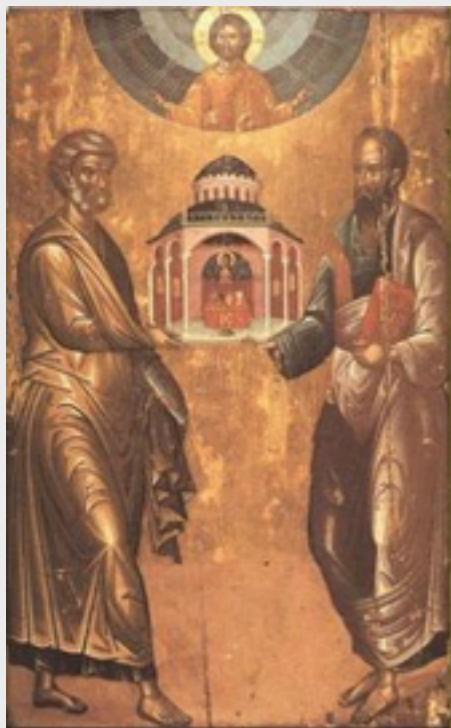




## St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Church

**2210 – 40th Avenue, Vernon, BC V1T 8Z9**  
The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of New Westminster  
Eparch: Most Rev. Ken Nowakowski



## Saints Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church

**Carlin Street and 3rd Avenue, Grindrod, BC**  
The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of New Westminster  
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Divine Liturgy will be serving on Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

WELCOME TO ALL PARISHIONERS & GUESTS WHO HAVE JOINED US TODAY!



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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK (VERNON): July 9 - July 16		
SUNDAY, July 9	<b>For the Parishioners of the St. Josaphat For the Parishioners of the Saints Peter and Paul</b>	<b>8:30 AM 11:30 AM</b>
MONDAY, July 10	NO DIVINE LITURGY	*****
TUESDAY, July 11	For Holy Soul requested by Katherine Blain	9:00 AM
WEDNESDAY, July 12	For the repose of Patriarch Emeritus Lubomyr	9:00 AM
THURSDAY, July 13	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom	9:00 AM
FRIDAY, July 14	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom	9:00 AM
SATURDAY, July 15	Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom	9:00 AM
SUNDAY, July 16	<b>For the Parishioners of the St. Josaphat For the Parishioners of the Saints Peter and Paul</b>	<b>10:00 AM 2:00 PM</b>
<i>Please Note: to request a Divine Liturgy for a special intention, please see Fr. Stepan to arrange for it!</i>		
PARISH COUNCIL EXECUTIVE		PASTORAL MINISTRY & HOLY MYSTERIES
CHAIRPERSON.....Teresa HUCULAK		CONFESSIONS..... 1/2 hour before Liturgy
VICE-CHAIRPERSON.....Mary FERGUSON		EUCCHARIST.....for the sick - any time
TREASURER.....Anne-Marie JOHNSTON		BAPTISMS.....by appointment
SECRETARY.....Mary HARASYMYSHYN		MARRIAGES..... Six months notice should be given to the parish priest, and he should be contacted before any other arrangements are made.
FIFTH MEMBER.....Jesse KOSICK		FUNERALS.....by appointment
UCWLC PRESIDENT..... Joanne KOSICK		ANOINTING.....any time
		HOSPITAL VISITS.....any time
<b>Vibrant Parish Prayer</b>		
<p><b>O</b> Lord Jesus Christ, our Good Shepherd, as you once gathered lost sheep that they might hear Your voice and be your flock, so also today graciously look down from heaven upon our parish community, and send down on it your Holy Spirit, that it might be a place to receive the joy of Your Good News. Strengthen us with your presence, and always gather us together in prayer. Grant us the spirit of serving others, so that in our parish all might encounter You, the merciful God. Bless our spiritual leaders with Your wisdom, and inspire us to generously give of our time, talents and treasure for the building up of Your Kingdom. Unite us in peace and harmony, as befits Your community of love. Instill in us a missionary spirit, and let our parish community shine with the light of the Gospel, with prayer and good works, inviting all to share in the divine life, so that Your Name, O Savior, may be praised, together with Your eternal Father, and your most-holy, good and life-giving Spirit. Amen.</p>		

## FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

## The Holy Martyr Pancratius, Bishop of Taormina

This saint was born in Antioch during the time when the Lord Jesus Christ walked as a man among men on earth. Hearing about the miracles of Christ, the parents of Pancratius desired to see the Lord, the miracle-worker. Together with Pancratius, they traveled to Jerusalem where they saw Jesus, heard His words and witnessed His miracles. It was in Jerusalem that Pancratius became acquainted with the Apostle Peter. After the Ascension of the Lord, both parents and Pancratius were baptized in Antioch. Pancratius withdrew to a cave in Pontus where the Apostle Peter found him and in agreement with the Apostle Paul he was appointed as the Bishop of Taormina in Sicily. In Taormina, St. Pancratius worked many miracles, destroyed the idols, baptized the unbaptized, strengthened the baptized and governed well the Church of God. A heathen commander by the name of Aquilinus heard that the entire city of Taormina became Christian and set out with an entire army against this city in order to destroy it. St. Pancratius encouraged the faithful not to be afraid and he, alone, with the clergy went outside the city carrying in his hands the invincible weapon, the Honorable Cross. When the army approached the city, darkness befell them and the soldiers were overcome with great fear. A great confusion then began among them and the attackers turned against one another and pierced and slaughtered each other with their swords. Thus Pancratius, the chosen one of God, saved the city and his flock by the power of his prayer before the Lord. In the end, Pancratius was stoned to death by envious and evil heathens and found rest in the Lord. His holy relics repose in Rome.



## DIVINE LITURGY PROPERS

**Troparia and Kontakia**

Troparion, Tone 4: When the disciples of the Lord learned from the angel\* the glorious news of the resurrection\* and cast off the ancestral condemnation,\* they proudly told the apostles:\* “Death has been plundered!\* Christ our God is risen,\* granting to the world great mercy.”

**+Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.**

Kontakion, Tone 4: My Saviour and Deliverer from the grave\* as God raised out of bondage the children of the earth\* and shattered the gates of Hades;\* and as Master, He rose on the third day.

**Now and for ever and ever. Amen.**

Theotokion, Tone 4: By your birth, O immaculate one,\* Joachim and Anna were freed from the reproach of childlessness,\* and Adam and Eve\* from the corruption of death.\* And your people, redeemed from the guilt of their sins,\* celebrate as they cry out to you:\* “The barren one gives birth to the Mother of God\* and nourisher of our life.”

**Prokeimenon, Tone 4**

How great are Your works, O Lord\* You have made all things in wisdom.

verse: Bless the Lord, O my soul: O Lord my God, You are exceedingly great. (Psalm 103:24,1)

**Epistle: Romans 10:1-10 A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Romans:**

Brothers and Sisters, my heart's desire and prayer to God for them is that they may be saved. I can testify that they have a zeal for God, but it is not enlightened. For, being ignorant of the righteousness that comes from God, and seeking to establish their own, they have not submitted to God's righteousness. For Christ is the end of the law so that there may be righteousness for everyone who believes. Moses writes concerning the righteousness that comes from the law, that “the person who does these things will live by them.” But the righteousness that comes from faith says, “Do not say in your heart, ‘Who will ascend into heaven?’” (that is, to bring Christ down) “or ‘Who will descend into the abyss?’” (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). But what does it say? “The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved.

**Alleluia, Tone 4**

verse: Poise yourself and advance in triumph and reign in the cause of truth, and meekness, and justice.

verse: You have loved justice and hated iniquity. (Psalm 44:5,8)

**Gospel: Matthew 8:28-9:1**

At that time, when Jesus came to the other side, to the country of the Gadarenes, two demoniacs coming out of the tombs met him. They were so fierce that no one could pass that way. Suddenly they shouted, “What have you to do with us, Son of God? Have you come here to torment us before the time?” Now a large herd of swine was feeding at some distance from them. The demons begged him, “If you cast us out, send us into the herd of swine.” And he said to them, “Go!” So they came out and entered the swine; and suddenly, the whole herd rushed down the steep bank into the sea and perished in the water. The swineherds ran off, and on going into the town, they told the whole story about what had happened to the demoniacs. Then the whole town came out to meet Jesus; and when they saw him, they begged him to leave their neighborhood. And after getting into a boat he crossed the sea and came to his own town.

**Communion Hymn**

Praise the Lord from the heavens;\* praise Him in the highest.\* Alleluia, alleluia,\* alleluia. (Psalm 148:1)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **NEW Sr. Angelica is celebrating 65 years as a Sister Servant of Mary Immaculate and you are invited to thank God for her vocation!** Most Reverend Ken (Nowakowski), Bishop of the Eparchy of New Westminster cordially invites you to celebrate the 65<sup>th</sup> anniversary of entering religious life as a Sister Servant of Mary Immaculate by Sister Angelica Hodowansky SSML. **Saturday, 22 July 2017 11:00 AM Divine Liturgy at Holy Eucharist Cathedral (501-4<sup>th</sup> Avenue, New Westminster).** Casual Dress Picnic to follow rain or shine! Please bring your own lawn chairs. There is no charge for the picnic, however to make sure we are prepared to host you please **RSVP no later than 10 July to: Fr. Mykhailo Ozorovych Tel: 604-704-5889, mykhailo.oz@gmail.com** Instead of a gift, Sister Angelica has requested donations to the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate may be offered for the support of the orphanages that the Sisters care for in Ukraine.
- **TODAY Saints Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church in Grindrod** - invites you to its Praznyk/Parish Feast Day Celebration next Sunday, July 9th, 2017. The Hierarchical Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 11:30 a.m. Reception, social, games ... etc. to follow. Please RSVP - call and/or email one of the following if you plan to attend:

Bruce/Jackie Munro 250-836-4945; munroindustries@yahoo.com

Michael Luchkanych 250-833-1022 michaylol@gmail.com

Or email Leah Blain - [leeblain@gmail.com](mailto:leeblain@gmail.com)

There is no cost for the luncheon but donations are accepted.

We are looking forward to seeing you, welcoming you and sharing the joy of celebration with all of you!

- **Please Pray for health of** – Orest K., Eva and Claude G., Theresa M., Cecile T., Helen, Katherine B., Dorothy Ch., John M., Victor and Gloria Sz., Sophie C., Walter K., Nick R., Kalyna K., Jesse K., Rose O. and all other parishioners and family members who need God's healing at the present time.
- **“Save-on- Foods” gift cards** – are available for sale. Anyone wishing to buy the cards, please contact Mrs. Ann Mary, or Fr. Stepan.
- Please, contact Fr. Stepan **if you want to have the Divine Liturgies** celebrated in your special (such as: In thanksgiving for favours received, the Infirm, General Intentions, the Deceased, Help of the Holy Spirit, for the Travelers, etc.) intentions.
- If you would like to receive an e-mail version of our weekly parish bulletin, please send me an e-mail and I will add you to our list. [dovhoshiastepan@gmail.com](mailto:dovhoshiastepan@gmail.com)
- **Reminder for families of individuals who are admitted to hospital** - If you or a family member is admitted to hospital and you wish to have a priest

visit, please be sure to have someone call the rectory to make this request. Your pastor may have no other way of knowing that you are in hospital, as privacy legislation restricts the information that can be given to him by the hospital.

- **PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND: OCTOBER 12 - 24, 2017.** Walk in the footsteps of Jesus; an unforgettable experience with Fr. Joe Ostapowich, Sr. Angelica SSMI, brother & sister pilgrims. For details and price call Myrna Arychuk at 604 - 617 - 7200. Thank you, Sr. Angelica

### **Camp Saint Volodymyr 2017 August 20-27**

The purpose of camp is to provide an opportunity for youth to experience God through nature and the companionship of others. Children will experience Ukrainian language and culture during camp along with games, religious activities, hikes, sports, arts and crafts, camp fires, water activities and other summer camp activities.

This marks the 34th year of our Ukrainian Catholic Summer Camp. Camp will take place in Kelowna at the OAC facility. Camp offers a wide range of activities for campers aged 7-15 (as of December 31, 2017). Registration will be available online via Eventbrite "Camp St. Volodymyr BC 2017." Early bird registration Ends July 6, 2017.

#### **WAYS TO HELP**

**VOLUNTEER** Camp St. Volodymyr is a nonprofit camp, run on a volunteer basis. If you are interested in helping at this year's camp as a counsellor, chef, arts & crafts or cultural coordinator please contact Jennifer. Applications forms for counsellors are due May 15, 2017. All volunteers will be subject to a criminal records check and must sign the camp code of conduct. **For more information contact Jennifer Caldwell @ 604.220.0584 or jennsawka@hotmail.com.** Visit our webpage via [www.nweparchy.ca](http://www.nweparchy.ca)

**DONATE** We are always happy to accept food donations of vegetables, fruits, cereals, and treats for children such as cakes, cookies, as well as monetary donations. Tax receipts can be issued with donations of \$25 or more.

- **NEW Sunday collection (Vernon): July 2 \$1650**