

• UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS •

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Father Deacon Thomas Chaput

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

2nd SUNDAY AFTER PASCHA - ST. THOMAS SUNDAY

Sunday, 12 May, 2024

Epistle Reading: Acts 5: 12-20 • Gospel: John 20: 19-31

SUNDAY SERVICES:

Sunday, 12 May, 2024 – BILINGUAL Sunday, 19 May, 2024 – ENGLISH Sunday, 26 May, 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: Fr. Oleh and Dobrodyika Maria, Victor and Helen,

Rev. Frs. Olexander, Eugene, Dobrodiyka Genya, Olga, Chelsey, Olga S., Roy, Anna, Linda, Michael, Marilyn, Jason.

PRAYER OFFERINGS: If you would like someone to be mentioned in prayer, submit their names by email, directly to **Fr. Deacon Thomas - <u>thechaputs@shaw.ca</u>** or <u>allsaintsuoc@mymts.net</u>, 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 .

ATTENTION ALL CHURCH MEMBERS

The 2024 Church memberships fees are now due. The fees are \$163.00 per person and \$326.00 per family

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: Thank you to Anya Haraschuk and Demi Kuzyk Bernier for providing this important program for our children. For more information about our Sunday School program, please contact Anya Haraschuk at fedyaz@yahoo.ca or Demi Kuzyk at demikb@shaw.ca.

The Sunday School children are putting on a Mother's Day concert this Sunday May 12, immediately following the fellowship lunch which the men from All Saints are putting on to honour the mothers. Please try to attend this event.

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 <u>thechaputs@shaw.ca</u> so a note of congratulations can be included in our bulletin. We look forward to sharing in your joy.

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped in cleaning the church and setting up the flowers for Good Friday service. The display was beautiful.

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 <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 <u>allsaintsuoc@mymts.net</u> and we'll arrange a ride for you.

COMING EVENTS:

GARAGE SALE and COMMUNITY PANCAKE BREAKFAST- 25 May 2024

Breakfast will be served at 8:00 am until 10:00 am. Pay as you are able then take in our garage sale.

Donations for the sale are welcomed. Please bring your donated items on Thursday 23 May, from

12:00 pm to 8:00 pm, and Friday 24 May, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. The canteen will be open.

All donated items must be in very good condition with no broken pieces.

There will be separate tables set up for specific items, i.e. appliance table, dishes,

cookware, shoes, toys, jewelry, etc. Coat racks will be used to display clothing.

Any help with setup, sorting, pricing of items would be appreciated.

Your support is needed to ensure these fund-raising events are successful.

Please circle these dates on your calendars and let your family and friends know about them!

Our AGM will be held on Sunday May 26, 2024, immediately after the fellowship lunch. For further information please contact Len Matiowsky at (431) 668-8335.

We are saddened with the passing of long-time parishioner, Elaine Shuvera, of blessed memory, who fell asleep peacefully in the Lord Tuesday at St. Boniface hospital. Prayers will be held at All Saints on Tuesday May 14th at 7:00 pm and funeral on Wednesday May 15th at 10:00 am. Vichna Pamyat.

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

UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS 2024 Parish Council & Support Volunteers:

President – Len Matiowsky, (431) 668-8335 Clergy - Fr. Bill Wasyliw (204) 261-0361 Fr. Deacon Thomas Chaput, (204) 470-6376 VP Fundraising – Emil Kowal, (204) 488-2200 Secretary – William Rodrigues, (431) 334-7764 Treasurer – Bob Michalyshyn, (204) 228-7386 Property Manager - Wayne Biegun, (431) 777-3303 Hall Manager - Bob Talbot, (204) 422-8755 Sistretsya Coordinator - Olga Barth, (204) 254-4706 Sunday School Director - Anya Haraschuk, (204) 339-2255 Sunday School Assistant – Demi Kuzyk-Bernier, (204) 224-9608 Choir Director - Janet Michalyshyn, (431) 998-4866 Cantor - Allan Pawluk, (204) 334-5909 Church Librarian: Dob. Nadia Krawchenko-Chaput, (204) 470-9425 Kitchen Crew Coordinator: Jennifer Osachuk (204) 338-4859 Media Manager: Brenda Rodrigues (431) 334-7762 Members at Large: Lawrence Chubey, (204) 256-8785 Ted Kowal, (431) 279-4965 Pat Valen, (204) 661-0661 Gary/Bonnie Persowich, (204) 257-7413 Werner/Olga Saxler, (204) 955-1255

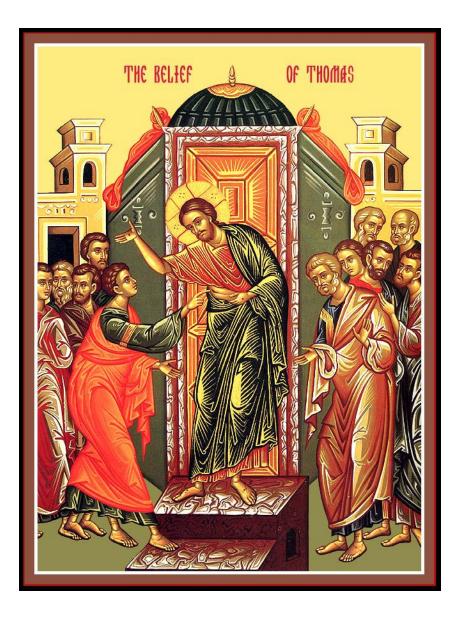
DIVINE LITURGY LIVE STREAMS CAN BE FOUND AT THESE WEBSITES:

Oleg Kan (431) 374-5622

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 <u>https://www.facebook.com/HTUOMC/</u>

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The Orthodox Church observes the Sunday of Thomas one week following the celebration of the Sunday of Holy Pascha. The day commemorates the appearance of Christ to His disciples on the evening of the Sunday following Passover. It also commemorates the appearance of the Lord to His disciples eight days later when Thomas was present and proclaimed "My Lord and my God" upon seeing the hands and side of Christ. This Sunday is also called Antipascha (meaning "in the stead of Pascha," not "in opposition to Pascha") because with this day, the first Sunday after Pascha, the Church consecrates every Sunday of the year to the commemoration of Pascha, that is, the Resurrection.

The events commemorated on the Sunday of Thomas are recorded in the Gospel of Saint John 20:19-29. Following the crucifixion and burial of Christ, the disciples were gathered in a room with the doors closed and locked for fear of the Jews. On the evening of the Sunday after Passover, Jesus Christ entered the room and stood in their midst, greeting them with the words, "Peace be with you." (v. 19) He showed the disciples his hands, feet, and side. (v. 20)

Thomas was not present with the disciples when Jesus appeared, and he did not accept the testimony of the other disciples concerning Christ's Resurrection. He stated, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe." (vv. 24-25)

Eight days later, the disciples were gathered together again with Thomas present, and the Lord appeared in the same manner. Standing in their midst he said, "Peace be with you." He then spoke directly to Thomas and said, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." (vv. 26-27) Thomas answered, "My Lord and my God!" Jesus replied by saying, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe." (v. 29)

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