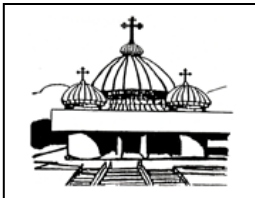
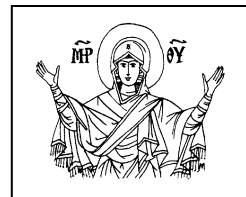


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DIVINE LITURGY:

SUNDAYS: 9:15 a.m. (Ukrainian) & 11:00 a.m. (English) **SATURDAYS:** 4:00pm

Confession:

before liturgies or upon request.

Baptisms & Marriages:

by prior arrangement (at least 1 year before the marriage date), through the parish office.

Visitations & Anointing of the Sick.

Please notify the office if a member of your family is in need of a visit.

April 22, 2012 - Томина Неділя - Thomas Sunday

ХРИСТОС ВОСКРЕС!

CHRIST IS RISEN!

TRULY HE IS RISEN !

Прокімен (глас 3): Великий Господь наш і велика сила його, і розумові його немає міри (Пс 146,5).

Prokimenon (tone 3): Great is the Lord and great is His strength; and of His knowledge there is no end (Ps 146:5).

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THANK YOU: It was wonderful to see many parishioners taking the opportunity to receive the sacrament of confession before Easter. Our faithful are encouraged to receive the sacrament at least twice yearly – before Easter and Christmas. Also, it was great to see our faithful participate in the Holy Thursday Passion Matins (where the 12 passion Gospels were proclaimed), Good Friday (laying of the Shroud) and Holy Saturday (prayers at the tomb). Easter Sunday was celebrated by many parishioners with procession around the Church, wonderful singing during the Divine Liturgy and anointing.

First of all, I would like to express my gratitude to all who participated in the procession on Good Friday and Easter Sunday, and to all parishioners who attended Easter services, including Bright Monday and Tuesday. I especially thank all who made the effort to be at services on time for Sunday morning.

Indeed, this was a joyful celebration of Easter. It is good to see parishioners responding to Jesus' invitation and participating in the Paschal Mystery and strengthening our faith. We need to be reminded not to limit our faith only to blessing of Easter Baskets and Easter Sunday Liturgy, but all Easter services are important especially the Good Friday.

May the Resurrected Jesus strengthen our faith and love for God.

THOMAS SUNDAY REFLECTION:

After His Resurrection, Jesus appeared to His Disciples: He miraculously entered a locked room, and showed them His wounds. Then He ate and drank with them, proving that He was not a ghost or a phantom, but that He was really Jesus the Christ, in the flesh. St. Thomas was not with the rest of the Disciples in the room. When he returned, the others excitedly told him that Jesus had visited them. Thomas doubted their story - the bodily resurrection of Christ. So the Lord appeared again, and invited Thomas to put his fingers in His side and touch the wounds made by the nails. Thomas did, and after seeing (and feeling) for himself, he finally believed. He cried out: "My Lord and my God!" and fell at Christ's feet. Christ told Thomas that He was glad that Thomas no longer doubted, but also lamented: "***Because you have seen Me, you have believed. Blessed are those who have not seen, yet believed!***" Christ uses Thomas' doubt to teach both the Disciples and us that we don't need to physically touch Him to have faith. But upon hearing of Christ, we can be spiritually moved by His presence to follow Him, and trust in His promise that all men will be raised on the day He appoints for judgment, and know either the eternal joy of being reunited with God or the torment of being without Him. St. Peter heard and understood, as he writes to his flock (**I Peter 1:8**): "You did not see Him, yet you loved Him; and still without seeing Him you are filled with a joy so glorious that it cannot be described, because you believe; and you are sure of the end to which your faith looks forward, that is, the salvation of your souls." It is the custom in many parishes to travel to the cemetery on this day to pray, light candles, and to sing "Christ is Risen!" to deceased family members.

Prayer Intentions

Monday	9:30	+Juliana Hrobelsky – Mr. Mrs. Dnes & Family
Tuesday	9:30	+Slawko Hucal – N. Holunga
Wednesday	9:30	+ Nellie Kozak – J. J. Gaba
Thursday	9:30	40 Day +Nick Popiwchak
Friday	9:30	+Irene Boyuk – B. D. Zelenchuk
Saturday	4:00	Divine Liturgy
Sunday	9:15	Divine Liturgy
	11:00	Divine Liturgy 1 st Solemn Communion

An Alternate Ambo Prayer

Passover, Passover, and again I say, Passover, for Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us. He alone is immortal, He alone cannot be seen or grasped. The angels and principalities, the authorities, dominions and powers, and the cherubim and seraphim praise Him. With these heavenly powers, we, Your unworthy servants, praise, bless and worship You, O Lord our God, for in these last days You came into the world, took flesh from our holy and pure Lady, the Mother of God and ever virgin Mary, and suffered crucifixion that You might free us from the curse of the tree. For all this, how can we repay You, O God according to nature and Father according to grace? We offer You praise from our lips: Glory to You who were baptized! Glory to You who were crucified! Glory to You who were buried! Glory to You, for You are risen and raised us with You! Glory to You together with Your eternal Father and Your all-holy, good and life-giving Spirit, now and for ever and ever. Amen.

ЩИРОСЕРДЕЧНА ПОДЯКА – для всіх які допомогли відсяткувати той врочистий Празник Воскресіння Христового. Нехай всемогучий Господь Бог винагородить вас всіх за вашу підтримку і допомогу.

МОЛЕБНІ ДО БОГОРОДИЦІ- у кожную п'ятницю о год 6:00 вечора у місяці травні. Щиро запрошуємо всіх.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE INVITED TO AN OPEN HOUSE to celebrate Nick's 80th Birthday Sat. April 28th from 1:30 - 4:00 at the Harasymko residence , 12 Barrington St. Sudbury , Light refreshments will be served ** Best Wishes Only**

DEVOTIONS TO THE MOTHER OF GOD – will be celebrated every Friday at 6:00 pm during the month of May. We encourage all our faithful to attend.

Неділя Провідна. Неділя Нова, або Оновлення, бо вона перша після Пасхи і в ній наче оновлялося празнування Пасхи. Цього дня Ісус Христос своєю появою оновив для

апостолів радість свого Воскресення. "У цей день, — каже синаксар Томиної неділі, — в другу неділю по Пасці, празнуємо оновлення Христового Воскресення і святого апостола Томи діткнення". Деякі автори виводять цю назву від того, що ця неділя проводить і продовжує празник Пасхи. У нашого народу був звичай у Томину неділю організувати проводи, тобто поминання померлих, осібною трапезою та молінням за душі померлих на цвинтарі. Святкування восьмого дня після Пасхи, як завершення торжеств світлої седмиці, з давніх-давен вважалося окремим празником. Темою богослужень цього празника, як і седмиці, що наступає після нього, є євангельська подія, що описує появу Ісуса Христа восьмого дня після Воскресення та зворушливе навернення і визнання віри святого апостола Томи. Про значення святкування цього празника святий Григорій Богослов († 389) у своєму слові в Томину неділю так каже: "Давній і в добрій цілі установлений закон шанує день оновлення, або радше кажучи, з днем оновлення шанує нові добродійства. Чи ж не був днем оновлення і перший воскреслий день, що наступив по священній і світлоносній ночі? Чому даємо цю назву сьогоднішньому дневі? Той (тобто Великдень) був днем спасення, а цей — днем згадки про спасення. Той день розділяє собою погребання і воскресення, а цей — є днем зовсім нового народження... Справжню онову ми сьогодні празнуємо, переходячи від смерти до життя. Тож скиньте зі себе старого чоловіка й оновіться та живіть в обнови життя"

Giant Indoor Yard Sale

St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church

40 Notre Dame--Parish Hall

Saturday, April 28, 2012

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Many beautiful items! Something for everyone!

All proceeds will be donated toward the purchase of the new parish surveillance system.

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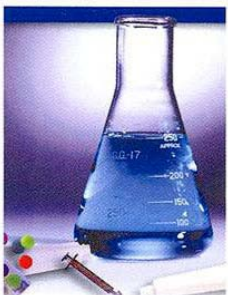
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