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Mon-Friday: 8:30am - 4:00pm

Saturday and Sunday - Closed

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## ST. STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

>>WE WELCOME ALL WHO JOIN US TODAY IN WORSHIP!<< NOVEMBER 26TH 2017

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

acclaim God our Saviour.

Alleluia

verse: Come, let us rejoice in the Lord; let us

praise and acclaim Him with psalms.

verse: Let us come before His countenance with

Gospel

Luke 10:25-37

"What is written in the law? What do you read

there?" He answered, "You shall love the Lord

your God with all your heart, and with all your

soul, and with all your strength, and with all your

mind; and your neighbour as yourself." And he

said to him, "You have given the right answer; do

this, and you will live." But wanting to justify

himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my

neighbour?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the

hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him,

and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by

chance a priest was going down that road; and

when he saw him, he passed by on the other side.

So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place

and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a

Samaritan while traveling came near him; and

when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He

went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on

his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took

care of him. The next day he took out two denarii,

gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care

of him; and when I come back, I will repay you

whatever more you spend.' Which of these three,

do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell

into the hands of the robbers?" He said, "The one

who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go

and do likewise."

t that time, a lawyer stood up to test

Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do

to inherit eternal life?" He said to him,

### **TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

OUR VENERABLE FATHER ALYPIUS THE STYLITE (610-41); JAMES THE HERMIT (457); THE BLESSING OF THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY GREAT-MARTYR GEORGE WHICH IS IN KIEV, BEFORE THE GATES OF HOLY WISDOM CATHEDRAL

#### Troparion and Kontakia

Troparion: You came down from oh high, O Merciful One,\* and accepted three days of burial\* to free us from our sufferings.\* O Lord, our life and our resurrection,\* glory be to You.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the

Kontakion: When You rose from the tomb,\* You also raised the dead and resurrected Adam.\* Eve exults in Your resurrection,\* and the ends of the world celebrate Your rising from the dead,\* O most merciful One.

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Theotokion: To you, O Mother of God,\* the invincible leader,\* we, your servants, ascribe these victory hymns\* in thanksgiving for our free us from all dangers\* that we may cry out to you: \* "Hail, O bride, and pure Virgin!"

#### Prokeimenon

Pray and give thanks to the Lord our God. verse: In Judea God is known; His name is great in Israel.

#### **Epistle**

A reading from the Epistle of the Holy Apostle

rothers and Sisters, I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and

Please gather your children to hold candles for the Gospel.

Holy Spirit.

deliverance from evil.\* With your invincible power

Ephesians 4: 1-6

Paul to the Ephesians:

through all and in all.

#### **Communion Hymn**

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

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St. Stephen Protomartyr Ukrainian Catholic Church

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**DIVINE LITURGIES** 

#### **Sunday Services:**

8:30am - Ukrainian

10:30am - English

1:00pm - Arabic / English [Melkite]

5:00pm - English

#### Weekday Services:

Monday - Thursday & Saturday English @ 9:00 am

Friday at Westview - English @ 10:00 am

#### **HOLY MYSTERIES**

#### Confession:

Weekdays: Before or after Liturgies or by appointment. Sundays: Before and during liturgy

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

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### LITURGICAL HELP NOVEMBER 26

#### **EPISTLE READERS**

8:30 am: KofC 10:30 am: KofC 5:00 pm: KofC HOSTS/USHERS

8:30 am— KofCYaskiw

10:30— KofC ROSARY 10:00 KofC ARK STORE: Chubaty

#### **DECEMBER 3**

#### **EPISTLE READERS**

8:30 am: KofC 10:30 am: KofC 5:00 pm: KofC HOSTS/USHERS

8:30 am— KofC 10:30— KofC ROSARY 10:00 KofC ARK STORE: Longfield



### **Exciting Youth Ministry plans for 2018!**

This CHALLENGING AND ENGAGING YOUTH PILGRIMAGE ACROSS THE WESTERN PRAIRIE PROVINCES will be focusing on SAINTS OF OUR CHURCH OVER THE PAST CENTURY.



We will visit the shrines of Blessed Martyr Nykyta Budka, Vasyl Velechkovsky in Winnipeg, exploring the world of our saintly martyred first Bishop Blessed Martyr Nykyta Budka in the interactive past (Ukrainian Pioneer Village near Mundane - and yes, we will eat sausage).

We will see the shrine of Blesseds Olympia and Lavrentia in Saskatoon. We shall visit the grave of Fr. Basil Skubleny (and talk to his living brother)...

... And we shall meet youth from every

major city across our pilgrimage route. **Gather youth** in Edmonton. **Dance** under the worlds biggest Easter Egg in Vegreville. **Party** hearty with young Ukrainian Catholic Saskatonians in Saskatoon. Check out the Welcome home and feast with Winnipeg's wildest. Join Regina's rambunctious rabble for a Christ Centred romp.

Details are still being figured out, but this pilgrimage is being planned by our parish and several youth groups across our Western Canadian world.

We will have to **prepare**, **fundraise**, get to know each other socially before the trip. **Retreat** and **pray for God's blessings** (weekend of March 22-24). Organize.

This is going to be exciting... and it will change your life! We are aiming to gather at least 50 teens and young adults for this profound pilgrimage.

This grand YOUTH PILGRIMAGE will take place on the extra long weekend of May 18 - 21, 2018.

Youth: RSVP by contacting the parish office starting NOW. Not an option: You must bring some of your friends from school if you can.

Meeting December 8 at 7:30 pm.

The MOST AMBITIOUS Youth Ministry project for ELEMENTARY AGED CHILDREN is coming January 2018.



You will need armour...

You will need a catapult...

You will need training...

because we are about to enter

... into the KINGDOM!

This program is for all **Elementary aged kids**, and their friends from school to learn, play and adventure together over the course of several months (on 7 different Wednesday nights).

Meeting December 8 at 6:30 pm.





## Seeking Dynamic Volunteer leaders for all ages 0-35:

We have very exciting plans set for the rest of this year, but we need your help. Our goal is for youth to be motivated by the Gospel to live out their faith everyday.

We hope that you'll join us on this goal! If you are interested, please contact Fr. Bo <a href="mailto:fatherbo@protomartyr.ca">fatherbo@protomartyr.ca</a>



## We are inviting all kids pre-school and elementary to join our **NATIVITY PLAY!**

A signup sheet is available in the Atrium

- Nov 26 @ 12—Meeting & pancake
- Dec 9 @ 10 am –noon nativity practice
- ♦ Dec 17 @ noon—nativity practice
- Dec 24 @ 4:30 Family liturgy & Nativity play

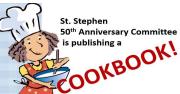


It's just over 9 weeks until our parish's men's dinner fundraiser and planning is well underway! An important part of this event is a silent auction. We are looking for donations of new items such as electronics, sporting equipment, themed gift baskets, framed artwork and gift cards. Can you help?

Please contact Dave Ewanchyna (403-560-4003).

**50** PLUS

November 28th: Card games begin at 11:00 am. Potluck luncheon at 12:00



We are thrilled to gather a collection of recipes from everyone in the parish and are proud to be selling our beautifully printed and bound cookbooks to celebrate our parish 50th Anniversary. Recipe forms are at the atrium to use as a template. For more information contact Trish Popel at 50anivcookbook@gmail.com or 403-835-3077



Eight Annual Bishop's Gala Celebrating Catholic Health Care "Sharing in the Healing Ministry of Jesus"

Thursday December 7th, 2017 Chateau Louis Conference Centre Edmonton Cocktails 6:00 pm, Dinner 7:00 pm

Honourary Chair Hon. Ed Stelmach—Chair, Board of Directors Covenant Health Tickets \$175 available at the Ukrainian Catholic Pastoral Centre 780-424-5496 or chancery@edmontoneparchy.com



- The UCWLC will be preparing cabbage rolls on Tuesday Nov 28 from 9:00 to 11:00 am
- Our **Annual UCWLC Snowflake Bazaar** is on Sunday, December 3, 2017, and many dedicated volunteers are needed to ensure that the Bazaar is a success. Please consider helping out by signing up during the Saturday Set-Up or the Sunday Sale Day.

The **Volunteer List** will be posted in the vestibule of the church on Sunday for you to add your name to one or two spots. Please contact Flo Volcko 403-542-9501

### Calgary Ukrainian Carol Festival

Sunday - Неділя December 3 , 2017 З грудня, 2017 \* Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary \* Ukrainian Catholic Church 704 6th Ave NE

For more information:

email info@calgaryucc.ca

403.276.1835 or



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#### LITURGY INTENTIONS

### Sunday, November 26: 25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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

10:30am – for PRIVATE intentions

5:00pm – for provision, protection and safe travels for Carol and Kelly Arnold

#### Monday, November 27:

9:00am – for the repose of the soul of +Mary Chomicki (mother of Theresa Lewchuk)

#### Tuesday, November 28:

9:00am – for the repose of the soul of +Mabel Chupik

#### Wednesday, November 29:

9:00am – for the repose of the souls of +Luella Yakmyshyn and +Jerry Smolyk

#### Thursday, November 30:

9:00am – for blessings for a successful surgery and speedy recovery for Nettie Kost

#### Friday, December 1:

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

#### Saturday, December 2:

9:00am – for blessings for a speedy recovery to good health for Nestor Shular

### Sunday, December 3: 26th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:30am – for the repose of the soul of +Walter Bzovy

10:30am – for the repose of the souls of +Michelle and +Brian Pelletier

5:00pm – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

**NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2017** 

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# **AXIOS MALE ENSEMBLE**MICHAEL ZAUGG + CONDUCTOR

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SUNDAY † DECEMBER 17TH † 7:00 PM ST. JOSAPHAT CATHEDRAL 10825 97 ST, EDMONTON AN EVENING OF SACRED CHORAL MUSIC TO PREPARE FOR THE NATIVITY OF CHRIST

TICKETS \$25

AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR, BY PHONE AT 780 906 1549 DR AT WWW.AXIOSCHOIR.COM



Ukrainian Canadian Professional & Business Association of Calgary UCPBA: **November 30, 2017 - Women in Business and the Professions: A Panel Discussion** - featuring Trish Josephs, Brandy Payne, Maria Lizak, Tatiana Koszarycz, Halyna Miller. RSVP to <a href="mailto:admin@ucpbacalgary.org">admin@ucpbacalgary.org</a> by November 27<sup>th</sup>. More info: <a href="mailto:www.ucpbacalgary.ca">www.ucpbacalgary.ca</a>.



#### FINAL WEEK!

Fill in your Snowflake Bazaar Pre-Order Form and Vendor Table Registration

Print, complete, attach payment, drop off the completed forms in the church atrium before November 26, 2017. Please contact Stacey Bobyn for any questions or concerns:

Stacey E. Bobyn, Coordinator UCWLC Snowflake Bazaar sbobyn1@telus.net 403.860.2185





Come and join us for a special evening of meditation, painting and socializing while enjoying a glass of wine or two and some delicious tasty treats

### **Advent Paint Night**

on December 15th, 2017 @ 6:30 pm @ St. Stephen Protomartyr Church

\$60 per person includes all material (16+) - Cash or cheque accepted - Cancelation fees apply All funds raised from this event go to St Basil's Church

No painting experience needed

Deadline for registration December 10 For registration, please email PicturesqueCalgary@gmail.com



### St. Stephen's 50th Anniversary

#### **PLANNED EVENTS AND SPEAKER SERIES**

Grey Cup Family Day, Sunday Nov.26., 2017 (After Semi Annual Meeting.) About 2 p.m. Fatherhood. Jan. 24<sup>th</sup>,2018 Grief Share. May23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Home Coming, Weekend June 2 and 3, 2018