

AUGUST – 2021 – СЕРПЕНЬ

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
1 Brandon - 9:00 am Portage -12:00 pm	2 On Vacation	3 On Vacation	4 On Vacation	5 On Vacation	6 On Vacation	7 On Vacation
8 Brandon - 9:00 am Portage -12:00 pm	9 On Vacation	10 On Vacation	11 On Vacation	12 On Vacation	13 On Vacation	14 On Vacation
15 Brandon - 9:00 am <i>Temples Feast Празник</i> Portage -12:00 pm	16 	17 Portage -10:00am Health of Slukynsky Family <i>req. by Fred & Charlene Slukynsky</i>	18 Portage -10:00 am Special intention Cherie Rae <i>req. by Mary Kohut</i>	19 Portage -10:00 am + Walter Gwozd <i>req. by Mary Kohut</i>	20 Portage - 9:00 am + Sophie Dudar <i>req. by Ben Lapchuk</i>	21 Brandon 10:00 am <i>(Wedding)</i> Brandon 5:00 pm
22 Brandon - 9:00 am Portage -12:00 pm	23 	24 Brandon -10:00 am + Rose Zilkoski <i>req. by Family</i>	25 Brandon -10:00 am +Michael & Lena Kukuruz <i>req. by Linda Kadechuk</i>	26 Brandon -10:00 am Health of Percy Statkewich <i>req. by Helen Fyk</i>	27 Brandon -10:00 am Health of Strukhlyak Family	28 Brandon 5:00 pm
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TRANSFIGURATION

Tropar, tone 7: You were transfigured on the mountain, O Christ our God,* revealing as much of your glory to your disciples as they could behold.* Through the prayers of the Mother of God,* let your everlasting light also shine upon us sinners.* O Giver of Light, glory be to You!

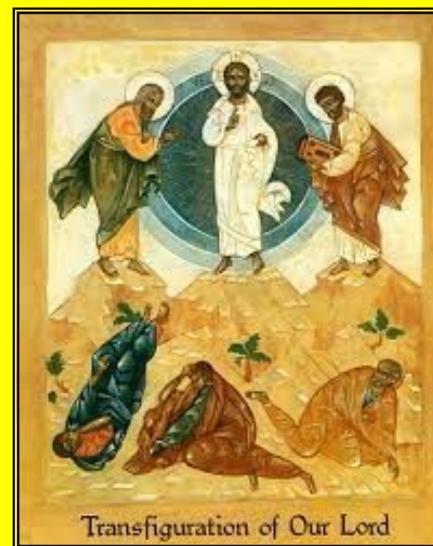
Тропар, глас 7: Переобразився ти на горі, Христе Боже,* показавши ученикам славу твою, скільки змогли:* нехай засяє і нам, грішним, світло твоє повсякчасне,* молитвами Богородиці, світлодавче, слава тобі.

DORMITION OF THE THEOTOKOS

Feast day Tropar, tone 1: O Mother of God, in giving birth you still preserved virginity,* and in your falling asleep you did not forsake the world.* You are the Mother of Life and have been transferred to life,* and through your prayers have delivered our souls from death.

Тропар празника, глас 1: В різдві дівство зберегла ти,* в успенні світа не оставила ти, Богородице,* переставилася ти до життя, будши Матір'ю життя,* і молитвами твоїми ізбавляєш від смерти душі наші.

FEAST OF TRANSFIGURATION



ICON OF DORMITION OF THE THEOTOKOS

**Welcome to
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DIVINE LITURGIES

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

ROSARY AND CONFESSIONS

One-half hour before Saturday and Sunday Liturgies or confession by the request.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION (AUGUST 2021)

Let us pray for the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.

Vacation

There will be no weekday and Saturday service from August 2 –August 14 except for Sunday, and any funerals. You must still register for weekend, Saturday and Sunday services. Please call Fr. Yaroslav at rectory telephone; (204) 727-2233.



Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, I want to say a few words about myself. My name is Fr. Yaroslav, my last name is Strukhlyak. I was born in Ukraine in the wonderful city of Ternopil in western Ukraine. I studied in Italy in Rome, where I graduated in philosophy and theology and also received a bachelor's degree in the History of the Eastern Church.

I was invited by the late Metropolitan Mykhailo Bzdel in the same year 2005 I moved with my wife Oksana to Canada to serve as a priest and spend 15 years in area of Gilbert Plains, MB. We have two daughters Roksolana and Sophia.

This year, I was appointed as a pastor of the Church of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Brandon and administrator of the Church of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin in Portage la Prairie for a term of five years until July 2026

I take this opportunity to thank you for having me as your parish priest and I pray that Christ, the Good Shepherd, will continue to bless your parish with His divine graces.

HUMOUR

“Uncle” Joe Cannon, the late Speaker of the House, was once telling Chauncey Depew, in somewhat lurid terms, about a fish he had nearly caught. “About the size of a whale, wasn’t it?” asked Depew. “I was baitin with whales,” said “Uncle” Joe.

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CHANGES TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS

Clarifications concerning the latest easing of Covid-19 restrictions effective 12:01 AM on July 17th, 2021:

1. "Religious Services", i.e. Divine Liturgies and other faith-oriented events may be held in the parish or within other parish facilities attended by persons up to 50% capacity (or 150 persons maximum) (not including the essential staff and live streaming personnel), but masks must be worn at all times and the usual rules must apply such as: social distancing and sanitizing.
2. Weddings, Funerals, and Baptisms may take place in the church with a 25-person maximum participation (not including essential staff), but masks must be worn at all times and the usual rules apply.
 - 2b.) According to the Public Health Order, Weddings (and Funeral interments and perhaps Baptisms) may also take place outside in an appropriate location with a 150 person maximum participation. The blessing of marriages (Crownings) should take place in the church (CCEO, c. 838), however, due to the strict Covid regulations permission may be requested from Metropolitan for an outdoor blessing in an appropriate location (e.g. church yard, shrine). Needless to say, social distancing, etc. must be maintained.Please continue to register for Saturday and Sunday services.

Dear Parishioners

Insurance Concerns for Churches throughout the Archeparchy. Our insurer has asked our parishes to be extra vigilant during these difficult times of concerning vandalism towards the Catholic Church. People responsible for the physical plants of our buildings are asked as much as possible to check on them regularly and to put in place any safeguards towards providing security and remove any risks associated causing a liability. This is especially asked of rural properties that are remote. We kindly ask minimally that no trespassing signs be posted on such properties.

Signs are available for use from the chancery reception office. Any incidents or suspicious

activities should be reported to the finance office and the insurer. We thank you for your support and vigilance during these difficult times. To review our insurer asks: **1.** Please make sure the building is secured (Locks, Deadbolts, Windows boarded up if unused) **2.** Check the premise as regularly as possible

3. Someone appointed to go in and walk through the premise & building to check for signs of intruders, vandalism, weather damage, report any incidents to the chancery. **4.** Clear any brush or grass or any sources of ignition near any church property **5.** Post no trespassing signs, available from the chancery office. **6.** Practice kindness, temperance and prayer for all who approach the church with concern. If you have any questions with respect to the above, please do not hesitate to get in contact with me, thank you for your support and care for our churches.