

# ST. STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

>>WE WELCOME ALL WHO JOIN US TODAY IN WORSHIP!<<

JUNE 11- 2017

## SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST HOLY MARTYR LEONTIUS (69-79)



#### Troparia and Kontakia

Troparion, Tone 1: Though the stone was sealed by the Judeans,\* and soldiers guarded Your most pure body,\* You arose, O Saviour, on the third day,\* and gave life to the world.\* And so the heavenly powers cried out to You, O Giver of Life:\* Glory to Your resurrection, O Christ!\* Glory to Your kingdom!\* Glory to Your saving plan,\* O only Lover of mankind.

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

Kontakion, Tone 1: You arose in glory from the tomb\* and with Yourself You raise the world.\* All humanity acclaims You as God.\* and death has vanished.\* Adam exults, O Master,\* and Eve, redeemed from bondage now, cries out for joy:\* "You are the One, O Christ, Who offer resurrection to all."

Theotokion, Tone 1: When Gabriel uttered to you, O Virgin, his 'Rejoice!'\* at that sound the

Master of all became flesh in you, the Holy Ark.\* As the just David said,\* you have become wider than the heavens carrying your Creator.\* Glory to Him Who dwelt in you!\* Glory to Him Who came forth from you!\* Glory to Him Who freed us through birth from you!

#### Prokeimenon

Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, as we have hoped in You.

verse: Rejoice in the Lord, O you just; praise befits the righteous. (Psalm 32:22,1)

#### **Epistle**

Romans 2:10-16

ROTHERS AND SISTERS, glory and honour and peace for everyone who does good, the Jew first and also the Greek. For God shows no partiality. All who have sinned apart from the law will also perish apart from the law, and all who have sinned under the law will be judged by the law. For it is not the hearers of the law who are righteous in God's sight, but the doers of the law who will be justified. When Gentiles, who do not possess the law, do instinctively what the law requires, these, though not having the law, are a law to themselves. They show that what the law requires is written on their hearts, to which their own conscience also bears witness; and their conflicting thoughts will accuse or perhaps excuse them on the day when, according to my gospel, God, through Jesus Christ, will judge the secret thoughts of all.

#### Alleluia

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

verse: God gives me vindication, and has subdued people under me. verse: Making great the salvation of the king, and showing mercy to His anointed, to David, and to His posterity forever. (Psalm 17:48,51)

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#### Parish Website:

www.saintstephencalgary.ca

#### Facebook:

St. Stephen Protomartyr Ukrainian Catholic Church

#### **Eparchy Website:**

www.edmontoneparchy.com

#### **DIVINE LITURGIES**

#### **Sunday Services:**

8:30am – Ukrainian

10:30am – English

1:00pm – Arabic / English [Melkite]

5:00pm – English

#### Weekday Services:

Monday—Saturday—English @ 9:00 am

Friday at Westview—English @ 10:00 am Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

#### **HOLY MYSTERIES**

#### Confession:

Sunday 10:00 am —12:00 pm Saturday @ 8:00-9:00am

Tue & Wed 8:30am—9:00am or by appointment

Marriage, Baptism-Chrismation-Eucharist, Funerals : Arrangements with the office

#### Anointing of the Sick:

For emergencies call 403-249-4818, press 9

**Divine Liturgy Intentions**: Arrangements with the office

#### **CLERGY and RELIGIOUS**

#### Pastor:

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#### Gospel

#### Matthew 4:18-23

T THAT TIME, , as Jesus walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fish for people." Immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him. Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.

#### **Communion Hymn**

Praise the Lord from the heavens;\* praise Him in the highest.\* Alleluia, alleluia,\* alleluia.

The Papal Basílica of Saint-Lawrence-Outside-The-Walls in Rome has a

fascinating history, dealing with both St Stephen Protomartyr (whom we hear about in the Acts of the apostles) and St Lawrence (who was also a deacon).

located underneath the main altar.
You can see the word
"Protomartiris" etched in marble just
above the column. The word
"Lavrentii" is found immediately to

I saw their tomb in this Basilica! It is

History tells us the relics of the protomartyr were transferred to Rome by Pope Pelagius II during the construction of the basilica in the 13th century. They were

the right.



interred alongside the relics of St. Lawrence, whose tomb is enshrined within the church. According to the Golden Legend, the relics of Lawrence moved miraculously to one side to make room for those of Stephen.

I was very proud to mention to our clergy group of 34 priest from around the world, that our parish in Calgary was named after such a famous and powerful saint.

Now as to the testimony of St Lawrence, I discovered this article penned by Fr Ron Rollheiser OMI. I am reproducing it here in its entirety because I believe it speaks to the question about the church "losing more and more of the young..."

Lawrence, so the story goes, was the deacon in small community during the third century, a time when Christians were being persecuted and martyred. One day, word came from the local civic authority that the government was going to confiscate church properties and that it was coming round to collect anything that Lawrence's small community had which was of value. An edict was given to Lawrence stating that, on a certain day designated, he was to have all the "treasures of the church" readied so that the soldiers could come and pick them up.

When the day arrived, the local authorities, complete with their military support, arrived at the door of Lawrence's house. But Lawrence, however, had read their decree in a way quite other than they had anticipated. He had assembled there, by his house, all the poor, the lame, the sick, the blind, the weak, the aged, the children, and the outcasts. The commandant announced: "We are here to pick up the treasures of the church! We command you: Hand them over!"

Lawrence, on his part, calmly pointed to the group he had assembled and said: "Here they are! Take them! These are the treasures of the church!" ....

We need, regularly, to recount this story, not just because our age is in danger decertifying, right out of existence, those who are not strong and healthy, but also because, under the influence of our culture, we are in danger of creating an ecclesiology that mirrors the blind bias of our age.

For example: Many of us are getting ever more discouraged as, each year, the church is losing more and more of the young, the successful, the talented, and those others that our age and culture precisely considers as "golden". Who's left in the churches? The old, the weak, the psychologically unstable, and those with less choices and less place in the culture. As a rather cynical friend of mine puts it: "Here and there, among the very old, the very young, and those who don't have much going in their lives, the church can still spin its magic! But it doesn't have much attraction for those who actually have a life!"

In Western culture, put as a simple statement of fact, he is, more than I would like to admit, correct. As a gross over-generalization, with many exceptions of course, that is what is happening. Sociologists of religion verify that. Statistics which tell us who is attending church and who is taking its doctrines and teachings seriously show, precisely, that where the church is weakest is in drawing people who are talented — artistically, athletically, scientifically, intellectually, and otherwise. We don't draw so easily what is gold, silver, or bronze (in the eyes of the world). The church, as my cynical friend puts it, must spin its magic elsewhere.

But we must be careful to interpret this properly. We can, and often times do, look at this and conclude that there is something terribly wrong with the church. Contemporary critics accuse us of peddling a "god of the gaps", that is, of having a church that can draw people only when they feel certain inadequacies, gaps, in their lives. Religion, they claim, offers little to the healthy, talented, and the strong. Hence, as another cynic once put it, the church is left in the absurd position of trying to teach happy people to be unhappy so that it has some power over them!

#### LITURGY INTENTIONS

#### Sunday, June 18:

8:30am – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

10:30am – in memory of the repose of the souls of +Helen and +Joe Ewanchyna

5:00pm – for the repose of the soul of +Inesita Pasion

#### Monday, June 19:

9:00am – for the repose of the soul of +Sandy Babij

#### Tuesday, June 20:

9:00am – for the repose of the soul of +Victoria Burlack

#### Wednesday, June 21:

9:00am - 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary blessings and congratulations to Orest and Gil Horbachewski

#### Thursday, June 22:

9:00am – for thanksgiving and blessings for the calling into priesthood for Fr. Andrij Nykyforuk

#### Friday, June 23:

9:00am – for birthday blessings, good health and happiness for Marcy Bobyn

10:00am – WestView – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

#### Saturday, June 24:

9:00am – for the repose of the soul (40 day) of +Boris Kyba

#### Sunday, June 25:

8:30am – in memory of the repose of the soul of +Annie Sebulski

10:30am – for blessings and health for Bernice Mazur

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@mnp.ca

#### The Helping Others Network:

Distributes used furnishings and clothing to the needy.
Contact: send an email to connect@helpingothersnetwork.com or call Des Peplinski at 403-238-0804

#### 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 403-547-3226; tysow@shaw.ca

## JUNE / J

| SUNDAY  | MONDAY   | TUESDAY   |
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| 18 2ND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  8:30 am Divine Liturgy: Ukrainian  10:30 am Divine Liturgy: Eng. with Sunday School  12:00 pm Fathers' Day Annual Strawberry Social  5:00 pm Divine Liturgy: English  UCWLC FATHER'S DAY STRAWBERRY SOCIAL | 19 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy • 7:00 pm 50 Anniversary Planning meeting                                      | 20 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy • 7:00 pm PPC meetin  |
| **SANDWICHES FOR DROP-IN CENTRE**  DAILY READING  ROMANS 2:10-16; MATTHEW 4:18-23  SAINT OF THE DAY  HOLY MARTYR LEONTIUS (69-79)   | Jude 1:1-10;<br>John 14:21-24<br>† The Holy Apostle Jude,<br>Brother of the Lord<br>According to the Flesh | Romans 7:14-8:2;<br>Matthew 10:9-15<br>The Holy Priest-Martyr<br>Methodius,<br>Bishop of Patara (311) |
| 25 3rd Sunday After Pentecost   | 26   | 27  |
| <ul> <li>8:30 am Divine Liturgy: Ukrainian</li> <li>10:30 am Divine Liturgy: No Sunday School</li> <li>1:00 pm Melkite Divine Liturgy—Arabic</li> <li>5:00 pm Divine Liturgy: English</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>9:00 am Divine<br/>Liturgy</li> <li>KofC Alberta Chapter<br/>Meeting</li> </ul>                   | <ul> <li>9:00 am Divine<br/>Liturgy</li> <li>11:00 am Plus 50<br/>meeting</li> </ul>                  |
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May God bless all fathers with good health, lots of happiness, success and love. Happy Father's Day!

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| WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY   |  |
| 21  ◆ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy  ◆ 7:00 Property Management Meeting | • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy • 7:00 pm Art Committee Meeting  | • 9:00 am Divine<br>Liturgy<br>• 10:00 am Divine<br>Liturgy at Westview                         | <ul> <li>9:00 am Divine<br/>Liturgy</li> <li>10:00am UCWLC<br/>Coffee and Chat</li> </ul>              |  |
|  |   |   | 2017 UKIE<br>STAMPEDE STOMP  |  |
| Romans 7:14-8:2;<br>Matthew 10:9-15                              | Romans 8:22-27;<br>Matthew 10:23-31   | Romans 9:6-19;<br>Matthew 10:32-36; 11:1  | Romans 13:11b-14:4;<br>Luke 1:1-15, 57-<br>68, 76, 80  |  |
| The Holy Priest-Martyr<br>Methodius,<br>Bishop of Patara (311)   | The Holy Priest-Martyr<br>Eusebius,<br>Bishop of Samosata (379<br>-80)                          | The Holy Martyr<br>Agrippina  | The Nativity of the<br>Honourable and<br>Glorious Prophet John,<br>Forerunner and Baptist<br>of Christ |  |
| 28 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy                                      | • 9:00 am Festal Divine<br>Liturgy • 7:00 pm Festal Divine<br>Liturgy  Feast of St Peter & Paul | <ul> <li>9:00 am Divine<br/>Liturgy</li> <li>10:00 am Divine<br/>Liturgy at Westview</li> </ul> | 1 July • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy  Happy Canada Day!   |  |
| 5 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy                                       | 6 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy  | 7  ◆ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy  ◆ 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at Westview                              | 8 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy   |  |
| 12 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy                                      | 13 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy   | • 9:00 am Divine<br>Liturgy<br>• 10:00 am Divine<br>Liturgy at Westview                         | 15 • 9:00 am Divine Liturgy  |  |
| Summer Bible Camp  |   |   |  |  |
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Come and join Strawberry Social on this special occasion!

#### St. Stephen's Choir:

Provides music ministry to the parish for liturgical services and other events. Contact: Linda Dudar 403-238-0461; linda.dudar@stmu.ca

#### Prayer & Support Group:

Accepts prayer requests for the confidential needs and intentions of parishioners. Contact: Marilyn Comchi 403-220-9624; marilyncomchi@shaw.ca

#### **Support Network:**

Provides support, encouragement & help for parishioners facing various difficulties/situations with referrals to services or help they need.
Contact: Marilyn Comchi 403-220-9624 marilyncomchi@shaw.ca

#### International Trust Fund:

Solicits & invests donations and disburses earned income to international charities in 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> world countries.
Contact: Steve Groch 403-239-4699; swgctc@aol.com

#### Family Support Trust Fund:

provides temporary financial support to parishioners in need. Donations to this fund are always welcome. Contact: Eugene Woychyshyn 587-891-9898; eugene.woychyshyn@gmail.com

#### Calgary Pro-Life Association:

Raises funds for educational awareness programs. Contact: John Siroishka 403-271-2128; johnsiroishka@shaw.ca

#### 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 403-764-0811; dchelack@shaw.ca

## 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 zenonberg@gmail.com

#### 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 lklowey@hotmail.com

#### 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 parish office

#### 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 parish office

#### 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 parish office

#### Adult Catechism (RCIA):

This program is open to Adults and Teens who want to receive the sacraments or just understand the faith. please contact parish office

#### Bible Study:

On many Mondays we study our faith through Sacred Scripture. Join us. Please contact parish office

#### LITURGICAL HELP

#### **EPISTLE READERS (this week)**

8:30 am: Vince Letwin

10:30 am: Linda & Clayton Woitas

5:00 pm: Jay Lalach HOSTS/USHERS

8:30 am— Vince Letwin

10:30— Linda & Clayton Woitas

ROSARY (10:00 am): Donna Korchinkski

ARK STORE: Dwulit

#### **NEXT WEEK—SUNDAY JUNE 25:**

#### **EPISTLE READERS**

8:30 am: Del & Donna Yaskiw 10:30 am: David McMillan 5:00 pm: Patricia Harasym

#### **HOSTS/USHERS**

8:30 am - Del & Donna Yaskiw

10:30 — David McMillan

ROSARY (10:00 am): Bill Lewchuk

ARK STORE: Chelack

#### **PRAYER & CATECHESIS**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**: Sunday school will stop as of Next Sunday and will resume in the fall.

DAILY DIVINE LITURGY: Monday to Saturday at

9:00am

Prayer for the consecration of Canada to the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary: The Bishops of Canada are consecrating Canada to the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary as part of the celebrations marking the 150th anniversary of Confederation.

Join Bishop David and the Eparchy of Edmonton in marking the **400th Anniversary of the Order of Saint Basil the Great of Saint Josaphat**. Details on page 8

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

For Eparchy Event updates visit:

#### www.eeparchy.com/events/

#### **YOUTH CAMPS**

Maker Fun Factory Summer Bible Camp \*Last chance for registration\* Please submit your application and payment ASAP as spots are quickly filling up. There are a few spots still available on First come-First served basis. Deadline has been extended till mid June. Register online www.saintstephencalgary.ca/kids-summer-camp-2017.html.

We are also seeking parent and youth volunteers (Age 13+).

Camp Oselia Children's Camp July 9 - Aug 4

Camp Oselia Teen Camp - July 9-14

Camp St. Basil Ukrainian Catholic Summer Camp (Pigeon Lake): July 2-15

Acolyte Camp: August 7-12

Captivenia Girls' Camp: Registration & info:

captivenia.com

Arcātheos Catholic boys camp : Registration &

info: arcatheos.com

More information about camps on www.eeparchy.com/youth/eparchial-camps/

#### **COMMUNITY**

**Ukie Stampede Stomp:** Saturday June 24. Please purchase your tickets prior to the event.

#### **PARISH MEETINGS**

Please refer to the Calendar

### Den Richard and Trudy Nibogie

on your 50th Wedding Anniversary! Mnohaya Lita!



## views from pews



#### THE BEAUTY OF OUR CHURCH

I think we sometimes take for granted the beauty of the inside of St. Stephen's church. After attending several events in other churches recently, I realize just how fortunate we are to be able to worship in a church that surrounds us with so much inspiration. My favourite time to really see the inside of our church is at night when it is empty (except for God). I am amazed at the beauty of the stained glass and the mosaic art pieces.

Mosaics are among the oldest forms of religious art. St. Stephen's Church currently has five large mosaic art pieces, three of which are located in the sanctuary. Installed in 1990 they are finished with oak frames and mounted to support columns to appear as if they are floating in space. In reality they are extremely heavy and required considerably reinforcement to secure them. Three subjects were chosen: The Resurrection; the Mother of God; and,

St. Stephen the Protomartyr (Greek meaning "first martyr"). Two other large mosaics are installed in the nave. They are finished with the same oak frames and mounted to interior brick walls. The depiction of Jesus and the children, the largest icon in the church, is dedicated to our children and future generations of the parish. Our Lady of Pochaiv is near the sanctuary and is unique because of its curved oak frame and scriptural text panels.

Over the centuries, thanks to Christian imagination and creativity, the Church has inherited a rich and living tradition of ecclesiastical art. Christian art continues to inspire, instruct and nourish the faith and devotion of believers. One of the most striking of all is that of stained glass. The stained glass windows in St. Stephen's are made of the best English and European hand made antique, pot metal and flashed glass. The windows are a creative mix of traditional symbolism and contemporary design that depict a story in a flowing form. Some of this story may be know to the viewer, whereas certain images and symbols may require further explanation.

For more information on all of our beautiful art refer to our St. Stephen's book.

Editor's note: only a few more weeks and I will be taking the summer off. Please send me your stories so that I can publish them by the end of June. Thank you! Happy Father's Day to all Fathers!

Laurie Kindrachuk, editor

Contact me: <u>laurie.kindrachuk@shaw.ca</u> Cell 403-614-5581 To the parents of our young children may we suggest...

Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. But do prevent them from kicking people in the pews.

Sit towards the front where it is easier to see and hear.

Quietly explain the parts of the Liturgy to your children.

Sing the hymns, pray and voice the responses. Children learn liturgical behaviours by copying you.

If you need to leave Liturgy with your child, please feel free to do so, but please come back. You can also take advantage of the "cry room".

Remember that the way we welcome children in church directly affects the way they respond to Church, to God and to Christ. Let them know that they are at home in this sacred space.

We love pew art! Please use the blank papers and colouring sheets provided in the "cry room" (not pew envelopes) for your child to draw us some beautiful art. We can hang them on our parish bulletin boards for all to enjoy.

Do your best to attend Liturgy on time.

In fact we'd love it if you would come up to the priests before service and give them a "high five". When kids know the priest they feel more comfortable.

To the members of our parish...

A smile of encouragement is always welcome to parents with small, active children.



Luke Pichach

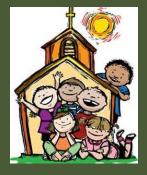
on receiving the Mysteries of Initiation!

God be with you always!

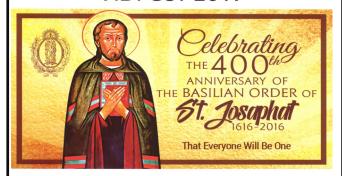
Avery & Stephanie Sakundiak on your First Wedding Anniversary!

Mnohaya Lita!





### WELCOME TO THE MUNDARE VIDPUST 2017



This year we will hold a 3 day celebration as follows:

- •Friday, June 23 at 7pm Moleben to St. Josaphat in church followed by fellowship at the national hall
- •Saturday, June 24 at 5pm Great Vespers for the feast of Sts. Peter & Paul in church, followed by the blessing of the newly-renovated monastery, followed by fellowship at the National Hall
- •Sunday, June 25: 8am divine liturgy in church; 10am pontifical divine liturgy at the grotto, followed by dinner at the National Hall and a children's picnic at Ukraine park; 2:30pm - moleben in church.

Special guest; Metropolitan Lawrence Huculak, Bishop David Motiuk and Bishop Paul Chomnychy



to our Sunday School teachers!! Lynsey Lowey, Yulia and **Ashley.** You're our gift from God!

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Coffee & Chat

Saturday June 24, 2017

10:00 am

(Following 9:00am Liturgy)

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A chance for all the ladies of our parish to come together to share and learn about each other over coffee and baking.

And an opportunity to meet our new Executive and hear from our Provincial President about the value of having an active UCWLC



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

On the Occasion of Father's Day, Come and Join

### **UCWLC FATHER'S DAY**



### STRAWBERRY SOCIAL

### **URGENT REQUEST**

St. Stephen Malanka has been organized by St Stephen Plus 50 Club since 2000, and more recently by a Malanka Committee composed of 5 Plus 50 members and 3 Parish members.

Malanka has become very popular and is one of St Stephen's signature events. The present Malanka Committee can no longer continue to undertake this event, due to retirement of most of the Plus 50 members on the Committee.

In order for Malanka to continue, we are asking interested individuals (or Parish organizations) to fill the vacated positions on the Malanka Committee.

Interested persons please call Ed Tysowski, President Stephen Plus 50. Phone: 403-547-3226.

E-mail: tysow@shaw.ca