

### THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE

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об тне Most Holy Mother of God Парафіга Успіннга Пресв. Богороднці A parish of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Edmonton

### Address:

15608 -104 Avenue, Edmonton, AB T5P 4G5

### Services:

Sunday Divine Liturgy (Ukr & Eng) at 10 am & Melkite (Arabic) D.L.

at 2 pm

Akathist or Molebyn Most Wednesdays at 6 pm (see calendar)

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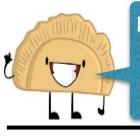
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## Sunday, October 13

Commemoration of the Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council, Octoechos Tone 1; The Holy Martyrs Carpus, Papylas and Agathonicus (249-51)



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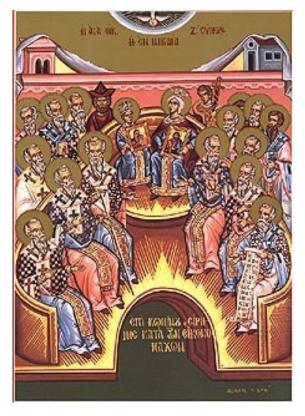
It's on Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>.

## Commemoration of the Holy Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council (cca,ora)

Today the Church remembers the 350 holy Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council under the holy Patriarch Tarasius (February 25).

The Synod of 787, the second to meet at Nicea, refuted the Iconoclast heresy during the reign of Empress Irene and her son Constantine VI.

The Council decreed that the veneration of icons was not idolatry (Exodus 20:4-5), because the honor shown to them is not directed to the wood or paint, but passes to the prototype (the person depicted). It also upheld the possibility of depicting Christ, Who became man and



took flesh at His Incarnation. The Father, on the other hand, cannot be represented in His eternal nature, because "no man has seen God at any time" (John 1:18).

In Greek practice, the holy God-bearing Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council are commorated on October 11 (if it is a Sunday), or on the Sunday which follows October 11. According to the Slavic MENAION, however, if the eleventh falls on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday, the service is moved to the preceding Sunday.

## Saints of the Day (taken from OCA.org)

## Martyrs Carpus, Papylus, Agathadorus, and Agathonica, at Pergamum

The Martyrs Carpus, Papylus, Agathodorus and Agathonike suffered at Pergamum during the persecution of Decius in the third century.

The governor of the district where the saints lived discovered that Carpus and Papylus did not celebrate the pagan festivals. He ordered that the transgressors be arrested and persuaded to accept the Roman pagan religion. The saints replied that they would never worship false gods. The



judge then ordered them to be bound in iron chains and led through the city, and then to be tied to horses and dragged to the nearby city of Sardis.

Agathodorus and Agathonike voluntarily followed after Carpus and Papylus. Saint Agathonike was choked to death with ox sinews and Saints Carpus, Papylus and Agathodorus were beheaded in Sardis.

During his life Saint Papylus was known for his gift of curing the sick. Since his martyrdom, he has granted healing to all who pray to him with faith.

The last few Sundays I was polling the parish to figure out what would be the best times for us to put on parish programs. It seems that no matter what we choose we will never be able to satisfy everyone, but, I will do my best to serve as many people as I can. Starting now:

- All Major Church Feasts will have a Divine Liturgy celebrated on the actual feast day at 7pm. (unless that is not possible, which will be noted in bulletins in advance)
- During fasts (Pre-Christmas & Lent) and at other times of the year, we will also have regular special services announced, likely on Wednesdays.
- I am also planning to put together a 4-6 session "Understanding the Divine Liturgy" series that I hope to start on Wednesday nights starting in November.
- These "Understanding the Divine Liturgy" sessions will also be available in some form to people online.
- Other programs will be done in the new year.

Also, so far, we have at least five people from our parish who told me that they plan to participate in the Eparchial Cantoring course on Oct. 25. YOU can still register, and our parish will pay your fee.

ALL interested (even those 5 who mentioned it) MUST REGISTER THEMSELVES. Information on how to register are in the "News" section of this bulletin.



## Called to be Holy: Men's Retreat Nov. I, 6:30 pm - Nov. 2, 4:30 pm, 2019

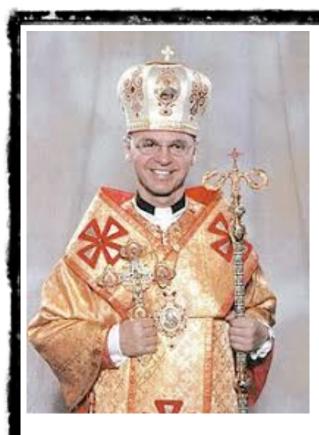
LOCATION: Providence Renewal Centre 3005 - 119 St NW, Edmonton

**COST:** After Oct 5 - \$70.00 - commute, \$120.00 - live in. Includes Saturday breakfast, lunch and all snacks. Optional Friday supper - \$20.00

**REGISTER ONLINE** on the Eparchy of Edmonton Website.

**MORE INFORMATION**: call: 780-424-5496 or email: education@edmontoneparchy.com.

Deadline for registrations is Oct 25, 2019. No late registrations will be accepted.



All families of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Edmonton are invited to

## A Celebration of Bishop David's Name Day

Sunday, November 3, 2019

2:00 p.m.

St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Parish

9507 Austin O'Brien Road, Edmonton

Hosted by Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary and St. Nicholas UCWLC Branches



The Ukrainian Catholic Education Foundation (UCEF)

cordially invite you to a





View of Sheptytsky Centre at UCU

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2019

In support of the Ukrainian Catholic University

St. Josaphat Cathedral – Parish Hall 9637 – 108th Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta

5:30 pm Reception / Cash Bar

6:30 pm Banquet Dinner and Program Presentation: The New Sheptytsky Centre at UCU Special Guests: Father Bohdan Prach – UCU Rector Olha Zarichinska – UCU Director of Development



Guest Speaker: **Ivanka Diman** UCU Graduate, Head "Building Ukraine Together" Project

### Tickets and Information: 780-422-3181 or visit ucef.ca

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
13 10 am Divine Liturgy 2 pm Melkite Liturgy	I4 Thanksgiving Day	15 7 pm Parish Pastoral Council Meeting in the Church	I6 Fr. Bo @ course for Theosis Studios Joseph Paziuk's Birthday	<b>I7</b> St. Nicholas (Ukr) Parish's FFF	IB () () Eparchial Convention Damen Hundt's Birthday	IP () () Eparchial Convention Ipm Melkite Divine Liturgy (40 day memorial) St. Sophia Parish's Octoberfest
20 Eparchial Convention I0 am Divine Liturgy with Little Friends of Jesus 2 pm Melkite Liturgy Sera Nahachewsky's and Victor Lirette's Birthdays	<b>2l Election Day</b> Helen Sirman's Birthday	<b>22</b> Ihor Genyk's Birthday	23	24 Anne Tymko's Birthday Knights of Columbus Padre Night	25 Eparchial Cantoring Course Melkite Youth Bible Study in Parish Hall Jack Bawol's Birthday	26 🟈 🏈 🏈
27 10 am Divine Liturgy UCWLC Meeting after Liturgy 2 pm Melkite Liturgy	28 Clergy Study Days	29 Clergy Study Days	30 Clergy Study Days Katie Bunio's and Josie Zeleny's Birthdays	31 Halloween Clergy Study Days	I 🏈 Clergy Study Days & Conference	2
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## Parish & Eparchial & Beyond News:

- We pray for the health and well-being of all the servants and handmaidens of God who need our prayers: Mary Orysiuk, Jean Miskiw, Sarah Komar, Marge Woitas, Katie Bunio, Stella Dronyk, John Puto, Ann Horsman, Annie Polack, Louis Pewar & Rosa Maria Santos. (If you know any other people who should be on this list: please email me.)
- We wish God's blessings and **happy birthday** to our parishioners: **Joseph** Paziuk and **Damen** Hundt who celebrate their birthdays this week. God grant you many years!
- If we don't have your birthday, or if we have your birthday info wrong... please send an email (or at least a piece of paper) with your corrected birthdate and name.
- **FREE** FOR PARISHIONERS OF DORMITION. ALL ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND: The Eparchy of Edmonton invites you to participate in a Cantoring Course on Friday, October 25 (6:00-9:00 pm); and Saturday, October 26 (9:00 am to 4:00 pm), concluding with Great Vespers at 4:00 pm., at St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral, 10825 - 97th Street, Edmonton. Topics include: the Divine Liturgy, the Eight Resurrectional Tones (Troparia, Kontakia, Prokeimena, Alleluia with verses), and various changeable parts for Major Feasts, including the festal Irmos. Everything will be covered in English and Ukrainian (including transliteration). Cost: \$40 includes course materials, lunch and snacks. To register contact the Pastoral Centre (<u>chancery@edmontoneparchy.com</u>) or (780) 424-5496. Questions can also be directed to Dr. Melanie Turgeon (<u>melanie.turgeon@kingsu.ca</u>)."
- Roman Kobyletskyy, Seminarian-Pastoral Intern, will receive the Laying-on of Hands (Ordination) to the **Diaconate**, by Bishop David, on Sunday, **November 17**, at the 10:00 am, Divine Liturgy and Praznyk (Parish Feast Day), Saint Josaphat Cathedral.

 Pope Francis proclaimed an Extraordinary Missionary Month to be celebrated this October: Baptized and Sent, the Church of Christ on Mission in the World (see below for more details).

To mark the Extraordinary Missionary Month, parishes/ parish districts within the Eparchy of Edmonton are invited to celebrate the role families play in passing on the Gospel message to their children and grandchildren. In particular, parishes/parish disctricts are invited to organize during the month of October a special Divine Liturgy - one of the regularly scheduled Sunday Divine Liturgies, or another day – to honour and bless couples who are celebrating their 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversaries (and other significant years). Children and grandchildren are invited to be present on this jubilee occasion with their parents and grandparents. Pastors are asked to include a special petition in the Divine Liturgy for the couples' intention, and to invite the couples together with their families to come forward at the conclusion of the Divine Liturgy for a special blessing. Families are indeed missionaries, sharing the Good News of the Gospel with their children. May Christ bless them abundantly with his love!

The Ukrainian Catholic Bishops in Canada appointed Rev.
Ephrem Kardouh, bso, Spiritual Director of Holy Spirit
Seminary, Edmonton, effective October 1, 2019. Father
Ephrem is a Melkite Greek-Catholic priest of the Basilian
Salvatorian Order. He holds a Master of Divinity from Saint
Pope John XXIII Seminary, Weston, Massachusetts, as well as
professional training in Clinical Pastoral Education. Since
2015, Father Ephrem has served as Pastoral Administrator
(Melkite Greek-Catholic) of Saint Basil Parish, Calgary, and Saint
Nicholas Parish, Edmonton. At the same time he was Chaplain
at Foothills Hospital, Calgary.

## Little Friends of Jesus (LFJ) Calendar Dates 2019-2020

CIX! We are excited for the new LFJ season. Please take note of our upcoming LFJ lessons and sign up for your child to bring a snack to share.

We recognize that parents are the child's first teacher. We will provide notes on each lesson and encourage you to do the enrichment activity with your children during the week.

- ✓ September 15 (done)
- ✓ September 29 (done)
- ✓October 6 (done)
- October 20
- November 3

- November 24
- December 1
- December 8 St. Nicholas Celebration
- January 12

## Changeable Parts for Today's Divine Liturgy

**Troparion:** Though the stone was sealed by the Judeans,\* and soldiers guarded Your most pure body,\* You arose, O Saviour, on the third day,\* and gave life to the world.\* And so the heavenly powers cried out to You, O Giver of Life:\* Glory to Your resurrection, O Christ!\* Glory to Your kingdom!\* Glory to Your saving plan,\* O only Lover of mankind.

**Troparion:** Christ our God, You are glorified above all,\* You established our fathers as beacons on the earth\* and through them guided all of us to the true faith.\* Glory to You, most compassionate Lord.

**Kontakion:** You arose in glory from the tomb\* and with Yourself You raise the world.\* All humanity acclaims You as God.\* and death has vanished.\* Adam exults, O Master,\* and Eve, redeemed from bondage now, cries out for joy:\* "You are the One, O Christ, Who offer resurrection to all."

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

**Kontakion:** The Son who ineffably shone from the Father\* was born two-fold of nature from a woman.\* Beholding Him, we do not reject the image of His form;\* but depicting it, we revere it faithfully.\* Therefore the Church, holding the true faith,\* kisses the icon of Christ's becoming man.

Now and forever and ever. Amen.

**Theotokion:** Undaunted patroness of Christians,\* O steadfast intermediary with the Creator,\* turn not away from the suppliant voices of sinners,\* but in your kindness come to help us who cry out to you in faith.\* Be quick to intercede, make haste to plead,\* for you are ever the patroness of those who honour you, O Mother of God.

#### **Prokeimenon**:

Blessed are You, Lord God of our fathers,\* and praised and glorified is Your Name forever.

**Verse:** For You are righteous in everything that You have done to us.

### Epistle Hebrews 13:7-16

Remember your leaders, those who spoke the word of God to you; consider the outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Do not be carried away by all kinds of strange teachings; for it is well for the heart to be strengthened by grace, not by regulations about food, which have not benefited those who observe them. We have an altar from which those who officiate in the tent have no right to eat. For the bodies of those animals whose blood is brought into the sanctuary by the high priest as a sacrifice for sin are burned outside the camp. Therefore Jesus also suffered outside the city gate in order to sanctify the people by his own blood. Let us then go to him outside the camp and bear the abuse he endured. For here we have no lasting city, but we are looking for the city that is to come. Through him, then, let us continually offer a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that confess his name. Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

#### Alleluia

**Verse:** The God of gods, the Lord, spoke and summoned the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.

**Verse:** Gather to Him His devout ones, who with sacrifice make covenant with Him.

#### Gospel John 17:1-13

Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves.

#### **Communion Hymn**

Praise the Lord from the heavens,\* praise Him in the highest.\* Rejoice in the Lord, O you just;\* praise befits the righteous.\* Alleluia, alleluia,\* alleluia. (Psalms 184:1; 32:1)