

Parish Greetings

We extend a warm welcome to all our Parishioners and visitors and invite you for a time of fellowship in the church hall following the Liturgy. Today coffee will be served by the Ushers Club.

The Jesus Rosary, called "Chotki" has its origins in early monasticism and contests of 100 knots on a rope, similar in size to Marian rosaries. On each knot is recited the prayer of the publican, from the Gospel story of the Pharos and the Publican praying in the temple, "God be merciful to me a sinner."



This is the second most powerful prayer that we have after the Our Father. It has been prayed constantly throughout the centuries and is an excellent prayer, especially for the Great Lent. It is a call for mercy unto our weakness.

Parish News

The Station of the Cross during Lent in Ukrainian every Sunday at 6:00pm.

Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy Will be celebrated throughout the Great Lent on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in English and on Fridays with Parastas Service for the Deceased, at 7:00 p.m. in Ukrainian.

Our sincerest Thanks to
Fr. Oleh Yuryk
for leading a deeply spiritual and
enlightening Lenten Mission this
year in Ukrainian Language. May
the good Lord keep sending His
blessings upon you every day and
every moment of your priestly
ministry.

Lent
BEGINS

First day of Lent-Monday,
February 24, 2020

Our Lenten Mission 2020 in English will be conducted by Fr. Roman Lobay, Pastor of St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church in Toronto

Monday, March 30, 2020

6:00 pm Confession, 7:00 pm in English

Tuesday, March 31, 2020

6:00 pm Confession, 7:00 pm in English

Wednesday April 1, 2020

6:00 pm Confession, 7:00 pm in English

Reading the Gospel of Mark with the Fathers of the Church: Thursdays during Lent. March 12th to April 2nd, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the church." Hope to see you there.

Applications for the Father John Tataryn Legacy Scholarship are now being accepted. The scholarship is for \$5,000.



Please visit our parish website at www.Stdemetriuschurch.ca for further information. The

application deadline is April 5, 2020. Detailed instructions for applying are found in the application form.

DONATIONS: The following parishioners made donations to support the projects below:
Needs of the Church: Our Lord shower all donors with His blessings!

Your prayers are urgently needed for Oksana, a young mother of two children, a boy and a girl (2 and 5 years old). She has been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer. The father is working hard to make a living for his family and would appreciate assistance, especially with your prayers that God grant them a miracle. They are also trying to raise funds for alternative treatments and have a Go Fund Me page at the following

web address: <https://www.gofundme.com/f/bu78e-alternative-cancer-treatment>

Our Deepest Sympathies and Prayers to Family and Friends of Joanna Procyk. May God grant her Eternal Memory.



Kitchen News



We will need help in the kitchen this coming Monday and Tuesday, and we will be selling Pyrohy and Borscht on Tuesday.

Parish Events

Flea Market - Friday March 27th from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm and Saturday March 28th from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Please bring your items from March 23rd to March 26th directly to the church hall from 8:00am-6:00pm.



Club La Rose presenting "Spring Fashion Show" Fashion by Alia N Tan Jay, Sunday, May 3rd, 2020 at 1:00pm at Parish Hall, 135 La Rose Ave. For tickets (\$35.00 each) and more information please call Betty at 416-242-9228. Excellent value to enjoy. Please purchase as soon as possible.



Save the Dates

Save the Date!

UCWLC St. Demetrius Branch
Invites you to their traditional
"Flowers of Spring Tea"
Sunday, March 22,
St. Demetrius Parish hall
9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Solemn Holy Communion May, 10, 2020

Sviatchene Easter Dinner, May 26, 2020

Community Events

Come March 10th, 7:30pm, to see and hear, "The suitcase returns to Ukraine", about Cardinal Lubomyr Husar family's attempts to escape WWII. Maria Rypan will be presenting at the Toronto Ukrainian Genealogy Group (TUGG) meeting at St Vladimir Institute, 620 Spadina. All welcome!!

The Ukrainian Museum of Canada, Ontario Branch will be presenting Fashion Lecture, Wednesday, March 11, 2020 • 7:00pm Tickets \$20.00 per person. Liana Satenstein, a senior writer at Vogue-Ukraine, will be conducting a talk about Ukrainian motif in contemporary fashion and the rise of Ukrainian labels within the international fashion industry. This lecture will take place in the St. Vladimir Institute Theatre, 620 Spadina Avenue.

Vesnivka Choir and the Toronto Ukrainian Male Chamber Choir invite you our spring concert to celebrate the 180th anniversary of the first publication of Taras Shevchenko's Kobzar on Sunday April 29, 2020 at 3:00 PM at All Saints Anglican Church, 2850 Bloor Street West (Bloor and Prince Edward). Special guest artists: soprano Katya Khartova and baritone Jurij Hryhorash from Lviv, Ukraine. Opening remarks – Prof. Maxim Tarnavsky. Tickets available at the door, by calling 416-763-2197 or 416-246-9880 or emailing nykola@vesnivka.com.

March 8 - 15, 2020

Sunday – Second Sunday of Lent,
St. Gregory Palamas

8:30am h) Maria Pejko (Birthday) Family
(h) Marichka Palisa (Birthday) Family
(h) Stefania Slavatynskyy (Birthday) Slavatynskyy Family
(+p) Stefan and Osypa (10 Years) Solowy Family

10:00 am (h) Betty Dobko (Birthday) Eve and Norm Jarman
(+p) Theresa Yoshioka Subdch Shawn

11:00 am UCCC (+p) Anna Czemyrnski- Holden Family

11:30 am (h) Julia Popowycz (Birthday) *Parents*
(h) Marijka Stochansky *Family*
(+p) Lidia Lelyk (40 Days)
OYK Toronto Branch

6:00 pm Stations of the Cross in Ukrainian

Monday

8:30 am (+p) Daria Husar (40 Days) *Daughter*
5:30 pm (+p) Lilya Salamacha (1 Year) *Mother*

Tuesday

8:30 am Divine Liturgy
5:30 (+p) Serotiuik-Pashkowski and Gludish
Families

Wednesday

8:30 am Divine Liturgy
5:30 pm No Divine Liturgy

6:00 pm Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy in Eng.

Thursday

8:30 am Divine Liturgy
5:30 pm (+) Sidney Zawaly *Vincent Rakchaev*

Friday

8:30 am Thanks to Mother for her mantle and
prayers for all of us *Kravchenko Family*
(+p) Tatiana (40 Days) *Sister*
**11:15 am UCCC - Akafist of the Passion of
Christ**

5:30 pm No Divine Liturgy

**7:00 pm Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy with
prayers for the Deceased in Ukr.**

Saturday

8:30 am (h) Peter Wasylkevych *M. Rypan*
5:00 pm Divine Liturgy

**Sunday – Third Sunday of Lent,
Veneration of Holy Cross**

8:30 am (h) Halyna
10:00 am (+) Edward Koroscil (1 Year)
Wife Marie with Family
(+p) John Kuzyk (40 Days) *Family*

11:00 am UCCC (h) Markiana Husar
(95th Birthday) *Sister Marta with Family*
(+p) Iryna Bodnar (1 Year) *Family*

11:30 am (h) Marzenka and Danylo
(42nd Birthday) *Family*
(h) Lord God enliven in hearts of
Kravchenko Family

6:00 pm Stations of the Cross in Ukr.

SOBOR- СОБОР

Has your organization had its “soborchek”?
Чи ваша організація вже мала свій
соборчик?



The Pyrohy Group had a very successful discussion, one in Ukrainian and one in English. We need your suggestions, both as parish organizations and parishioners, so that we can present our report to our bishop who will gather reports from all our parishes and present them at the “General Sobor” to be held in Ukraine this August.



Група «Пирого» мала дуже вдалу дискусію - українською та англійською мовами. Нам потрібні ваші пропозиції, як парафіяльних організацій, так і парафіян, щоб ми могли представити звіт нашому єпископу, який збиратиме доповіді з усіх наших парафій та представлятиме їх на "Патріаршому соборі", який відбудеться в серпні цього року.