

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

MONDAY, MARCH 30

6:00PM – CONFESSION || СПОВІДЬ

6:30PM – LITURGY OF THE PRE-SANCTIFIED GIFTS
ЛІТУРГІЯ ПЕРЕДШЕОСВЯЧЕНИХ ДАРИВ

TUESDAY, MARCH 31

6:00PM – CONFESSION || СПОВІДЬ

6:30PM – LITURGY OF THE PRE-SANCTIFIED GIFTS
ЛІТУРГІЯ ПЕРЕДШЕОСВЯЧЕНИХ ДАРИВ

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1

8:30AM – CONFESSION || СПОВІДЬ

9:00AM – LITURGY OF THE PRE-SANCTIFIED GIFTS
ЛІТУРГІЯ ПЕРЕДШЕОСВЯЧЕНИХ ДАРИВ

6:00PM – HOLY UNCTION. COMMUNAL ANOINTING
ЧИН СОБОРУВАННЯ

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 2

6:00PM – MATINS OF THE 12 PASSION GOSPELS
УТРЕНЯ 12 ЄВАНГЕЛІЙ СТРАСТЕЙ

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 3

1:00PM – VESPERS WITH THE EXPOSITION OF THE HOLY SHROUD
ВЕЧІРНЯ З ВИСТАВЛЕННЯМ ПЛАЩАНИЦІ

6:00PM – REFLECTIONS BY THE TOMB
РОЗВАЖАННЯ БІЛЯ ГРОБУ

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 4

10:00AM – VESPERS WITH THE LITURGY
ВЕЧІРНЯ З ЛІТУРГІЄЮ

5:30PM – CONFESSION || СПОВІДЬ

6:00PM – AT THE TOMB
НАДГРОБНЕ

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5

8:00AM – EASTER MATINS
ВОСКРЕСНА УТРЕНЯ

9:00AM – EASTER DIVINE LITURGY & BLESSING OF THE EASTER BASKETS
ВОСКРЕСНА ЛІТУРГІЯ & БЛАГОСЛОВЕННЯ
ПАСХАЛЬНИХ КОШИКІВ

A THOUGHT TO PONDER

Billboards were not around. Telephones were not invented. The only way that they could have known that Jesus was coming was by word of mouth. That is impressive if you had all those people coming without our modern-day advertisement ideas. *Dan Borchert*



SAINT GEORGE'S
UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
УКРАЇНСЬКА КАТОЛИЦЬКА ЦЕРКВА

СВЯТОГО ЮРІЯ

opens wide its doors
to all who mourn or need comfort;
to all who are weary and need rest;
to all who seek friendship;
to all who desire to grow
in relationship with God;
to all who yearn to pray;
to all who need a Saviour,
and in the name our Lord, says:

WELCOME!

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HOLY MYSTERIES

✠ CONFESSION / СПОВІДЬ ✠
every Saturday: 5:00-5:50pm
or by appointment

✠ HOLY COMMUNION / СВ. ПРИЧАСТЯ ✠
for the sick, by appointment,
any time

✠ BAPTISM / ХРЕЩЕННЯ ✠
by appointment

✠ MARRIAGE / ВІНЧАННЯ ✠
6 months notice should be given
to the parish priest, and he should
be contacted before any other
arrangements are made

✠ FUNERAL / ПОХОРОН ✠
by appointment

MARCH 29, 2026
THE LORD'S ENTRANCE
INTO JERUSALEM



Let us go together to meet Christ on the Mount of Olives. Today he returns from Bethany and proceeds of his own free will toward his holy and blessed passion, to consummate the mystery of our salvation. He who came down from heaven to raise us from the depths of sin, to raise us with himself ... above every sovereignty, authority and power, and every other name that can be named, now comes of his own free will to make his journey to Jerusalem. He comes without pomp or ostentation. As the psalmist says: *He will not dispute or raise his voice to make it heard in the streets.* He will be meek and humble, and he will make his entry in simplicity. Let us run to accompany him as he hastens toward his passion, and imitate those who met him then, not by covering his path with garments, olive branches or palms, but by doing all we can to prostrate ourselves before him by being humble and by trying to live as he would wish. Then we shall be able to receive the Word at his coming, and God, whom no limits can contain, will be within us. Let our souls take the place of the welcoming branches as we join today in the children's holy song: *Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Blessed is the king of Israel.*

St. Andrew of Crete

1st Antiphon

I am filled with love* for the Lord will hear the voice of my plea.

Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Saviour, save us.

For He has inclined His ear to me* and I'll call to Him all the days of my life.

Through the prayers...

The pangs of death encircled me,* the trials of Hades befell me.

Through the prayers...

I met with anguish and pain,* and called upon the name of the Lord.

Through the prayers...

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Only-begotten Son...

3rd Antiphon

Give thanks to the Lord for He is good,* for His mercy endures forever.

R: Assuring us before Your Passion of the general resurrection, You raised Lazarus from the dead, O Christ God:* and so, like the children we also carry signs of victory* and cry to You, the conqueror of death:* Hosanna in the highest!* Blessed is He who comes* in the name of the Lord.*

Therefore, let the house of Israel say that He is good,* for His mercy endures forever.

R: Assuring us before Your Passion

Therefore, let the house of Aaron say that He is good,* for His mercy endures forever.

R: Assuring us before Your Passion

Let all who fear the Lord say that He is good,* for His mercy endures forever.

R: Assuring us before Your Passion

Entrance: Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord, we bless You from the house of the Lord,* the Lord is God and has appeared to us.

Troparion T.1: Assuring us before Your Passion of the general resurrection,* You raised Lazarus from the dead, O Christ God:* and so, like the children we also carry signs of victory* and cry to You, the conqueror of death:* Hosanna in the highest!* Blessed is He who comes* in the name of the Lord.

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

Troparion, T.4: Buried with You through Baptism, O Christ our God,* we have been granted immortal life by Your resurrection,* and we sing Your praises, crying out:* Hosanna in the highest!* Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

Now and forever and ever. Amen.

Антифон 1

Возлюбив я, бо вислухав Господь голос моління мого.

Молитвами Богородиці, Спасе, спаси нас.

Бо прихилив вухо своє до мене і у дні мої призову.

Молитвами Богородиці, Спасе, спаси нас.

Обняли мене болісті смертні, біди адові зустріли мене.

Молитвами Богородиці, Спасе, спаси нас.

Скорб і болість зустрів я і призвав ім'я Господнє.

Молитвами Богородиці, Спасе, спаси нас.

Слава Отцю, і Сину, і Святому Духові. І нині, і повсякчас, і на віки вічні. Амінь.

Єдинородний Сину...

Антифон 3

Сповідуйтеся Господеві, бо він благий, бо на віки милість його.

П: Спільне воскресіння перед твоїми страстями запевняючи, з мертвих воздвигнув ти Лазаря, Христе Боже,* тим-то й ми, як отроки, знамена перемоги носячи, тобі,* переможцеві смерти, восклицуємо:* Осанна в вишніх,* благословен, хто йде в ім'я Господнє.*

Нехай же скаже дім Ізраїлів, бо він благий, бо на віки милість його.

П: Спільне воскресіння перед твоїми

Нехай же скаже дім Аронів, бо він благий, бо на віки милість його.

П: Спільне воскресіння перед твоїми

Нехай же скажуть усі, що бояться Господа, бо він благий, бо на віки милість його.

П: Спільне воскресіння перед твоїми

Вхідне: Благословен, хто йде в ім'я Господнє, ми благословляли вас із дому Господнього, Бог – Господь і явився нам.

Тропар 2.1: Спільне воскресіння перед твоїми страстями запевняючи,* з мертвих воздвигнув ти Лазаря, Христе Боже,* тим-то й ми, як отроки, знамена перемоги носячи, тобі,* переможцеві смерти, восклицуємо:* Осанна в вишніх,* благословен, хто йде в ім'я Господнє.

Слава Отцю, і Сину, і Святому Духові.

Тропар 2.4: Погребавши себе разом з тобою через хрещення, Христе Боже наш,* сподобилися ми безсмертної життя через твоє воскресіння* і, заспівуючи, кличемо:* Осанна в вишніх,* благословен, хто йде в ім'я Господнє.

І нині, і повсякчас, і на віки вічні. Амінь.

Kontakion, T.6: Mounted on the throne in heaven, O Christ God,* and on a colt here on earth,* You accepted the praise of the angels,* and the hymn of the children who cried to You:* Bless'd are You who have come to call Adam back.

Prokeimenon, T.4: Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord;* God the Lord has appeared to us.

verse: Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, for His mercy endures forever.

Reading from the Epistle of St. Paul to the Philippians: Brothers and Sisters, rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

Alleluia, T.1

verse: Sing to the Lord a new song, for He has worked wonders.

verse: All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.

Gospel: John 12:1-18

Hymn to the Mother of God: O my soul, magnify Christ who was seated on a foal. The Lord is God and has appeared to us:* together let us celebrate.* Come with great rejoicing; let us magnify Christ* with palms and olive branches,* and with songs let us cry aloud to Him:* Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord, our Savior!

Communion Hymn: Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord;* God the Lord has appeared to us.* Alleluia, alleluia,* alleluia.

PARISH ANNOUCEMENTS

◆ **BEAUTIFICATION OF THE HOLY SHROUD AND / OR THE CHURCH.** As we approach Holy Week and the joyous Feast of the Resurrection, we warmly invite you to join us in preparing our church for this sacred season. We kindly ask for your support in enhancing the beauty of our worship space. You may contribute by donating flowers or offering a financial gift toward the beautification efforts. Your generosity will help create a reverent and uplifting environment for all who gather in celebration. Thank you.

Кондак 2.6: На престолі на небі,* на жереб'яті на землі тебе носять. Христе Боже,* ангелів хваління і дітей оспівування прийняв ти;* вони кликали до тебе:* Благословенний ти, що йдеш Адама призвати.

Прокімен 2.4: Благословен, хто йде в ім'я Господнє,* Бог – Господь і явився нам.

Стих: Сповідуйтеся Господові, бо він благий, бо на віки милість його.

До Филиппян послання Апостола Павла читання 4,4-9:

Браття і Сестри, радуйтеся завжди у Господі; знову кажу: Радуйтеся! Хай ваша доброзичливість буде всім людям відома. Господь близько! Ні про що не журіться, але в усьому проявляйте Богові ваші прохання молитвою і благанням з подякою. І мир Божий, що вищий від усякого уявлення, берегтиме серця й думки ваші у Христі Ісусі. Наостанку, брати, усе, що лиш правдиве, що чесне, що справедливе, що чисте, що любе, що шанобливе, коли якась чеснота чи щобудь похвальне, – про те думайте! Чого ви навчилися, що прийняли, що почули та бачили в мені – те чиніте, і Бог миру буде з вами.

Алилуя 2.1:

Стих: Заспівайте Господеві пісню нову, бо дивне сотворив Господь.

Стих: Виділи всі кінці землі спасення Бога нашого.

Євангеліє: Ів 12,1-18

Замість Достойно: Величай, душе моя, Господа, що сидить на жереб'яті.

Бог – Господь і явився нам, справляйте празник і, веселячись, прийдіть, возвеличимо Христа з квітами й галузками, в піснях кличучи: Благословен, хто йде в ім'я Господа, Спаси нашого.

Причасний: Благословен, хто йде в ім'я Господнє,* Бог – Господь і явився нам. Алилуя (х3).

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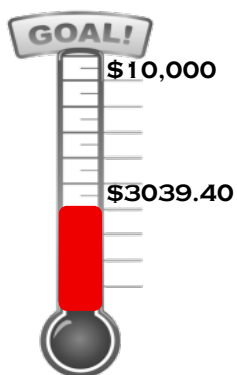
◆ **THANK YOU TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS and VOLUNTEERS \ ДЯКУЄМО** for making this year's Annual Easter Bazaar possible. Your time, talents, dedication, and love for our parish were instrumental in its success. We are deeply grateful for your contributions. May God bless you abundantly and reward you with the richness of His mercy and grace.

◆ **E-TRANSFER** – is available for donations to St. George's parish using the following email address for e-transactions: pg.treasurer@yahoo.com

◆ **THANK YOU \ ДЯКУЄМО** to everyone for your great support with our **WORKSHOP "PYSANKY"** which took place last Sunday. Special Thank You to: Jessica Sylte, Beth Pawluk, Guillerma Yarocki.

◆ **PRAYER REQUEST: PLEASE REMEMBER** the sick and infirmed of our Parish in your prayers: **BERNICE KALTWASSER, JOHN PROKOPCHUK, NATALIA ZAZULIAK, PATRICIA SCOTT, PAUL ROZNER, STEFANIA & ZBIGNIEW STARZYK, BOB TANASYCHUK, MELVIN MAXIMITCH, TAMMY ATTIA** all who have asked us to pray for them or their loved ones.

◆ **DEEPEST WORDS OF GRATITUDE** to all who continue to support our parish financially. May the blessing of God always rest upon you & your family. **SUNDAY, March 22nd - \$520, Insurance - \$110, Candles - \$523, Online Donations (March 22-28) - \$122**



◆ **FUNDRAISER:** Dear Parishioners, the cost of insuring of our church is extraordinarily high: **\$18,894.00**. For this reason, we have started a **fundraising effort** and humbly ask for your financial support to help us meet this essential expense. Please consider giving as generously as you are able. Donations may be placed in your Sunday envelope (**please be sure to MARK your donation "INSURANCE."**) We thank you for your kindness, generosity, and your love for our parish. Be assured of our prayers for each of you.

◆ **DISCUSSION GROUP:** will take place this **Monday, April 13th at 9:00am**. We will watch & discuss the sessions called **"Bringing an Ancient Faith to a Modern World"** by Fr. Anthony of the Coptic Church.

◆ **PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** – will take place this **Sunday, March 29th** after the Service.

◆ **HOLY UNCTION. COMMUNAL ANOINTING / ЧИН СОБОРУВАННЯ / WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1st at 6:00pm.** According to the custom of our Church on the afternoon or evening of the Great and Holy Wednesday, the Holy Unction: Communal Anointing is offered for the healing of soul and body. The Holy Unction reminds us that when we are suffering and in pain, either physical, emotional, or spiritual, Christ is present with us through our Holy Church to grant us comfort and healing.

◆ **CONGRATULATION /ВІТАННЯ/ to OLEKSIY & MAKSYM STEPANCHAK, ZOFIA KUDRYK, GUILLERMA YAROCKA,** who celebrates their Birthdays.

May the Almighty God bless them with good health and salvation in Many Happy & Blessed Years of Life. *Многая І Благая Літа!*

◆ **COMMUNAL BRUNCH / СПІЛЬНЕ СВЯЧЕНЕ.** On Thomas Sunday, April 12, following the Divine Liturgy, our parish will host its Annual Communal Brunch (*Спільне Свячене*). This will be a potluck-style gathering, during which we will share traditional Easter foods from our homes and tables. All parishioners are warmly invited to participate and are encouraged to bring a generous contribution to share.



◆ **PASTORAL CARE TO THE SICK, ELDERLY & DYING** If you or anyone in your family would like to receive communion, anointing of the sick or a pastoral visit, please give us a call.

◆ **ВЕЧІРНІЙ ПЕРЕГЛЯД ФІЛЬМУ У ХРАМІ.** Запрошуємо цієї неділі, 29 березня на перегляд та обговорення фільму «Страсті Христові». Початок о 18:00.

◆ **2026 ANNUAL CLERGY RETREAT & CONFERENCE** - will take place in Kelowna, BC from **April 20 to April 24, 2026**. Consequently, there will be no services on these days. In case of emergency, please contact local RC parishes.

EPARCHIAL ANNOUCEMENTS

◆ **CAMP SAINT VOLODYMYR: August 2026 A.D.**

Week 1: Sunday, Aug. 16 – Saturday, Aug. 22 (English/Ukrainian)

Week 2: Saturday, Aug. 22 – Friday, Aug. 28 (Ukrainian only)

We invite you to save the date and join us this August for Camp St. Volodymyr! The camp is for children in our Eparchy aged 7 to 15 as of December 2026. Camp will once again take place in Princeton as Owaissi continues to rebuild. We are thrilled to announce that we have secured a second week, allowing us to offer an all Ukrainian option. Campers are welcome to attend one or both weeks. Bus transportation will be available from New Westminster on all three travel days.

Camp is a vibrant place for kids to be active, build confidence, and develop outdoor skills. As they reconnect with nature, they grow spiritually, form lasting friendships, and deepen their connection to our rich Ukrainian culture. Pre-register using Google Form:

<https://forms.gle/TKHxXjSqWWhfn8Zt8>

We hope your family will be part of this unforgettable summer experience. For more information, please contact Jennifer Caldwell at: **604.220.0584** or csv.nweparchy@gmail.com