



• UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS •

1500 Day Street, Winnipeg, MB R2C 1E4

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31ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – NATIVITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

Sunday, 7 January, 2024

Epistle Reading: Gal. 4: 4-7 • *Gospel:* Matt. 2: 1-12

SUNDAY SERVICES:

Sunday, 7 January, 2024 – BILINGUAL

Sunday, 14 January, 2024 – ENGLISH

Sunday, 21 January, 2024 – BILINGUAL

Sunday, 28 January, 2024 – ENGLISH

Confession will be available on Sunday morning starting at 9:15 AM. It is recommended that members of All Saints attend confession at least once every four (4) months.

NATIVITY OF OUR LORD SERVICE JANUARY 7, 2024

9:30 am – 9:40 am : Hours will be read

9:40 am – 9:50 am : Carols will be sung

9:50 am – 10:00 am : Fr. Nicholas will begin pre-liturgy service accompanied by choir

10:00 am : Divine Liturgy “Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ” begins

PARISH CAROLING

Members of the church choir intend to visit homes of parishioners on Sunday January 7 to deliver carols in celebration of Christ's birth.

For those of you who are interested in having them visit your home, please add your name, address and telephone number to the sign-up sheet that has been put up on the church bulletin board.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Fr. Oleh and Dobrodiyka Maria, Victor and Helen, Nadia, Marilyn, Lawrence, John, Janet, Chelsey, Mervin, Sonia, Elaine, Jeffery, Richard, Mary, Allan, Linda and Michael, Bob, Debbie, Alex, Rev. Frs. Olexander, Eugene, Nicholas Orest, Dobrodiyka Genya, Elaine, Zane, Larry, Darlene, John.

PRAYER OFFERINGS: If you would like someone to be mentioned in prayer, submit their names by email, directly to Fr. Nicholas - revorestrauliuk@gmail.com , Fr. Deacon Thomas - thechaputs@shaw.ca or allsaintsuoc@mymts.net , or inform one of the church elders.

The care and maintenance of our property remains a priority. If you are unable to attend church, please continue to support us with your offerings. All Saints accepts Interac E-transfers for donations in addition to cheques or cash. Please submit e-transfers to allsaintsuoc@mymts.net .

CHOIR NEWS

The All Saints Choir invites our congregation to participate in singing along with us during the Liturgies, specifically during; *"Communion before and after prayers"*, *"I Believe,"* and *"Our Father"*.

These are particularly important to sing or recite along with the choir. Join us as we lift our voices and pray to our Heavenly Father in unity!"

There are Liturgy booklets in the pews. Please ask an elder or sister to locate one for you if one.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Thank you to Anya Haraschuk and Demi Kuzyk Bernier for providing this important program for our children. For more information about our Sunday School program, please contact Anya Haraschuk at fedvaz@yahoo.ca or Demi Kuzyk at demikb@shaw.ca .

LET'S CELEBRATE!

If you or your family are celebrating a major life event such as a birth, birthday, anniversary, retirement, etc., please notify Fr. Deacon Thomas at thechaputs@shaw.ca so a note of congratulations can be included in our bulletin. We look forward to sharing in your joy

COMING EVENTS:

Malanka on January 13, 2024. Music by "Dennis Nykoliation Band".

Tickets are available: Adults - \$70 pp. / Children 12 and under - \$35 pp. Catering is by Ludwick.

Call Emil at 204-488-2200 or Ted at 431-279-4965.

Your support is needed to ensure these fund-raising events are successful.

Please circle these dates on your calendars and let your family and friends know about them!

Do You Have an Item for Our Bulletin? Please contact us via email at allsaintsuoc@mymts.net

NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH? If you're unable to make the trip on your own, we would be pleased to provide you with transport. Contact us at allsaintsuoc@mymts.net and we'll arrange a ride for you.

CHECK US OUT!

All Saints website, Facebook page, and Instagram has a great deal of information waiting for you at your fingertips!

All Saints news and information can be accessed at:

Church Website: <https://www.allsaintsuoc.ca/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsuoc/>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/allsaintsuoc/>

UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS 2023 Parish Council & Support Volunteers:

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DIVINE LITURGY LIVE STREAMS CAN BE FOUND AT THESE WEBSITES:

- Live stream from **Ukrainian Orthodox Church of All Saints**, Winnipeg, MB @ 10:00

<https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsuoc/live>

- Live stream from **Holy Trinity Ukrainian Orthodox Metropolitan Cathedral**, Winnipeg, MB @ 6:30 am

<https://www.facebook.com/HTUOMC/>

31ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – TONE 6.
NATIVITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

SOMETHING TO CONSIDER...

In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, one God. Amen.

Glory to Jesus Christ!

St. Gregory of Nyssa writes that “even the pagans and the philosophers heard the thunder from Mt. Sinai.” From that dramatic and earth-shaking theophany came the Law, the Ten Commandments which were meant to curtail the barbarity of the people, to teach them how to take a single step towards paradise. That step was to turn away from idolatry and treat one another with justice. We are still in need of these commandments.

To what great depths the human race had fallen from Eden!

Tonight we are called to listen carefully. This theophany is a quiet one. There is to be no thunder and fire. If we are not still, we will miss it. Instead of thunder and fire God comes in absolute humility. Instead of Ten Commandments, God offers the promise of peace for which there is no law, no reason, no condition – not a peace as the world gives, but a peace that passes understanding.

Tonight we are called to hear the murmur of a new-born child who is at once perfect man and perfect God, who while lying in his cradle holds the universe together by the word of his power, but who had truly become a human being, needing to nurse, needing his diapers to be changed, needing to be protected from the very elements he had created. He bore the weaknesses of humanity and, as St. Leo wrote in his Tome, sparkled at the same time with miracles.

This is the perfect theophany: God as humble, God as vulnerable, God as meek and mild, God as the Great I Am, God as a child who reveals his unlimited power in the perfection of weakness.

This theophany is the beginning of the final message from God. It is the beginning of the revelation that will cause Jesus to proclaim from the Cross “It is complete.”

The Nativity is, in this way, the beginning of his earthly passion and in this tiny baby all that God is and all that God does becomes flesh.

No longer are we limited to seeing God either in creation, or of only listening to prophets or reading from a holy book. We see him now in person, in living flesh, in living color.

“That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon and our hands have handled, concerning the Word of life...we declare to you,” writes the Great Mystic and Theologian John the Beloved Disciple.

But Christ the Lord has not only been born for us who believe. He has been born for everyone; He has come for the sake of everyone and everything. He has come for the life of the world, the solar system, the universe, for everything in and outside of it. And where his name is not known to be Jesus, where the Holy Trinity is unknown by name or doctrine, the Lord is at work anonymously, loving, forgiving, wooing and saving. The yeast is making the whole loaf rise and one day we will see the results, when Christ shall be revealed as “all in all”.

Fr. Antony Hughes

Christ Is born! Let Us Glorify Him!
ХРИСТОС РАЖДАЕТСЯ! СЛАВИМО ЙОГО!



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December 31st, 2024

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

With the blessing of His Eminence Ilarion, Metropolitan of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada (UOCC), the Encyclical announces that starting December 20th, 2023, the UOCC will adopt the revised Julian calendar to which we regulate the liturgical life cycle of our church.

Based on the voting that occurred last fall in response to the Metropolitan's call for Parishes to survey their membership on whether to adopt the revised Julian calendar in solidarity with the Ukrainian Orthodox Church, over 70% of Ukrainian Orthodox Church of All Saints (UOCAS) members decided to adopt the new calendar.

Due to the traditional annual events that have already been planned, UOCAS will transition to the new calendar year starting February 18th, 2024, on the Sunday of Zacchaeus, preparatory Sunday before Great Lent which will be celebrated according to the new calendar. Therefore, UOCAS will celebrate Ukrainian Christmas this liturgical year on January 7th, 2024, according to the old Julian calendar. UOCAS will begin celebrating Ukrainian Christmas according to the newly adopted Julian calendar on December 25th, 2024.

Len Matiowsky, President

Father Nicholas Rauliuk, Interim Parish Priest



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31 Грудня 2023

Дорогі брати та сестри у Христі,

З благословення Високопреосвященнішого Іларіона, Митрополита Української Православної Церкви Канади (УПЦК), повідомляємо, що з 20 грудня 2023 року УПЦК прийняла переглянутий юліанський календар, за яким ми визначаємо порядок літургійного циклу у нашій церкві.

На підставі голосування, яке відбулося восени, у відповідь на заклик Митрополита до парафій опитати своїх членів щодо прийняття переглянутого юліанського календаря на знак солідарності з Українською Православною Церквою, понад 70% членів Української Православної Церкви Всіх Святих (УПЦВС) вирішили прийняти новий календар.

У зв'язку з традиційними щорічними заходами, які вже заплановані, УПЦВС переходить на новий календарний рік, починаючи з 18 лютого 2024 року, у Неділю про Закхєя, підготовчої неділі до Великого посту, який відзначатиметься за новим календарем. Тому, УПЦВС святкуватиме Українське Різдво цього літургійного року 7 січня 2024 року за старим юліанським календарем. 25 грудня 2024 року УПЦВС розпочне святкування Українського Різдва за новоприйнятим юліанським календарем.

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