

AUGUST, 2020							GREGORIAN
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
09  Brandon: 9 am Portage: 12 pm       10 <sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost	10	11	12  Eye Appointment	13  Brandon: 10 am	14   Brandon: 10 am    Venerable Theodosius	15 HDO  Brandon: 10 am <b>Dormition of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> Brandon: 5 pm Private Intention Marlene & Barbara MacKalski Offering: Bobby MacKalski & Family 11 <sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost	
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### *Falling Asleep, You Have Not Forsaken the World*

At the time of her death, so it is believed, the Mother of God was living in the house of St. John on Mount Zion. The Twelve were preaching the Gospel in different parts of the world. But so that they might see the Virgin once again before her death, all of them except Thomas were carried miraculously on clouds to the Holy City. Besides the Twelve, the Apostle Paul, together with the bishops Dionysios the Areopagite, Hierotheos, and Timothy, were also present at her bedside. As they stood round her, the Holy Virgin commended her spirit into the keeping of her Son and God. He Himself descended from heaven and took her soul up with Him in His arms. Led by Peter, the apostles sang funeral hymns in her honor, and carried her body down to the valley of Cedron, close to Gethsemane, where she laid in a tomb specially

prepared for her. The Jews tried to interrupt the funeral procession, one of them even attempting to upset the bier. His hands were cut off by an angel, but he was subsequently healed. Thomas arrived on the third day after the burial. Since he was anxious to look for a last time on the Theotokos, the apostles opened the tomb – and found it empty.

Without insisting on the literal truth of every element in this account, Orthodox tradition is clear and unwavering in regard to the central point: the Holy Virgin underwent, as did her Son, a physical death, but her body – like His – was afterwards raised from the dead and she was taken up into heaven, in her body as well as in her soul.

*From the Festal Menaion,  
Bishop Kallistos of Diokleia*

## TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



*Icon of the Dormition -- August 15th*

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ROSARY AND CONFESSIONS

One-half hour before Saturday and Sunday Liturgies.

EMERGENCY

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DIVINE LITURGIES

Wednesday - Friday - 9:00 AM
Saturday (English) - 5:00 PM
Sunday (Bilingual) - 9:00 AM

Table with 5 columns: DATE, READER, USHERS, SACRISTAN, GREETER. Lists names for various roles across different dates.

COLLECTIONS AND DONATIONS:

Table with 2 columns: Date and Amount. Shows collection amounts for Saturday, Sunday, Total, and Candles.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT - JUNE, 2020

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Shows Total Credits and Total Debits for June 2020.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9, 2020

QUOTE OF THE DAY

Holding on to anger is like grasping a hot coal with the intent of throwing it at someone else; you are the one who gets burned.

- Buddha



POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION (AUGUST 2020)

Universal prayer intention - The Maritime World: We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen and their families.

PRE-REGISTERING FOR LITURGICAL SERVICES

As per Directive #5 from Metropolitan Lawrence Huculak OSBM, effective 26 May 2020, "the faithful must sign-up through email or by calling the parish office/priest or other designated number, indicating their wish to attend a particular Divine Liturgy or other liturgical services."

BURSARIES FOR THE 2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR

The Canon Luhovy Assembly Ukrainian Educational Foundation is pleased to announce that fifteen bursaries of \$300.00 each are available to Ukrainian Catholic students, seminarians and religious sisters of the Archeparchy of Winnipeg who attend post-secondary institutions, seminaries and private Catholic secondary schools.

STAYCATION PLANS

Covid-19 is stopping your vacation plans? Pick up a bottle of cold "kvas", make yourself some shashlyk (kebobs) or varenyky. Cast this youtube video onto a large screen and be amazed at the beauty of Ukraine...

SHEPTYTSKY INSTITUTE RECEIVES UGCC MAJOR ARCHBISHOP'S HIGHEST AWARD

Philadelphia, December 8, 2019: Bestowal of the Medal of the Order of Metropolitan Andrey Sheptytsky. The event was hosted by Metropolitan Archbishop Borys Gudziak.

Translation of the Certificate:

For its many years of work in preserving and studying the heritage of Venerable Andrey Sheptytsky, its

fruitful scholarly activity, its forming of generations of our Church's clergy in the fundamentals of the teaching and spirituality of the Eastern theological tradition, its broad international work, its efforts aimed at an open and generous sharing of the treasures of our spirituality in the social and cultural context of North America, its vigorous international, inter-religious and inter-confessional activity.

The Sheptytsky Institute of Eastern Christian Studies, Toronto, Canada is hereby awarded The Medal of the Order of Metropolitan Andrey Sheptytsky Given in Kyiv at the Patriarchal Cathedral of Christ's Resurrection November 22, 2019 AD

+Sviatoslav, Major Archbishop of Kyiv and Halych

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HUMOR

Top ten reasons Eve was created:

- 10. God was worried that Adam would frequently become lost in the garden because he would not ask for directions.
9. God knew that one day Adam would require someone to locate and hand him the remote.
8. God knew Adam would never go out and buy himself a new fig leaf when his wore out and would need Eve to buy one for him.
7. God knew Adam would never make a doctor, dentist or haircut appointment for himself.
6. God knew Adam would never remember which night to put the garbage on the curb.
5. God knew if the world was to be populated, men would never handle the pain and discomfort of childbearing.
4. As the Keeper of the Garden, Adam would never remember where he left his tools.
3. Adam needed someone to blame his troubles on when God caught him hiding in the garden.
2. As the Bible says, "It is not good for man to be alone!"

And the #1 reason God created Eve:

- 1. When God finished the creation of Adam, He stepped back, scratched His head and said, "I can do better than that!"

