ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH (Byzantine-Ukrainian Rite)

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Established in 1917





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 DeCrenzcenzo

July 20, 2025 – Sixth Sunday after Pentecost; Octoechos Tone 5; 🕁 The Holy and Glorious Prophet Elijah.

Intentions this Sunday

Saturday at 4:15pm: Parishioners; Sunday at 10am: Parishioners

Troparia and Kontakia

Troparion, Tone 5: Let us the faithful acclaim and worship the Word,* co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit,* and born of the Virgin for our salvation.* For He willed to be lifted up on the cross in the flesh, to suffer death* and to raise the dead by His glorious resurrection.

Troparion, Tone 4: The glorious Elias* angelic in body, pillar of prophets, second herald of Christ,* by sending grace upon Eliseus from on high,* dispels disease, cleanses lepers, and overflows with healing* for those who honour him.

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

Kontakion, Tone 5: You, my Saviour, descended to Hades,* and as the Almighty, You shattered its gates.* With Yourself You, as the Creator, raised the dead and shattered the sting of death,* and delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of Mankind.* And so we cry out: "Save us, O Lord."

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Kontakion, Tone 2: O prophet and seer of the mighty works of our God,* Elias greatly renowned,* by your word, you stopped the rain clouds.* Pray for us to the only ne who loves mankind.

Prokeimenon, Tone 4

You, O Lord, will guard us and will keep us* from this generation and for ever.

Repeat: You, O Lord, will guard us and will keep us* from this generation and for ever.

verse: Save me, O Lord, for there is no longer left a just man.

Repeat: You, O Lord, will guard us and will keep us* from this generation and for ever.

Epistle

Romans 12:6-14

Alleluia, Tone 5

verse: Your mercies, O Lord, I will sing for ever; from generation to generation I will announce Your truth with my mouth.

verse: For You have said: Mercy shall be built up for ever; in the heavens Your truth shall be prepared.

Gospel

Matthew 9:1-8

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from the heavens;* praise Him in the highest.* The just man shall be in everlasting remembrance;* of evil hearsay he shall have no fear.* Alleluia, alleluia,* alleluia.

Liturgical Schedule

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Monday, July 21 Our Venerable Father Simeon, the Fool for Christ and John, his ascetical companion;	Romans 16:17-24 Matthew 13:10-23			
Tuesday, July 22 ② The Holy Myrrhbearer and Equal-to-the- Apostles Mary Magdalene	1 Corinthians 6:20-7:12 Matthew 14:1-13			
Wednesday July 23 The Holy Martyrs Trophimus, Theophilus and those with them	1 Corinthians 2:9-3:8 Matthew 13:31-36			
Thursday, July 24 The Holy Martyrs Borys and Hlib, Named Roman and David at Holy Baptism	Romans 8:28-39 John 15:17-16:2			
Friday, July 25 The Dormition of Saint Anna, Mother of the Most Holy Godbearer	Galatians 4:22-31 Luke 8:16-21			Abstain from meat and meat products.
Saturday, July 26	Romans 12:1-3	4:15pm	Divine Liturgy (for Sunday)	Intention: Parishioners
The Holy Hieromartyr Hermolaus and those with him	Matthew 10:37-11:1	5:30pm	Great Vespers	
Sunday, July 27 Seventh Sunday after	Romans 15:1-7 Matthew 9:27-35	10am	Divine Liturgy (Bilingual— Primarily English)	Intention: Parishioners

Other Events this Week

Monday, July 21 – Senior Exercise Class from 11-11:30am

Wednesday, July 23 – Senior Exercise Class from 11-11:30am

Thursday, July 24 – Cabbage Roll and Perogy making from 7am to noon. Lunch is provided.

Sunday, July 27 – Coffee and fellowship after Liturgy. Faith Formation (Topic: The Jesus Prayer, given by visiting priest Fr. Mike Bombak)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pentecost

- 1. We welcome our guests and visitors. Thank you for worshiping with us! Our Liturgy on Saturday evening is in English. Our Liturgy on Sunday morning is mostly in English. Come join us for coffee after Liturgy (on Sunday) and stay for the faith formation session. The topic: Making Sense of the Creation Accounts.
- 2. Fr Michael is on vacation from July 21 to August 1. Fr. Mike Bombak will be replacing him next weekend. If you require a priest urgently during this time (i.e. for the sacraments for someone who is dying), contact the on-call priest in the city who may be reached at 705-256-6675.

- 3. **Church email change**: Our new parish email is **soostmaryukr@outlook.com**. Please update your contact information.
- 4. **New phone system**: We have a new phone system with an automatic receptionist feature that gives you options when you call. To save yourself a few seconds, choose option 1 for the office, 2 for Fr. Michael, 4 for the kitchen.
- 5. Summer is upon us. If you are travelling or going to camp, don't neglect the Sunday Liturgy. The Eucharist is the source and summit of our Christian life, and to deprive ourselves of it is to starve ourselves spiritually.
- 6. Our cook Rick Nelson will be riding in the 3rd Annual DRAGONFLY RUN FUNDRAISER for ARCH on Sunday, August 24th. ALL money raised is to support our community hospice a vital part of our community. Please support this very important event. We have a sponsor sheet in the office. Tax receipts will be issued for donations of \$20 or more.
- 7. Our friends at Our Lady of Good Council Parish are planning a pilgrimage to Quebec's most beautiful and sacred sites: St. Joseph's Oratory, Notre Dame Cathedral, St. Anne de Beaupré, and Cape de la Madeleine. Dates of the pilgrimage: September 29th to October 3rd, 2025. Deadline to apply: July 25th. For more information, please contact Roberta by email at caymalone@yahoo.ca or by phone at 705-946-1069.

<u>Outreach to Homebound Parishioners</u>: 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 Stratichuk, Elsie Barrett, Betty Pauliuk, Doris Lebel, Jo-Anne Stone, Nikolaos Georgas, Denise Jacques, Phil Marinelli, Theresa Barsanti, Patty-Ann Bellerive, Jim Parniak, Connie Sampson, 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 & Art 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, Mel Stanghetta, Norna Martynuck, Sylvie B, Bill McConnell, Anastasiia Pavliuk, Wanda Featherston, Roger McMillan, Clark Hutton, Gerry, Moira O'Pallie, Karen Conway, Chris Applejohn, Brad Conway

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, July 13 Offering: \$625.00 Building Fund: \$270.00 Fundscrip Payout (Dec 2024-June 2025): \$412.26 In Memory of Nicholas Georgas: \$290.00

Thank You!!

"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)

The most precious liquid in the world is a tear. It's 1% water and 99% feelings. Think before you hurt someone.

Today I'm having a vision problem...I can't see myself doing anything at all!

My patience is like a gift card. Not sure how much is left, but we can give it a try.

Have a wonderful week!