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In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit!

The Incarnation, it was said, is an act of identification and sharing. God saves us by identifying Himself with us, by knowing our human experience from inside. The cross signifies, in the most stark and uncompromising manner, that this act of sharing is carried to the utmost limits. God incarnate enters into all our experience. Jesus Christ our companion shares not only in the fullness of human life but also in the fullness of human death. Death has both a physical and a spiritual aspect, and of the two it is the spiritual that is the more terrible. Physical death is the separation of man's body from his soul; spiritual death, the separation of man's soul from God. When we say that Christ became "obedient unto death" (Phil. 2:8), we are not limit these words to physical death alone. We should not think only of the bodily sufferings which Christ endured in His Passion. The true meaning of the Passion is to be found, not in this only, but much more in His spiritual

The Passion of Christ

sufferings – His sense of failure, isolation and utter loneliness, the pain of love offered but rejected.

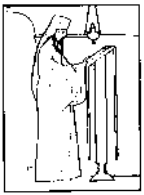
The Gospels are understandably reticent in speaking about this inward suffering, yet they provide us with certain glimpses. First, there is Christ's Agony in the garden of Gethsemane, when He is overwhelmed by horror and dismay, when He prays in anguish to His Father, "If it is possible, let this cup pass from Me" (Matt. 36:39). Christ is here confronted by a choice. Under no compulsion to die, freely He chooses to do so; and by this act of voluntary self-offering He turns what would have been a piece of arbitrary violence, a judicial murder, into a redemptive sacrifice. Jesus enters at this moment totally into the experience of spiritual death. He is at this moment identifying Himself with all the despair and mental pain of humanity; and this identification is far more important to us than His participation in our physical pain.

"He descended into hell" (Apostles' Creed). Hell is a point not in space but in the soul. It is the place where God is not. (And yet God is everywhere!) If Christ truly "descended into hell", that means He descended into the depths of the absence of God. Totally, unreservedly, He identified Himself with all man's anguish and alienation. He assumed it into Himself, and by assuming it He healed it. There was no other way He could heal it, except by making it His own.

At the moment of Christ's deepest humiliation on the Cross, He is as much the eternal and living God as He is at His Transfiguration in glory upon Mount Tabor. Looking upon Christ crucified, I see not only a suffering man but suffering God.

Christ's death upon the Cross is not a failure which was somehow put right afterwards by His Resurrection. In itself the death upon the Cross is a victory. The victory of what? There can be only one answer: The victory of suffering Love.

Source - Bishop Kallisto (Ware)



LITURGICAL SCRIPTURE READINGS

April 2011

Sunday, April 3rd

4th Sunday of Great Fast

St. John Climacus

Epistle: Hebr. 6:13-20;

Eph. 5:9-19;

Gospel: Mark 9:17-31;

Mark 4:25-5:12.

Sunday, April 10th

5th Sunday of Great Fast

Ven. Mary of Egypt

Epistle: Hebr. 9:11-14;

Gal. 3:23-29;

Gospel: Mark 10:32-45;

Luke 7:36-50.

Sunday, April 17th

PALM SUNDAY

Entrance of Our Lord into

Jerusalem

Epistle: Phil. 4:4-9;

Gospel: John 12:1-18.

Sunday, April 24th

PASCHA

The Resurrection of Our Lord

Epistle: Acts 1:1-8;

Gospel: John 20:19-25.



SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES AT ST. ANDREW'S

Sunday, April 3rd

Bilingual

Sunday, April 10th

Bilingual

Sunday, April 17th

Bilingual

Sunday, April 24th

English

Confession @ 9:00 a.m.

Divine Liturgy commences

@ 10 a.m.

**Sunday, May 1st
Easter Potluck Dinner
following the Divine Liturgy**



Liturgical



WORSHIP SERVICES AT ST. ANDREW'S SELO

Wednesday, April 27th

Bright Wednesday

9:30 am - Confession

10 am - Divine Liturgy

Followed by Blessed

Easter Dinner



PASTORAL MESSAGE FROM FATHER YURIY

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ for the last two weeks of the Great Lent and Holy Week we see the Light of the Feast of Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. This time and especially the time of the Holy or Passion Week has to be a time of acquainting ourselves with the Suffering of Christ. How can we do that? The best thing we can do to be a participant in the reality of Christ's events is to be **present** at the event, which means at church services (fr. A. Schmemman). If we can't come physically, we still can be spiritually at services, when we think about the service and pray, and read required readings at home or other places — at least we should pray if we do not have readings with us. Other things which can help us also are as follows: reading of the Bible; watching cartoons and movies about Christ, not the fantasy, but those which are closer to reality of the Bible; and doing good works — forgiveness, almsgiving, visitation of the sick, etc. Wisdom from the Holy Fathers proclaims: "Only those, who really suffered with Christ will have part in the real celebration of His Resurrection." Amen!

-Fr. Yuriy Suchevan



**Resurrection of Our Lord and Saviour,
Jesus Christ**

In Memoriam!



St. Andrew's Sobor Family extends their sincerest condolences to:

- John & Adele Krewusik and Family on the repose of John's mother, Tillie Krewusik (of Two Hills) at the age of 101;
- Garry & Kathy Buchanan and Family on the repose of Kathy's mother, Lorraine Burlie (formerly of Willingdon);
- Mary Belseck and Family on the repose of Mary's brother-in-law, George Zawadiuk;
- Maurice Burdeny and Family on the repose of Maurice's brother, Dmetro Burdeny (of Dauphin, MB).

Should you have names of loved ones you would like included in this section, please contact the Church Office.

**ETERNAL BE THEIR MEMORY! WE PRAY THAT
THE LORD GOD WILL
ESTABLISH THEIR SOUL WHERE THE RIGHTEOUS REPOSE**

To families making arrangements following the repose of a loved one:

When planning an obituary for the Funeral Home's submission to the Edmonton Journal, consider honouring your loved one by including an Orthodox Cross and/or emblems of the organizations to which he/she has been affiliated. Funeral Homes have the following available for inclusion in obituaries: insignia of the Order of St. Andrew; torch emblem (smoloskyp) of the Ukrainian Women's Association of Canada, of which our Ladies Auxiliary is a branch.

GOLDEN AGE CLUB NEWS

Our numbers are growing and we continue to enjoy the fellowship during the month of March.

For those of you that missed attending on March 15th should be aware of what Norma Anne Power, from the Edmonton Public Library had to say. A Library Card gives you access to books, CD's, audio books, & DVD's. The Library stocks only the favorite books and electronic media. They have computers in the Library for your use and offer computer training for FREE. Now no excuse about not using the computer!

The GAC has booked the Mayfield Theatre for Wednesday, June 8th. We already have over 20 interested in going. If others are interested come Tuesday and sign up.

We will continue meeting on Tuesday; doors open at 9:30 for a "walk-about" and program underway at 10:00.

June 18th & 19th we have the opportunity to go to Camp Bar-V-Nok. If there is enough interest lets arrange a bus for the senior's to go on Sunday for breakfast, Church, & lunch.

Stay healthy, keep fit and we'll see you on Tuesday.

-Eugene Luchka, President

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MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

The following individuals comprise the committee:

Michael Gilyshyn 780-473-6775
Ernest Skakun 780-434-0543
Stephanie McNee 780-469-5293

NEXT PYROHY SUPPER!

Our next "Pyrohy
Supper"

will be held on

Friday, April 1st

from 5:00 - 7:30 p.m.

Bring Family & Friends!



GREETERS' ROSTER

I have taken over as the Coordinator of the Greeters. Anyone interested in adding your name to our roster please phone Emilie (780-430-7772) or George (780-469-2555). I look forward to contacting you for a date to be a greeter.

-Emilie Gorgichuk

Greeters' List:

Apr 4 - Wally & Marie Mailman
Apr 10 - Emilie & Steve Gorgichuk
Apr 17 - Alex & Pauline Lysak
Apr 24 - George & June Gushaty



**SUPPORT the
Veerneest
Ukrainian
Dancing
Program
Spring Raffle**

1st Prize - Sports Fan
Package (value \$265)



Tickets: 1/\$1.50

**Draw at the April 9th
Easter Tea & Bake Sale**



St. Andrew's Ladies Auxiliary

Слава Ісусу Христу! Glory to Jesus Christ!

Our Easter Tea and Bake Sale will take place on Saturday, April 9, 2011. We have been very busy baking pasky and babky. Thank you to all the ladies who lovingly offered their time and energy and to assist in all the work bees. Special thanks are extended to the gentlemen who baste the breads and man the ovens. Working together in true Christian spirit is enjoyable and rewarding. We swap stories, laugh, and learn valuable techniques from experienced bread makers.

The Ladies Auxiliary 50th Anniversary Committee met on March 8 to begin planning activities to celebrate our anniversary coming this fall. The view is to include all Parish members in our celebrations. Tentative plans are as follows.

- **Sunday, September 11:** History Book launch during Fellowship Lunch, Presentation of 50-Year Long Service Awards to Ladies Auxiliary founding members.
- **Sunday, September 18:** Memorial Service (Panakhyda) following the Divine Liturgy in memory of reposed LA members of the last 50 years. Families of the deceased are encouraged to join us for our Memorial and Fellowship Lunch.
- **Monday, September 19:** Moleben, Supper with Men's Club and other invited guests, followed by other Long Service Awards and our 50th AGM.

Thank you to Carla Kozak for conducting the Ladies Auxiliary General Meeting of March 21, in my absence. The ladies passed a motion to donate \$20,000 to the Parish for general operations, fulfilling 2/3 of our financial commitment to the Church Board for 2011. A bouquet to all who contribute in various ways to our fundraising activities.

As we approach the Great Feast of the Resurrection of our Saviour, Jesus Christ, may you have time to reflect on all of God's Blessings, as well as participate in the deeply spiritual services at St. Andrew's Sobor and our sister parishes. I extend to you and your families my sincerest Paschal greetings. *Khrystos Voskres! Voistinu Voskres!* Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!

In Christian love, *Lesia Perritt*, President

ХРИСТОС ВОСКРЕС! ВОЇСТИНО ВОСКРЕС!



Sunday Fellowships: Following our Divine Liturgies, everyone enjoys the camaraderie during **fellowship**. All parish members are encouraged to consider sponsoring a fellowship. Food provided can be very simple: e.g. buttered fruit bread; or make a cash donation to the kitchen staff for the purchase of some snack. The Ladies Auxiliary supplies the coffee, tea and juice. Please sign up on the chart located near the guest registration book in the atrium to sponsor a fellowship on a Sunday. Thank you kindly!



New Book in Kiosk

If anyone is interested in purchasing the book, "The Christians, Volume 9" it is now available in our church kiosk for the price of \$49.00. For more information contact Stephanie in the Church Office at 780-469-1463.





CHURCH SCHOOL NEWS



Glory to Jesus Christ! Our Journey to Pascha continues ... During the Great Lent, as Orthodox believers, we increase our spiritual growth with prayers, fasting, confession, Holy Communion, scriptural and special readings, almsgiving, and acts of charity and mercy.

A thank you is extended to the students who participated with the procession of ICONS on Orthodoxy Sunday, beginning of the Great Fast.

Again, the Paska and Pysanka Workshop was successful. Each year the students perfect their artistic talents in making their paska and writing their pysanka. Thank students for your participation. Special thanks are extended to **Martha Arabski, Sheri Harasymuk** for organizing the pysanka writing, **Stephanie McNee and Nancy Sawchuk** for making the paska dough, **Pauline Lysak** for teaching the students and leading them in prayer, **Gordon Ostapchuk and Michael Alexandruk** for doing the baking, **Marion Ostapchuk, Ollie Sluzar, Paticia Pawluk, Jackie, Walter Killick and Andres Arabski** for helping with teaching, lunch and clean up in the kitchen. Your help was greatly appreciated.

Students receiving their **First Confession will be recognized on April 10th** after the Divine Liturgy with a Communion Brunch following. This is also Godparents' Day. We encourage all students to invite their Godparents to come to St. Andrew's and worship with them. Likewise, we encourage all Godparents to invite their Godchildren to come and worship with us.

On **Holy Friday and on the Easter Sunday** "The Resurrection of Lord and Savior Jesus Christ", the Altar Boys and Myrrh Bearers will be participating.

On Sunday, May 8th we commemorate the Myrrh Bearing Women. We will be recognizing the Myrrh Bearers and Altar Boys during Fellowship.



Dates to Remember:

Sunday, April 3	Fourth Sunday of Lent: St John Climacus / Classes resume
Saturday, April 9	Vespers and Confession 5p.m.
Sunday, April 10	Fifth Sunday of Lent: St Mary of Egypt / First Confession Recognition / Godparents' Day / Parish Communion Brunch
Saturday, April 16	Lazarus Saturday
Sunday, April 17	Palm Sunday; Wednesday, April 20 - Holy Unction; Friday, April 22 - Holy Friday ; Altar Boys and Myrrh Bearers will participate
Sunday, April 24	Pascha /Easter Sunday " Resurrection of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ" Altar Boys and Myrrh Bearers will participate
Sunday, May 8	Myrrh Bearing Women / Recognition of Myrrh Bearers and Altar Boys
Yours in Christ, <i>Olga Alexandruk</i> (780-998-2356) & <i>Sheri Harasymuk</i> (780-464-0558)	

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SUNDAY FELLOWSHIPS

The Sunday Fellowships are greatly appreciated by the worshipping congregation..

A most heartfelt thank you to:

... the month of **March** sponsors:

March 6 - 80th Birthday Fellowship for Very Rev. M. Kryschuk (sponsored by the family); March 13 - 40-Day Memorial for Cliff Perritt (sponsored by the family); March 20 & 27 - Fellowship Committee.

At the same time we

invite other parish members to also sponsor an occasional Fellowship.

CHURCH CLEANING

Please come and help with our Pre-Easter Church Cleaning on Tuesday, April 19th at 9:30 a.m. We need the help of both Ladies and men. The sign-up sheet is posted in the kitchen and church bulletin Board in the Atrium. You can phone Vera Tkachyk at 780-634-5803 or Marion Ostapchuk at 780-463-0454 to



volunteer your much needed expertise.



CAMP BAR-V-NOK

For those who are planning their activities for the month of June, a reminder that the **Annual St. Andrew's Family Camp Weekend** will be held at **Camp Bar-V-Nok** on Father's Day weekend again this year.

Father's Day weekend this year is **June 17th to Sunday, June 19th**. ...

Activities will include games, water activities, fishing, boating, hiking, camp fire sing-a-long, Saturday Dance, Sunday Church Service and Pot Luck Dinner, etc.

Accommodation available for sleeping, tenting, and RV's.




More details to follow in following issues of Outreach.

Gord Ostapchuk, Chair – Family Camp Committee (780-463-0454)



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
<div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 10px; display: inline-block;"> <p>Saturday, April 9th</p> <p>Annual Easter Tea & Bake Sale @ 1 pm</p>  </div>						<p>1 9 am - Confess. 9:30 am - Liturgy of Pre-Sanc Gifts Ukr Dance Classes CANCELLED 5-7:30 - Pyrohy Supper</p>	<p>2 <i>Soul Saturday</i> 9:30 am - Confession 10 am - Div Lit 5 pm - Great Vespers 6 pm - Confession</p>
<p>3 <i>4th Sunday of Great Fast; St. John Climacus</i> 6 pm - PASSIA @ St. Elias' (lecture-Fr. Yamniuk)</p>	<p>4 7 pm - Board of Management Mtg</p>	<p>5 9 am - Golden Age Club Meeting 5 pm - Reading of the whole Canon of St. Andrew</p>	<p>6 9 am - Confession 9:30 am - Liturgy of Pre-Sanctified Gifts</p>	<p>7 "<i>Annunciation of the Most-Holy Theotokos</i>" 9 am - Confession 9:30 am - Divine Liturgy</p>	<p>8 6:15 pm - Ukrainian Dance Classes</p>	<p>9 "<i>Praise of the Theotokos</i>" 9:30 am - Confession 10 am - Div Lit 5 pm - Great Vespers 6 pm - Confess.</p>	
<p>10 <i>5th Sunday of Great Fast; Ven. Mary of Egypt</i> 6 pm - PASSIA @ St. Andrew's (lecture-Rev. Archpriest Podtepa)</p>	<p>11 7 pm - Board of Management Mtg</p>	<p>12 9 am - Golden Age Club Meeting</p>	<p>13 9:30 am - Liturgy of Pre-Sanctified Gifts @ St. Andrew's</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15 6:15 pm - Ukrainian Dance Classes</p>	<p>16 <i>Lazarus Saturday</i> 9:30 am - Confession 10 am - Div Lit 5 pm - Great Vespers 6 pm - Confess.</p>	
<p>17 PALM SUNDAY <i>Entrance of Our Lord into Jerusalem</i> Blessing of Pussy Willows</p>	<p>18 PASSION WEEK → <i>Great Monday</i> 7 pm Men's Club & Ladies Aux. Meetings</p>	<p>19 <i>Great Tuesday</i> 9 am - Golden Age Club Meeting 9:30 am - Church Cleaning</p>	<p>20 <i>Great Wednesday</i> 9 am - Confession 9:30 am - Liturgy of Pre-Sanc Gifts 7 pm - "<i>Holy Unction</i>" @ St. John's Cathedral</p>	<p>21 <i>Great Thursday</i> 9 am - Confession 9:30 am - Vespers 6 pm - Passion Service</p>	<p>22 <i>Great Friday</i> 5 pm - Vespers, Carrying of the Holy Shroud Ukr Dance Classes CANCELLED</p>	<p>23 <i>Great Saturday</i> 9 am - Confession 10 am - Div Lit 6 pm - Blessing Paska @ SELO 7 pm - Blessing @ St. Andrew's</p>	
<p>24 HOLY EASTER 6:45 am - Easter Matins; 8 am - Holy Easter Div Lit followed by blessing of baskets</p>	<p>25 <i>Bright Monday</i> 10 am - Divine Liturgy @ St. Andrew's</p>	<p>26 <i>Bright Tuesday</i> 9:30 am - Confession 10 am - Divine Lit & Golden Age Club Blessed Easter</p>	<p>27 <i>Bright Wednesday</i> 10 am - Service at SELO with Blessed Easter Dinner</p>	<p>28 Bishop's Dinner: 6 pm - Moleben 7 pm - Appetizers 7:45 pm - Dinner</p>	<p>29 6:15 pm - Ukrainian Dance Classes</p>	<p>30 1:30-3:30 pm - Veerneest Picture Day; 3:45 pm - Seniors' Home</p>	

1 pm Tea



Following every Sunday Divine Liturgy, "Fellowship Coffee & Lunch" is served!
We welcome you and yours!

DONATION ENVELOPES

Should you require more "Offering Envelopes" please fill out the request form in the Church vestibule entrance area.





From The President

**СЛАВА ІСУСУ ХРИСТУ! СЛАВА НА ВІКИ!
GLORY BE TO JESUS CHRIST!
GLORY BE FOREVER!**

We are approximately half way through our Lenten Period preparing to celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. It seems that everyone at St. Andrew's is busy at a Paska, Babka or pyrohy work bee, preparing for the Easter Tea and Bake Sale or the April 1 Pyrohy Supper and the full complement of Lenten and Paschal church services. Thank you for assisting and attending during this very busy and important time of year.

It was great to see approximately 40 children at the Paska/Pysanka workshop on Saturday, March 19. A huge thank you goes out to the organizers and the volunteers who worked at the immensely successful event. It was great to see Fr. Yuriy with his trademark white apron assisting with the baking of the Pasky along with all the adult volunteers and youth.

The Board of Management and the Facility Enhancement Committee has been extremely busy getting the Capital projects started (electronic signage, electric door opener, water line replacement and kiosk glass door replacement). The details of the sign are being worked on with a permit required and applied for from City of Edmonton Planning. The proposed sign installation is set for May-June. Thank you to the St. Andrew's Men's Club for their fund rising to cover the Capital Expenditure portion of the Budget.

From the Treasury.... I have to thank all the members who submitted their initial offerings to the church of \$150.00 per person. We as a parish have definite financial commitments in the first few months of the year and then maintenance commitments throughout the subsequent months as well. Without your diligence in making financial contributions we would have difficulty meeting those commitments.

To illustrate an example of the financial requirements for the past two months, I give you an excerpt from our financial statement from January 1 to February 28, 2011:

Member Donations.....\$24, 844.00
Salaries/Utilities.....\$23, 418.71

Balance.....\$ 1, 425.29

In addition to the salaries and utilities, other expenses which include the levies to the Consistory and the Western Eparchy (\$2600/month for total of \$5200 to the end of February), office operating expenses, cleaning supplies, maintenance, candles etc. cannot be covered by the Balance shown above. The \$150.00 initial donation does not start to cover the Parish's operating expenses. The pyrohy supper profits help defray the monthly costs but do not cover the entire shortfall. Our February Pyrohy supper net profit was \$1443.00. The Pyrohy Supper profit combined with the balance above, doesn't cover the Consistory levies for January and February. We depend on member and non-member donations for our major income.

We thank those members who have given generously to date and encourage all members to help fulfill their financial commitment toward the operation of our parish by making their donation today. Members have been most generous in contributing to the purchase of items for the Church. In addition to purchasing the white Altar Boys vestments, **Joanne Chizen** in memory of her parents Michael and Olga Chizen has also purchased a set of six purple Altar Boy vestments which were blessed on Sunday, March 12. Thank you Joanne for your generosity.

We are in need of replacing some of our priest vestments. Many of them are thread-bare through years of use. After the last dry cleaning of several sets of vestments last Easter, the cleaners advised us that they will not clean them again since they are falling apart. If members or non-members wish to donate a set of vestments (\$500-\$700) please call Fr. Yuriy or myself to arrange the purchase.

With this being the last Outreach Newsletter before Pascha, the Board of Management extends to all members and friends of St. Andrew's our traditional Paschal Greeting:

**ХРИСТОС ВОСКРЕС! ВОЇСТИНО ВОСКРЕС!
CHRIST IS RISEN! INDEED HE IS RISEN!**

George Tkachyk - President



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St. Andrew's Men's Club Website
www.uocc-standrew.ca/mensclub/



Veerneest Dancers

St. Andrew's BIPHICTb/Veerneest Ukrainian Dancing Program was pleased to have performances at the IHLA Languages event on Feb.19th (with Dobr.Nadia Kryschuk's promotion of the St.Andrew's Ukrainian Language Classes), and at Verkhovyna's Yarmarok event on March 6th. Dancing families were happy to participate in the pysanky & paska workshop on March 19th; thank you to the organizers and volunteers. We are working on preparations to participate in the Ladies Auxiliary Bake Sale on April 9th, including a Spring Raffle for the Dancing Program. We have many great combination prizes collected, including an Oilers Sports Fan package (value \$265), "Spring is in the Air" package (value \$165, Ukrainian artwork, Blue Willow restaurant and fresh flowers gift certificates, gift basket, etc) and a Gourmet Coffee Specialty Basket (value \$100). We have received donations from dancing families and the local 'Grower Direct' Flowers and 'Second Cup - Wayne Gretzy' shops around the corner from St.Andrew's, as well as an Edmonton proprietor of products from Ukraine, Ukrainian Colors. If you are interested in purchasing tickets (\$1.50 each), we will be selling at the event and in advance - call our raffle fundraising coordinator, Pauline ([780-446-6867](tel:780-446-6867)). Our target is to sell out of the 1000 tickets! Soon we will be visiting St.Andrew's Selo (April 30th), after Pictures in the afternoon at St.Andrew's parish (in front of the lovely new curtains). Dancers are also out in the community with smiles shining in Fort Saskatchewan at the Veeteretz Festival on April 26th, and in Smoky Lake as Special Guests on May 7th. Our Year End Concert is Saturday, May 14 at 1:30 pm at Eastglen High School's Majestic Theatre. Tickets will be on sale in April. Please join us celebrating the richness of Ukrainian culture at our community event - call Lori Tymchuk for Concert Tickets (\$10) or Concert DVD (\$5) pre-orders ([780-479-5512](tel:780-479-5512)).



{P.S. A little birdie mentioned that there were some very happy children eating a "Hot lunch" of the most yummy pyrohy at St.Martin's Ukrainian Bilingual Program on March 22nd, thanks to the pyrohy making teams from St.Andrew's (some of the children in the elementary school are dancers at St.Andrew's, and families happily spread the news of the monthly Pyrohy Suppers). It was a wonderful treat for their school day, celebrating Ukrainian culture with a morning event dedicated to Taras Schevchenko, followed by perfect pyrohy and then an afternoon field trip to watch Shumka Ukrainian Dancing. Thank you to the parish pyrohy volunteers.}

