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CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

Tone 4

Colossians (1:12-20)

John (18:33-37)

CHURCH SERVICES

SATURDAY DIVINE LITURGIES
7:00 am – bilingual (Church)
6:30 pm – rosary
7:00 pm – bilingual (Church)

SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGIES

Rosary said half hour before each liturgy

9:00 am – Ukrainian
11:00 am – English (livestreamed)
7:00 pm – bilingual

WEEKDAY DIVINE LITURGIES:
7:00 am – Mon. – Fri. (CHURCH)
9:00 am – Fri. (Chapel)

LITURGY LIVESTREAMING:

https://tinyurl.com/stbasilchannel

BASILIAN FATHERS SERVING THE PARISH:

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Superior & Pastor Assistant

Fr. Mark Zazula, OSBM
Vicar & Assistant

Fr. Yosafat Khaimyk, OSBM
Assistant

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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

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CHURCH SERVICES THIS WEEK

Sunday, Oct. 29: **CHRIST THE KING** **OFFICE CLOSED** Rosary half an hour before each Divine Liturgy 9:00 am – Divine Liturgy 11:00 am – Divine Liturgy 7:00 pm – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.)	
Monday Oct. 30: 7:00 am – Divine Liturgy 7:00 pm – Rosary	7:45 am – Matins
Tuesday, Oct. 31: 7:00 am – Divine Liturgy 7:00 pm – Rosary	7:45 am – Matins
Wednesday, Nov. 1: 7:00 am – Divine Liturgy	7:45 am – Matins
Thursday, Nov. 2: 7:00 am – Divine Liturgy	7:45 am – Matins
Friday, Nov. 3: 7:00 am – Divine Liturgy 9:00 am – Divine Liturgy – (Chapel)	7:45 am – Matins
Saturday, Nov. 4: **OFFICE CLOSED** 7:00 am – Divine Liturgy 7:00 pm – Divine Liturgy	
Sunday, Nov. 5: **23rd Sunday of Pentecost** **OFFICE CLOSED** Rosary half an hour before each Divine Liturgy 9:00 am – Divine Liturgy 11:00 am – Divine Liturgy 7:00 pm – Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.)	

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

Please have announcements for the bulletin submitted by noon on Wednesday.

Divine Liturgy for Sunday, October 29, 2023
Christ the King Sunday

https://youtube.com/live/WnJ9Y_2tFk4?feature=share

Troparion, Tone 4: Your reign, 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 revealed Yourself to us as our King. Glory be to You, O Lord!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; now and forever and ever. Amen

Kontakion, Tone 7: Let us fall down before Christ God, the only wise and immortal King of ages, and adore Him saying: To You is given the power and the glory and the kingdom, and all nations are subject to You. Your power is eternal power and your Kingdom is indestructible. The eternal King, Jesus Christ, has become a King for our sake.

Prokeimenon, Tone 3: Sing to our God, sing; sing to our King, sing.

Verse Christ the King: Clap your hands, all you nations; shout unto God with the voice of joy. (Ps. 47:7,2)

Prokeimenon, Tone 3: Sing to our God, sing; sing to our King, sing.

A reading from the Second Epistle of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Colossians (1:12-20)
Brethren! Give thanks to the Father for having made you worthy to share the lot of the saints in light. He rescued us from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of His beloved Son. Through Him we have redemption, the forgiveness of our sins. He is the image of the Invisible God, the first-born of all creatures. In Him everything in heaven and on earth was created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominations, principalities or powers; all were created through Him, and for Him. He is before all else that is. In Him everything continues in being. It is He who is head of the body, the church; He who is the beginning, the first-born of the dead, so that primacy may be His in everything. It pleased God to make absolute fullness reside in Him and, by means of Him, to reconcile everything in His persons, both on earth and in the heavens, making peace through the blood of His cross.

До КОЛОСЯН послання святого апостола Павла читання (1:12-20)
Браття! Дякуйте Отцеві, який зробив нас гідними мати участь у долі святих у свІтлі. Він вирвав нас із влади тьми й переніс у царство свого улюбленого Сина, в якому ми маємо відкуплення, прощення гріхів. Він — образ невидимого Бога, первородний усякого створіння, бо в ньому все було створене, що на небі і що на землі, видиме й невидиме: чи то престоли, чи господьства, чи начала, чи власті, все було ним і для нього створене. Він також голова тіла, тобто церкви. Він — начало, первородний з мертвих, так, щоб у всьому він мав першенство, бо сподобалося Богові, щоб уся повнота перебувала в ньому і щоб через нього примирити з

собою все чи то земне, а чи небесне, встановивши мир кров'ю його хреста.

Faithful, Tone 4: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Verse, Christ the King: May He rule from sea to sea, from the River to the ends of earth.

Faithful, Tone 4: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Verse: May all kings bow before Him, all nations serve him.

Faithful, Tone 4: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to JOHN (18:33-37)
At that time, Pilate went back into the praetorium and summoned Jesus. "Are you the King of the Jews?" he asked Him. Jesus answered, "Are you saying this on your own, or have others been telling you about me?" "I am no Jew!" Pilate retorted. ""It is your own people and the chief priests who have handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered: "My kingdom does not belong to this world. If my kingdom were of this world, my subjects would be fighting to save e from being handed over to the Jews. As it is, my kingdom is not here." At this Pilate said to Him, "So, then, you are a king?" Jesus replied: "It is you who say I am a king. The reason I was born, the reason why I came into the world, is to testify to the truth. Anyone committed to the truth hears my voice."

Від ІВАНА святого Євангелія читання (18:33-37)
У той час увійшов Пилат знов у преторію, закликав Ісуса і каже до нього: "Ти цар юдейський?" Ісус же у відповідь: "Кажеш те від себе, а чи інші про мене так тобі оповіли?" "Хіба я юдей? — озвався Пилат. - Народ твій і первосвященики видали тебе мені. Що ти таке зробив?" "Царство моє не від світу цього, — відрік Ісус. — Було б моє царство від цього світу, то сторожа моя була б воювала, щоби мене не видали юдеям. Але не звідсіля моє царство." "То ти — цар?" — мовив до нього Пилат. І відповів Ісус: "Ти кажеш, що я цар. Я на те уродився і на те прийшов у світ, щоб свідчити правду. Кожен, хто від правди, слухає голос мій."

In place of "It is truly right...": My soul, extol Christ the King, Who rules over the whole universe. God the Lord, Son of the Father without beginning, having become incarnate of the Virgin, appeared to us to illumine those in darkness, and to collect the scattered. Therefore, we extol you ever-praised Mother of God.

Communion Hymn
The Lord is our Judge, the Lord is our Prince; * the Lord is our King who will save us. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

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

Papal Prayer Intention for October: For the Synod
We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

Pro-life Prayer Intention for October 29
We are reminded that God wants us to show just as much special care and protection to immigrants, widows, and orphans as we do to the preborn and elderly. To be truly pro-life, you shall "love your neighbor as yourself".

Medjugorie Message – October 25, 2023
"Dear children! Winds of evil, hatred and peacelessness are blowing through the earth to destroy lives. That is why the Most High sent me to you, to lead you towards the way of peace and unity with God and people. You, little children, are my extended hands: pray, fast and offer sacrifices for peace - the treasure for which every heart yearns. Thank you for having responded to my call. "

First Confession and First Solemn Communion Preparation
We will have our first class on November 26 with First Confession on March 16 and First Solemn Communion on March 17. All classes will be on Sundays following the 11:00 Divine Liturgy. Please contact the parish office with your email to register your child. Further information will be passed along to you.

Remember the sick, the lonely, & the elderly in your prayers, & try to visit them:
Nikulus Kokotilo; Terry Bezubiak; Lance & Leanne; Ernie Wicentowich; Larry Skubleny; Helen Lewitski; Bishop Stephen Chmilar; Elizabeth Anderson; Adeline Ostry; Zena Pshyk; Rose Pesklewis; Olga Solar; Bernice Browne; Alvina Andruchow; Edward Chmilar; Debbie Kasowski; Teresa Bayrock; Zarif Latif; Peter Syvenky; Joseph Bayduza; Eleanor Holowaychuk; Larry Pshyk; Tammy Wiedeman; David Matwie; Christine Tabaka; Alexandra Kasowski; Lilliana F & Carol Draganiuk; Olga Prosky; Julian Warawa; Judy Heisler; Julian Koziak; Rochelle Ponich; Orest Eveneshen; Victoria Skitsko; Katya; Mechelle; those afflicted from COVID-19; our Canadian Peace Keepers; and those confined to their hospital beds or their homes.

PLEASE NOTE: ***The list is kept to the end of the month. If desired, you must re-submit the person's name for the next month.***

E-Transfer Donation Option Available –
Options are available for donating by E-Transfer. If you have any questions or problems, please call the office at 780-434-8010.

Sunday Donations for the week ending October 22, 2023	
Sunday Offerings	$5,155.00
E-Transfers -	$440.00
POP - (Preauthorised Reno. Withdrawal)	--
Church Reno Donations	$1,000.00

Renovation Funding Appeal

Our church renovation project repairs are near completion.

Please prayerfully consider contributing to the Church Renovation Fund.
Our thanks to all parish members who have contributed to the project directly or have submitted their pledge forms. May you be blessed!

Bazaar Raffle Tickets. Please remember to return your sold bazaar tickets as soon as possible. If you can sell another book, please contact Christa at the church office.

Annual Parish Bazaar – November 10 and 11, 2023.

The UCWLC is reminding it's members and fellow parishioners of the items needed to make our Bazaar a BIG Success. Please volunteer your services when called to help at our Parish Bazaar.

Home Baking – breads, pies, cakes, cookies, squares, etc. For further information please call Steffie at 780-478-0687.

- **Craft Table** – craft donations will be accepted for sale.
- **Silent Auction** – **NEW ITEMS ONLY** for the Silent Auction will be greatly appreciated. Accepting donations Friday morning, November 10th at the Cultural Centre. For further information please call Roma at 780-467-8461.

THE CULTURAL CENTRE UPCOMING WORKBEES:
Thu. Nov. 2 – Cabbage Rolls
Wed. Nov. 8 – Potato Peelers at 9:00 am
Thu. Nov. 9 - Perogies
For further information please call Nettie Kowal @ 780-466-7213

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Perfect for your driveway and walkways.
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Don't miss out on this fantastic offer!

Alaskan Premium Works down to -35°C
9 kg size – $12 each 4.5 kg size – $10 each

Windsor Pet Friendly Works down to -12°C
3.63 kg size – $10 each

To order, contact either Chris or Leo.
Chris Kyrzyk: commdir.kofc10519@gmail.com
Leo Derkach: 780.465.5999 or 780.720.2944
(Knights of Columbus Father Hannas Council Fundraiser)

Annual GREY CUP Raffle

Knights of Columbus Father Hannas Council Grey Cup Raffle!!

We need help in selling tickets.
Please get a hold of Bruce Grant at 780-907-4544 to get a book!

INVITATION TO ALL LADIES OF ST. BASIL PARISH

St. Basil branch of the UCWLC invites ALL ladies of our parish to participate in our Prayer Partner program for 2023-2024.

- Praying for others is one of the spiritual works of mercy and forms a strong spirit of community through prayer.

When: Tuesday, November 14, 2023

- New prayer partners for the coming year will be chosen at the next UCWLC general meeting on Tuesday, November 14.
- Prayer partners from the past year will have the opportunity to meet & greet the person they have been praying for.

Registration:

- Registration is open to ALL ladies -UCWLC members and non-members.
- Registration deadline is Monday, November 13.
- UCWLC members with email accounts will receive the registration link.
- Non-members and members without emails can register by phoning Christina @ 435-7415.
- Anyone with questions or difficulties registering can phone Christina.
- If you have been a prayer partner last year or will register for the new year, we strongly encourage you to attend the Nov 14 meeting in person. However, if you are unable to attend in person, a name will be drawn for you.

St. Basil UCWLC Spiritual Committee

ST. BASIL'S PARISH
ANNUAL BAZAAR

"An Evening for the Whole Family"

November 10 and 11, 2023

Admission to Centre free

St. Basil's Cultural Centre

10819 - 71 Ave.

Phone: 780-434-4288

Supper - Buffet Style

Friday, and Saturday from 5:00 - 7:00 PM

Buffet Admission

Adult - $20; Youth (7 to 12 yrs) - $10

Child (6 & under) - no charge

Handicrafts, Home Baking,

Silent Auction

Sales Start: Friday - 4:30 PM to closing,

Saturday - 4:00 PM to closing

Other Activities

Games for children

Saturday Nov. 11, 2023

- *Ladies' League Raffle draw at 8:45 PM*
- *Parish draw 9 PM, for $1,500, & $1,000*

Information: Steffie (780-478-0687)

Phyllis (780-476-8265)

The issue of money in our Christian way life

II The issue of money in our Christian way life = spender or saver?

St. Basil's Family, we begin the second week of our message series, "**The issue of money in our Christian way life". If you like it or not, but** money was, is and will be a part of our life. We need it and we cannot escape it. Perhaps for that reason we have so many negative emotions about it.

It turns out, Jesus understands money and its place in our lives. He wants us to get money right. That's why he taught on it so much. More than any other topic. This week we are going to dig down deeper into this uncomfortable topic by looking at probably the most famous parable that Jesus ever taught: "The Prodigal Son". Friends, to be honestly, this parable is about both of the sons; the prodigal son who went away, lost all his money, and came home, and his older brother who stayed home the whole time. Specifically we're going to look at what the parable says about money. It teaches us about two key ways we can get money wrong. Each of us is probably prone to one category or the other.

The parable has become known as the Prodigal Son because the behavior of the youngest son, the prodigal, is so shockingly bad. In demanding his share of his father's property, he is basically saying to his father, "you meaning nothing to me beyond the cash value". Unfortunately, people choose money over people all the time; friendships are broken, siblings are torn apart (especially when we a parent dies and lives more money to one and less for the other), and marriages are ruined over money.

When it comes to money, I guess you could say broadly speaking, there are basically two types of people. There are the spenders and the savers. Each one of us knows which you are. Our culture rewards savers, as intellectually and even morally superior to those of us who are more relaxed about spending on us. At the same time everything in our culture encourages spending, in sometimes powerful, even manipulative ways. We live in the tension between those conflicting realities.

We all know the next part of the parable; after getting his share of the inheritance, the younger son goes to a far off city where he squanders his money, soon losing all of it. He is reduced to taking the most demeaning job a Jew could have, feeding pigs.

Most all of us have made mistakes when it comes to money. And we've experienced the consequences of our mistakes. Maybe it's carrying a lot of credit card debt/car loans. Maybe its strained relationships. Maybe it's a strained budget that precludes doing and having a lot of things you really want. Along with those consequences can come lots of negative emotions, like fear and guilt.

The younger son eventually experiences the humility to acknowledge is mistakes, and decides to return to his father, and make him the absolutely essential person in his life. If you have blown it with money. If you feel guilt or regret over how you've handle money to date a great next step is to return to the Lord and put him before your money, especially by giving money away.

As I mentioned, this parable is about both sons, so let's look at the oldest son now. While the youngest son was a spender, the oldest son is a saver. Yet he is just as disrespectful of his father. For both, money was more important to them than their relationship with their father. There is a certain smugness, a certain self-righteous in the older son's attitude. For him money is a scorecard and how you handle it equates not only to net worth, but to self worth.

Spenders can be foolish, savers can be smug and self-righteous, I already given let other people give. Are we savers or spenders? And in either case are we handling our money as if we don't need God? Or maybe we are thinking we are going to take all our saving with us? About that our Lord says: "You fool, this night your life will be demanded of you; and the things you have prepared, to whom will they belong?" (Luke 12:20). Maybe after your death, your kids or other people will go for nice and long vocation somewhere to the tropical country.

Submitted by Father Gabriel Haber, OSBM

"Winterwear for Ukrainian Newcomer Children"

The St. Basil's Aid for Ukrainian Newcomers Committee is sponsoring a project to reimburse Ukrainian newcomer parishioners and English classes students for purchases of winter outerwear for their children aged 0 – 14 years. Reimbursements will be up to $125.00/child (including GST) and will be made on a "first-come, first-served" basis. **To qualify, newcomers had to have been living in Ukraine on or before the start of the war on February 24, 2022.** Claimants should purchase winterwear at a store of their choice, bring their purchase (or a photo of their purchase), the receipt of their purchase, and their passport (showing the date they left Ukraine) to the Cultural Center, 10819 – 71 Ave. any Saturday (excluding October 28) from 11:30 – 2:00. Eligible clothing items for reimbursement include baby bunting bags, snowsuits, jackets/coats, winter boots, scarves, hats, and gloves. Do not wait too long. Once 40 children have been served, the project will end! For clarification or further information, please call Kathy Sosnowski @ 587 643 8915.

« Зимовий одяг для дітей українських новоприбулих»

Комітет допомоги новоприбулим українцям церкви Святого Василія спонсорує проект з відшкодування українським новоприбулим парафіянам та учням наших англійських класів за придбання зимового верхнього одягу для їхніх дітей віком від 0 до 14 років. **Щоб отримати право, заявники повинні були проживати в Україні на/до початку війни 24 лютого 2022 р.** Відшкодування становитиме до $125.00 (включаючи податок на товари і послуги) на кожну дитину та здійснюватиметься в порядку черги. Новоприбулі повинні придбати зимовий одяг у обраному магазині, принести покупку (або фото покупки), квитанцію (чек) та паспорт, що вказує дату виїзду з України до Культурного центру, 10819 – 71 Ave. NW в будь-яку суботу (крім 28 жовтня) з 11:30 до 2:00. Типи одягу для відшкодування тільки зимовий верхній одяг такий як сумки для немовлят, снігові костюми, зимові куртки/пальта, зимові черевики, шарфи, шапки та рукавички. Не чекайте занадто довго. Після того, як 40 дітей буде обслуговано, проект завершиться! За додатковою інформацією звертайтеся до Катерини Сосновської за номером 587 643 8915.

GOODBYE …..…..….. FAREWELL

On November 12, 2023 at our Parish we will bid farewell to Fr. Josaphat Khaimyk, OSBM who has decided to go back to Ukraine. We are grateful to Father Josaphat for his priestly service to our parish over the last two years. We ask Our Lord to bless him in his pastoral ministry and Our Blessed Mother to keep him under her Mantle of Protection.

Дванадцятого листопада наша парафія прощатиме о. Йосафата Хаймика ЧСВВ, який вирішив повернутися в Україну. Ми вдячні о. Йосафату за його священицьке служіння при нашій парафії протягом останніх два роки. В той же час ми просимо Божого благословення в його подальшому пастирському служінні. Нехай Пресвята Богородиця береже його під своїм Покровом.

The Province of Basilian Fathers of the Holy Heart of Christ
St. Basil Ukrainian Catholic Parish

The celebration of 400th anniversary of the martyrdom of St. Josaphat Kuntsevych

Saturday, 11 November 2023

6 pm – Vespers with Litiya (There will be no common Rosary)

7 pm – Divine Liturgy («New Life» choir sings). Apostolic blessing and Myropomazannia

Sunday, 12 November 2023

8 am – Matins

9 am – Divine Liturgy (Ukr). Apostolic blessing and Myropomazannia

11 am – Divine Liturgy (Eng). Apostolic blessing and Myropomazannia

4 pm – Dinner and Slide Presentation on the occasion of celebration of 400th anniversary of the martyrdom of St. Josaphat Kuntsevych (St. Basil's Cultural Center) by Fr. Gabriel Haber, OSBM and Fr. Josafat Khaimyk, OSBM

7 pm – Divine Liturgy (Eng/Ukr). Apostolic blessing and Myropomazannia

100% of the proceeds of the Free Will dinner donations will go towards St. Basil's Newcomers Committee projects

Registrations are being accepted for the Dinner on Sunday

- At the Church after the Divine Liturgies
- By calling St. Basil's office at 780-434-8010
- By email at st.basils@shaw.ca

Провінція Пресвятого Серця Христового ОО. Василіян
Парафія св. Василія Великого

Святкування 400-ліття мученицької смерті святого священномученика Йосафата Кунцевича

Субота, 11 Листопада 2023

6 pm – Вечірня з Литією (Спільної Вервиці не буде)

7 pm – Урочиста Свята Літургія (співає хор «Нове життя»). Апостольське благословення й Мирування

Неділя, 12 Листопада 2023

8 am – Святкова Утреня

9 am – Свята Літургія (укр.) . Апостольське благословення й Мирування

11 am – Свята Літургія (анг.) . Апостольське благословення й Мирування

4 pm – Урочиста Академія і Бенкет з нагоди святкування 400-ліття мученицької смерті святого священномученика Йосафата Кунцевича (Культурний Центр св. Василія)

7 pm – Свята Літургія (анг/укр). Апостольське благословення й Мирування