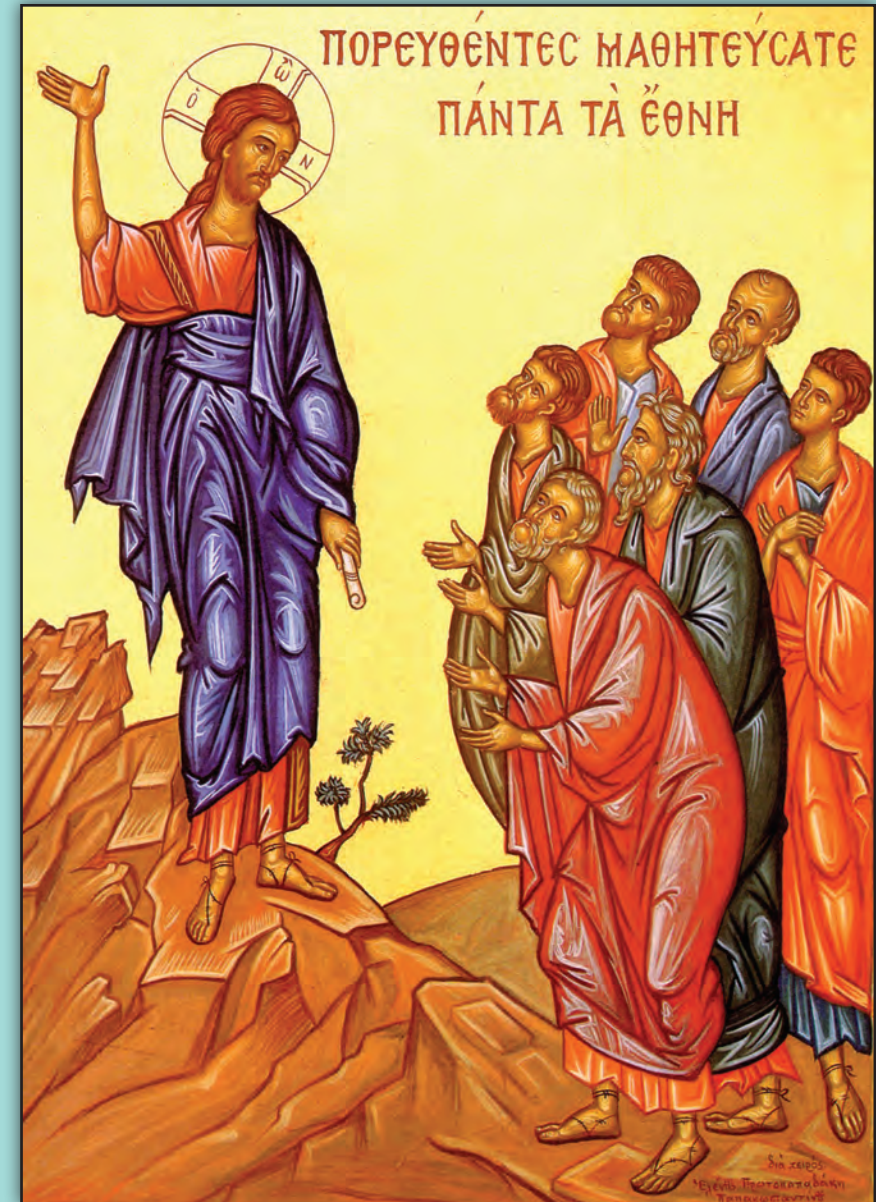


THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



Icon of Christ Teaching on the Mount

Prove Your Faith by Your Trust

‘Look at the birds of the air,’ says Jesus. What a splendid example for our faith to follow! If God’s providence bestows an unfailing supply of food on the birds of the air who neither sow nor reap, we ought to realize that the reason for people’s supply running short is human greed. The fruits of the earth were given to feed all without distinction and nobody can claim any particular rights. Instead, we have lost the sense of the communion of goods, rushing to turn these goods into private property. The birds do not know famine because they do not claim anything specially for themselves and neither do they have any envy of others. ‘Consider the lilies of the field: not even Solomon in all his glory was

arrayed like one of these. If God so clothes the grass which is alive today and tomorrow is cast into the oven, how much more will he clothe one of you!’ Listen to these stupendous and uplifting words. With this parable of flowers and grass the Lord urges us to hope that God will also be merciful to us. Nothing is more persuasive than a glance at unthinking creatures who have received such beautiful dress from Providence. Surely we should be all the more ready to believe that human beings, if they entrust themselves completely to God and free themselves of all their worries, will not lack anything.

St. Ambrose of Milan

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Sunday – June 14, 2026

Glory to Jesus Christ! – Glory to Him Forever! + Слава Ісусу Христу! – Слава на віки!

Confessions are available before the Divine Liturgy

All Services will be Live Streamed at 10:00 AM

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| Saturday June 13 5:30 p.m. | Great Vespers |
| Sunday June 14 **10:00 a.m.** | (+Tania Chomiak-Salvi from Family) |
| Wednesday June 17 9:00 a.m. | (Blessings for Maria Lupiy from Walter and Nila Iwaskiw) |
| Thursday June 18 9:00 a.m. | (+Dorothy Dennehy from the Skordinski Family) |
| Friday June 19 9:00 a.m. | (Blessings fro Russell and Elise from Larissa Curtis) |
| Saturday June 20 **4:00 p.m.** | Moleben for Peace in the World and Our Nation Followed by our Picnic |
| Sunday June 21 **10:00 a.m.** | Father's Day (Living and Deceased Fathers) |

The Sunday Parish Liturgy requirement will be offered in SS. Joachim and Anna during the summer

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST PARISHIONER, ELIZABETH KOSHELENKO

We welcome our newest parishioner, Elizabeth Koshelenko. Elizabeth was baptized, chrismated, and received the Holy Eucharist on Sunday, June 14. May God grant Elizabeth, her father, Valentyn, and mother, Iuliia, many happy years – Mnohaya Lita!

LOWER CHURCH BATHROOMS RENOVATION PROJECT 2026 – STARTING IN JUNE!

At long last, we will commence with the renovation of our Lower Church Bathrooms in June. We will have a little inconvenience, but then be able to use modern, hygienic, ADA compliant, and efficient facilities. The cost of the project will amount to just under \$310,000.00. We are very hopeful that our faithful parishioners will be able to make some special donations to cover the cost of this much needed and overdue updating to our facilities. God Bless you in advance for your generosity.

SAINT JOSAPHAT COUNCIL KNIGHTS – COLLECTING FOR THE BATHROOM RENOVATIONS

Knights of Columbus members will be collecting donations for the bathroom renovations projects after the Sunday Divine Liturgy during the summer season.

FATHER'S DAY POTLUCK PICNIC – HAPPY 250TH BIRTHDAY USA!!!

Join us on Saturday, June 20th, at 4 p.m. as our parish family gathers to honor fathers, celebrate our nation's upcoming 250th Independence Day anniversary, and enjoy fellowship together at our Father's Day Potluck Picnic! The celebration will begin with a special Moleben to the Mother of God for peace in the world and our nation. Following the service, everyone is invited to stay for a picnic featuring food, fellowship, and fun activities for all ages. Children will enjoy games and outdoor activities. Hamburgers and hot dogs will be provided by the parish; everyone is asked to sign-up to bring appetizers, side dishes, desserts, and drinks (wine and beer welcome). Register online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084DAEAD28A7F4C16-64431683-holy> or use this QR-code. Come celebrate with us!



PRAYER LIST

Our prayer list of the sick or elderly and friends of our parish: Theresa Aranda, Liana Arnold, Valarie Balthis, Barbara Blendy, Bluey Family, Yevhenia Borys, Terry Boyle, Taisia Bullard, Mary Connors, Veronica Cosio, Darlene Dossick, Robert Dulaine, Solomia Dutkewych, Theresa, Ruth Fedack, Bernard F, Myroslava Futey, Lilian Garland, Thomas Gutmann, H.H., Josie Hacker, Robert Harnest, Catherine Hetmansky, Vanessa Hetmansky, Bernadell Rita Higgins, Fr. Robert Hitchens, Boris Hlynsky, Daniel Horeczko, Ihor Hulawj, Nila Iwaskiw, Dorothy Kozmoski, Suzanne Krumpelman, Mr. Marko, Melissa Martin, Paul Marynowych, Irene Nagurney, Myron Nagurney Jr, Michele Pretka Litvak, Yaroslava L., Mufada and Family, Sallie Miller, John Moeller, Deborah Pickering, Alexandra Pohorecka, Patricia Pylypec, Ron#119, Michael Joseph Radigan, Ivanna Richardson, Roman Rusynko, Lisa Schaible, Christopher Sell, Teresa Sherwood, Shliakhta Bogdana, Shliakhta Mark, Shliakhta, Andrew, Larry Sosnowich, Lindsey Sydnor, Thomas Sydnor, Lorraine Stadnyk, Lisa Pretka Turner, Gloria and Luis Vega, Fr. George Worschak, and Paul Yarrish. If you know of someone who should be on this list, please email or call with the name of the individual. Our intercessory prayer for the sick and the aged is truly helpful and comforting. In your Christian Charity, kindly remember our sick parishioners in your prayers and perhaps a card or note.

Summer Liturgy Schedule One Bilingual Divine Liturgy at 10:00 a.m.

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