

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **INVITATION! Our Bishop, Most Rev. Ken (Nowakowski) celebrated his 30th anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood** on 19 August and we want to continue the celebrations! You are cordially invited to thank God for Bishop Ken’s vocation and priestly life at the Vespers service on Saturday, 5 October at our Cathedral parish at 6:00 pm. There is no charge for the reception meal following Vespers, however there is limited seating available thus in order to make sure we are prepared to host you please RSVP no later than 28 September to: Fr. Mykhailo Ozorovych Tel: [604-704-5889](tel:604-704-5889), mykhailo.oz@gmail.com In lieu of a gift, Bishop Ken has requested donations be made to Holy Eucharist Cathedral for further beautification of the church.
- **Please Pray for health of ...** Romeo P., Wilf K., AnnMary J., Mary S., all the sick brothers and sisters in our families and our parish community. Please let Fr. Stepan know if you would like to add names to the prayer list and also notify him about any sick and/or hospitalized parishioners and family members.
- **Let Us Pray Together** - all faithful of the Ukrainian Catholic Church are encouraged to pray every day at 9:00 p.m. (regardless of the time zone). We will pray for each others needs, for the parish, the eparchy, Ukrainian Catholic Church, for peace in Ukraine, and for vocations. At this time the faithful are encouraged to pray at least: the usual beginning of the ordinary (Начало обичне) including our Father, and Hail Mary.
- 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
- **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.
- **“Save-on- Foods” gift cards** – are available for sale. Anyone wishing to buy the cards, please contact Mary F., or Fr. Stepan.
- **SUNDAY COLLECTIONS (Vernon): Sep 08 - \$475**
- **SUNDAY COLLECTIONS (Grindrod): Sep 08 - \$**

St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Church
 2210 – 40th Avenue, Vernon, BC V1T 8Z9
 The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of New Westminster
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Saints Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church
 Carlin Street and 3rd Avenue, Grindrod, BC
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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK (VERNON): Sep 15 - Sep 22

SUNDAY	For the Parishioners of the St. Josaphat For the Parishioners of the Saints Peter and Paul	10:00 AM 2:00 PM
MONDAY	NO SERVICE	*****
TUESDAY	Divine Liturgy for Romeo	9:00 AM
WEDNESDAY	Divine Liturgy for Romeo	9:00 AM
THURSDAY	Divine Liturgy for Romeo	9:00 AM
FRIDAY	Divine Liturgy for Romeo	9:00 AM
SATURDAY	Divine Liturgy for Romeo	9:00 AM
SUNDAY	For the Parishioners of the St. Josaphat For the Parishioners of the Saints Peter and Paul	10:00 AM 2:00 PM

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

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Sunday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross
DIVINE LITURGY PROPER

Antiphon 1

O God, my God, hear me; why have You forsaken me? The words of my transgressions put salvation far from me.

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

O God, I will call to You by day but You will not listen; and by night, yet it will not be foolish of me.

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

But You, the praise of Israel, dwell in the holy place.

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

Glory... Now... Only-begotten Son...

Antiphon 3

Come, let us sing joyfully to the Lord, let us acclaim God, our Saviour.

Son of God, crucified in the flesh, save us who sing to You: Alleluia.

Let us come before His face with praise, and acclaim Him in psalms.

Son of God, crucified in the flesh, save us who sing to You: Alleluia.

For God is the great Lord, and the great king over all the earth.

Son of God, crucified in the flesh, save us who sing to You: Alleluia.

Entrance

Come, let us worship and fall down before Christ.

Son of God, crucified in the flesh, save us who sing to You: Alleluia.

Troparia and Kontakia

Troparion, Tone 5: Let us the faithful acclaim and worship the Word,* co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit,* and born of the Virgin for our salvation.* For He willed to be lifted up on the cross in the flesh, to suffer death* and to raise the dead by His glorious resurrection.

Troparion, Tone 1: Save Your people, O Lord, and bless Your inheritance.* Grant victory to Your faithful people against enemies,* and protect Your community by Your cross.

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

Kontakion, Tone 5: You, my Saviour, descended to Hades,* and as the Almighty, You shattered its gates.* With Yourself You, as the Creator, raised the dead and shattered the sting of death,* and delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of Mankind.* And so we cry out: "Save us, O Lord."

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Kontakion, Tone 4: By Your own choice, O Christ our God,* You were lifted on the cross.* Grant Your mercies to Your new community* that bears Your Name.* By Your power gladden

the faithful people,* and grant them victory against enemies.* May they have the help of Your instrument of peace,* the invincible sign of victory.

Prokeimenon, Tone 7

Exalt the Lord our God,* and bow in worship at the footstool of his feet, for it is holy.

verse: The Lord reigns, let the people tremble.

Epistle

Epistle: Galatians 2:16-20 A reading from the Epistle of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Galatians:

16 yet we know that ^aa person is not justified² by works of the law ^obut through faith in Jesus Christ, so we also have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ and not by works of the law, ^pbecause by works of the law no one will be justified.

17 But if, in our endeavor to be justified in Christ, we too were found ^qto be sinners, is Christ then a servant of sin? Certainly not! **18** For if I rebuild what I tore down, I prove myself to be a transgressor. **19** For through the law I ^rdied to the law, so that I might ^slive to God. **20** I have been ^tcrucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives ^uin me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, ^vwho loved me and ^wgave himself for me.

Alleluia, Tone 1

verse: Remember Your congregation which You acquired from the beginning.

verse: But God is our king before the ages; He has wrought salvation in the midst of the earth.

Gospel

Mark 8:34-9:1

Hymn to the Mother of God

O my soul, magnify the most precious cross of the Lord.

And the Irmos, Tone 8: You are a mystical Paradise, O Mother of God, who though untilled, have brought forth Christ. He has planted upon earth the life-giving Tree of the Cross. Therefore today as we raise it on high we bow low and we magnify you.

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the highest. Let the light of Your countenance, O Lord,* shine upon us.* Alleluia, alleluia,* alleluia.

At the end of Liturgy we sing:

To Your Cross, O Master, we bow in veneration, and we glorify Your holy Resurrection. (3)