

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

ПАРАФІЯ НЕПОРОЧНОГО ЗАЧАТТЯ ПРЕЧИСТОЇ ДІВИ МАРІЇ

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ТОМИНА НЕДІЛЯ 19 КВІТНЯ, 2020

ГЛАВА УГКЦ ПРИВІТАВ ПАПУ-ЕМЕРИТА ВЕНЕДИКТА XVI З ДНЕМ НАРОДЖЕННЯ

Четвер, 16 квітня 2020

16 квітня папі-емериту Венедикту XVI виповнилося 93 роки. Вітаючи Його Святість із днем народження, Блаженніший Святослав подякував за солідарність з Україною та попросив і надалі молитися за припинення війни на сході країни.



Сім років тому папа Венедикт XVI передав служіння Єпископа Рима своєму наступникові папі Франциску. Блаженніший Святослав кілька разів відвідував папу-емерита у монастирі Mater Ecclesiae, останній раз це відбулося 10 вересня минулого року на завершення Синоду Єпископів УГКЦ, який проходив у Римі. Кожного разу Святіший Отець виявляв зацікавлення ситуацією в

Україні та запевняв у свої молитвах за припинення війни на Сході.

Вітаючи папу-емерита, Блаженніший Святослав подякував йому за близькість до України та постійну молитовну підтримку. Глава УГКЦ також запевнив Його Святість у своїх молитвах за нього.

Секретаріат Глави УГКЦ в Рим

RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD (PASCHA)

APRIL 19, 2020

Due to the corona virus pandemic the ORDER OF SERVICES in our parish will take place as follow:

З огляду на ситуацію що склалася внаслідок пандемії корона вірусу Богослуження в нашій парафії відбуватимуться за слідуєчим порядком:

ПОРЯДОК БОГОСЛУЖЕНЬ (19го квітня до 3го травня, 2020) ORDER OF SERVICES (April 19th to May 3rd, 2020)

Неділя – Sunday 19	ВЕЛИКДЕНЬ - RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD 7:30 A.M. НАДГРОБНЕ, УТРЕНЯ І СВ. ЛІТУРГІЯ NADHROBNE, MATINS & DIVINE LITURGY For all of our parishioners and their intentions 10:00 A.M. (ТОМИНА НЕДІЛЯ – григоріянський кал.) +Michael Hnytka – Myroslawa Kiekisz
Понеділок – Tues. 20	СВІТЛИЙ ПОНЕДІЛОК – BRIGHT MONDAY 9:00 A.M. Health: Steven Storkel - family
Вівторок – Tues. 21	СВІТЛИЙ ВІВТОРОК – BRIGHT TUESDAY 9:00 A.M. +Diane Storkel - family +Michael Sheremeta
Середа – Wed. 22	8:00 A.M. +Anna Werbowecky (P) – Helen Pawluk
Четвер – Thurs. 23	ST. GEORGE GREAT MARTYR – СВ. ВЕЛИКОМУЧ. ЮРІЙ 8:00 A.M. Yuriy Kuzma - family
П'ятниця - Fri. 24	8:00 A.M. +Vera Iwanycky – Luba Lukomskyj
Субота – Sat. 25	9:00 P.M. Marko & Suzie Komarynsky – Luba Lukomskyj
Неділя – Sunday 26	10:00 A.M. for our parishioners 11:30 A.M. for all ill parishioners

ВАШ ДАР БОГОВІ ТА ПАРАФІЇ – YOUR GIFT TO GOD & PARISH

Неділя 5го і 12го квітня / Sunday, April 5th & 12th (mail & website)- \$6,339.00

Будівельний Фонд / Building Fund (mail & GoFundMe) – \$17,120.00

ПРОСИМО МОЛИТИСЯ ЗА: о.Френка Аванта, о.Леонарда Корчинського, о.Михайла Кузьму, о. Тому Добровольського, о. Андрія Чировського, о. Романа Лаголу, Тима Гайдера, Дебі Плішки, Ольгу Ширмир, Мардж Матвіїв, Картера Борман, Любу Чорну, Євгена Павліша, Богдана Юринця, Світлану Санагурську, Любу Лукомську, Андрею Андрес, Євгенію Яхнів, Жоану Сокальську, Лярису Дас, Юрія Нагаєвського, Джеккі Мишкієвич, Христину Рудавську, Анну Назар, Келвін Мекмен, Стефана Сторкел і за всіх недужих.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Fr. Frank Avant, Fr. Leonard Korchinski, Fr. Mykhailo Kuzma, Fr. Tom Dobrowolsky, Fr. Andriy Chirovsky, Fr. Roman Lahola, Fr. Bohdan, Tim Heider, Debbie Plishka, Olha Schirmer, Marge Matviuw, Carter Borman, Luba Chorny, Eugene Pawlisch, Bohdan Yurinet, Svitlana Sanahurska, Luba Lukomskyj, Andrea Andres, Betty Jachniw, Laryssa Das, Yuriy Nahayewsky, Jackie Myshkiewicz, Christine Rudawski. Anna Nazar, Calvin McMahon, Steven Storkel and all those in need of our prayers.

ОГОЛОШЕННЯ

1. Молимося за усіх Вас і за кінець до пандемії.
2. **Вірні можуть приймати участь у всіх наших відправах** on-line.
Просимо до участі. Порядок відправ в нашій парафії знайдете на Фейсбук або на веб-сайті: icshrine.org
3. Дорогі парафіяни. Вітаючи всіх вас зі Світлим празником Воскресення Господнього з огляду на скрутне фінансове становище нашої парафії через пандемію коронавірусу просимо не забувати складати ваші пожертви на церкву та на будівельний фонд нового храму. Просимо це робити через платформу GoFundMe на нашій сторінці у Facebook, через нашу інтернет сторінку: icshrine.org, чи просто вкидати конверт з чеком в поштову скриньку зправа від вхідних дверей до будинку СУМу, при цьому не забудьте вказати на конверті ваше прізвище і що це пожертва на церкву.
З цієї ж причини просимо допомоги у всіх хто працює столярами, сантехніками, плиточниками, малярами. Бажаючих допомогти працею просимо зголошуватись на телефон пана Джон Панько 847-344-3857 або о. Ярослава 224-801-1907. Наперед дякуємо за ваші щирі молитви і підтримку.

ANNOUNCEMENT

1. We are praying daily for all of you and for an end to the pandemic. If you have personal intentions please contact the parish office or email: frmykhailo@att.net
2. All services are on line. Please join us. The schedule and all information can be found on Immaculate Conception Facebook and on our parish web-site at icshrine.org
3. A blessed Easter season to you and your loved ones. We thank you for your financial support and appeal to all to continue supporting our parish operating fund and our parish Building Fund. You can send your donations to the parish or to the GoFundMe option on our parish Facebook or website (icshrine.org).
If you are able to help out with in the new church including, carpentry, plumbing fixtures, tile layers, painters please contact Mr. John Panko at 847-344-3857 or Fr. Yaroslav at 224-801-1907. Thank you in advance for your committed support.

FROM THE WRITINGS OF FR. MICHEL RODRIGUE

God the Father answered, ***"It is the devil who acts in a person when they are in sin."***

"What is a sin?"

"People sin every time that they do something against Me, against your brothers and sisters, against My will, and against the teachings that I give you."

НАДХОДЯЧІ ПОДІЇ – UPCOMING EVENTS

Відправи в СУМ-і / Services at SUM - ???

PIERCING THE CLOUDS WITH PRAYER FROM THE HEART



The prayer that pierces the clouds, that goes most directly to God, and yields quickest powerful results, is the “right prayer of desire” — not the prayer of complaint, and not the prayer for luxury — certainly — (nothing from lust): but the prayer of right true desire — *because it is prayer right from the heart.*

Right and true mean in accordance with His Plan for your life. The right way. The direct path, even in crisis.

The devil grants extravagance

(and wears Prada).

The Lord gives what you need; he wastes nothing. This is worth repeating: God gives you what you need; the devil gives you luxury.

The Lord may well answer a complaint. He hears all cries. But they have to be sincere ones — which means *real* need; which means it is in accordance with His Plan for you. With God, there is no desperation.

Do you collect yourself as to how you should approach Him? Do you pray about what you should pray about? Do you pray about your mission?

And before you pray, do you set your heart right?

Now, this doesn't mean you can't ask for some nice things. God is very generous. No one is more so! He always outdoes us. He wants us to enjoy life.

But “right” means to pray with measure. It means to pray unselfishly. It means to avoid greed.

It is to ask in a way that is contrite and humble.

“Right” means to have balance and peace and springs from love. You will know when you glow.

There is a map for your life and mission and God is always ready to supply what we need to find our way on it — to negotiate the byways, the detours, the fast lanes on those highways; to avoid the ruts.

The great signpost on the journey of your life is joy, even in trying times.

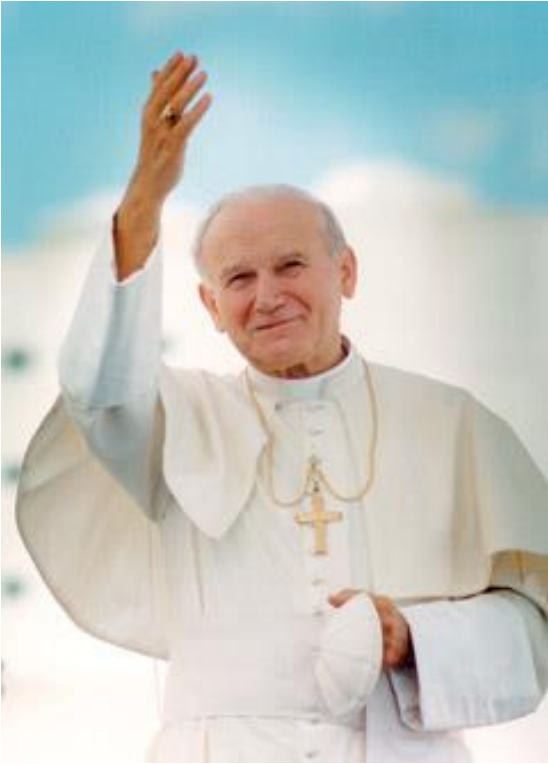
When there is joy, God is near. It is how to “read the map” that leads to your destiny.

Happiness is great. We can be excited or happy for a period of time. But *joy* speaks more of a long-term state of being, of “contentment” as a passive state that's satisfied with all that happens and has gladness and the humor of wisdom in every circumstance even when there's no worldly security and no jolt of adrenaline (as there is when there is a “thrill”). Contentment is joy without complaint and even when not every want has been gratified.

Those who have cast out lust and materialism and fear (which comes from the flesh or the enemy) know this state, which joins peace as the gauge of God's Presence. Seek to be relaxed and restful and at peace in every circumstance.

The devil does not give joy but rather thrills and daring and that flash-in-the-pan excitement that rides a roller-coaster.

Remember that thrills can kill and that the daredevil's "joy" is counterfeit (and that roller-coasters are short rides to nowhere).



True joy comes when we cast out the devil in the Name of Jesus!

"Dear children, today I wish to call you to pray, pray, pray," said a message in 1985 from Medjugorje. *"In prayer you shall perceive the greatest joy, and the way out of every situation that has no exit."*

In fact, *only* through prayer — not politics, not business, not science — will we take the right course in life, the right actions. This is also true in our lives: prayer offers surprising answers. When we're confronted with what seems impossible, we pray and with sudden clarity see the way out. You know how it is: Often we find ourselves in what seems like a bleak place. Often we can't imagine *how* to solve a problem. Often we find ourselves in situations that seem to have no good alternative.

It could be a financial crisis. It could be a problem with one's career. It could be a dilemma with children. It could be a pandemic.

From time to time we all feel painted into a corner.

That's the time to pray. That's the time to drop everything and lift the heart upward. It's remarkable how solutions wing into our heads during prayer — answers that would otherwise allude us.

Here's something that can change your life, or at least your attitude. It's a simple message: with the eyes of faith, we become victors and not victims and fulfill who we really are. That's quite a promise. No matter where you are, no matter how life has been treating you, there is always the opportunity to pull ourselves up by the bootstraps and turn what seems like a situation without an exit into victory.

Joy is hope. Joy is to be fulfilled. Joy is when the cup of your life mission is filling up.

Joy is knowing where you are on the "map."

Always choose joy over short-term "excitement," "contentment," or "happiness"!

It comes, does true joy, when you ask for it in the *right* way and your request comes from a heart that loves.

OUR LADY OF MEDJUGORJE, QUEEN OF PEACE

"Medjugorje is the spiritual center of the world"

(St. Pope John Paul II)

Dear Family of Mary!

Today we pray for all souls who are lukewarm. These are souls who barely care about God and who live their lives in a forgetful fog. They do not know where they are going or why, because they do not recognize God as God, and do not desire Him. They are indifferent to everything spiritual. We could say that our materialistic, hedonistic cultures create such souls, by distracting them from their true destiny, and convincing them that this life is all that matters.

Our Lady spoke about such souls in this message:



November 20, 1986 **"Dear children! Today also I am calling you to live and follow with a special love all the messages which I am giving you. Dear children, God does not want you lukewarm and undecided, but that you totally surrender to Him. You know that I love you and that out of love I long for you. Therefore, dear children, you also decide for love so that you will long for and daily experience God's love. Dear children, decide for love so that love prevails in all of you, but not human love, rather God's love. Thank you for having responded to my call."**

Our Lady offers a way to heal our indifferent and lukewarm hearts in this message. Her messages are a helping hand into the real world of faith and love. She is with us to guide us into the true reality of life with God! No more indifference for us!

Jesus spoke to St. Faustina about lukewarm souls as well:

367. + On one occasion, Jesus gave me to know that when I pray for intentions which people are wont to entrust to me, He is always ready to grant His graces, but souls do not always want to accept them: **My Heart overflows with great mercy for souls, and especially for poor sinners. If only they could understand that I am the best of Fathers to them and that it is for them that the Blood and Water flowed from My Heart as from a fount overflowing with mercy. For them I dwell in the tabernacle as King of Mercy. I desire to bestow My graces upon souls, but they do not want to accept them. You, at least, come to Me as often as possible and take these graces they do not want to accept. In this way you will console My Heart. Oh, how indifferent are souls to so much goodness, to so many proofs of love! My Heart drinks only of the ingratitude and forgetfulness of souls living in the world. They have time for everything, but they have no time to come to Me for graces.**

Indifference and lukewarm faith are rampant in our time. This last day is a plea for prayer for countless souls who have no idea what road they are on. To be lukewarm is to deny the future, to deny eternal life and the reality of Heaven and Hell. To be lukewarm is worse than being dead. As Jesus said in scripture:

"`I know your works: you are neither cold nor hot. Would that you were cold or hot! So, because you are lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spew you out of my mouth. For you say, I am rich, I have prospered, and I need nothing; not knowing that you are wretched, pitiable, poor, blind, and naked. Therefore I counsel you to buy from me gold refined by fire, that you may be rich, and white garments to clothe you and to keep the shame of your nakedness from being seen, and salve to anoint your eyes, that you may see. Those whom I love, I reprove and chasten; so be zealous and repent. (Rev 3:15-19)

Divine Mercy is the source of all those things we lack - gold, garments, and salve. Divine

Mercy can make up for all we lack in holiness and fervor for the Lord. We need to turn to God's mercy and surrender completely to Him now, before it is too late.

ПРИГАДУЄМО УСІМ ПАРАФІЯНАМ

Щоб гідно приймати Святі Тайни парафіянин повинен жити за правилами віри та серйозно підготувитися. Добрі (віддані) парафіяни є ті котрі:

1. В неділі й свята беруть участь в Святій Літургії
2. Жертвують час, таланти і матеріально підтримують парафію
3. Записані до парафії
4. Знають загальні правди й молитви нашої віри

A REMINDER TO ALL PARISHIONERS

Reception of the Sacraments requires the committed practice of the faith and serious preparation. Committed parishioners are those who:

1. Attend Divine Liturgy on Sunday's and Feast Days
2. Give of their time, talents and financial resources
3. Have enrolled in the parish
4. Know and understand the basic prayer and tenets of our faith

Remember Our Parish in Your Will

You can leave a lasting legacy to benefit future generations! Please remember our Immaculate Conception Ukrainian Catholic Parish when creating your will. Your good works will continue after you have gone! ***Please contact the office for information.***

Згадайте нашу парафію у Вашому заповіті

Ви можете залишити частину своєї спадщини на благо майбутніх поколінь! Ласкаво, пам'ятайте, парафію Непорочного Зачаття Пречистої Діви Марії при створенні Вашого заповіту. Ваші добрі діла будуть продовжуватися після Вашого повернення Додому, до вічного життя!