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ST. JOSAPHAT UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

## Бюлетень – Bulletin

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**March 7, 2021**

## 3rd Sunday of the Great Fast: Veneration of the Holy Cross; the Holy Priest-Martyrs and Bishops of Cherson Basil, Ephrem, Capiton, Eugene, Etherius and Others (284-305)

**Tone 7**

### Schedule of Sunday & Weekday Services

#### 3.7.2021 – 3-а Неділя Посту

9:30 a.m. - Вервиця і сповідь  
10:00 a.m. - Служба Божа

#### 3.10.2021 – 5:00 p.m.

Хресна дорога та Сорокоусти

#### 3.14.2021 – 4-а Неділя Посту

9:30 a.m. - Вервиця і сповідь  
10:00 a.m. - Служба Божа

#### 3.7.2021 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Great Fast

9:30 a.m. - Rosary and Reconciliation  
10:00 a.m. - Divine Liturgy

#### 3.10.2021 – 5:00 p.m.

Stations of the Cross & Sorokousty

#### 3.14.2021 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Great Fast

9:30 a.m. - Rosary and Reconciliation  
10:00 a.m. - Divine Liturgy

### Prayer list of the sick or aged parishioners & friends of the parish

Finbarr Jones, Olga Wasylowsky, Teodozia Shyika Lucyk, Natalie Shuya, Rose Adamko, Charlotte Scheuer, Irene Karpinec, Nadia Kusznir, Oksana Nosyk, John Lackhouse, Richard Case, Laura Baker Coughlin, Natalie Lackhouse and young Samuel Rocha. Remember also all those who have suffered due to Covid 19 – the ill, the deceased, the healthcare workers and those who lost jobs or income because of the virus.

*If you know of someone who should be on this list, please let me know the name of the individual.  
Our intercessory prayer for the sick and aged is truly helpful and comforting.*

Father Volodymyr would like to visit our sick and elderly parishioners, especially those who cannot be with us for liturgies. Please call him at **773-979-4737** to let him know who would like a visit.

О. Володимир бажає відвідати хворих та старших парафіян, які не можуть приходити до церкви. Просимо повідомити його за номером **773-979-4737**.

## Парафіяльні Оголошення

1. Розпочато щорічне звернення до Єпархіальної апеляції Святого Миколая 2021 року. Він буде проведений у всіх наших 43 парафіях та місіях, до 11 квітня. Кожна парафія і місія має можливість допомогти Владиці Венедикту вирішити проблему фінансової підтримки єпархіального адміністрування та спланувати майбутнє зростання нашої Єпархії. Просимо вас розглянути можливість підтримки Share 2021. Свої внески Ви можете надсилати на адресу Єпархії, кинути їх у кошики для пожертв протягом найближчих тижнів заклику або зробити онлайн пожертву на нашому веб-сайті [www.chicagougcc.org](http://www.chicagougcc.org) (натисніть на банер Share-2021).
2. У суботу, 27 березня 2021 року, відбудеться щорічний Великий Базар. Нам буде потрібна допомога на кухні цього тижня, а також у суботу.
3. Запрошуємо долучатись усіх бажаючих для приготування вареників. Просимо приходити у четвер вранці для підготовки продуктів і у п'ятницю для ліплення.
4. У зв'язку зі зростанням захворюваності на COVID-19 просимо одягати маски, мити руки чи використовувати санітайзер та зберігати дистанцію.
5. Ми закликаємо всіх наших парафіян молитися за мир у світі, особливо про закінчення війни та мир в Україні, а також щоб США зібралися разом і намагалися зрозуміти один одного.

## Parish Announcements

1. The St. Nicholas Eparchy's Annual Eparchial Appeal Share 2021 has begun. It will be conducted in all of our 43 parishes and missions through April 11<sup>th</sup>. Each parish and mission have been given a goal to help Bishop Benedict meet current eparchial expenses and plan for the future growth of our Eparchy. Please consider supporting Share 2021. You can either mail your contributions to the Eparchy address, place it in the collection basket during the coming weeks of the appeal or make an online donation on our website [www.chicagougcc.org](http://www.chicagougcc.org) (click on “Share-2021” banner).
2. On Saturday, March 27, 2021 will be our Annual Easter Bazaar. We will be needing help in the kitchen that week as well as on Saturday.
3. We need additional volunteers for our pyrohy ministry, especially in the food preparation area (Thursday morning) and in the cooking area (Friday).
4. Due to the increase in Covid 19 cases, please remember to wear a mask, wash hands or use sanitizer and keep social distance from those not in your family.
5. We call upon all our parishioners to pray for peace in the world, especially for the end of the war and peace in Ukraine, and that all people come together and try to understand each other.

## Sunday Collection for February 28, 2021:

**Envelopes: \$476.00**

**Candles: \$119.00**

**Church in Need: \$5.00**

**Loose Cash: \$110.00**

**TOTAL: \$710.00**

**Please mail your donations to: St. Josaphat, 8624 White Oak Ave, Munster IN 46321. THANK YOU!**

***During this Lenten season, remember those who have less. Donated food items are given to the local food pantry. Please show your thanks to God for what you have by sharing generously with others in need.***

*Prepare for Pascha (Easter) during the Great Fast (Lent) through prayer, fasting, abstinence, penance and sacrifice.*

*Before participating in the Sacrament of Repentance, as part of your examination of conscience, meditate on:*



#### **The Two Great Commandments:**

1. You shall love the Lord your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.
2. You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

#### **The Ten Commandments – first, the three commandments about your relationship to God:**

1. I am the Lord your God. You shall have no other gods besides me.
2. You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.
3. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

*(Examination of Conscience to be continued - see handouts at back of church)*

#### ***The Cross, Our Victory***

Have you seen the wonderful victory? Have you seen the splendid deeds of the Cross? ... Who can tell the Lord's mighty deeds? By death we were made immortal: these are the glorious deeds of the Cross.

Have you understood the victory? Have you grasped how it was wrought? Learn now, how this victory was gained without any sweat or toil of ours. No weapons of ours were stained with blood; our feet did not stand in the front line of battle; we suffered no wounds; witnessed no tumults; and yet we obtained the victory.

The battle was the Lord's, the crown is ours. Since then victory is ours, let us imitate the soldiers, and with joyful voices sing the songs of victory.

Let us praise the Lord and say, "Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is thy victory? O death, where is thy sting?"

The Cross did all these wonderful things for us: the Cross is a war memorial erected against the demons, a sword against sin, the sword with which Christ slew the serpent.

The Cross is the Father's will, the glory of the Only-begotten, the Spirit's exultation, the beauty of the angels, the guardian of the Church. Paul glories in the Cross; it is the rampart of the saints, it is the light of the whole world.

*St. John Chrysostom*

#### **THIRD SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST SUNDAY OF THE HOLY CROSS**



*Icon of the Sunday of the Holy Cross*