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St. Basil the Great Ukrainian Catholic Parish
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OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday: 9 to Noon & 1 to 5:00

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Christ the King

Colossians (1:12-20)

John (18:33-37)



CHURCH SERVICES

SATURDAY DIVINE LITURGY

6:30 pm – rosary

7:00 pm – attended; bilingual

SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGIES:

Rosary said half hour before each liturgy

9:00 am – attended, bilingual

11:00 am – livestreamed; bilingual

7:00 pm – attended; bilingual

WEEKDAY DIVINE LITURGIES:

7:00 am – registration at the door

LITURGY LIVESTREAMING:

<https://tinyurl.com/stbasilchannel>

BASILIAN FATHERS SERVING THE PARISH:

Fr. Thomas Kobak, OSBM

Pastor

Fr. Serafym Grygoruk, OSBM

Superior & Assistant Pastor

Fr. Mark Zazula, OSBM

Vicar & Assistant

Fr. Yosafat Khaimyk, OSBM

Assistant

Bro. Dmytro Borovets, OSBM

BASILIANS AT YOUVILLE HOME:

Fr. Boniface Malowany, OSBM

CONFESSIONS:

Available at a weekend Divine Liturgy or by appointment during the week

MARRIAGES:

By appointment, at least 6 months in advance.

BAPTISMS & FUNERALS:

Please contact the parish office to make arrangements with a priest

ST. BASIL'S CULTURAL CENTRE:

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780-436-2745

Church Services and Meetings this week

Sunday, October 31:		OFFICE IS CLOSED
<u>Christ the King</u>		
Rosary half an hour before each Divine Liturgy		
9 am – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.)		
11 am – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.) Livestreamed		
7 pm – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.)		
Monday, November 1:		
7 am – Divine Liturgy;		7:45 am – Matins
Tuesday, November 2:		
7 am – Divine Liturgy;		7:45 am – Matins
Wednesday, November 3:		
7 am – Divine Liturgy;		7:45 am – Matins
Thursday, November 4:		
7 am – Divine Liturgy;		7:45 am – Matins
Friday, November 5:		
7 am – Divine Liturgy		7:45 am – Matins
9 am – Divine Liturgy in church*		
Saturday, November 6:		OFFICE IS CLOSED
7 am – Divine Liturgy		
6 pm – Vespers		
7 pm – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.)		
Sunday, November 7:		OFFICE IS CLOSED
<u>24TH Sunday after Pentecost</u>		
Rosary half an hour before each Divine Liturgy		
9 am – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.)		
11 am – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.) Livestreamed		
7 pm – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.)		

Sunday Collection baskets will again be placed at the exits.

Chapel is open for adoration Mon.–Fri. 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

***Friday 9:00 am Divine Liturgies will take place in church.**

Please have announcements for the bulletin submitted by Wednesday afternoon.

Divine Liturgy for Sunday, October 31, 2021:

https://youtu.be/76r_afd3YqU

Tropar, tone 4:

Your rule, O Christ our God, saved us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your love. You who are and were from all eternity and appeared to us as king – Glory be to you, O Lord!

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

Kondak, tone 7:

Let us adore the immortal king of ages, the only most wise Christ – God, and let us say: To you has been given the power, the glory and the kingdom, and all nations bow before you. Your power is eternal power and your kingdom will never falter; for, because of us, the eternal King – Christ became our king.

Prokimen tone 3: Sing to our God, sing; sing to our King, sing.

verse: For God is the king of all the earth: sing wisely.

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A Reading from St. Paul's letter to the Colossians (1:12–20)

Brethren. Give thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to have your share of what God has reserved for his people in the kingdom of light. He rescued us from the power of darkness and brought us safe into the kingdom of his dear Son, by whom we are set free, that is, our sins are forgiven.

Christ is the visible likeness of the invisible God. He is the first-born Son, superior to all created things. For through him God created everything in heaven and on earth, the seen and unseen things, including spiritual powers, lords, rulers, and authorities. God created the whole universe through him and for him. Christ existed before all things, and in union with him all things have their proper place.

He is the head of his body, the church; he is the source of the body's life. He is the first-born Son, who was raised from death, in order that he alone might have the first place in all things. For it was by God's own decision that the Son has in himself the full nature of God. Through the Son, then, God decided to bring the whole universe back to himself. God made peace through his Son's blood on the cross and so brought back to himself all things, both on earth and in heaven.

Alleluia (3)

verse: And he shall rule from sea to sea, and from the river unto the ends of the world.

Alleluia (3)

verse: And all kings of the earth shall adore him; all the nations shall serve him.

Alleluia (3)

A Reading of the Holy Gospel according to John (18:33–37)

At that time Pilate went back into the palace and called Jesus. “Are you the king of the Jews?” he asked. Jesus answered, “Does this question come from you or have others told you about me?”

Pilate replied, “Am I a Jew? It was your own people and the chief priests who handed you over to me. What have you done?”

Jesus said, “My kingdom is not of this world; if my kingdom belonged to this world, my followers would fight to keep me from being handed over to the Jewish authorities. No, my kingdom does not belong here!”

So Pilate asked him, “Are you a king, then?” Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. I was born and came into the world for this one purpose, to speak about the truth. Whoever belongs to the truth listens to me.”

Instead of “It is truly right”:

O my soul, glorify Christ the King who rules the universe.

The Son of the eternal Father, God and Lord, incarnated from the Virgin appeared to us to enlighten the living in darkness and gather the dispersed. Therefore we glorify the Mother of God who is most worthy of praise.

Communion Verse:

The Lord is our Judge, our Leader, and our King. He will save us.
Alleluia. (3)

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

I believe, O Lord, and confess that You are truly Christ, the Son of the living God, Who came into the world to save sinners of whom I am first. Although I cannot now be a partaker of Your mystical supper, O Son of God, come at least spiritually into my heart by your Divine Grace for the healing of my soul and body. I will not tell the mystery to Your enemies, nor will I give You a kiss as did Judas, but like the thief I confess to You:

† Remember me, O Lord, when you come into your kingdom.

† Remember me, O Master, when you come into your kingdom.

† Remember me, O Holy One, when you come into your kingdom.

I also believe, O Lord, and profess, that this, which I would receive, and which is now here present with us in Mystery, is truly Your most precious Body, and Your life-giving Blood. May I one day partake of Your mystical supper again for the remission of all my sins and for life everlasting.

† God, be merciful to me a sinner.

† God, cleanse me of sins and have mercy on me.

† I have sinned without number, forgive me, O Lord.

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power

of God, cast into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

PRAYER TO ST. JOSEPH (BY POPE LEO XII)

To you, O blessed Joseph, do we come in our afflictions, and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also. Through that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God and through the paternal love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, we humbly beg you to graciously regard the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood, and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.

O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ; O most loving father, ward off from us every contagion of error and corrupting influence; O most mighty protector, be kind to us, and from heaven assist us in our struggle with the power of darkness. As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril, so now protect God's Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity; shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection, so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness, and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven. Amen

Papal prayer Intention for October 2021 – Missionary Disciples

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel

Prolife Prayer Intention – October 31

You shall love your neighbour as yourself." O God, open our eyes and hearts to see our neighbour in the unborn, the elderly, the sick and the disabled.

A Message from Mary: Medugorje – October 25, 2021

"Dear children! Return to prayer because who prays is not afraid of the future; who prays is open to life and respects the life of others; who prays, little children, feels the freedom of the children of God and in joy of heart serves for the good for his brother-man. Because God is love and freedom, therefore, little children, when they want to put you in bonds and to use you, it is not from God. Because God loves and gives His peace to every creature; and that is why He sent me to you to help you to grow in holiness. Thank you for having responded to my call. "

We express our deepest sympathy to the family of Don Desanko who recently passed away. We pray for God's grace and peace during the days and weeks ahead.

Remember the sick, the lonely, and the elderly in your prayers, and try to visit them:

Annie, Teresa Bayrock; Joseph Bayduza; LB; Val Boyko; John Chichak; Patricia Chichak; Tillie Chichak; Diane Konowalec; Helen Filipowich; Elsie Huk; Irene; Lass Karall; Katelyn (8 yrs. old); Joyce Krasilchuk; Raymond Krevenchuck; Ian Lawrence; Sylvia Lozinsky; Paul Lucyk; Max (youth); Helen Moroz; Natalia (5 yrs. old); Alex Nay; Olga Solar; Barbara Najanovic; Raina (3 years old); Ronald P.; Patricia; Helen Pasemko; Rose Pesklewis; Zena Pshyk; Elizabeth Sawchuk; Sharon Sheptak; Larry Skubleny; Josie Stechynsky; Mike Melynk; Peter & Sylvia Syvenky; Dean Tomasic; Ernie Wicentowich; Gloria Yasayko; Louise Zurawell; Kathleen Zapisocki; Oskana & Bob Antonyk; Adeline Ostry; Gerald Ozubko; those afflicted from COVID-19; our Canadian Peace Keepers; and those confined to their hospital beds or their homes.

Please call or email the Parish Office to submit or remove a name.

Church Volunteers –

We are ever grateful for our parishioners that time after time have contributed to the mission of our parish. “Thank You”!

E-transfer Donations –

St. Basil Parish can accept donations through your online banking! The email address to send funds is:

donationstbasilchurch@gmail.com

If you are prompted to provide a security question, re-check the spelling of the address. Please use this method for Parish donation purposes only.

Payments to the Basilian Fathers for liturgy stipends, certificates, books and donations can be made by cash or cheque only please. Make cheques payable to **Basilian Fathers**.

St. Basil’s Sadochok – St. Basil's Sadochok is pleased to be accepting registrations for the 2021/22 school year. Classes are offered Tuesday and Thursday mornings at the Cultural Center. COVID-19 guidelines will be followed as applicable. For more information or to register, email stbasils.sadochok@gmail.com

Bible Study Classes –

Bible Study online is held on Thursdays, at 1:00 PM. The class started October 21, 2021 and usually goes for an hour. Any changes in time and dates will be announced in the class. If you are interested in participating, please contact Fr. Serafym at the Parish office: 780-434-8010 or email: st.basils@shaw.ca

Upcoming Workbees

November 4 — Perogies

November 18 — Perogies

December 2 — Perogies

November 10 — Cabbage Rolls

November 25 — Cabbage Rolls

To participate, please have proof of both vaccinations for all events as it is required by the Cultural Centre.

For further information please call Nettie Kowal @ 780-466-7213

Cultural Centre has Studenetz for sale @ \$20 a pan.

Backpacks for Ukraine – Since this year we will not have the Parish Bazaar to raise awareness and funding for this worthy cause, the St. Basil's Children of Mary and Sodality are again putting together backpacks for children in need living in Ukraine. Let Christ's Mercy shine through your generous support. The average cost of one backpack is \$30. Please make your donation payable to "Bridge of Hope" (cheque or cash) Which can be left in the weekly collection or dropped off at the parish office before November 14. If you require additional information, please contact Michelle at michellestel@gmail.com.

Mittens For Kids Drive

Fr. Hannas Council Knights of Columbus

is sponsoring a

Mitten, Gloves, and Toque Drive

in support of school children

from Kindergarten to Grade Six

Please bring your New Item donations

to Church and leave them in

the Red Donation Box provided

till December 5

Many thanks for your generous support

2021-22 Knights of Columbus Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest
The International Knights of Columbus Essay Contest is underway and is open to all Catholic students — in grades 10, 11 and 12 during the current school year.

The theme for this year's International Catholic Essay Contest is:

“Authentic Faith”. Describe everyday obstacles that you may have experienced or witnessed others experiencing while living a life of authentic faith. Explain how you have overcome these obstacles and how, by doing so, it has helped your faith to continue to grow.

The essay is to be between 500-750 words. Winners are given prizes and recognition. Please submit your essays by November 15, 2021.

For more information please contact Brother Chris Kyrzyk, Father Hannas Council commdir.kofc10519@gmail.com. Good luck.

Social Mission of the Church, Welcome Retreat

Nov 18, 7:00 –9:00 pm on Zoom

Those who have a passion for social development, justice and charity and would like to explore ways that our Eparchy can continue to serve God by serving others, are invited to join this zoom event! Representatives from all of the parishes throughout the Eparchy of Edmonton are encouraged to attend.

Hosted by Bishop David and the members of the Social Mission Commission, this will be an evening of inspiration, discovery, and reflection

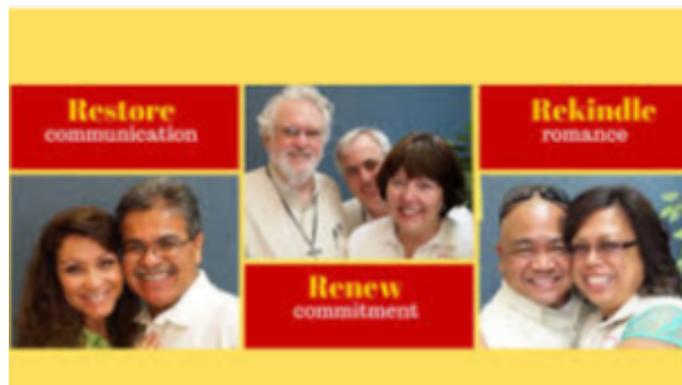
- ✚ Commission members will share ways that they can help the faithful in all the parishes of the Eparchy of Edmonton to be more active and involved in social justice issues all over the world!
- ✚ Monica Nino from Development and Peace will teach us about this Catholic organization and ways that we can work together for the good of others.
- ✚ Participants will be invited to share what they have been doing individually and in their parishes and to learn from each other.
- ✚ Bishop David will lead us in a reflection on social consciousness in our own lives.

Register at Eventbrite: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/social-mission-of-the-church-welcome-retreat-tickets-191897760367>

Or search: **Social Mission of the Church, Welcome Retreat** on the Eventbrite website (www.eventbrite.ca).

For more information email: socialjustice@eeparchy.com

WE INVITE YOU TO ENGAGE IN THE EDMONTON MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER COMMUNITY!



Join & Invite: Edmonton Virtual Weekend November 5-7, 2021

Join us for the upcoming WorldWide Marriage Encounter Edmonton weekend experience from the comfort of your own home. Join a community of couples that are committed to their marriage. All married couples and religious are invited to this weekend that celebrates the sacraments of Holy Matrimony & Holy Orders.

To register go to www.wwme.org/apply and select the Nov 5-7th Edmonton Virtual Weekend (on second page). The weekend starts **Friday Nov 5th at 7PM** and ends **Sunday November 7th at 3PM**. Anyone from anywhere can join us, we currently have a couple from Texas registered. We ask you to forward this to friends and family that would benefit from learning tools to enhance their marriage. **Registration closes on November 1st.**

For more information visit the wwme website or call: Nicole & Gavin at 780.932.2874. This transformational encounter will take your marriage from good to great! We also ask that within the next 2-3 days you tap 2-3 couples on the shoulder and encourage them to register for the weekend.