

# ST. STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

FEBRUARY 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020

St Stephen  
Protomartyr



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[www.edmontoneparchy.com](http://www.edmontoneparchy.com)

## DIVINE LITURGIES

**Sunday Services:**  
8:30am - Ukrainian / English  
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

## Feast of the Encounter of Our Lord God and Saviour Jesus Christ;

Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee

### *Troparia and Kontakia*

*Troparion:* 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.

*Troparion:* Rejoice, full of grace, Virgin Mother of God!\* From you there dawned the Sun of Righteousness, Christ our God,\* who enlightens those who dwell in darkness.\* And you, O righteous Elder, be glad!\* You received in your embrace\* the Liberator of our souls,\* who grants us resurrection.

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

*Kontakion:* Let us bring sighs of sorrow to the Lord as did the Publican\* and approach the Master as sinners,\* for He desires salvation for everyone.\* He grants forgiveness to all who repent.\* For as God, the One-who-is, co-eternal with the Father, He became flesh for us.

*Now and for ever and ever. Amen.*

*Kontakion:* By Your birth, You sanctified a virgin womb\* and fittingly blessed the hands of Simeon.\* You have come also now and saved us, O Christ our God;\* give peace to Your community in time of war,\* and strengthen its rulers, whom You love,\* for You alone,\* are the Lover of mankind.

*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.

*Prokeimenon:* My soul magnifies the Lord,\* and my spirit has rejoiced in God, My Saviour.

*Epistle:* Hebrews 7:7-17

A reading from the Second Epistle of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Hebrews.

Brothers and Sisters, it is beyond dispute that the inferior is blessed by the superior. In the one case, tithes are received by those who are mortal; in the other, by one of whom it is testified that he lives. One might even say that Levi himself, who receives tithes, paid tithes through Abraham, for he was still in the loins of his ancestor when

Melchizedek met him.

Now if perfection had been attainable through the levitical priesthood—for the people received the law under this priesthood—what further need would there have been to speak of another priest arising according to the order of Melchizedek, rather than one according to the order of Aaron? For when there is a change in the priesthood, there is necessarily a change in the law as well. Now the one of whom these things are spoken belonged to another tribe, from which no one has ever served at the altar. For it is evident that our Lord was descended from Judah, and in connection with that tribe Moses said nothing about priests.

It is even more obvious when another priest arises, resembling Melchizedek, one who has become a priest, not through a legal requirement concerning physical descent, but through the power of an indestructible life. For it is attested of him, “You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek.”

*Alleluia:* Now, O Master, You dismiss Your servant in peace \* according to Your word.

*verse:* For my eyes have seen Your salvation,\* a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and for glory to Your people, Israel.

*Gospel* Luke 2:22-40

At that time, the parents of the child Jesus brought him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord (as it is written in the law of the Lord, “Every firstborn male shall be designated as holy to the Lord”), and they offered a sacrifice according to what is stated in the law of the Lord, “a pair of turtledoves or two young pigeons.”

Now there was a man in Jerusalem whose name was Simeon; this man was righteous and devout, looking forward to the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit rested on him. It had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord’s Messiah. Guided by the Spirit, Simeon came into the temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do for him what was customary under the law, Simeon took him in his arms and praised God, saying,

“Master, now you are dismissing your servant in peace, according to your word; for my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have prepared in



## HOLY MYSTERIES

### CONFESSION:

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

### MARRIAGE, BAPTISM-CHRISMATION- EUCCHARIST, FUNERALS :

Arrangements with the Pastor

### ANointing OF THE SICK:

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

### DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS :

Arrangements with the office

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the presence of all peoples, a light for revelation to the Gentiles and for glory to your people Israel."

And the child's father and mother were amazed at what was being said about him. Then Simeon blessed them and said to his mother Mary, "This child is destined for the falling and the rising of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be opposed so that the inner thoughts of many will be revealed—and a sword will pierce your own soul too."

There was also a prophet, Anna the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher. She was of a great age, having lived with her husband seven years after her marriage, then as a widow to the age of eighty-four. She never left the temple but worshiped there with fasting and prayer night and day. At that moment she came, and began to praise God and to speak about the child to all who were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem.

When they had finished everything required by the

law of the Lord, they returned to Galilee, to their own town of Nazareth. The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favor of God was upon him.

**Hymn to the Mother of God:** O God-bearing Virgin, hope of Christians, protect and guard and save all those who put their trust in you.

**Irmos:** In the law, the shadow, and the scriptures, we the faithful see a figure: every male child that opens the womb shall be sanctified to God. Therefore do we magnify the first-born Word and Son of the Father who is without beginning, the first-born Child of a Mother who had not known man.

**Communion verse:** Praise the Lord from the heavens;\* praise Him in the highest.

**Second verse:** I will take the chalice of salvation;\* and I will call upon the name of the Lord.\* Alleluia (x3)



#### FEBRUARY 2

##### EPISTLE READERS

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

##### HOSTS/USHERS

8:30 am : Vince Letwin  
10:30 am: David McMillan  
**ROSARY** 10 am: David McMillan  
**ARK STORE:** Chubaty

#### FEBRUARY 9

##### EPISTLE READERS

8:30 am: Gerald Strashok  
10:30 am: MAFIA  
5:00 pm: Brad & Karen Swidzinski

##### HOSTS/USHERS

8:30 am : Gerald Strashok  
10:30 am: MAFIA  
**ROSARY** 10 am: Craig Pichach  
**ARK STORE:** Longfield

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **2020 Calendar and Donation envelopes for 2020** are available for pickup in the Atrium. Please pick up yours TODAY!
- ❖ **2019 Donation tax receipts** are available for pick up from the atrium
- ❖ On behalf of **Medical Mercy Canada and in conjunction with The Lion's Club** we are collecting any used, broken or unwanted glasses and hearing aids to send to offshore needy people, including the Ukraine. A drop box is located beside the donation envelopes in the atrium.



### Right Rev. William (Bill) Hupalo

passed away peacefully on January 27, at the age of 76 years.

Father Bill was born on April 23, 1943 in Bonnyville, AB to parents Nicholas and Ruth Hupalo. At the age of thirty, he discerned a call to the priesthood, first completing a Bachelor of Philosophy in Rome in 1972 and then a Bachelor of Theology in Ottawa in 1976.

He was ordained to the priesthood on July 18, 1976 by Most Reverend Bishop Neil Savaryn. From 1976 to his retirement in 2017, he faithfully served a number of parishes, including as pastor of St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral in Edmonton, St. Stephen Protomartyr Parish in Calgary and Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God Parish in Edmonton, among many others.

With great humility, he also served as Eparchial Administrator of the Eparchy of Edmonton three times over from 1990-1992, 1996-1997, and in 2006.

In honour of his dedicated service to God and the Church, he was elevated to Mitred Archpriest in 2012 by Patriarch Sviatoslav Shewchuk.



*All That Glitters*  
presents... **A GRAND AFFAIRE**

An exciting and fun-filled event exclusively for women  
hosted by women of St. Stephen's

*Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020*

6:00 pm Cocktails  
7:00 pm Dinner *Catering by De Minico's*  
8:30—11:30 pm Entertainment *Dueling Piano Kings*

\$125/ticket. Please contact Linda at 403-249-4818 or [office@protomartyr.ca](mailto:office@protomartyr.ca) for tickets.  
*The office accepts e-transfer, VISA, MC, cash or cheque.*

**Coming Together in Friendship to Enrich the Lives of Women!**



## DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS

Sunday, February 2: SUNDAY OF  
THE ENCOUNTER OF OUR LORD

- ❖ 8:30am – for prayers and blessings for Ken Wawruch and family
- ❖ 10:30am – for blessings of health and happiness on the birthday of William Skromeda – Mnohaya Lita!
- ❖ 5:00pm – for blessings and prayers for the health and healing of Sam Bulych

Monday, February 3:

- ❖ NO DIVINE LITURGY

Tuesday, February 4:

- ❖ NO DIVINE LITURGY

Wednesday, February 5:

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

Thursday, February 6:

- ❖ 9:00am – for blessings and prayers for health and healing for Palma Cavelli

Friday, February 7:

- ❖ 10:00am at Westview – CANCELED

Saturday, February 8:

- ❖ 9:00am – for the repose of the soul of + Art Simpson

Sunday, February 9: SUNDAY OF  
THE PRODIGAL SON

- ❖ 8:30am – for the repose of the soul of + Nadia Billy
- ❖ 10:30am – for the repose of the soul (40 days) of + Lou Bowman
- ❖ 5:00pm – for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

## MEN'S DINNER SILENT AUCTION

**Interested in viewing and bidding on the silent auction items for the upcoming Men's Dinner? You're invited!**

Starting February 5, visit [www.ukedinner.ca](http://www.ukedinner.ca) to view and bid on any of our silent auction items. You don't need to attend the Men's Dinner to participate in the silent auction. **Questions?** Feel free to contact Dave Ewanchyna at [dave.ewanchyna@gmail.com](mailto:dave.ewanchyna@gmail.com).

**Thank you for your support!**



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Calgary Pro-Life

**Please contact  
John Siroishka  
or Tom Shindruk  
for more details**

## 40<sup>th</sup> Annual HIKE FOR LIFE

**JOIN US!**

Registration: Enmax Stage

**Saturday, May 9, 2020**

**8:30 a.m. - Noon**

**Prince's Island Park**

The Sheptytsky Centre for Spiritual Education will present an evening  
of **A Movie & Spiritual Popcorn.**

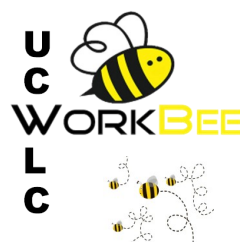


The Centre will show the film *The Way* 'PG-13' with Ukrainian subtitles, along with an Educational Introduction and a Spiritual Discussion. Everyone is welcome. Popcorn and refreshments will be available.

**Topic:** Spiritual / Religious Pilgrimages, Camino Santiago de Compostela, St. James the Greater, Ukrainian Catholic perspective.

**Where:** Assumption Ukrainian Catholic Church Hall

**Date:** February 7, 2019 @ 6:30 PM.



**Thursday Feb 6  
9:00 am  
Cabbage Roll workbee**



## 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cash Raffle

**\$75,000  
In Cash Prizes to be Won**

**Early Bird Draw Date:**  
January 31, 2020

**Early Bird Prizes**  
One Prize of \$10,000  
Two Prizes of \$5,000 each

**Grand Prize Draw Date:**  
February 28, 2020

**Grand Prize \$25,000**  
Two Prizes of \$5,000 each  
20 Prizes of \$1,000 each


**Tickets  
1 for \$10  
or  
3 for \$25**

Purchase your tickets at  
this school or by visiting  
[www.theccef.ca](http://www.theccef.ca)  
Cash, Visa, Mastercard or  
American Express accepted

*All proceeds support the CCEF grants.*



## FEBRUARY 2020

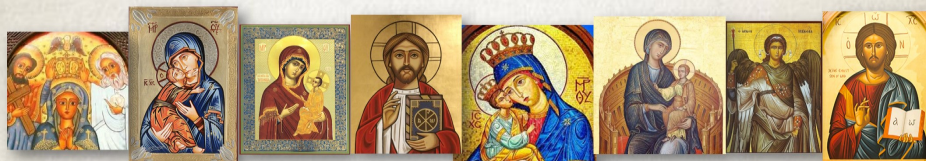
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>2 ENCOUNTER OF OUR LORD IN THE TEMPLE</b> ♦ 8:30 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 10:30 am Divine Liturgy with Sunday School ♦ 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> ♦ 6:30 pm Ukrainian Language Class ♦ 7:00 Property management Mtg	<b>5</b> ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 6:30 pm Ukrainian Language Class ♦ 7:45 pm Ukrainian Language Class	<b>6</b> ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 10:00 am Bible study ♦ 6:00 pm KofC 4th Degree Mtg ♦ 7:00 pm KofC 3rd degree Mtg	<b>7</b>  ♦ 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at West View Lodge (Canceled) ♦ 6:00 pm Men's Dinner	<b>8</b> ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy
<b>9</b> ♦ 8:30 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 10:30 am Divine Liturgy with Sunday School ♦ 10:30 am Book of Life Ceremony ♦ 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy	<b>10</b> ♦ 9:00 am Icon Painting Open Studio	<b>11</b> ♦ 6:30 pm Ukrainian Language Class ♦ 7:00 PPC Mtg	<b>12</b> ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 6:30 pm Ukrainian Language Class ♦ 7:45 pm Ukrainian Language Class	<b>13</b> ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy ♦ 10:00 am Bible study ♦ 7:00 pm Design Committee Mtg	<b>14</b>  ♦ 10:00 am Divine Liturgy at West View Lodge	<b>15</b> ♦ 9:00 am Divine Liturgy  <b>RELIGIOUS ART TOUR</b>



### UCWLC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS 2020

**St Stephen's UCWLC Scholarship for \$1000 Guidelines:**

1. Eligibility : A daughter or granddaughter of a St Stephen's UCWLC Member who will be attending an undergraduate Post Secondary program. (E.g.) University, College, Apprenticeship, Technical School or Specialized program (Cosmetology, Hair Dresser, Secretarial....)
2. Age of applicant will be 16 to 24.
3. Include a resume
4. Reasons for the choice and location of the Post Secondary School.
5. Include a description of your Parish, Community and School Involvement .
6. Explain your Financial Need to receive this scholarship.
7. Include a reference letter.
8. Submit to one of the UCWLC Scholarship Committee: dewald\_chris@hotmail.com, josiened@shaw.ca, spice4u@shaw.ca
9. The Scholarship will be made up of 3 UCWLC Members to review and decide the best applicant.



## Pre-Lenten religious art / Icon tour

February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020 and February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020

Prepare for Lent in a unique way. Tour the world of religious art right here in Calgary.

**We will visit Eastern churches from Greece, Romania, Antioch, Eretria, Egypt and Ukraine.**

4 Churches on Feb 15<sup>th</sup> and 4 churches on Feb 22.

Each tour will run from 9am to 12 noon.

*There are no fees involved.*

Please check <https://www.saintstephencalgary.ca/religious-art-tour.html> for more information or contact Sub-Deacon Bill at [kc4life@telus.net](mailto:kc4life@telus.net) or 403-850-5859.

## Christ in the Old Testament: Prophecy and Fulfillment



We know that God promised a saviour and that Jesus was the fulfilment of that promise. Join us for 4 sessions during the Great Fast, as we look at the Old Testament and explore where we find the promises and then look at the New Testament in the life of Christ and beyond to see the glorious fulfilment of God's promise to us. Sessions will consist of a presentation and will conclude with prayer.

### DATES & TIMES:

- ♦ March 12 – Introduction, The Messiah - Fr. Danylo Kuc
- ♦ March 19 – The Nativity - Fr. Stephen Wojcichowsky
- ♦ March 26 – The Suffering of Christ - Fr. Mihajlo Planchak
- ♦ April 2 - The Passover - Fr. Peter Babej

All sessions run 7:00 - 8:30 pm.

**LOCATION:** Holy Eucharist Parish, 6425 120 Ave, Edmonton

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** You are welcome to attend any or all of the sessions. No registration is necessary.

**Livestreaming will be made available for those at a distance.**

Contact Bernadette [education@edmontoneparchy.com](mailto:education@edmontoneparchy.com) to make arrangements.