

## • UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS •

1500 Day Street, Winnipeg, MB R2C 1E4

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## 18th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Ven. Nestor of the Kyivan Caves

Sunday, 27 October 2024

Epistle Reading: 2 Cor: 9: 6-11 • Gospel: Luke 8: 26-39

## **SUNDAY SERVICES:**

Sunday, 27 October, 2024 – BILINGUAL

Sunday, 3 November, 2024 – ENGLISH

Sunday, 10 November, 2024 – BILINGUAL

Sunday, 17 November, 2024 – ENGLISH

Sunday, 24 November, 2024 – BILINGUAL

Confession will be available on Sunday morning starting at 9:15 AM.

It is recommended that members of All Saints attend confession at least once every four (4) months.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Dobrodyika Maria, Helen,

Rev. Frs. Olexander, Eugene, Olga, Chelsey, Olga S., Roy, Anna,

Linda, Michael, Marilyn, Jason, Leona, Bob, Larry & Darlene

**PRAYER OFFERINGS:** If you would like someone to be mentioned in prayer, submit their names by email, directly to **Fr. Charles chancellorbaxter@uocc.ca**, **Fr. Deacon Thomas - thechaputs@shaw.ca** or **allsaintsuoc@mymts.net**, or inform one of the church elders.

## **PALAMAR SCHEDULE**

Sunday, 27 October 2024 – William

Sunday, 3 November 2024 – Oleg/Wayne

Sunday, 10 November 2024 – Ted

Sunday, 17 November 2024 – Oleg

Sunday, 24 November 2024 – William

The care and maintenance of our property remains a priority. If you are unable to attend church, please continue to support us with your offerings. All Saints accepts

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in addition to cheques or cash. Please submit e-transfers to allsaintsuoc@mymts.net.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Sunday school classes are now in session. To register your children or learn more about this year's program, please contact Khyrystyna Los at tsoma.khrystyna@yahoo.com or

Demi Kuzyk-Bernier at demikb@shaw.ca.

#### **LET'S CELEBRATE!**

If you or your family are celebrating a major life event such as a birth, birthday, anniversary, retirement, etc., please notify Fr. Deacon Thomas at <a href="mailto:thechaputs@shaw.ca">thechaputs@shaw.ca</a> so a note of congratulations can be included in our bulletin. We look forward to sharing in your joy.

#### SUBMISSION TO THE MEDIA MANAGER

If you need anything posted online or have information or images to share contact

Brenda at (431) 334-7762

Do You Have an Item for Our Bulletin? Please contact Deacon Thomas via email at thechaputs@shaw.ca or <u>allsaintsuoc@mymts.net</u>

NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH? If you're unable to make the trip on your own, we would be pleased to provide you with transport. Contact us at allsaintsuoc@mymts.net and we'll arrange a ride for you.

#### **COMING EVENTS:**

All Saints is selling Grey Cup Tickets. It is a late start, but we believe with your help we can sell all the tickets. Pat Valen will oversee the distribution of tickets and the collection of money. All 900 tickets must be sold by November 17. Thank you for your help.

Fall Supper and Dance is on Saturday November 2. See Emil for any remaining tickets 204-488-2200. If you have any donations, please bring them to church this Sunday or by Thursday noon October 31. We need help on Thursday noon to group the prizes and set up the tables and chairs.

We will have a perogy production on November 22 and 23. These will be sold to the public. Please place your orders with Bonnie 204-257-7413.

Malanka Tickets are now available for sale. Date is January 18, 2025, Band is Dennis Nykoliation Band. Catering by Ludwick. Cocktails at 5:00 pm, Dinner at 6:00 pm. Adults \$70 Youth 12-6 \$35 Children 5 and under free.

On November 3, 2024, the parish of St. Nicholas in Gonor will be celebrating its 120th anniversary. Following the Divine Liturgy there will be an anniversary dinner at 12:30

p.m. in Garson at the Garson Community Centennial Centre located at 11 Thompson Ave in Garson. Tickets for this is \$35 for adults, \$15 for children 12 and under.

If you are interested in attending the dinner please contact: Gerald at 204-757-2972 or Alex at 204-757-2576

#### **UKRAINIAN LANGUAGE CLASSES:**

Are you interested in learning to speak Ukrainian? Interested in improving upon what you know? Under the leadership of parishioner, Viktoriia Borysova, All Saints will begin offering conversational Ukrainian classes at All Saints this fall. Viktoriia is a qualified teacher who recently arrived from Ukraine and is excited to support learners who want to develop or improve their ability to speak Ukrainian. A sign-up sheet will be circulated during After-Service Coffee Fellowship on Sunday, 29 September, but you can also voice your interest in this program by emailing us at <a href="mailto:allsaintsuoc@mymts.net">allsaintsuoc@mymts.net</a> or by calling Len Matiowsky at (431) 668-8335. Start date will be in October but a specific date, and time will be determined from parishioner responses. For more information, email your questions to <a href="mailto:allsaintsuoc@mymts.net">allsaintsuoc@mymts.net</a> or call Len at (431) 668-8335.

## **CHECK US OUT!**

All Saints website, Facebook page, and Instagram has a great deal of information waiting for you at your fingertips! *All Saints news and information can be accessed at*:

Church Website: <a href="https://www.allsaintsuoc.ca/">https://www.allsaintsuoc.ca/</a>

Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsuoc/">https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsuoc/</a>

Instagram: <a href="https://www.instagram.com/allsaintsuoc/">https://www.instagram.com/allsaintsuoc/</a>

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## DIVINE LITURGY LIVE STREAMS CAN BE FOUND AT THESE WEBSITES:

• Live stream from Ukrainian Orthodox Church of All Saints, Winnipeg, MB @ 10:00 https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsuoc/live

• Live stream from Holy Trinity Ukrainian Orthodox Metropolitan Cathedral, Winnipeg, MB @ 6:30 am https://www.facebook.com/HTUOMC/

## 18th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Tone 1

# Ven. Nestor of the Kyivan Caves



Saint Nestor the Chronicler, of the Kiev Caves, Near Caves was born at Kiev in 1050. He came to Saint Theodosius (May 3) as a young man, and became a novice. Saint Nestor took monastic tonsure under the successor to Saint Theodosius, the igumen Stephen, and under him was ordained a hierodeacon.

Concerning his lofty spiritual life it says that, with a number of other monastic Fathers he participated in the casting out of a devil from Nikétas the Hermit (January 31), who had become fascinated by the Hebrew wisdom of the Old Testament. Saint Nestor deeply appreciated true knowledge, along with humility and penitence. "Great is the benefit of book learning," he said, "for books point out and teach us the way to repentance, since from the words of books we discover wisdom and temperance. This is the stream, watering the universe, from which springs wisdom. In books is a boundless depth, by them we are comforted in sorrows, and they are a bridle for moderation. If you enter diligently into the books of wisdom, then you shall discover great benefit for your soul. Therefore, the one who reads books converses with God or the saints."

In the monastery Saint Nestor had the obedience of being the chronicler. In the 1080s he wrote the "Account about the Life and Martyrdom of the Blessed Passion Bearers Boris

and Gleb" in connection with the transfer of the relics of the saints to Vyshgorod in the year 1072 (May 2). In the 1080s Saint Nestor also compiled the Life of the Monk Theodosius of the Kiev Caves. And in 1091, on the eve of the patronal Feast of the Kiev Caves Monastery, he was entrusted by Igumen John to dig up the holy relics of Saint Theodosius (August 14) for transfer to the church.

The chief work in the life of Saint Nestor was compiling in the years 1112-1113 The Primary Chronicle. "Here is the account of years past, how the Russian land came to be, who was the first prince at Kiev and how the Russian land is arrayed." The very first line written by Saint Nestor set forth his purpose. Saint Nestor used an extraordinarily wide circle of sources: prior Russian chronicles and sayings, monastery records, the Byzantine Chronicles of John Malalos and George Amartolos, various historical collections, the accounts of the boyar-Elder Ivan Vyshatich and of tradesmen and soldiers, of journeymen and of those who knew. He drew them together with a unified and strict ecclesiastical point of view.

Nestor describes the history of the Ukrainian Church in its significant moments. He speaks about the first mention of the Ukrainian nation in historical sources in the year 866, in the time of Saint Photius, Patriarch of Constantinople. He tells of the creation of the Slavonic alphabet and writing by Saints Cyril and Methodius; and of the Baptism of Saint Olga at Constantinople. The Chronicle of Saint Nestor has preserved for us an account of the first Orthodox church in Kiev (under the year 945), and of the holy Varangian Martyrs (under the year 983), of the "testing of the faiths" by Saint Vladimir (in 986) and the Baptism of Rus (in 988).

We are indebted to the first Ukrainian Church historian for details about the first Metropolitans of the Ukrainian Church, about the emergence of the Kiev Caves monastery, and about its founders and ascetics. Rus lay torn asunder by princely feuds; the Polovetsian nomads of the steppes lay waste to both city and village with plundering raids. They led many Ukrainian people into slavery, and burned churches and monasteries. Saint Nestor was an eyewitness to the devastation of the Kiev Caves monastery in the year 1096. In the Chronicle a theologically thought out patriotic history is presented. The spiritual depth, historical fidelity and patriotism of the The Primary Chronicle establish it in the ranks of the significant creations of world literature.

Saint Nestor died around the year 1114.

Слава Ісусу Христу! Slava Isousou Christou! Glory to Jesus Christ!

Слава Навіки! Slava Na Veeky! Glory Forever!