

Парафія Святого Василя Великого
St. Basil the Great Ukrainian Catholic Parish

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*Twenty fourth
Sunday after
Pentecost*

Luke 8:41 - 56

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Luke 8, 41-42, 49-56*



CHURCH SERVICES

SATURDAY: Vespers at 6 pm

Divine Liturgies: 7 am & 7 pm

SUNDAY: Matins at 8 am

Divine Liturgy: 9 am (Ukr.)

Community Rosary: 10:25 am

Divine Liturgy: 11 am (Eng.)

Divine Liturgy: 7 pm (Eng./Ukr.)

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION:

Divine Liturgies: 7 & 10 am & 7 pm

Matins - 7:45 am

MINOR FEAST DAY:

Divine Liturgies: 7 am & 7 pm;

Matins - 7:45 am, * If this is on a Friday, the 9 am
Div. Lit. is omitted in the chapel

FRIDAY Divine Liturgy: 7 am (Ukr/Eng.);

Matins - 7:45 am, and 9 am in the Monastery
Chapel (Eng.)

CONFESSIONS: 10 minutes before Divine
Liturgies on Saturdays and Sundays; or by
appointment at other times.

MARRIAGES: By appointment at least 8 months in
advance. Also Membership in the Parish is
mandatory

BAPTISMS & FUNERALS: By arrangement

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday to
Friday: 9 am to Noon & 1 to 5 pm

Basilian Fathers serving the Parish:

Fr. Josaphat (Jo) Tyrkalo, OSBM,

Superior & Pastor

Fr. Mark Zazula, OSBM, Vicar & Assistant

Fr. Thomas Kobak, OSBM, 2nd Assistant

Bro. Dmytro Borovets, OSBM

O.S.B.M. Studies & Students:

Fr. Iryney Valyavka, OSBM;

Director of Studies

Deacon Agapey Lutsyk, OSBM - Student

Bro. Peter Pitchko, OSBM - Student

Orion Wiebe - Eparchial Student

Nursing Homes:

Youville: Fr. Boniface Malowany, OSBM

Gen. Hospital: Fr. Myron Chimy, OSBM

Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate:

Sr. Zoe Bernatsky, SSMI Superior

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Church Services and Meetings this week

Sunday, November 19: 24 Sunday after Pentecost	
8 am – Matins	
9 am – Divine Liturgy (sung Ukrainian)	
10:25 am – Communal Rosary	
11 am – Divine Liturgy (sung English)	
11 am – Bozhi Dity	
7 pm – Divine Liturgy (English)	
Monday, November 20:	
7 am – Divine Liturgy	7:45 am – Matins
Tuesday, November 21:	
7 am – Divine Liturgy	7:45 am – Matins
7 pm – Board of Mangement meeting – Board Room	
Wednesday, November 22:	
7 am – Divine Liturgy	7:45 am – Matins
Thursday, November 23:	
7 am – Divine Liturgy	7:45 am – Matins
7:30 pm – Choir Practice	
Friday, November 24:	
7 am – Divine Liturgy	7:45 am – Matins
9 am – Divine Liturgy & Adoration in Chapel 10am – 4pm	
Saturday, November 25:	
7 am – Divine Liturgy	
12:30 pm – Holodomor Service at City Hall, Churchill Square	
6:00 pm – Vespers	
7 pm – Divine Liturgy	
Sunday, November 26: 25 Sunday after Pentecost	
FOOD BANK COLLECTION	
8 am – Matins	
9 am – Divine Liturgy (sung Ukrainian)	
10:25 am – Communal Rosary	
11 am – Divine Liturgy (sung English)	
11 am – Bozhi Dity	
7 pm – Divine Liturgy (English)	

Prayer intention for November: “We pray for all Christians in Asia, bearing witness to the Gospel in word and deed, and may promote dialogue, peace, and mutual understanding, especially with those of other religions.”

Ushers for NOVEMBER, 2017

9 am Divine Liturgy

Bill Sawchuk,
Vlady Siracky,
Jerry Politylo,
Eugene Sekora,
Morris Komarnisky,

11 am Divine Liturgy

Mike Yakymyshyn,
Harold Brigidear,
Jack Fedan,
Lawrence Kokotilo,
Edie Pitchko,
Murray Pitchko,

Please consider volunteering as Ushers: both husband and wife or as a family (parents, children, and relatives).

Experience this rewarding parish activity by first calling Murray Pitchko @ 780-460-2084.

VOLUNTEER NEWS:

Our Parish Needs Volunteers:

In Church: Lectors, Acolytes (Altar Boys), Children of Mary, Sodality, and Ushers – men and women – to assist at the Liturgies. We also need Money Counters, Pre-Baptism and Marriage Instructors, Marriage Rehearsal Guides, those who clean and straighten up in the pews, along with volunteers who can help with other details in the church.

In the Cultural Centre volunteers can set up prior to an event, help in the kitchen on the day of an event with catering and clean-up afterwards. And general casual help in the kitchen.

For all workshops– Whatever your skill level or time constraint you are invited, and encouraged, to volunteer. Our workshops start after the 7 am Divine Liturgy. You will be offered a light breakfast, coffee, and lunch will be served at noon.

Workshops: Nov. 23 – cabbage rolls Nov. 30–pyrohy

For information, or to let us know that you will be assisting, please contact: **Nettie Kowal** at (780) 466-7213.

The Cultural Centre provides refreshments and light lunch/meal for all volunteers.

CULTURAL CENTRE Events for NOVEMBER:

– **Saturday and Sunday Nov. 25 & 26** – Just One World.

Volunteers are the life-blood of our Church community and we look forward to working with you on our parish team! Each person that volunteers, helps the parish community to be stronger! Please contact **Lynne Fletcher** at 780-431-0484.

Condolences are extended to the family of long time parishioner, UCWLC member and volunteer Helen Panchyshyn whose funeral was celebrated this past week. May her soul rest in peace! Вічна Память!

CONGRATULATIONS to *Harper Leigh Anne Gotobed*, daughter of Branden & Tamara Gotobed, on the occasion of her Baptism & Chrismation. May God bless him and his Family.

Old Testament Timeline Bible Study, Wednesdays, 7:00 pm, in the basement of St. Josaphat Cathedral. Divine Liturgy at 6:00 pm.

SOLEMN COMMUNION CLASSES: will begin with registration on November 26. Please pass this message to all parents of our Parish. Classes in 2017 will be held on Dec. 10 and 17; and in 2018: Jan. 7, 14, 21, Feb. 4, 11, 25, Mar. 11, Solemn Confession, Mar. 17 & Solemn Communion, Mar. 18.

Please remember the sick and the lonely in your prayers, and try to visit them: Tillie; John & Lennie Chichak; Fr. Myron Chimy, OSBM; Evelyn Davidson; Fr. Justin Ewaschyshyn, OSBM (Mundare); Fr. Edward Evanko (Winnipeg); Ed Ewaskiw; Alexandra LaFleche; Dora Faryna, Bill Lapchuk; Darryl Metz; Fr. Boniface Malowany, OSBM; John Motiuk; Alex and Lucy Nay; Joyce Palamar; Zena Pshyk; Liam and Nathaniel Shewchuk (Liam donated an organ to his Brother Nathaniel); Ann Wayland; Mabel Wynnyk, Nettelie Yuskiw. Parishioners confined to their hospital beds or their homes; and our Canadian peacekeepers.

Ronald McDonald House is in need of NEW Toys, Books, Games & Puzzles for children from newborn to 18 years of age. There is a **donation box in the vestibule that will be there until Dec. 17.** Please help the Budova Charitable Society give these children a ray of sunshine in their difficult time.

Fr. Hannas Knights of Columbus has **Sobeys/Safeway Grocery Gift Cards for sale.** \$20 cards only. Cash or cheque (payable to Fr. Hannas Council). We thank you for your support.

The Knights of Columbus, Father Hannas Council 10519, is sponsoring a **Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest** open to **all Catholic students in Catholic, Public, or Private High Schools – grades 10, 11 and 12 – during this current school year.** The essay theme is **“Going to the Peripheries.”** See Sept. Issue of Columbian for an introduction to the topic.

The contestants are encouraged to be creative, thoughtful, and introspective in their work. **Contest ends November 15, 2017.** Prizes will be awarded by the Council on November 30, 2017. Winners may be eligible for the Supreme Council international judging in April, 2018. For more information, and to enter, contact Bro. Knight, Chris Kyrzyk, Youth Coordinator, Father Hannas Council. sportsforknights@gmail.com.

Basilian Fathers MUNDARE Museum Gift Shop – we have a Christmas gift for that difficult person on your list. **Mundare Hospital Auxiliary BAKE SALE – November 17** @ the Basilian Fathers Museum. Also UCWLC Perohy will be available from 11 am to 1:30 pm. Sorry NO Lunch this year.

Religious Radio Program “VECHIRNYA HODYNA” on World FM

101.7: Every Sunday evening at 6:30 PM. We invite organizations or individuals to sponsor a program. When sponsoring a program, it may be for birthdays, anniversaries, in memory of a loved one, etc. Cost/program is \$176.00. Please make cheque payable to: *Basilian Fathers Radio Account*. (income tax receipts will be issued).

Knights of Columbus Grey Cup Raffle tickets for 2017 are available from **Curtis Ruff or Bruce Grant** after the Sunday Divine Liturgy. Or Contact Bruce at 780-907-4544.

Waiting for Baby Jesus – Children’s Overnight Retreat.
Overnight retreat November 25 (evening) and 26 (morning). Make new friends! See friends from summer or previous camps at this overnight retreat! You can register by emailing Millie at youth@eeparchy.co or the registration form is at <http://bit.ly/childrensovernight> Cost is \$15, all snacks and meals will be provided. **Eparchial Youth Ministry and St Basils invite all children, grades 1 – 6.**

Christmas at the Lake – Saturday, December 30. All ages are invited to join in fellowship and fun at Camp St. Basil. There will be outdoor and indoor activities. More details to follow. Please mark this date on your calendar. If you are willing to donate 2–3 hours of your time either in advance to help plan, or on the day to help run an activity, it would be much appreciated. Email Kareena at kareena@shaw.ca.

Is it not strange, how we need to know about an event for Church 2–3 weeks before the day so we can include it in our agenda, but we can adjust it for other events at the last minute?

Is it not strange, how difficult it is to learn a fact about God to share it with others, but how easy it is to learn, understand, extend and repeat gossip?

Is it not strange, how we believe everything that magazines and newspapers say, but we question the words in the Bible?

Is it not strange, how everyone wants a place in heaven, but they do not want to believe, do, or say anything to get there?

Begin the Christmas Season

Sunday December 3, 2017

Pancake Breakfast

after the 11:00 am Liturgy

❖ *Great menu*

❖ *Free Will Offering*

Followed by St. Nicholas Sadochok

Concert,

including the Children of Mary,

Sodality and Acolytes

*Co-sponsored by St. Basil's UCWLC and
Knights of Columbus Fr. Hannas Council*

Tuesday December 5, 2017

Light Up For Christ

*7:00 pm Christmas Tree and
Creche Blessings Service*

7:30 pm Social at Cultural Centre

Everyone is invited

*Please bring your families to these events!
Support these events and begin the Christmas
Season in a Bright and Spiritual Way...*

*Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus
Fr. Hannas Council*

HOLODOMOR – GENOCIDE UKRAINE 1932 – 1933

Saturday, November 25, 2017 at 12:30 pm

Edmonton City Hall, 1 Churchill Square



**Seniors and Retired Persons
Pre-Christmas Social
Dinner & Entertainment!**

**Merry
Christmas!**

Date: Wednesday, December 6, 2017

Program: 12:00 - 3:00 pm

Tickets: \$20.00 St. Basil's members
\$25.00 Non-members

Location: St. Basil's Cultural Centre
10819 - 71 Avenue, Edmonton



***Dinner*
Music
*Holiday Cheer!***



Purchase Tickets

Information Contact

After 9 and 11 am Mass

Elaine: 780.437.2209

Violet: 780.469.9733

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Sandra: 780.430.7887

Lorraine: 780.462.7470



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New Year's Eve Gala

St. Basil's Cultural Centre

Sunday, December 31, 2017

**Cocktails at 6:00 pm followed by
Salad Bar and Dinner at 7:00 pm**

Music by the Emeralds.

**Tickets are \$85.00 per person,
Available at the
Cultural Centre 780-434-4288**

**Chef Joe Simpkin created a superb salad bar
and buffet dinner last year. Expect more of
the same this year.**

For further information call:
Jerry Dubyk at 780-922-2943 or
Orest Eveneshen at 780-438-2728.



**Sponsors:
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And St. Basil's Men's Club**

