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# НЕДІЛЯ 19ТА ПІСЛЯ П'ЯТДЕСЯТНИЦІ 3ГО ЖОВТНЯ 2021



# 19TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST OCTOBER 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2021

# ПОРЯДОК БОГОСЛУЖЕНЬ (4го до 10го жовтня, 2021) ORDER OF SERVICES (October 4<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021)

| ONDER OF SERVICES (SCIODE: 1 to 10 / 2021) |            |                                     |
|--------------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|
| Понеділок – Monday 4                       | 8:00 A.M.  | Sanctification of clergy            |
| Вівторок – Tuesday 5                       | 8:00 A.M.  | Special Intention                   |
|                                            | 7:00 P.M.  | Mothers in Prayer                   |
| Середа – Wednesday 6                       | 8:00 A.M.  | Olha Mendyuk (B-day)                |
|                                            | 7:00 P.M.  | Andrew & Olena Tefft – family       |
|                                            |            | Special Intention                   |
| Четвер – Thursday 7                        | 8:00 A.M.  | Sanctification of clergy            |
| П'ятниця – Friday 8                        | 9:00 A.M.  | Special Intention: Johnny Panko     |
| Субота – Saturday 9                        | 9:00 A.M.  | Special Intention                   |
|                                            |            | Sanctification of clergy            |
|                                            |            | For all those who are ill           |
| Неділя – Sunday 10                         | 8:30 A.M.  | Special Intention                   |
|                                            | 10:00 A.M. | for our parishioners                |
|                                            | 11:30 A.M. | Health: Wolodymyr Kusyk – Ola Kusyk |
|                                            |            |                                     |

# **IF ONLY**

Meditation: Today, in the course of a long conversation, the Lord said to me, How very much I desire the salvation of souls! My dearest secretary, write that I want to pour out My divine life into human souls and sanctify them, if only they were willing to accept My grace. The greatest sinners would achieve great sanctity, if only they would trust in My mercy (Diary, 1784).

**My Prayer Response:** O Lord Jesus, what power is in the two words: "if only." You want to sanctity me and all souls *if only* we were willing to accept Your grace — *if only* we would trust in Your mercy!

**ПРОСИМО МОЛИТИСЯ ЗА:** о. Андрія Чировського, о. Френка Авант, о.Богдана, о. Михайла Кузьму, Джона Панько, Тима Гайдера, Дебі Плішки, Мардж Матвіїв, Любу Чорну, Любу Лукомську, Євгенію Яхнів, Лярису Дас, Джекі Мишкіевич, Анну Назар, Келвина Макмена, Наталію Лісову, Марію Ступень, Роксоляну Козич, Луку Лоґан і за всіх недужих.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Fr. Andriy Chirovsky, Fr. Frank Avant, Fr. Bohdan, Fr. Mykhailo Kuzma, John Panko, Tim Heider, Debbie Plishka, Marge Matviuw, Luba Chorny, Luba Lukomskyj, Betty Jachniw, Laryssa Das, Jackie Myshkiewicz, Anna Nazar, Calvin McMahon, Nataliya Lisova, Maria Stupen, Roxolana Kozych, Luke Logan and all those in need of our prayers.

To be in charge of an apostolic undertaking demands readiness to suffer everything, from everybody, with infinite charity. *St. Josemaria Escriva* 

"Through Mary, we come to her Son more easily."

## ОГОЛОШЕННЯ

- 1. Витаємо нашого Владику Венедикта в цей день нашої прощі "Марія, уособлення найвищих чеснот. Витаємо дорогого о. Іллю, котрий викладатиме науки сьогодні.
- 2. Просимо на каву, канапки і солодке після св. Літургіі.
- 3. Запрошиємо УСІХ на нашу прощу.
- 4. Катедра матиме прощу до Святої Гори в наступну неділю.

### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

- 1. We welcome His Grace Bishop Benedict today and also Fr. Ilya who will be giving three teachings during today's pilgrimage.
- 2. We invite EVERYONE to join us for today's pilgrimage entitled "Mary, personification of the highest virtues".
- 3. Join us for coffee and...after the Liturgy.
- 4. Our Cathedral Parish will be having a pilgrimage to Holy Hill next Sunday.

#### ПЕРШЕ ТОРЖЕСТВЕЕНЕ ПРИЧАСТП І СПОВІДЬ

Починаються Занятта / Classes Begin – 31/10/2021
Реєстрація по неділях від 3 жовтня біля парафіііяльної канцелярії
Registrations begin October 3rd in the hallway next to the parish office
Дзвоніть до Оксани Кузьма / Call Oksana Kuzma – 847-991-0820
ДІТИ І БАТЬКИ МУСЯТЬ ПРИХОДИТИ ЦО ЦЕРКВИ ЩО НЕДІЛІ
CHILDREN AND THEIR PARENTS MUST COME TO CHURCH EVERY SUNDAY

Принесіть метрику хрещення і миропомазання / Bring baptisma and chrismation certificates

### Bible Study at Immaculate Conception

Starts Thursday, Sept. 9th

**The book of Matthew**. *Matthew*: *The King and His Kingdom*, a twenty-four-part Bible study, explores how Jesus is challenging and empowering us to a new level of holiness and shows how we must be thoroughly immersed in the kingdom of heaven on earth, the Church, to live it.

Participants will meet *Every Thursday* starting with group discussion and fellowship and then view an engaging video presentation. For more information or to register, contact Tom Kashul at 847-825-2874

# ВІДПУСТОВИЙ ХРАМ НОВОМУЧЕНИКІВ SHRINE OF THE NEW MARTYRS OF UKRAINE

Будь ласка віддайте одну годину вашого часу у молінні перед Евхаристійним Христом який перебуває в кивоті. За інформацією дзвоніть до пані Лесі Чернецької на тел. 847-907-1624. Please sign up for one hour a week to spend time and pray in the presence of our Eucharistic Lord. Please choose your time and sign up as you exit the church. Remember that our Lord asked the Apostles: "Could you not spend one hour with me?" For more information call Mrs. Lesia Chernetska at 847-907-1624.

В останній п'ятниці кожного місяця маємо ДЕНЬ МОЛИТВИ за інтенції Пресвятої Богородиці. Молитва постійна від 8 раго до півночі.

On the last Friday of each month we have a DAY OF PRAYER for the intentions of the Mother of God. You are invited to join for continuous prayer from 8AM to midnight.

**Наступна наша проща** відбудеться о неділю 3го жовтня. Науки буде викладати о. Ілля Мамчак, духовник наших сестед в Річмонді.

**Our next Pilgrimmage** will take place on Sunday, October 3rd. Fr. Ilya Mamchak, the chaplain for our nuns in Richmond will be giving the teachings.

# У ВІННИЦІ ВСТАНОВИЛИ ПАМ'ЯТНИК БЛАЖЕННІШОМУ ЛЮБОМИРУ ГУЗАРУ. УРОЧИСТЕ ВІДКРИТТЯ ВІДБУДЕТЬСЯ 9 ЖОВТНЯ

28 вересня 2021 року поблизу храму Покрову Пресвятої Богородиці УГКЦ у місті Вінниці встановили пам'ятник Блаженнішому Патріарху Любомиру Гузару. Урочисте відкриття його відбудеться 9 жовтня 2021 року. Цьому передуватиме низка заходів у місті під назвою «Тиждень

патріарха Любомира Гузара. Прилучитися до Великого».

THE ALAPECYPC YIKLI MASOMIP RAPLINAL WEAT

Пам'ятник на повний зріст, виготовлений з бронзи. Блаженніший Любомир Гузар одягнений у камізельку поверх підрясника. Поряд із ним стоїть колона, на якій розташована патріарша митра та видніє архиєрейський герб і напис «Бути Людиною». «Перед тим як встановити пам'ятник, тут почали облаштовувати територію. Роботи з благоустрою виконують за кошти міського бюджету: кладуть плитку, роблять додаткове освітлення», – повідомляють на сайті Вінницької міської ради.

Встановлення пам'ятника Блаженнішому Любомиру Гузару ініціювала Вінницька громада УГКЦ, яка провела не один збір пожертв на цю потребу. Авторами пам'ятника є два українських скульптори: Борис Крилов та Олесь Сидорук. Нагадаємо, що 9 жовтня 2021 року Отець і Глава УГКЦ Блаженніший Святослав у Вінниці відкриє перший у світі пам'ятник Блаженнішому патріарху Любомиру Гузару, моральному авторитету українців.

З цієї нагоди 4-10 жовтня у місті організовують низку заходів під назвою «Тиждень патріарха Любомира Гузара. Прилучитися до Великого». Кожного дня у Вінниці проводитимуть заходи, спрямовані на те, щоб більше відкрити українцям постать великого патріарха Любомира та переосмислити його внесок у розбудову Церкви та України.

# THE ENDLESS LEGACY OF PIO

If anyone could pinpoint the single most amazing thing about Padre Pio, it would be *how many amazing things* have been recorded.

Every time one thinks he has reached the end of astonishing accounts, there's another, followed by another.

Can you imagine how it was with *Christ*?

(This is why *John* 21:25 says, "But there are also many other things which Jesus did, which, if they were written in detail, I expect that even the world itself would not contain the books that would be written.")

Anyway, Saint Pio gives us a taste of that.

Take his bilocations.

"It is known that on the day of the beatification of Saint Thèrése of Lisieux, Padre Pio was seen at St. Peter's, even though he remained in San Giovanni Rotondo on the very same day," recounted the late famed exorcist Father Gabriele Amorth in a newly released work, Padre Pio: Stories and Memories of My Mentor and Friend.

"Seen" though his physical body was elsewhere? If so, it wasn't the only time. Who knows how many times there were? Other biographies assert that Pio was seen in a confessional at St. Peter's Basilica and also in the offices at the Vatican during discussions

of his ministry (fending off a dapper stranger who was there to undermine his reputation and is said to have been a corporeal demon).

Mighty stuff. And best of all, true.

His confessional? One had to be prepared! Padre Pio was a tough confessor; none tougher; often denying absolution. "It was not a vending machine of absolution," is the way Father Amorth writes it, "but a place of conversions." As related by Father Amorth, Pio consoled one man to whom he had denied absolution, saying with tenderness, about the withholding of that grace, "My son, if that is so, I didn't deny you absolution to send you to hell, but to send you to Heaven." One man went three times before finally receiving absolution — and only after realizing that beyond basic sins, he had to correct a personality defect.

Those defects could include pride, disobedience, selfishness, disharmony, division, and lack of charity.

Key question for penitents: how much do you love? "Even granting that you may have committed all the sins of this world, Jesus repeats to you: your many sins are forgiven, because you have loved much," Pio said.

By this do we realize true Catholicism.

By this do we end up as precious nuggets during the ongoing, "great sifting."
"Rest assured," said Padre Pio, "that God can reject everything in a creature conceived in sin that bears indelible imprint inherited from Adam: but He absolutely cannot reject the sincere desire to love Him."

And so let us ask: how much do we love? How much time have we wasted on worldly debate, on discord, on social media, that could have been spent praising Him?

Notes <u>a website</u>: "One day, Padre Pellegrino asked Padre Pio: 'Father, this morning you denied absolution to a lady who confessed to an abortion. Why have you been so rigorous with this poor unfortunate?' Padre Pio said: 'The day, in which people, frightened by the economic boom, from physical damages or from economic sacrifices, will lose the horror of the abortion, it will be the most terrible day for humanity. Abortion is not only homicide but also suicide. And with these people we see on the point of committing two crimes...do we want to show our faith? Do we want to save them?'"

Adds the site: "The devil is near to people who curse. In a hotel in St. Giovanni Rotondo it was not possible to rest neither during the day nor at night because there was a girl who was possessed and shouted for hours. Everybody was frightened of her. The child's mother brought her every day to the church. She hoped that Padre Pio would free the child from the evil spirit. The child also shouted a lot in the church. One day, when Padre Pio had finished hearing the women's confessions, he met the child that howled fearfully in front of him. The child was being held back with difficulty by two or three men. The Saint was annoyed by the whole uproar and kicked the child with his foot and then he struck the child's head and he said: 'Stop! Enough!'

"The child fell to the ground as if she was sleeping. Padre Pio told a doctor who was standing there, to bring the child to St. Michael, in the sanctuary of Monte Sant'Angelo. When the group reached their destination, they entered the cave where Saint Michael had appeared. The child revived but nobody succeeded in bringing her near to the altar of the Angel. In the midst of the confusion, a monk took the hand of the child and touched the altar. She fell down as if she had been struck by lightning. A few minutes later she woke up and as if nothing had happened she asked her mother: 'Could you buy me an ice cream?'

"At that point the group of people returned to St. Giovanni Rotondo in order to inform and to thank Padre Pio. But Padre Pio told her mother: 'Say to your husband not to curse anymore, otherwise the demon will return.'"

As for trials:

"All have their Cross," said Padre Pio, "(and) all ask that it be taken away. But if they knew how precious it is, they would be asking that it be given to them."

"Those who do not pray put their egos, subtly but certainly, at the center of their lives, instead of the living person of God. They will be scattered by a multitude of desires, demands and fears."

Fr. Jacques Phillipe

# **OUR LADY OF MEDJUGORJE, QUEEN OF PEACE**

"Medjugorje is the spiritual center of the world"

(St. Pope John Paul II)



Dear Family of Mary!

"Dear children! With joy I am calling all of you, little children, who have responded to my call: be joy and peace. Witness with your lives Heaven, which I am bringing to you. It is time, little children, that you be a reflection of my love for all those who do not love and whose hearts hatred has conquered. Do not forget: I am with you and intercede for all of you before my Son Jesus, that He may give you His peace. Thank you for

having responded to my call." (August 25, 2021)

I would like to focus on this sentence from Our Lady's message today as we await her coming tomorrow with another message:

"It is time, little children, that you be a reflection of my love for all those who do not love and whose hearts hatred has conquered."

Our Lady has only said "It is time..." once in all her messages! It startled me when I first heard it. This was a clear sign to me that Our Lady was serious. This was an urgent request from our Mother.

We all can remember our earthly mothers giving us warnings about a time limit of some sort. "You have ten minutes to brush your teeth..." Or, "I will give you one more chance to apologize to your sister..." Well, I think this message is similar. She has been teaching us about her love for 40 years. In so many ways she has tried to help us understand her love and the love of her Son. She has tried to get us to see that it is love that will change and heal this world, not power, not wealth, not intelligence. Love is the answer to all of our discord. Well, I think she has drawn the line now. It is time to reflect her love in every situation and with every person. No more dilly dallying. No more excuses.

It is time...

St. Paul wrote a similar message to the Romans:

### Romans 13:11-13

Besides this you know what hour it is, how it is full time now for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we first believed; the night is far gone, the day is at hand. Let us then cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; let us conduct ourselves becomingly as in the day..."

It is full time for us to wake from sleep!! It is time. No more excuses. What is needed is the light of Christ, the light that Mary reflects and which she wants us to reflect, the love of God! This is our job, if we are to follow Our Lady in these late days in salvation history. We are to be a reflection of her love!

In Jesus, Mary and Joseph!

Cathy Nolan Mary TV 2021

#### ПРИГАДУЄМО УСІМ ПАРАФІЯНАМ

Щоб гідно принимати 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 спадчини на благо майбутних поколінь! Ласкаво, памятайте, парафію Непорочного Зачаття Пречистої Діви Марії при створеню Вашого заповіту. Ваші добрі діла будуть продовжуватися після Вашого повернення Додому, до вічного життя!