

January 21st, 2024
Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee

SUNDAY, 1/21 9:00 am Divine Liturgy (English) for all parishioners
10:30 am Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) for special intention
MONDAY, 1/22 No Divine Liturgy
TUESDAY, 1/23 5:00 pm Divine Liturgy for special intention
WEDNESDAY, 1/24 8:00 am Divine Liturgy for special intention
THURSDAY, 1/25 No Divine Liturgy
FRIDAY, 1/26 8:00 am Divine Liturgy for special intention
SATURDAY, 1/27 4:00 pm Divine Liturgy for special intention
SUNDAY, 1/28 9:00 am Divine Liturgy (English) for all parishioners
10:30 am Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian) for special intention

Announcements
1-World Marriage Day

Our Bishop Bohdan Danylo in conjunction with the Department of Family Life of the Eparchy of St. Josaphat would like to recognize and honor the couples in our parish who are celebrating the 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th and 60th anniversaries of their marriage during this year of 2024. Please let pastor know about these couples as soon as possible.

2-Mothers in Prayer

On January 27th will be the next prayer meeting of Mothers in Prayer. The meeting will be after evening Divine Liturgy on Saturday.

Sunday Readings

Holy Gospel
Luke 18: 10 – 14

"Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. 11 The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. 12 I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' 13 But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' 14 I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

Upcoming Events
in Parish & Eparchy
Jan.30th – Three Hierarchs
Feb.2nd – Encounter
Feb.12th – Great Lent begins
Mar.24th –Palm Sunday
Mar.25th –Feast of Annunciation
Mar.29th –Good Friday
Mar.31st –Easter

Holy Epistle
2 Timothy 3: 10 – 15

Liturgical Vestments Set

Currently we planning to order 2 sets of priest's and deacon's vestments for our parish. It would cost about \$800-1000. If you would like to help us purchase them, you may contribute specifically for this matter.

Now you have observed my teaching, my conduct, my aim in life, my faith, my patience, my love, my steadfastness, 11 my persecutions, and my suffering the things that happened to me in Antioch, Iconium, and Lystra.

What persecutions I endured! Yet the Lord rescued me from all of them. 12 Indeed, all who want to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted. 13 But wicked people and impostors will go from bad to worse, deceiving others and being deceived. 14 But as for you, continue in what you have learned and firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it, 15 and how from childhood you have known the sacred writings that are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus.

Quotes by Saints

St John Baptist de La Salle

Pride makes us forgetful of our eternal interests. It causes us to neglect totally the care of our soul.

St Gemma Galgani

I shall love You, I shall love You always; when day breaks, when evening turns into night, at every hour, at every moment; I shall love You always, always, always.

St Bernadette

Nothing is anything more to me; everything is nothing to me, but Jesus: neither things nor persons, neither ideas nor emotions, neither honor nor sufferings. Jesus is for me honor, delight, heart and soul.

St Zita

A servant is not holy if she is not busy.

St Louis de Montfort

When the Holy Rosary is said well, it gives Jesus and Mary more glory and is more meritorious than any other prayer.

THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Sunday collections for 1/14/24, including envelope offerings - \$1060, donations - \$606, candles - \$103

Weekly budget: \$1250, Income \$1769

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Confession before or after Divine Liturgy.

Confession is recommended as a regular monthly practice. The graces received from confession are an excellent way to help us become closer to Jesus.

*THE CHURCH WAS A MOTHER TO YOU IN LIFE, PROVIDING FOR YOUR SPIRITUAL NEEDS;
PLEASE REMEMBE YOUR PARISH AND THE EPARCHY OF SAINT JOSAPHAT IN PARMA IN
YOUR LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.*