

ST. STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

JANUARY 16TH, 2022



30th Sunday after Pentecost

The Veneration of the Precious Chains of the Holy and Illustrious Apostle Peter

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www.edmontoneparchy.com

DIVINE LITURGIES:

Sunday Services:

8:30 am—Ukr/Eng 10:05—Rosary 10:30 am – English (live-streamed on Facebook & www.saintstephencalgary.ca/) 5:00 pm—English

Weekday Services:

Wednesdays & Thursdays at 9:00am Saturdays 5:00 nm Confessions

5:00 pm Confessions 6:00 pm Vespers

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 raised the world.* All humanity acclaims You as God,* and death has vanished.* Adam exults, O Master,* and Eve, redeemed now from bondage, cries out for joy:* "You are the One, O Christ, Who offer resurrection to all."

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

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, Tone 1

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

Colossians 3:12-16

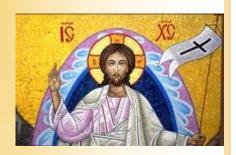
A reading from the Epistle of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Colossians.

Brothers and sisters, as *the* elect of God, holy and beloved, put on tender mercies, kindness, humility, meekness, longsuffering; bearing with one another, and forgiving one another, if anyone has a complaint against another; even as Christ forgave you, so you also *must do*. But above all these things put on love, which is the bond of perfection. And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to which also you were called in one body; and be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom, teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.

Alleluia, Tone 1

verse: God gives me vindication, and has subdued people under me.

verse: Making great the salvation of the king, and



HOLY MYSTERIES

CONFESSION:

Saturdays 5:00 to 5:45 pm or by Appointment 403-249-4818, ext. 2

Marriage, Baptism-Chrismation-Eucharist, Funerals:

Arrangements with the Pastor 403-249-4818, ext. 2

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

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Arrangements with the office

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showing mercy to His anointed, to David, and to His posterity forever. (*Psalm 17:48,51*)

Gospel

Luke 18:18-27

At that time, a certain ruler asked Jesus, saying, "Good Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?"

So Jesus said to him, "Why do you call Me good? No one is good but One, that is, God. You know the commandments: 'Do not commit adultery,' 'Do not murder,' 'Do not steal,' 'Do not bear false witness,' 'Honor your father and your mother.' "

And he said, "All these things I have kept from my youth."

So when Jesus heard these things, He said to him, "You still lack one thing. Sell all that you have and distribute to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me."

But when he heard this, he became very sorrowful, for he was very rich.

And when Jesus saw that he became very sorrowful, He said, "How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God! For it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God."

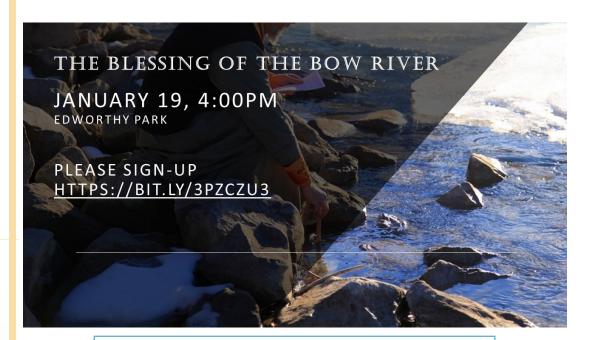
And those who heard it said, "Who then can be saved?"

But He said, "The things which are impossible with men are possible with God."

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from the heavens;* praise Him in the highest.* Alleluia, alleluia,* alleluia. (Psalm 148:1)





The Church will be limited to 110 people, with overflow seating in the hall (pre-registration/registration are not required). We will keep counts of attendees.



Sunday - January 16

- 8:30am Divine Liturgy Ukrainian with English propers and homily
- 10:30am Divine Liturgy English—Livestreaming: https://youtu.be/8LLP6ToC1Zs
- 5:00pm Divine Liturgy English sung

Wednesday-January 19th at 9:00 am

Thursday—January 20th at 9:00 am

Saturday—January 21th

- 5:00 pm—Confessions
- 6:00 pm—Great Vespers



Calgary Catholic Education Foundation

2022 CASH Raffle

Support publicly funded Catholic education by participating in the CCEF 2022 CASH Raffle with 50/50 Add-On.

Tickets on sale until February 28 starting at \$10. All net proceeds support school grants.

\$2500 Early Bird Prizes on January 14 and February 11.

Grand Prize Draws of \$10,000 and \$15,000 on March 1, 2022. 50/50 Add-on with a pot of up to \$50,000! Purchase online at

https://bit.ly/22Raffle



Ukrainian Language Classes via ZOOM – 2022 Winter Semester

On-line Ukrainian language classes for adults and youth (at least 12 years of age, preferably with a parent in proximity) will continue in January, 2022, commencing January 18 and 19.

All classes will resume where we left off at the end of the Fall session.

Participants are requested to be pre-registered by Friday, January 14, 2022. Please use the following link for more information and to register: https://bit.ly/32L0Xa5

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022



St. Stephen's offers a First Communion program to teach children and their families about God, His Church and the Sacraments. It prepares children to celebrate their first Confession and their First Solemn Communion, teaching them what Life with Christ is about, and to encourage them to take more responsibility for their own spiritual wellbeing.

Classes are set to begin on Sunday, January 23, 2022. Lessons will take place on Sunday mornings at 9:00 am.

There are a total of 10 Lessons ending with First Reconciliation and First Solemn Communion. In the light of the pandemic, we realize that our FSC classes may need to be restructured in an online format rather than in person.

We are flexible and will accommodate both Covid restrictions and family preferences for either instructional format.

For more information please contact Kathy Livesey at kalivesey@shaw.ca.

For registration, please visit our website at : www.saintstephencalgary.ca/first-solemn-communion.html



2022 Donation envelopes - Available for pickup

2022 donation envelopes and calendars are available for pick up in the atrium. Please note that some envelope numbers have been changed for more efficient processing.

Thank you for your continued generosity – May God bless you always!



DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 15:

- 5:00pm Confessions
- 6:00pm Great Vespers
- 7:00pm Guest speaker Rev.
 Cristino Bouvette Authentic
 Truth and Reconciliation

Sunday, January 16:

- 8:30am for blessings in gratitude to Missy, Ann Kostiuk's home care worker
- 10:30am in memory of the repose of the souls of +John and +Anna Kachut
- 5:00pm for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

Wednesday, January 19:

 9:00am – in memory of the repose of the souls of +Steve and +Ollie Nebozenko

Thursday, January 20:

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

Saturday, January 22:

- 10:00am Baptism Joel Cameron – Mnohaya Lita!
- 5:00pm Confessions
- 6:00pm Great Vespers

Sunday, January 23:

- 8:30am for a successful surgery and full recovery for Ann Kostiuk
- 10:30am in memory of the repose of the souls of +John and +Lydia Krill and +John Nedoszytko
- 5:00pm for the intentions and needs of all parishioners

UCWLCMEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

It's UCWLC membership renewal time. The membership drive will be from Jan. 9th - Jan. 30th. Thank you to the ladies who have already renewed. We welcome new members. The fees remain at \$25.00. Renewals and new memberships can be paid after the 8:30 & 10:30 Divine Liturgies.

There are three ways to pay your membership:

- 1. E Transfer: St.StephenUCWLC@hotmail.com (indicate fees)
- 2. Cash: Envelopes will be provided. Include your name on the envelope. The envelope can be dropped off in the box provided.
- 3. **Cheque**: Make payable to St. Stephens UCWLC for 25.00 and drop off in the box. Another option is to mail the cheque to: St. Stephens UCWLC 4903 45th Street SW CALGARY, AB T3E 3W5

The membership committee of Anne, Nora and Bernadette want to thank you in advance for renewing your memberships. If you require other arrangements call Bernadette @ 403-251-7738.



ST. STEPHEN'S MEN'S DINNER

We regrettably inform all parishioners, volunteers and potential attendees that the Men's Dinner scheduled for February 2022 has been CANCELED due to Covid-19. The Committee is meeting to discuss later dates, so please stay tuned.



Adventus: A Spiritual Pilgrimage

Augustine Institute are offering this special documentary that allows Catholics all around the world to unite and make a spiritual pilgrimage to the Holy Land to see the places associated with Christ's Birth.

https://bit.ly/3qQHJaN

BIBLE IN A YEAR

In The Bible in a Year podcast, Fr. Mike Schmitz walks you through the entire Bible in **365 episodes**, providing commentary, reflection, and prayer along the way. ... The Bible contains adult themes that may not be suitable for children - parental discretion is advised.



Register here

https://ascensionpress.com/pages/biy-registration

WORSHIP MATTERS



Saturday, January 22, 2022 - This workshop will take place on Zoom

Choose your session:

10:00am-12:00pm: Lent, Holy Week, and Easter Planning Presenter: Dr. Joy Berg



1:00-3:00pm: Feast of Presentation, Third Antiphon, and Liturgy of St Basil
Presenter: Dr. Melanie Turgeon





Registration (\$15/session): kingsu.ca/worshipmatters

Cantoring Workshop! On Saturday, January 22, Dr. Melanie Turgeon and Dr. Joy Berg will teach a worship workshop. The eastern (cantoring) component is from 1-3 p.m. Topics to be covered include: The Feast of Presentation, the Third Antiphon, and the Liturgy of St. Basil the Great. This workshop will take place on Zoom. Register by midnight Jan. 20 at: Kingsu.ca/worshipmatters (\$15 fee).

For more information e-mail: melanie.turgeon@kingsu.ca



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