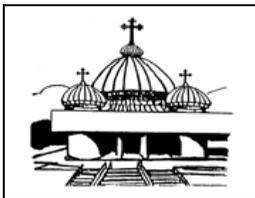
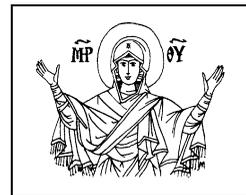


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DIVINE LITURGY:

SUNDAYS: 9:00 a.m. (Ukrainian) & 10:30 a.m.

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.

August 5, 2012

9th Sunday after Pentecost – 9 неділя по П'ятидесятниці

Propers for the Divine Liturgy: Tone 8 on page 357

Prayer Intentions

Monday	9:00 Wedding Anniversary of J. J. Gaba 10:30 Funeral for Mr. Rehaluk
Tuesday	9:30 Dormition of St. Ann /Успінна св. Анни
Wednesday	9:30 Divine Liturgy
Thursday	9:30 Divine Liturgy
Friday	9:30 Divine Liturgy
Saturday	4:00 pm in Coniston +William Behum (in memory of brother in law and uncle) 1st anniversary requested by Angela Behun & family
Sunday	9:00 Divine Liturgy 10:30 Divine Liturgy



Sincerest Prayers & Condolences – We extend our sincerest prayers and condolences to the Syrnyk Family on the passing away of +Myroslaw (Morris) Syrnyk. May his memory be eternal in God!

ВІЧНА ПАМ'ЯТЬ - Упокоївся у Бозі бл. п. Мирослав Сирник, Складаємо найщиріші співчуття для родини покійного.



Sincerest Prayers & Condolences – We extend our sincerest prayers and condolences to the Ryhaluk Family on the passing away of +Paul Ryhaluk (101 years old). May his memory be eternal in God!

ВІЧНА ПАМ'ЯТЬ - Упокоївся у Бозі бл. п. Павло Ригалюк, Складаємо найщиріші співчуття для родини покійного.



ST. MARY'S MEN'S CLUB acknowledges with thanks all participants, volunteers, and sponsors in making our 8th annual golf tournament a fun filled afternoon for everyone.

CONGRATULATION AND BEST WISHES to Amy Flowerday and Jamie Morphet who were crowned in marriage on Saturday, June 28th 2012. Lord, grant them many years, grant them many years! May they be blessed with health and salvation! God, grant them many, happy years!

THE 40TH DAY Divine Liturgy for +Anna Skoratko will be celebrated on Tuesday, August 14th at 9:30.

ГРАТУЛЮЄМО НОВОПОВІНЧаним молодятam Amy Flowerday і Jamie Morphet які вступили на нову дорогу подружнього життя. Бажаємо їм щастя здоров'я і Многих Літ!

ЩИРА ПОДЯКА – Клуб Мушин дякує для всіх, що допомогли і брали участь у цьогорічному гольфі. До зустрічі на другий рік!

40 ДЕНЬ ПОКІЙНОЇ АННИ СКОРАТКО – Служба Божа у вівторок 14 серпня о год. 9:30.

Hall Project: Mr. & Mrs. J. Stonley \$100.00; Mr. & Mrs. Yankowsky \$50.00; Mr. John Halushenski \$100.00; Mr. & Mrs. L. Halushenski \$100.00; Mr. & Mrs. A. Morphet; \$200.00; Mrs. Pauline Yawney \$200; Mr. & Mrs. L. Timchuk \$125.00; Fr. Petro & Renata Bodnar \$200.00

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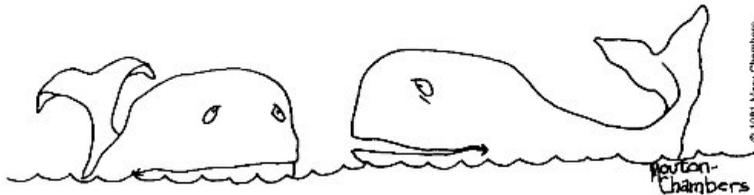
The Episcopal ordination of UCU's Rector Father Borys Gudziak will be held on August 26 in St. George's Cathedral in Lviv. The Hierarchical Liturgy will be headed by Patriarch Sviatoslav (Shevchuk) of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church. Bishop-nominee Borys (Gudziak) will be 49th bishop of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church. This is the first episcopal nomination announced during the rule of the new head of the UGCC Patriarch Sviatoslav (Shevchuk).

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ in today's Gospel we hear how our Lord came to His disciples walking on the water in the midst of a storm. We hear how Saint Peter through faith joins Him on the water. Then Saint Peter becomes distracted by the storm and cries out "Lord, save me!" (Matthew 14:30) Our Lord reaches out and catches him and says "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" (Matthew 14:31) In this Gospel we see the power of faith. We see that if we have faith we can perform miraculous things. Our Lord reminds of this when he says the following "If you have faith as a grain of mustard seed, you shall say unto this mountain, remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you." (Matthew 17:20) and again "Truly I say unto you, If you have faith, and doubt not, you shall not only do this which is done to the fig tree, but also if you shall say unto this mountain, be removed, and be cast into the sea; it shall be done." (Matthew 21:21)

When we have faith we embark on a spiritual path that leads to God. That path often appears dangerous. As we see with Saint Peter getting out of the boat and walking on water in the midst of a storm. If we have any doubt as we walk this spiritual path then the troubles and cares of this world overwhelm us. We become preoccupied with the storms that are around us because we lose our focus on God. This is what happened to Saint Peter when he began to sink. He lost his focus on the Savior and placed his focus on the storm around him. When he did this he lost the grace that was given to him when he stepped out of the boat in faith. This should remind us as our Lord said "without me you can do nothing." (John 15:5) When we lose our focus on the Lord and get caught up in the storm of temptations around us we have a choice to make. That choice is, do we place our trust in the Savior to help us or do we allow the temptations to overcome us. This is the same choice that Saint Peter was confronted with

as he was sinking in the water. When we are in this situation we can do two things the first is call out as Peter did “Lord, save me!” (Matthew 14:30) or “curse God, and die.” (Job 2:9) as Job’s wife told him in the midst of his afflictions. If we choose to follow Saint Peter’s example and cry out “Lord, save me!” (Matthew 14:30) then we will find that the Savior is ready to reach out His hand and pull us out of the storm of temptations just like he did for Saint Peter in the Gospel. This example shows us that the Lord is always there for us.

If we know that the Lord is there for us then why do we doubt? It is because we are fainthearted and do not place our trust in the Lord. There are many example for us in the scripture that show us that we should rejoice in the Lord and trust in Him when we are in our greatest affliction. When we are in great affliction we should. Remember how Abraham was free of doubt when he took his only son, Isaac, as a sacrifice and how God saved him. (Genesis 22:1-18) Remember how Jonah glorified God in the belly of the whale and was saved. (Jonah 2:7) Remember how the Three Holy Children sang the glories of God in the fiery furnace and were saved (Daniel 3:19-26) Remember how Daniel was saved in the lion’s den (Daniel 6:16-23) Remember how the Blessed Job praised God in his affliction. (Job 2:7-10) With the remembrance these examples we should not be given over to despair but should be strengthened in our faith that the Lord will save us so that we can say as the Blessed King David said “In God have I put my trust: I will not be afraid what man can do unto me. Your vows are upon me, O God: I will render praises unto You. For You have delivered my soul from death: will not You deliver my feet from falling.” (Psalm 56:11-13)



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