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**ДВАДЦЯТЬ ДРУГА НЕДІЛЯ ПІСЛЯ П'ЯТДЕСЯТНИЦІ
29ГО ЖОВТНЯ 2023**

**ЛИЦАРІ КОЛУМБА ПЕРЕДАЛИ ДОПОМОГУ
ДО КИЇВСЬКОГО ЦЕНТРУ МЕНТАЛЬНОГО ЗДОРОВ'Я**

27 жовтня Лицарі Колумба в Україні передали інвалідні візки в Київський обласний центр ментального здоров'я, що розташований у с. Ворзель. Допомогу передала Канадська асоціація інвалідних візків.



Дев'ять візків передали на парафію Різдва Пресвятої Богородиці в Ірпені. Один із них для свого чоловіка отримала парафіянка п. Світлана Берегова. У березні 2022 року під час бойових дій на Київщині подружжя втратило житло, а наразі винаймає квартиру неподалік храму.

Решту візків Лицарі Колумба за сприяння медичного капелана о. Віталія Воеци передали до Київського обласного центру ментального здоров'я.

Департамент інформації УГКЦ

TWENTYSECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST OCTOBER 29TH, 2023

ПОРЯДОК БОГОСЛУЖЕНЬ (30го жовтня до 5го листопада, 2023) ORDER OF SERVICES (October 30th to November 5th, 2023)

Понеділок – Mon. 30	8:00 A.M.	+Lev Lukomskyj – Luba Lukomskyj
Вівторок – Tues. 31	8:00 A.M.	+Pytel family – Gene Pytel
Середа – Wed. 1	8:00 A.M.	Metropolitan Andrey Sheptytsky – Luba Lukomskyj
Четвер – Thurs. 2	8:00 A.M.	all souls in purgatory – Luba Lukomskyj
П'ятниця - Fri. 3	8:00 A.M.	Peace in Ukraine & Middle East
	7:00 P.M.	Moleben
Субота – Sat. 4	9:00 A.M.	Special Intention – Luba Lukomskyj
		Health of the ill
		Sanctification of clergy
Неділя – Sunday 5	8:00 A.M.	Sanctification of clergy
	9:45 A.M.	for our parishioners
	11:30 A.M.	Mothers in Prayer

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

22 жовтня / October 22nd – \$4,001.00

Будівельний Фонд / Building Fund - \$2,842.00

Кава і вареники / Coffee & varenyky - \$920.00

Ікона в грото / Grotto Icon - \$400.00

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ПРОСИМО МОЛИТИСЯ ЗА: о. Андрія Чировського, о.Френка і Сузан Авант, о.Богдана, о. Михайла Кузьму, Миколу Гнатиска, Василя Наняка, Мирона і Лесю Куропась, Дебі Плішку, Мардж Матвіїв, Любу Чорну, Любу Лукомську, Євгенію Яхнів, Джекі Мишкієвич, Анну Назар, Келвина Макмена, Наталію Лісову, Левка Сенечка, Любу Кузьму, Джим МекМен, Мирона Добровольського і за всіх недужих.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Fr. Andriy Chirovsky, Fr. Frank & Susan Avant, Fr. Bohdan, Fr. Mykhailo Kuzma, Mykola Hnatysko, Wasyl Naniak, Myron & Lesia Kuropas, Debbie Plishka, Marge Matviuw, Luba Chorney, Luba Lukomskyj, Betty Jachniw, Jackie Myshkiewicz, Anna Nazar, Calvin McMahon, Nataliya Lisova, Leo Senechko, Luba Kuzma, Jim McMahon, Myron Dobrowolsky and all in need of our prayers.

COME TO LOVE SUFFERING

Meditation: I want you to detach yourself, not only from creatures, but also from yourself. My daughter, I want to delight in the love of your heart, a pure love, virginal, unblemished, untarnished. The more you will come to love suffering, My daughter, the purer your love for Me will be (*Diary*, 279).

My Prayer Response: Lord Jesus, only with Your love can I come to love suffering. Love me that I may love and carry my cross daily. Help us all to be Your disciples as You taught us: "If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow Me" (Lk 9:23).

ОГОЛОШЕННЯ

1. Реєстрація для приготування то Першого Торжественного Причастя і Першої Сповіді після кожної Святої Літургії. Навчання почнеться 5го листопада.
3. Запрошуємо усіх на каву і солодке після Святої Літургії.
4. Молимося що тижня за духовенство нашої Епархії. В особливий спосіб молимося цього тижня за о. диякона Ростислава Смика.
5. Щоб бути духовно добре підготовленими до наших важких часів, моліться щодня на вервиці та відвідуйте Христа, присутнього в скиніях нашої церкви чи будь-якої католицької церкви. ХРИСТОС ЗНАХОДИТЬСЯ В СКИНІЇ, І САМЕ ТАМ МИ ПОВИННІ ПОКАЗАТИ ЙОМУ НАШЕ ПОКЛОНІННЯ І НАШУ ЛЮБОВ.
6. Катедра наша потребує нашої підтримки щоб довершити потрібний ремонт. Поможім.
8. Праця над Іконою для нашого молитовного грото вже почалася. Досі позбирано \$19,920.00
9. Гала-бенкет припадає в суботу 4го листопада. Всі запрошені. За інформації чи білети п поговоріть з пані Оксаною в парафіяльним офісі.

РОЗПОЧАЛА РОБОТУ КАТЕХЕТИЧНА ШКОЛА ПРИ НАШОМУ ХРАМІ.

05 листопада 2023 року о 10 год. 45 хв. в залі церкви (де частуємось кавою та солодощами) буде проводитись перше заняття Катехетичної школи. Запрошуємо дітей віком від 5 років.

ANNOUNCEMENT

1. Registration for classes for First Solemn Communion and First Confession will take place after each Divine Liturgy in the church office. Classes begin on Nov. 5th.
2. Please join us for coffee and cake after the Divine Liturgy in our church hall.
3. We pray weekly for the priests of our Eparchy. This week let us pray in a special way for deacon Rostyslaw Smyk.
4. To be spiritually prepared well for our difficult times pray a daily Rosary and visit Christ present in the tabernacles of our church or any Catholic Church. CHRIST IS IN THE TABERNACLE AND IT IS THERE THAT WE MUST SHOW HIM OUR ADORATION AND OUR LOVE.
5. Our Cathedral needs our support to complete the necessary renovations. Please be generous.
6. The icon of our Lady Queen of Peace that is being prepared for our Prayer Grotto is being prepared. The total cost of the project is \$25,000.00 plus installation. To date we have collected \$19,920.00 Thank you for your assistance and prayers.
7. Our Gala-banquet is coming up on November 4th. For information or tickets please see Pani Oksana in the church office after the Divine Liturgy.

FORUMS: THE 'HIDDEN' MEANINGS OF AKITA

The hidden prophecies that Our Lady gave in Akita are beginning to be fulfilled. In Japan, in the 1970s and 1980s, important appearances and manifestations of Akita occurred to Sister Agnes Sasagawa.

October 13, 2023, marked half a century since the most famous message of this apparition.

A good number of supernatural phenomena occurred there, such as the appearance of an angel who guided Sister Agnes in prayer.

And that of Our Lady, who gave the nun transcendent messages and interceded to cure the chronic deafness she had.

Sister Agnes suffered the stigmata on her hand, while the statue of the Virgin also bled and cried 101 times.

We are not going to tell the story of the appearance; that's been done.

But here we will dedicate ourselves to establishing the meaning of the different direct and indirect messages, and the prophecies that Heaven gave us through these manifestations of Akita, many of which have gone unnoticed.



The Akita manifestations had a large number of supernatural phenomena, witnessed by many people.

For example, the statue's lacrimations on December 8, 1979, were filmed by a television crew and broadcast to 12 million people throughout Japan.

And it was shown on the news around the world.

The first miraculous event in Akita occurred on June 12, 1973.

The first communications were with her Guardian Angel, who entrusted Sister Agnes with several messages and prayed frequently with her, in addition to guiding and advising her.

One of the messages referred to her deafness, which would be cured through the intercession of Our Lady.

During these apparitions, Sister Sasagawa received the cross-shaped stigmata on her left hand, which was bleeding and she could not take Communion in her hand.

While the statue of Our Lady received a stigma also in the shape of a cross, but in the right hand, which is the one with which ministers give Communion, and bled on several occasions.

Bishop Ito interpreted this as a sign against receiving communion in the hand.

The Japanese Bishops' Conference had allowed Communion in the hand by vote of its bishops in 1970.

The best known message was that of the final appearance of Our Lady, on October 13, 1973. She warned that unless men repented, fire would fall from heaven, creating disaster on the face of the earth.

The punishment fits the crime, and here it is no different.

Because the Bible presents the case of fire falling from heaven as punishment, in Sodom and Gomorrah, when Yahweh destroyed those two cities with a rain of sulfur and fire, for their sins.

And this speaks of God's judgment on the kinds of sins of our time. It is understood, right?

In that message, Our Lady also said:

That the work of the devil would infiltrate the Church.

That there we would see cardinals against cardinals and bishops against bishops.

That the priests who venerate her would be despised and opposed by their brothers in the clergy

That churches and altars would be looted.

That the Church would be full of those who accept compromises.

And that the devil would pressure many priests and consecrated souls to abandon the service of the Lord.

These prophecies have been clearly fulfilled through the infiltration of Freemasons and communists in seminaries and curias, which is documented.

With the dissensions between cardinals and bishops, and within the clergy in general, which raises the possibility of a schism, with Marian minimalism and the disdain of a good part of the clergy to the messages of Marian apparitions.

With the apostasy and the sustained decrease in priestly vocations and religious life.

This message of October 13 is the corollary of previous messages, where Our Lady called for conversion and to offer physical and spiritual sacrifices for the salvation of others.

In the message of August 3, 1973, she said that many men afflict the Lord and that She wanted souls to console Him to soften the wrath of the Heavenly Father.

And she called for victim souls to make reparation, with their suffering and poverty, for sinners and ungrateful people.

And she said that she has intervened many times with her Son to appease the Father's wrath.

And she has prevented the arrival of calamities by offering him the sufferings of his Son on the Cross and His Precious Blood, along with the souls that console Him, forming a cohort of victim souls.

And then she asked for prayer, penance, and sacrifices to soften the Father's wrath. And especially recite the Rosary daily.

This apparition is the continuation of the apparitions of Fatima as expressed by Benedict XVI, for several reasons.

And also a continuation of Our Lady's message and prophecies.

The heart of the final message given by Our Lady at Akita is a warning that can be summarized thus, if men do not repent and improve, there will be a terrible punishment.

And at Fatima, Our Lady said that if her requests were not heeded, error would spread from atheist Russia throughout the world, fomenting wars and persecutions of the Church and the Pope, and several nations would be "annihilated."

While the fire that would fall from heaven in the style of Sodom and Gomorrah is already shown as a possibility in the third Secret of Fatima, when an angel tries to set the earth on fire with his sword and the fire is put out by the intercession of the Virgin.

And the last appearance of Fátima and Akita happened on October 13th.

Additionally, the angel called Sister Agnes to pray the "Fatima Prayer" while praying the Rosary, and even prayed it with her.

And that sentence was not common in Japan at that time.

Akita is also the continuation of the apparitions of Our Lady of All Nations, which [has not met with Church approval] and took place in Amsterdam between 1945 and 1959.

The statue of Our Lady of Akita is a wooden reproduction of that of the Lady of All Nations, which had been ordered to be made in honor of the healing of a novice some-time before.

Sister Agnes's angel recited the prayer of Our Lady of All Nations with her.

And in Akita, Mary introduced the request for approval of the fifth and final dogma of the Marian Faith, Mary Coredemptrix, Advocate and Mediatrix, which had been previously requested in the Amsterdam apparitions. [cautious discernment]

Thus giving the shepherdess of the end of times the role that was already written in the book of Genesis 3:15.

And furthermore, the Akita demonstrations shared the ecclesiastical persecution that the important apparitions that came after Fatima have suffered.

For example, resistance to the Garabandal apparitions came through its denunciation that cardinals, bishops, and priests who were going down the wrong path and dragging many people with them.

And it came to pass in Akita, that the bishop who came after Bishop Ito, who had approved the Akita apparitions, withdrew his approval and banished Sister Agnes and her confessor to northern Japan, and they survived thanks to a patron.

Some scholars maintain that since the thirrd secret of Fatima had not been published by the Church, Heaven communicated it little by little, through the [alleged] apparitions of Garabandal and Akita.

Well, here **we wanted to talk about the main prophecies and messages of the Akita apparitions, when half a century of them has already passed.**

And I would like to ask you if **the Catholics you know have heard of these Akita apparitions or not.**

OUR LADY OF MEDJUGORJE, QUEEN OF PEACE "Medjugorje is the spiritual center of the world"



Dear Family of Mary!

"Dear children!

Winds of evil, hatred and peacelessness are blowing through the earth to destroy lives. That is why the Most High sent me to you, to lead you towards the way of peace and unity with God and people. You, little children, are my extended hands: pray, fast and offer sacrifices for peace – the treasure for which every heart yearns. Thank you for having responded to my call."

This message calls us to be Our Lady's extended hands, to pray, fast and offer sacrifices for peace. I would like to respond today to that call by offering you a prayer written by Fr. Slavko Barbaric, and published in **"Pray with the Heart!" A Medjugorje Manual of Prayer.**

(May we take time and pray the following short prayer from the manual of Fr. Slavko Barbaric's book "Pray with the Heart! Medjugorje Manual of Prayer.)

From *Pray With the Heart! Medjugorje Manual of Prayer* (Fr. Slavko Barbaric)

Heavenly Father, I believe that you are the good Father of all people. I believe that you sent your son Jesus Christ to the world to conquer evil and sin, and to accomplish peace among all people, for all people are your children and Jesus' brothers. And once we know this, all destruction and every defilement of peace is all the more pitiable and incomprehensible. Grant that I now and all those who will pray for peace, may pray with a pure heart that you may answer our prayers and give us true peace of heart and soul – peace to our families, peace to our church and to the whole world. Good Father, remove from us all weeds of disturbance and disorder and give us the joyous fruits and of peace and reconciliation with you and with all men. We ask you this with Mary, the Mother of your Son and the Queen of Peace. May it be so.

In Jesus, Mary and Joseph!

Cathy Nolan

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Послання Богородиці, Цариці миру, 25 жовтня 2023 року через візіонерку Марію Лунетті

«Дорогі діти! Вітри зла, ненависті й немиру завивають землю, щоб знищити життя. Тому Всевишній посилає Мене до вас, щоб вела вас на дорогу миру та єдності з Богом і людьми. Ви, дітоньки, Мої простягнені руки: моліться, постіть і приносьте жертви за мир - благо, якого прагне кожне серце. Дякую вам, що відповіли на Мій заклик».

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