

ST. STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

FEBRUARY 17th, 2019

St Stephen
Protomartyr

1968-2018



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DIVINE LITURGIES

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

Weekday Services:
Wednesday, Thursday & Saturday
English @ 9:00 am
Friday at Westview Lodge-
English @ 10:00 am

SUNDAY OF THE PRODIGAL SON; GREAT-MARTYR THEODORE THE RECRUIT (286-305)

Troparia and Kontakia

Troparion: Angelic powers were upon Your tomb* and the guards became like dead men;* Mary stood before Your tomb* seeking Your most pure body.* You captured Hades without being overcome by it.* You met the Virgin and granted life.* O Lord, risen from the dead,* glory be to You!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Kontakion: Foolishly have I fled from Your glory, O Father,* wasting the wealth You gave me on vices.* Therefore, I offer You the words of the Prodigal:* Loving Father, I have sinned before You.* Take me, for I repent, and make me as one of Your hired hands.

Prokeimenon: Save Your people, O Lord,* and bless Your inheritance.
verse: Unto You I will cry, O Lord, my God, lest You turn from me in silence.

Epistle

1 Corinthians 6:12-20

A reading from the First Epistle of the holy Apostle Paul to the Corinthians

Brothers and Sisters, "All things are lawful for me," but not all things are beneficial. "All things are lawful for me," but I will not be dominated by anything. "Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food," and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is meant not for fornication but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. And God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Should I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! Do you not know that whoever is united to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For it is said, "The two shall be one flesh." But anyone united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. Shun fornication! Every sin that a person commits is outside the body; but the fornicator sins against the body itself. Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God, and that you are not

your own? For you were bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body.

Alleluia: He who lives in the aid of the Most High, shall dwell under the protection of the God of heaven.

verse: He says to the Lord: You are my protector and my refuge, my God, in Whom I hope.

Gospel

Luke 15:11-32

The Lord told this parable: "There was a man who had two sons. The younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that will belong to me.' So he divided his property between them. A few days later the younger son gathered all he had and traveled to a distant country, and there he squandered his property in dissolute living. When he had spent everything, a severe famine took place throughout that country, and he began to be in need. So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him to his fields to feed the pigs. He would gladly have filled himself with the pods that the pigs were eating; and no one gave him anything. But when he came to himself he said, 'How many of my father's hired hands have bread enough and to spare, but here I am dying of hunger! I will get up and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me like one of your hired hands."' So he set off and went to his father. But while he was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him. Then the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the father said to his slaves, 'Quickly, bring out a robe—the best one—and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. And get the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate; for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!' And they began to celebrate.

"Now his elder son was in the field; and when he came and approached the house, he heard music and dancing. He called one of the slaves and asked what was going on. He replied, 'Your



HOLY MYSTERIES

CONFESSION:

Weekdays: Before or after
Liturgies or by appointment.
Sundays: Before Liturgy

MARRIAGE, BAPTISM-CHRISMATION- EUCHARIST, FUNERALS :

Arrangements with the Pastor

ANOIDING OF THE SICK:

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Arrangements with the office

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brother has come, and your father has killed the
fatted calf, because he has got him back safe and
sound.' Then he became angry and refused to go
in. His father came out and began to plead with
him. But he answered his father, 'Listen! For all
these years I have been working like a slave for
you, and I have never disobeyed your command;
yet you have never given me even a young goat so
that I might celebrate with my friends. But when
this son of yours came back, who has devoured
your property with prostitutes, you killed the

fatted calf for him!' Then the father said to him,
'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine
is yours. But we had to celebrate and rejoice,
because this brother of yours was dead and has
come to life; he was lost and has been found.'"

Communion verse:

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

Liturgical Help

FEBRUARY 17

EPISTLE READERS

8:30 am: Del & Donna Yaskiw
10:30 am: Mothers and Fathers in Action MAFIA
5:00 pm: Patricia Harasym

HOSTS/USHERS

8:30 am— Del & Donna Yaskiw
10:30— Mothers and Fathers in Action MAFIA

ROSARY 10:00 Donna Korchinski

ARK STORE: Bobyn

FEBRUARY 24

EPISTLE READERS

8:30 am: Vince Letwin
10:30 am: Donna Korchinski
5:00 pm: Christine Knights

HOSTS/USHERS

8:30 am— Vice Letwin
10:30— David and Arlene Franko

ROSARY 10:00 Craig Pichach

ARK STORE: Chubat

Announcements

INTEGRAL FORMATION FOR MEN—EVENINGS OF REFLECTION

"Save the Date" in your calendars for upcoming Evening of Reflection:

- ◆ 21-Feb, 2019 hunger & thirst for righteousness, will be satisfied
- ◆ 21-Mar, 2019 mourn, will be comforted
- ◆ 25-Apr, 2019 persecuted for the sake of righteousness
- ◆ 30-Mar, 2019 poor in spirit, will inherit the kingdom of heaven
- ◆ 20-Jun, 2019 Holiness is the answer

Please contact David Franko 403-400-0307 to RSVP and for information

2018 DONATION TAX RECEIPTS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP FROM THE ATRIUM.

We would like to extend a sincere thank you for your continued support and generosity to
St. Stephen's. We are a blessed and vibrant parish thanks to the support of all you parishioners.
Please pick up your tax receipts TODAY!

TRYZUB SCHOOL OF UKRAINIAN DANCE SUMMER CAMP:

Tryzub invites all children (no experience necessary) to their summer camps being held July 8 – 12
and July 15 – 19 at the Tryzub dance studio. Each one week camp is from 9am to 12 noon (ages 6 –
8 years / ages 9 -12) and 1pm to 4pm (ages 13+). Cost: \$160 / dancer / week if register by June
1st; \$175 thereafter. Get the kids out of the house for some fun exercise, Ukrainian style! A
concert will be performed on each Friday. Please contact Shane Gibson, Artistic Director and camp
instructor, at artisticdirector@tryzub.ca to register or for more information.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP meeting on Mondays 7pm—9 pm at St. Michael's Parish. This is a very successful
and popular program, Peggy Tan and the team have offered it for many years. People are welcome
to join in at any time. Please share this information with anyone who would benefit from this
Support Group. Registration phone 403-249-0423

FATAL FLAWS—LEGALIZING ASSISTED DEATH—Film screening and Q&A with Kevin Dunn, Filmmaker
Thursday, February 21 @ 7 pm at Holy Spirit Catholic Church 10827 24 St. SW Calgary. For more
information please contact dkrebes@gmail.com or call 403-281-6626

CONSOLING THE HEART OF JESUS 2019 - Orientation & Introduction Tuesday March 5 at Our Lady of
Fatima Church 4747 30 St SE. Register through Linda Schultz 403-700-7124

MEAT PIE FUNDRAISER : St Basil's Women league will be selling meat pies after the 10:30 am Liturgy

Please
**be air
aware**
because we share the air !

That Never Happened

Canada's First National Internment Operations

St. Stephen Plus 50 Club is sponsoring a showing of the movie **That Never Happened**, the story of the internment of Ukrainians, and others, during World War I on **Tuesday February 26 at 10:30 am**.

Non members are welcome to attend. If you wish, bring a bag lunch, as no lunch will be provided by the Club.

Calling all boys and girls that have completed the First Solemn Communion program:



If you've ever wondered what it would be like to be an **altar server**, now is your chance!

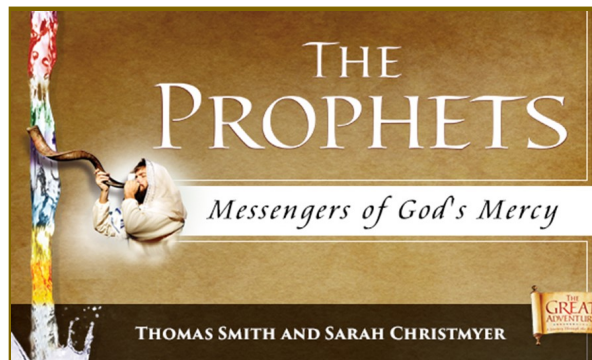
We will be kicking off 2019 with a fun event that includes a quick **altar server practice, bowling and pizza**.

Date : Saturday, February 23

From : 3:00 pm- 6:00 pm

Feel free to bring along your parents. While you are at it, bring a friend as well!

Please call Jay at (403) 630-0206 or Glen at (403) 831-3376 for more information.



BIBLE STUDY - THE PROPHETS

Join us **Thursdays at 10:00am** in the Knight's of Columbus Room

Each week we will get to know another prophet of the Old Testament and learn how their message sheds light on our faith and our lives.

Don't forget to bring your Bible!

St Stephen's Lenten Mission

The Word of God

You are invited to **St Stephen's Lenten mission** with

Fr. Gabriel Haber OSBM,
Provincial Superior for the Basilian Fathers in Canada

March 10th to March 13th

His topic is taken from His Beatitude Sviatoslav's theme for 2019 of "The Word of God".



LITURGY INTENTIONS

Sunday, February 17:

SUNDAY OF THE PRODIGAL SON

8:30am – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners
10:30am – for blessings for health and healing for Vi Zabinsky
5:00pm – keeping you in our prayers for God's blessings and strength during this difficult time for Barb & Henk Kouwenberg and daughter Wendy

Monday, February 18:

NO DIVINE LITURGY

Tuesday, February 19:

NO DIVINE LITURGY

Wednesday, February 20:

9:00am – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

Thursday, February 21:

9:00am – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

Friday, February 22:

10:00am (West View): for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

Saturday, February 23:



9:00am – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

Sunday, February 24:

MEAT-FARE SUNDAY

8:30am – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners
10:30am – in memory of the repose of the soul of +Carolyn Taillon
5:00pm – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

FEBRUARY—MARCH 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 am Divine Liturgy Ukrainian 9:00 am First Solemn Communion Class 10:30am Children's Liturgy—No Sunday School 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy <p>CHURCH WIDE COMMEMORATION OF THE HEAVENLY HUNDRED</p> <p>SANDWICHES FOR THE DROP-IN CENTRE</p> <p>YYC SUNDAY</p>	18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Divine Liturgy <p>FAMILY DAY—OFFICE CLOSED</p>	19 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Divine Liturgy 6:30 pm Ukrainian Language Class 	20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 6:30 pm Ukrainian Language Class 7:00 pm Property Management Mtg 	21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am Bible Study 	22  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at West View Lodge 	23 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 am Divine Liturgy Ukrainian 9:00 am First Solemn Communion Class 10:30am Children's Liturgy—with Sunday School 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy 	25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Divine Liturgy 9:00 am Icon Painting—Open Studio 7:00 pm All That Glitters Mtg 	26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Divine Liturgy 10:30 am Plus 50 Mtg & Screening of "It Didn't Happen" 6:30 pm Ukrainian Language Class 	27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 6:30 pm Ukrainian Language Class 7:00 pm Choir Practice 	28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am Bible Study 	1  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at West View Lodge 6:30 pm Ladies Dinner - St. Basil's & UCWLC 	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 am Divine Liturgy



Tryzub Ukrainian Dance Ensemble invites you, your family and friends to their 45th Anniversary show

Heroiam Slava - Glory to the Heroes

being held on Saturday, April 6th (7pm) and Sunday, April 7th (3pm)
at the Martha Cohen Theatre at Arts Commons.

Tickets can be acquired through the website: <https://artscommons.ca/whats-on/2019/tryzub-glory-to-the-heroes/>
or by phone: 403-294-9494 or in-person at the box office: 215 – 8th Ave SE, Calgary.

RETROUVAILLE

A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES

- * Do you feel alone?
- * Are you frustrated or angry with each other?
- * Do you argue ... or have you just stopped talking to each other?
- * Does talking about it only make it worse?

Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. This program has helped 10's of 1000's of couples experiencing difficulties in their marriage.

For confidential information about or to register for an upcoming weekend call **403.879.7893** or email: coordinator@retrouvaillecalgary.com or visit the web site at <http://www.helpourmarriagecalgary.com>

Next weekend is March 8-10th 2019

Theology of the Body Conference 2019



March 8 & 9, 2019

at St. Michael Catholic Community
| 800 85 SW, Calgary |

Did you know that God, the Bible, the Church, Science and Creation are all saying the same thing?

The latest science proves God right. Everything God ever told us is bad or good for our bodies and relationships.

Come hear from *Vicki Thorn* at the Theology of the Body Conference 2019.

Guest speakers include *Christopher West, Mike Mangione, Sr. Helena Burns, Kevin Muico and Fr. Thomas Loya*. The two-day conference will explore theology and practical applications of human sexuality.

Visit: <http://TOB.calgarydiocese.ca>

GOD Squad PRESENTS

BE NOT AFRAID... TO BE A SAINT

22ND ANNUAL MEN'S CONFERENCE

MARCH 15, 6-9PM & MARCH 16, 8-4PM
ALL MEN 14 & UP WELCOME

ST. PETER'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
541 SILVERGROVE DR NW, CALGARY, AB

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