



• **UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS** •

1500 Day Street, Winnipeg, MB R2C 1E4

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20th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Martyr Orestes the Physician

Sunday, 10th November, 2024

Epistle Reading: Gal. 1: 11 - 19 • Gospel: Luke 10: 25-37

SUNDAY SERVICES:

Sunday, November 10th, 2024 – BILINGUAL

Sunday, November 17th, 2024 – ENGLISH

Sunday, November 24th, 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, Wayne, Barbara and Joanne,

Larry and 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, November 10th, 2024 – Ted

Sunday, November 17th, 2024 – Oleg

Sunday, November 24th, 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 Interac E-transfers for donations 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.khyrystyna@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 thechaputs@shaw.ca 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 allsaintsuoc@mymts.net

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 17th. Thank you for help.**

- Our Fall Supper & Dance was a huge success. A big thankyou to everyone involved in this event, including food preparation, selling tickets, silent auction donations, hall setup, and cleanup. Your collective participation is what made this event a success. **We will announce our profit later this week after all the expenses have been submitted.**

- Remembrance Day memorial service will take place this Sunday right after the Divine Liturgy.

St. Nicholas concert will take place December 8th.

- Malanka Tickets will be available for sale next week. Date is January 18th, 2025 Band is Dennis Nykolation 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.**

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, 29th September, but you can also voice your interest in this program by emailing us at allsaintsuoc@mymts.net 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 allsaintsuoc@mymts.net 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: <https://www.allsaintsuoc.ca/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsuoc/>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/allsaintsuoc/>

UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS

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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

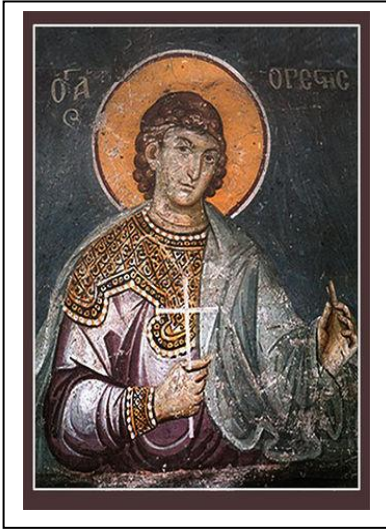
<https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsuoc/live>

- Live stream from **Holy Trinity Ukrainian Orthodox Metropolitan Cathedral**,

Winnipeg, MB @ 6:30 am <https://www.facebook.com/HTUOMC/>

20th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Tone 3

Martyr Orestes the Physician



The Martyr Orestes the Physician lived in the city of Tyana in Cappadocia during the reign of Emperor Diocletian (284-311). Several Greek and Slavic sources state that Saint Orestes was a learned and skillful physician (γιατρός, врач), though there is not much information about this period of his life. He was also an illustrious and capable soldier. From childhood he had been a devoted servant of Christ, offering a sacrifice of praise to God with a pure heart, and refusing to worship the demons which the pagans call "gods."

At the Emperor's command, the military officer Maximinus was sent to Tyana to stamp out Christianity, which by then had spread throughout Cappadocia. Orestes was among the first brought to trial before Maximinus. Courageously, he confessed his faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. The prosecutor offered the Saint riches, honors and fame if he would become an idolater, but Saint Orestes would not agree to this.

Maximinus tried in many ways, to force him to deny Christ. Even with the pressures they exerted upon him, they were unable to convince him to worship the idols. Then they stripped him naked, beat him up, and flogged him as a punishment. Afterward, he was put in jail for seven days. At the end of the seventh day he was taken to a pagan temple to offer sacrifice and worship to the idols. Maximinus asked him, "Do you still refuse to convert to the worship which is offered with such reverence by our august emperors?" Orestes replied that he was a willing subject when it came to political and earthly matters. Apart from that, however, he would not recognize any king except the one true God.

Maximinus ordered that Orestes be taken to a pagan temple and once again, demanded that he worship the idols. When he refused, forty soldiers took turns, one after the other, beating the holy martyr with lashes, with rods, with rawhide, and then they tormented him with fire. Saint Orestes cried out to the Lord, "Establish with me a sign for good, let those who hate me see it and be put to shame" (Psalm 85/86:17).

The Lord heard the prayer of His faithful servant. The earth began to tremble, and the idols toppled and were smashed. Everyone rushed out of the temple, and when Saint Orestes came out, the entire temple collapsed. Infuriated, Maximinus ordered the holy martyr to be locked up in prison for seven days giving him neither food nor drink, and to resume the torture on the eighth day. They hammered twenty nails into the martyr's legs, and then tied him to a wild horse. Dragged over the stones, the holy martyr departed to the Lord in the year 304, and his relics were thrown into the sea.

In 1685, when Saint Dēmétrios, later the Bishop of Rostov, (October 28) had just finished writing the Life of Saint Orestes to be printed by the Kiev Caves Lavra, he became tired and fell asleep. Saint Orestes appeared to him one night in a dream, during the Nativity Fast, just before Matins. With a joyful countenance, he said, "I suffered more torments for Christ than these." Then the Martyr bared his chest and showed Saint Dēmétrios the deep wound in his left side. "Here," he said, "they pierced me with a spear." Then Saint Orestes showed him his right elbow and said, "Here they cut off my arm." Next, he showed him his left arm with a similar wound, saying "They cut off this arm here."

After this he bent over and showed him one leg, and then the other, with wounds behind the knee. He said, "My legs were cut off with a scythe." After this the Martyr stood up and looked the writer in the face, and declared, "Now you see that I suffered more torments for Christ than you have described."

The humble monk wondered whether this was Saint Orestes, one of the Five Martyrs of Sebaste (December 13). As if in answer to his thoughts the Martyr said, "I am not that Orestes, but him whose Life you have just finished writing." Just then, the bells rang for Matins, and the vision ended.

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

Слава Навіки! Slava Na Veeky! Glory Forever!