervision and an advisory group will be provided

- Canadian citizen between 1 and 27
- Enrolled full time in an accredited Canadian post-secondary institution
- Experience teaching children, background in teaching or assisting in children's camps is an asset
- Knowledge of CPR and first aid an asset

Assistant Children's Camp Director

Assist to develop, prepare, organize and present a summer children's catechism camp. Basic materials and curriculum is provided.

Responsible for developing the program and activities, promoting the camp, registration, preparing the facilities for the camp, organizing volunteer helpers, presenting the program and all administration with this camp.

The position is for six weeks between July 3 and September 1, with thirty hours per week, but we are flexible in how the total hours are scheduled. Remuneration is \$12.50/hour. Supervision and an advisory group will be provided

- These jobs are for Canadian citizens between the age 16-21
- Enrolled full time in high school or accredited Canadian post-Secondary institution
- Experience teaching children, background in teaching or assisting in children's camps is an asset
- Knowledge of CPR and first aid an asset
- Successful candidate will have to provide a Police check in keeping with the Eparchy's safer environments program.

Apply with a cover letter, resume and two references.

Drop off at parish office or email abvmadmin@shaw.ca. attention Summer Job

For more information call Ivan at 403-816-5105

Please have your application in before May 29

