

Душпастирство родин в умовах війни / Pastoral Care of Families during wartime

**Христос Рождається! Славимо Його! Christ is Born! Glorify Him! Січня / January 25, 2026**

**Неділя про митаря і фарисея / Sunday of the Publican and Pharisee**

*Св. Григорія Богослова, архієп. Царгородського*

*St. Gregory the Theologian, archbishop of Constantinople*

**1 Тимотея / 1 Timothy 3, 10-15      Луки / Luke 18, 10-14      Голос/Tone: 8**

**МОЛИМОСЯ НЕУСТАННО ЗА ПРИПИНЕННЯ ВІЙНИ ТА МИР В УКРАЇНІ!**

**STAND WITH UKRAINE AND PRAY WITH US FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE!**

**28 Січня, Середа** - 9:30 р. - за духовні і матеріальні потреби нашої парафії

**29 Січня, Четвер** - 5:00 в. - Вечірня

**30 Січня, П'ятниця** - 9:30 р. - трьох святителів, великих архиєреїв, Василя Великого, Григорія Богослова та Йоана Золотоустого

**31 Січня, Субота** - 5:00 в. - Недільна Божественна Літургія (Анг./Укр.)

**1 Лютого, Неділя** - 9:00 р. - Вервиця  
9:30 р. - Божественна Літургія (Укр.)  
11:00 р. - Божественна Літургія (Анг.)

**Просимо молитися за хворих парафіян:**

Лідія Крінічка, Феліція Телеснічка,  
Мирослава Катерина, Ярослава Литвин,  
Дон Бедрин, Марія Яцишин, Юрій Забалуєв

**Просимо забрати конвертки та календарі на 2026 рік.** Пожертви, отримані після 31 грудня 2025 року, будуть включені до пожертв за 2026 рік. Можна заплатити членську вкладку за попередні роки.

**Просимо забрати свої посвідки до відтягнення від податку за 2025 рік.**

**The next EPARCHIAL MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAM** will take place on Saturday, March 7, 2026 (8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.) at St. Joseph's Church in Oakville. Please visit website <https://www.sjucc.ca/marriage> or email St. Joseph's Church Office at [admin@sjucc.ca](mailto:admin@sjucc.ca) to request information and [registration forms](#) no later than February 21, 2026.

**January 28, Wednesday** - 9:30 a.m. - for the spiritual and material needs of our parish

**January 29, Thursday** - 5:00 p.m. - Vespers

**January 30 - Friday** - 9:30 a.m. - Synaxis of the Three Hierarchs: St. Basil the Great, St. Gregory the Theologian, and St. John Chrysostom

**January 31, Saturday** - 5:00 p.m. - Sunday Divine Liturgy (Eng./Ukr.)

**February 1, Sunday** - 9:00 a.m. - Rosary  
9:30 a.m. - Sunday Divine Liturgy (Ukr.)  
11:00 a.m. - Sunday Divine Liturgy (Eng.)

**Please pray for their health:**

Lydia Krinicki, Felicity Telesnicki, Myroslava Kateryna, Jaroslava Lytwyn, Don Bedrin, Mary Jacyshyn, Yuri Zabaluiiev

**Please pick up your envelopes and a 2026 calendar.**

Any donations received after December 31, 2025 will be included in the income tax receipt for the year 2026. Membership fees for 2025 will also be gladly accepted.

**Please pick up your Tax receipts for the year 2025**

**Lviv Pavilion is looking for a Mini Miss to represent our Pavilion during Fiesta Week.**

The criteria is that she must be between the ages of 5-7 and her parents must be a members in good standing of the St George's Ukrainian Catholic Church. For further information please contact Tanya Lushney or Lesya Laskowsky-Reed by March 29th, 2026. Tanya 905.436.5924 [lushneyt@gmail.com](mailto:lushneyt@gmail.com) or Lesya [lashaa@gmail.com](mailto:lashaa@gmail.com) 905.926.0499.

**UCWLC #2 currently looking for Miss Lviv** to represent our parish during Fiesta week.

Applicants must be between the ages of 16-21 years of age and be an active parish member. Should you be interested, please forward a cover letter explaining as to why you feel you are the best candidate along with a current resume to Irene Bogucki [bogi-it@bell.net](mailto:bogi-it@bell.net) before March 29th, 2026 or please call 905-579-6294.

**As we celebrate our Church year**, we kindly remind parishioners that the Ukrainian Catholic Church observes several important fasting periods. While joyous celebrations like weddings are cherished events, we encourage families planning a marriage to be mindful of these sacred times. Traditionally, weddings are not celebrated during the more solemn fasting seasons, such as the Great Fast (Lent), as this period is dedicated to deep spiritual preparation and penitence. Additionally, Wednesdays and Fridays throughout the year are days of abstinence from meat in our tradition. Regarding other fasting periods, such as the Nativity Fast (Pylypivka), the Apostles' Fast (Petrivka), and the Dormition Fast (Spasiwka), these are also times of spiritual focus. While less stringent than the Great Fast, the spirit of self-denial and prayer is still encouraged. In specific circumstances, and with pastoral discretion, our Bishop may grant a dispensation for the celebration of the Holy Mystery of Matrimony during these periods. We encourage those discerning marriage to speak with our parish priest well in advance to discuss suitable dates and any potential need for a dispensation. This ensures that the celebration of this beautiful Sacrament aligns respectfully with the spiritual rhythm of our Church. May God bless all those preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony!

**VATICAN CITY (OSV News)** - Just as we wouldn't leave newborns without clothes or food, we cannot leave them without faith and baptism, Pope Leo XIV told parents of children he baptized in the splendour and beauty of the Sistine Chapel January 11. The tradition of baptizing children of Vatican employees started in 1981 with St. John Paul II. Pope Leo baptized 20 children on the [feast of the Baptism of the Lord](#). "The children you now hold in your arms are transformed into new creatures," the pope told parents and godparents gathered for the ceremony in the breathtaking interior of Michelangelo's chapel. "Just as they received life from you, parents," he said, "so now they receive the meaning to live it: faith." In seeking good for our children, we wouldn't "leave newborns without clothes or food, waiting for them to choose how to dress and what to eat as adults," would we? the pope asked. Addressing the gathering as "Dearest ones," the pope said that if "food and clothing are necessary for life, faith is more than necessary, because with God life finds salvation."