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ST. JOSAPHAT UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Бюлетень – Bulletin

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June 13, 2021

**Third Sunday after Pentecost; Holy Martyr
Aquilina (286-305); Holy Triphillius, Bishop of
Leucosia (Nicosia) on Cyprus (343); Apostles' Fast.
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Schedule of Sunday & Weekday Service

6.13.21 – 3-ша Неділя після Зіслання Святого Духа

9:30 a.m. - Вервиця і сповідь
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Sunday Collections for June 6, 2021:

Envelopes: \$330.00

Loose cash: \$42.00

Parish dues: \$50.00

Candles: \$45.00

Peter's Pence: \$5.00

Hall rental: \$200.00

Self-Reliance Donation: \$3,000.00

TOTAL: \$3,672.00

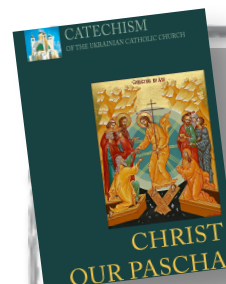
Please mail your donations to: St. Josaphat, 8624 White Oak Ave, Munster IN 46321. THANK YOU!

Парафіяльні Оголошення

1. У неділю, 20 червня, на День Батька будемо молитися за всіх батьків - живих і померлих. Просимо написати імена і вкласти у конверти при вході до церкви.
2. У зв'язку зі COVID-19 просимо одягати маски, мити руки чи використовувати санітайзер та зберігати дистанцію
3. 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. On Sunday, June 20, on Father's Day, we will pray for all fathers, both living and dead. At the entrance to the church there are envelopes where you can give the names of your fathers.
2. Due to Covid 19, please remember to wear a mask, wash hands or use sanitizer and keep social distance from those not in your family.
3. 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 in USA come together and try to understand each other.



Excerpt from *Christ Our Pascha*

The Father Creates through the Son in the Holy Spirit

The Incarnation of the Son of God reveals the purpose of the created world. At the appointed moment of history, the Son of God descends into creation in order to raise creation to God. This is accomplished by the action of the Holy Spirit. In six days of creation, the Holy Spirit prepares an environment for humanity (see *Gn* 1). In the Old Testament, God prepares humanity for the encounter with the incarnate Son of God, so that through Jesus Christ all creation might be brought to the Father, and “that God may be all in all” (1 Cor 15:28). (#102)

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

Georgia Sosnowski, Finbarr Jones, Olga Wasylowsky, Teodozia Shyika Lucyk, Natalie Shuya, Rose Adamko, Charlotte Scheuer, Irene Karpinec, Nadia Kusznir, Oksana Nosyk, John Lackhouse, Richard Case, Natalie Lackhouse, and young Samuel Rocha.

Remember also all those who have suffered due to Covid 19 – the ill and deceased, healthcare workers and those who lost jobs or income. 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.



Who is Holy Martyr Aquilina (286-305)?

Holy Martyr Aquilina, a native of the Phoenician city of Byblos, was raised by her parents in Christian piety. During the time of Emperor Diocletian (284- 305), when she was only 12, she persuaded a pagan friend to convert to Christ. A servant of the imperial governor Volusian accused her of teaching others not to follow the religion of their fathers. The girl firmly confessed her faith in Christ before the governor and said that she would not renounce Him. Volusian tried to influence the young confessor through persuasion and by flattery, but seeing her confidence, he ordered her to be tortured. They struck her upon the face, then they stripped her and beat her with whips. The torturer asked, "Where then is your God? Let Him come and take you out of my hands". The saint answered, "The Lord is here with me invisibly, and the more I suffer, the more strength and endurance will He give me." They drilled through the martyr's ears with heated metal rods. The holy virgin fell down as if dead. The torturer thought that the girl had actually died, and he gave orders to throw her body outside the city to be eaten by dogs. By night a holy angel appeared to St Aquilina, roused her and said, "Arise and be healed. Go and denounce Volusian, so that he and his plans may come to nothing." The martyr went to the court of the governor and stood before Volusian. Seeing St Aquilina, he called for his servants and ordered them to keep watch over her until morning. In the morning he sentenced St Aquilina to death, saying that she was a sorceress who did not obey the imperial decrees. When they led the saint to execution, she prayed and gave thanks to God for allowing her to suffer for His Holy Name. A voice was heard in answer to her prayer, summoning her to the heavenly Kingdom. Before the executioner could carry out the sentence, the martyr gave up her spirit to God (+ 293). The executioner feared to disobey the governor's orders, so he cut off her head although she was already dead. Christians piously buried the martyr's body. Later, her relics were taken to Constantinople and placed in a church named for her.

Don't take a vacation from worshipping God!

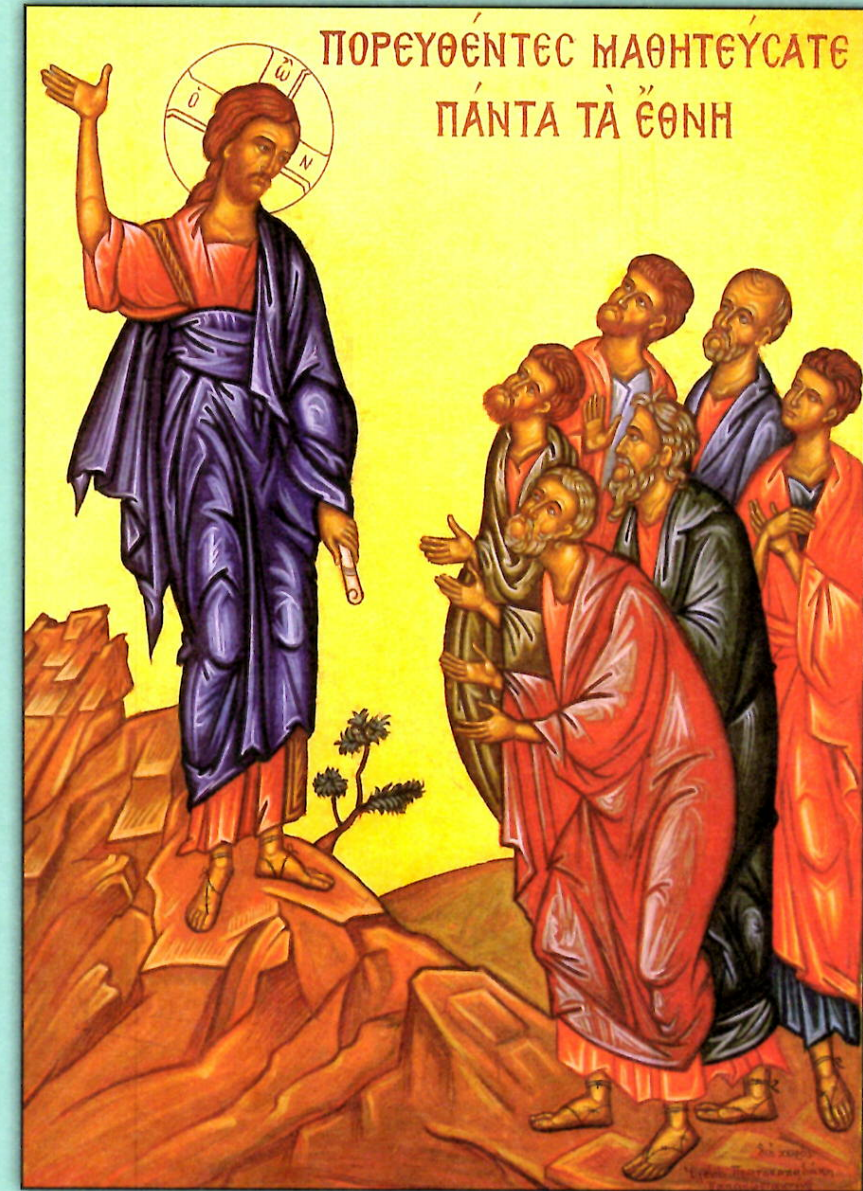
Prove Your Faith by Your Trust

'Look at the birds of the air,' says Jesus. What a splendid example for our faith to follow! If God's providence bestows an unfailing supply of food on the birds of the air who neither sow nor reap, we ought to realize that the reason for people's supply running short is human greed. The fruits of the earth were given to feed all without distinction and nobody can claim any particular rights. Instead, we have lost the sense of the communion of goods, rushing to turn these goods into private property. The birds do not know famine because they do not claim anything specially for themselves and neither do they have any envy of others. 'Consider the lilies of the field: not even Solomon in all his glory was

arrayed like one of these. If God so clothes the grass which is alive today and tomorrow is cast into the oven, how much more will he clothe one of you!' Listen to these stupendous and uplifting words. With this parable of flowers and grass the Lord urges us to hope that God will also be merciful to us. Nothing is more persuasive than a glance at unthinking creatures who have received such beautiful dress from Providence. Surely we should be all the more ready to believe that human beings, if they entrust themselves completely to God and free themselves of all their worries, will not lack anything.

St. Ambrose of Milan

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Christ Teaching on the Mount