



• UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS •

1500 Day Street, Winnipeg, MB R2C 1E4

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Father Deacon Thomas Chaput

Reader/Cantor: Allan Pawluk and Len Matiowsky • Choir Director: Jan Michalyszyn

1st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS

Sunday, 30 June, 2024

Epistle Reading: Heb. 11: 33-12:2 • *Gospel:* Matt. 10:32-33, 37-38, 19: 27-30

SUNDAY SERVICES:

Sunday, 30 June, 2024 – ENGLISH

Sunday, 7 July, 2024 – BILINGUAL

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Sunday, 14 July, 2024 – ENGLISH

Sunday, 21 July, 2024 – BILINGUAL

Sunday, 28 July, 2024 – ENGLISH

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, Victor and Helen,
Rev. Frs. Olexander, Eugene, Nicholas, Olga, Chelsey, Olga S., Roy, Anna,
Linda, Marilyn, Jason, Gavin, Leona, Bob

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

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 .

CHOIR NEWS

All Saints choir welcomes all participation from the congregation in singing and reciting hymns and prayers of the Liturgical services. Please join us!

There are Liturgy booklets in the pews. Please ask an elder or sister to locate one for you.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Sunday school is officially over until September. Khyrystyna Los along with her assistant Demi Kuzyk-Bernier are looking after the Sunday School program. For more information please contact Khyrystyna Los at tsoma.khyrystyna@yahoo.com or Demi Kuzyk 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 us via email at 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.

Condolences - To Deacon Thomas and Dobrodiyka Nadia on the recent passing of Deacon Thomas father Victor Chaput on June 23rd . In accordance with Victor's wishes the funeral will be private.

Following this Sunday's divine liturgy, a 40 day memorial service will be conducted for the late Michael Kyluk. The family invites everyone to the memorial lunch following the service.

COMING EVENTS:

All Saints will host a formal celebration of its 70th anniversary on Sunday, 22 September. The celebrations will include several programming notes to commemorate this auspicious occasion. All parishioners should have received a formal invitation to confirm attendance and to confirm the number in their party. The clergy of Winnipeg will also be invited including all who had served at our church previously. Please circle your calendars accordingly and stay tuned for more information.

***Further to 70th anniversary** - Invitations for the 70th Anniversary celebration of All Saints have been sent out via email. Please check your inbox and spam folder for it and RSVP as soon as possible. Making or using a gmail account is not needed for the form. If you are having difficulties with the RSVP form in the digital invitation, please email us for a hard copy invitation. Any further questions can also be sent via email or in person.*

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 2024 Parish Council & Support Volunteers:

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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/>

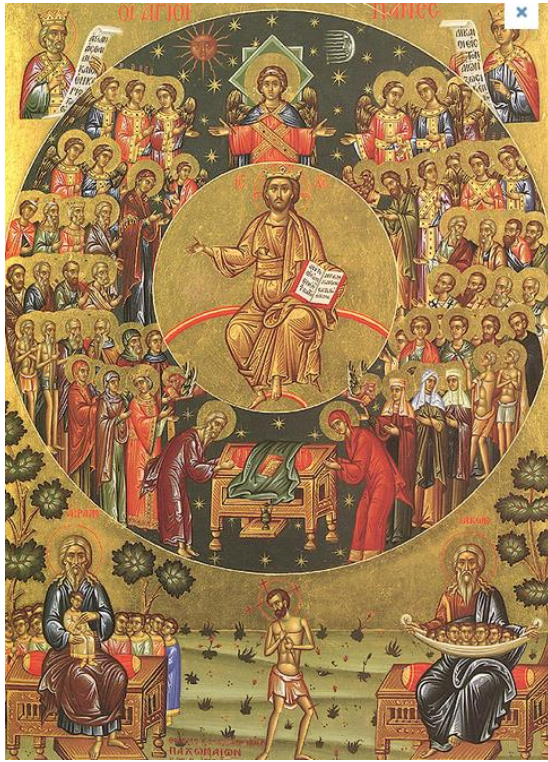
Burial Plots are available at

Glen Eden Memorial Gardens

4477 Main St. West St. Paul, MB

The Consistory Office of the UOCC has cemetery plots available for members to purchase. The plots are located in the “Garden of Resurrection” in the Ukrainian Orthodox section of Glen Eden Memorial Gardens. Plots sell for 80% of current market value. The current selling price to members is \$4312.00. Please contact Charlyn Mitchell, in the finance department at the Consistory Office. 204-586-3093 ext. 224
finance3@uocc.ca.

1st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – Tone 8
SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS



The Sunday following Pentecost is dedicated to All Saints, both those who are known to us, and those who are known only to God. There have been saints at all times, and they have come from every corner of the earth. They were Apostles, Martyrs, Prophets, Hierarchs, Monastics, and Righteous, yet all were perfected by the same Holy Spirit.

The Descent of the Holy Spirit makes it possible for us to rise above our fallen state and to attain sainthood, thereby fulfilling God’s directive to “be holy, for I am holy” (Lev. 11:44, 1 Peter 1:16, etc.). Therefore, it is fitting to commemorate All Saints on the first Sunday after Pentecost.

This feast may have originated at an early date, perhaps as a celebration of all martyrs, then it was broadened to include all men and women who had borne witness to Christ by their virtuous lives, even if they did not shed their blood for Him.

Saint Nikódēmos of the Holy Mountain (July 14) adds the Righteous to Saint Peter’s five categories. The list of Saint Nikódēmos is found in his book *The Fourteen Epistles of Saint Paul* (Venice, 1819, p. 384) in his discussion of I Corinthians 12:28. The hymnology for the feast of All

Saints also lists six categories: “Rejoice, assembly of the Apostles, Prophets of the Lord, loyal choirs of the Martyrs, divine Hierarchs, Monastic Fathers, and the Righteous....”

Some of the saints are described as Confessors, a category which does not appear in the above lists. Since they are similar in spirit to the martyrs, they are regarded as belonging to the category of Martyrs. They were not put to death as the Martyrs were, but they boldly confessed Christ and came close to being executed for their faith. Saint Maximus the Confessor (January 21) is such a saint.

The order of these six types of saints seems to be based on their importance to the Church. The Apostles are listed first, because they were the first to spread the Gospel throughout the world. The Martyrs come next because of their example of courage in professing their faith before the enemies and persecutors of the Church, which encouraged other Christians to remain faithful to Christ even unto death.

Although they come first chronologically, the Prophets are listed after the Apostles and Martyrs. This is because the Old Testament Prophets saw only the shadows of things to come, whereas the Apostles and Martyrs experienced them firsthand. The New Testament also takes precedence over the Old Testament.

The holy Hierarchs comprise the fourth category. They are the leaders of their flocks, teaching them by their word and their example.

The Monastic Saints are those who withdrew from this world to live in monasteries, or in seclusion. They did not do this out of hatred for the world, but in order to devote themselves to unceasing prayer, and to do battle against the power of the demons. Although some people erroneously believe that monks and nuns are useless and unproductive, Saint John Climacus had a high regard for them: “Angels are a light for monks, and the monastic life is a light for all men” (LADDER, Step 26:31).

The last category, the Righteous, are those who attained holiness of life while living “in the world.” Examples include Abraham and his wife Sarah, Job, Saints Joachim and Anna, Saint Joseph the Betrothed, Saint Juliana of Lazarevo, and others.

The feast of All Saints achieved great prominence in the ninth century, in the reign of the Byzantine Emperor Leo VI the Wise (886-911). His wife, the Holy Empress Theophano (December 16) lived in the world, but was not attached to worldly things. She was a great benefactor to the poor, and was generous to the monasteries. She was a true mother to her subjects, caring for widows and orphans, and consoling the sorrowful.

Even before the death of Saint Theophano in 893 or 894, her husband started to build a church, intending to dedicate it to Theophano, but she forbade him to do so. It was this emperor who decreed that the Sunday after Pentecost be dedicated to All Saints. Believing that his wife was one of the righteous, he knew that she would also be honored whenever the Feast of All Saints was celebrated.

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

Слава Навіки! Slava Na Veeky! Glory Forever!

Happy Canada Day