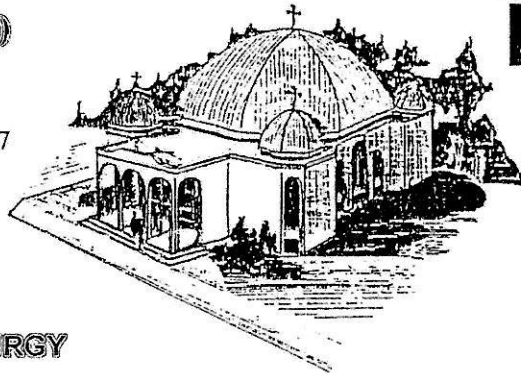


ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

(Byzantine-Ukrainian Rite)

293 St. George's Avenue East
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Established in 1917



DIVINE LITURGY

Saturday: 4:15 pm. - all in English

Sunday: 9:30 am. - all in Ukrainian

11:00 am. - all in English

BAPTISM: by prior arrangement

MARRIAGE: Please call the parish office
3 months notice is required.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 3:15 - 3:45 pm.

Before & after weekday Liturgy

Anytime by appointment

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

HOME VISITATION:

Please call the parish office to make
arrangements.

WELCOME to our parish...Enter expectantly...

Breathe prayerfully....

Worship reverently...

Relax restfully...

Greet others in love...

Leave touched by God, & come again soon!

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We are each of us angels with only one wing...

And we can fly embracing each other...

Luciano DeCrenzenzo

November 24, 2024 – Twenty-seventh Sunday after Pentecost, Tone 2. Post-feast of the Entrance of the Mother of God. Holy Great-Martyr Catherine (310-13). Holy Great-Martyr Mercurius (249-51).

Intentions this Sunday

Saturday at 4:15pm: Parishioners; Sunday at 9:30am: The Victims of Holodomor; Sunday at 11am: +Fr. Nicholas Deak, newly-reposed

Troparia and Kontakia

Troparion, Tone 2: When You went down to death, O Life Immortal,* You struck Hades dead with the blazing light of Your divinity.* When You raised the dead from the nether world,* all the powers of heaven cried out:* "O Giver of Life, Christ our God, glory be to You!"

Troparion, Tone 4: Today is the prelude of the good pleasure of God,* and the proclamation of salvation for the human race.* In the Temple of God* the Virgin is clearly revealed,* and beforehand announces Christ to all.* To her, then, let us cry aloud with a mighty voice:* Rejoice, fulfilment of the Creator's plan.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Kontakion, Tone 2: You rose from the tomb, O almighty Saviour,* and Hades, seeing this wonder, was stricken with fear; and the dead arose.* Creation saw and rejoices with You, and Adam exults.* And the world, my Saviour, sings Your praises for ever.

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Kontakion, Tone 4: The Saviour's pure temple,* the precious bridal chamber and Virgin,* the sacred treasury of the glory of God,* is brought today into the house of the Lord;* and with her she brings the grace of the divine Spirit.* God's angels sing in praise of her:* She is indeed the heavenly dwelling-place.

Prokeimenon, Tone 2

The Lord is my strength and my song of praise, and He has become my salvation.

Repeat: The Lord is my strength and my song of praise, and He has become my salvation.

verse: The Lord has indeed chastised me, but He has not delivered me to death.

Repeat: The Lord is my strength and my song of praise, and He has become my salvation.

Epistle

Ephesians 6:10-17

Alleluia, Tone 2

verse: The Lord will hear you in the day of tribulation; the name of the God of Jacob will shield you.
verse: Lord, grant victory to the king and hear us in the day that we shall call upon You.

Gospel

Luke 13:10-17

Hymn to the Mother of God, in the place of It is truly right

Seeing the entrance of the pure one, angels marvel in wonder how the Virgin could enter the holy of holies.

Let no hand of the profane touch God's living ark,* but instead let the lips of those who are believers* sing out ceaselessly in the words of the angel,* crying out with great joy to the Mother of God:* O pure Virgin,* you are truly higher than all.

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from the heavens;* praise Him in the highest.* I will take the cup of salvation;* and I will call upon the name of the Lord.* Alleluia, alleluia,* alleluia.

Liturgical Schedule

Monday, Nov 25 Leave-taking of the Feast of the Entrance of the Most Holy Mother of God into the Temple.	2 Timothy 2:20-26 Luke 19:37-44			
Tuesday, Nov 26 Our Venerable Father Alypius the Stylite (610-41).	2 Timothy 3:16-4:4 Luke 19:45-48			
Wednesday, Nov 27 Holy Martyr James of Persia (422).	2 Timothy 4:9-22 Luke 20:1-8	10am	Rosary and Divine Liturgy	<i>Abstain from meat and meat products.</i>
Thursday, Nov 28 Venerable-Martyr Stephen the New (c. 764).	Titus 1:5-2:1 Luke 20:9-18			
Friday, Nov 29 Holy Martyr Paramon (249-51), the Holy Martyr Philomenus (270-75).	Titus 1:15-2:10 Luke 20:19-26			<i>Abstain from meat and meat products.</i>
Saturday, Nov 30 Holy and All- Praiseworthy Apostle Andrew the First- Called.	1 Corinthians 4:9-16 John 1:35-51	4:15pm 5:30pm	Divine Liturgy (for Sunday) Great Vespers	Intention: Parishioners
Sunday, December 1 Twenty-eighth Sunday after Pentecost.	Colossians 3:12-16 Luke 18:18-27	9:30am 11am	Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) Divine Liturgy (English)	Intention: Parishioners Intention: Parishioners

OTHER EVENTS THIS WEEK:

Monday, November 25 – Senior Exercise Class from 11-11:30am

Wednesday, November 27 – Senior Exercise Class from 11-11:30am

Thursday, November 28 – Perogy and cabbage roll making. 7am-noon. All are invited to volunteer. Lunch is provided.

Saturday, November 30 – Women’s Bible Study at 10am

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. We welcome our guests and visitors. Thank you for worshipping with us!
2. Volunteers needed: We are very grateful for our volunteers who offer their time and talent in making perogies and cabbage rolls every week. We also need some more. Able to help on Thursday mornings? Come on by and bring a friend!
3. Thank you to the Men’s Club and other volunteers who ran last week’s brunch! Next brunch: December 15.
4. 50/50 fundraiser under way! Tickets are \$10 each. Maximum prize is \$1000. Draw date: December 15. Tickets available in the office.
5. ST NICHOLAS VISIT: Sunday, December 8th. There will be one Divine Liturgy that day at 10am followed by potluck and a visit from St. Nicholas for the children.
6. Nativity Fast continues. This is a 40-day period of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving for us to prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ—it’s a ‘little Lent’ in preparation for the ‘Winter Pascha’. The more you put into it the more you get out of it at Christmas. Don’t waste this time!
7. REPOSED IN THE LORD: Fr. Nicholas Deak, a priest of our Eparchy, on Monday, November 18th. He served the Hungarian Greek-Catholic community within our Eparchy in Hamilton and Welland for many years. Please remember him and his family in your prayers. Memory eternal! Вічна йому пам’ять!
8. ALL DAY CONFESSIONS: Tuesday, December 17th from 9:30am to 6pm at Precious Blood Cathedral, 778 Queen St E. One of the best ways to prepare for Christmas is to confess your sins and receive absolution.
9. As Christmas approaches, please remember those in our community who are in need of food, personal care and cleaning items. Let’s fill our Salvation Army donation basket and boxes to the brim!!

Outreach to Homebound Parishioners: Know of someone who might like a priest’s visit? Contact the office or Fr. Michael to arrange.

PRAYER LIST OF SICK, SHUT-INS, AND DEAR ONES FAR AND NEAR: Lorraine Wilson, Msgr. Anton Szymychalski, Fr. Jaroslaw Lazoryk, Wanda Duczmal, Debbie Bromeley, Antoinette Blunt, Katherine Pasternak, Walter Borowicz, Pat Straticzuk, Elsie Barrett, Betty Pauliuk, Doris Lebel, Jo-Anne Stone, Nikolaos Georgas, Denise Jacques, Phil Marinelli, Mike Plastino, Theresa Barsanti, Patty-Ann Bellerive, Jim Parniak, Connie Sampson, Lee DeMelo, Fr. Oleh Yuryk, Fr. John Barszczyk, Dorothy McIntyre, Andrea Stone Pietramale, Lynn Dunne, Fr. Andrew Kormanik, Ray Robinson, Hunter Stone, Gavin Stone, Gerard Dosko, Anderson Knight, Jann, Ron Barasanti, Peter Harlow, Larisa Pochmursky, Elizabeth Cepecawer, MaryAnn Spadoni, Paul Taillefer, Erin, Dave Kowalyk, Mary Romanchuk, McGill Perry, Tammy Zalewski, Fernando Mannarino, Dave Redfern, Ora, Paul M, June, Bob, Dustin Wenmany and Tracey Burmaster, Sue and Mel Stanghetta, Norna Martynuck.

Lord, Jesus Christ, You Who travelled throughout Galilee healing the sick, enabling the blind to see and the lame to walk, bring healing to Your people who need it this day. Grant relief to the ones who suffer pain and physical torment. Give peace to those whose minds are tortured by mental illness and anxiety. Comfort those who are alone in their suffering; may Your people reach out to them and to all the needy this day. Send Your grace to the caregivers that they may be gentle and effective agents of Your loving mercy. May our sufferings be joined with Yours to bring healing throughout the world. Amen.

DONATIONS: Sunday, November 17th
Offering: \$980.00

Thank You!

Building Fund: \$240.00

“ON CALL” PRIEST

A priest is available in the city for emergencies 24/7. You can notify the chaplain, nurse or nursing home coordinators to contact the priest ON CALL. (705-256-6675)

NEW FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY!

How to participate:

- 1) Order gift cards for popular retailers using the ‘Fundscrip’ order form and attach payment

- 2) The parish orders the cards
- 3) You shop with or distribute the gift cards as you see fit (Christmas gifts? Wink wink, nudge nudge)
- 4) The parish gets a percentage of the proceeds (the amounts are noted on the order form)

Forms are available now. The first order will be made on November 28. For more information, see www.fundscrip.com

Please remember in your prayers the victims of the Holodomor - the starvation of millions of Ukrainians in 1932 – 1933 at the hands of the Soviet regime.

As well, those who have lost their lives in the senseless invasion of Ukraine by Russia - 1000 days of war. Pray for the family members who have lost their loved ones and those who fled leaving loved ones behind.