# <u>March 28, 2021</u> Квітна Неділя. /// Palm Sunday.

Festal Tone: \* Phil. 4:4-9; \* John 12:1-18.
Readings for next Sunday of the Resurrection Apr 4th: Acts 1:1-8; \* John 1:1-17.

# Свята Літургія/Divine Liturgy

#### Неділя, 28 березня / Sunday, March 28th.

+ За упокій всіх спочилих парафіян. /// +For the repose of all of our parishioners.

\*За здоров'я і благословення усіх наших парафіян і доброчинців.

\*За здоров'я і благословення Оксани Зозулі з нагоди її Уродин.

#### Спеціальні збірки/Designated collections.

March 28

Parish Outreach

April 4

St. Nicholas Eparchy.

#### Великодні Квіти! / Easter Flowers!

Просимо Вашої Пожертви на квіти для прикрашення Церкви на Страсний Тиждень і Великдень. (Спеціальний рожевий конверт). Please help make our Church beautiful for Holy Week and Holy Pascha through your Easter Flower (pink envelope) donation.

#### Сьогодні / Today

# <u>КВІТНА НЕДІЛЯ 28 березня.</u> <u>Розпродаж Великоднього печива. Освячення верби і пальмових гілок.</u>

Вже традиційно, як кожного року Марійська Дружина буде мати розпродаж святочного печивау Квітну Неділю.

# Palm Sunday March 28<sup>th</sup> - Easter Bake and sausage Sale! Also we will have blessing of willow and palm branches.

Our St. Mary's Sodality will have Easter bake and sausage sale on Palm Sunday.

#### **PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Please see attached Pastoral Easter Message from all the Bishops of our Church in the USA.

Also please read the Easter Pastoral Message from His Beatitude Partiarch Sviatoslav. (PDF available on parish website).

В додатку є Пасхальне послання від усіх Єпископів нашої церкви в США.

Також в додатку є Пастирське послання патріярха Святослава на Великдень 2021. (Також на веб сторінці є розміщений офіційний лист).

## <u> Широсердечно Дякуємо!/Sincere Thank you!</u>

Щиро дякуємо Ірині та Джін Дюкейн за прикрашення церкви пальмовими гілками. Також щиро дякуємо Вінсенту і Росіо Ковалик, що принесли пальмове віття сьогодні в пам'ять свого батька +Володимира. Ковалика, Дякуємо за підтримку цієї традиції в нашій парафії.

Sincere thanks to Irene and Jean Duquene for decorating the church with beautiful Palm branches. Sincere thanks to Vincent & Rocio Kowalick who donated the palms we're distributing today in memory of their father + Walter Kowalick! Thank you for supporting this parish tradition!

#### Календар Парафії/Parish Calendar

Schedule for Holy Week and Easter 2021 Services in our Parish is available in church. Розпорядок Богослужень на Страсний Тиждень і на Великдень 2021 року  $\epsilon$  видрукований на окремих листочках тут в церві. .

Printable PDF version of Sunday Bulletins can be found on parish website (www.ukrainiancatholicla.com).

#### St. Nicholas Eparchy: Eparchial Appeal SHARE 2021

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ! It is a courtesy reminder about my previous communication to you regarding the annual collection to support our Eparchy of St. Nicholas in Chicago of the Ukrainian Catholic Church.

The mailing with the letter from the Bishop Benedict in both languages and the informational brochure regarding this year's Annual Eparchial Appeal SHARE 2021 should have been mailed to all of you by now. If you haven't received it or will not receive it in the near future please contact me via this email, so I could add your mailing address or correct your address in our parish database. Please review this important information about Eparchial Appeal and please support our Eparchy with your donation!

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#### Palm Sunday

The hymns and prayers celebrating Christ's glorious journey into the Holy City reflect both the joy and the concern about what shall in short time occur in this City.

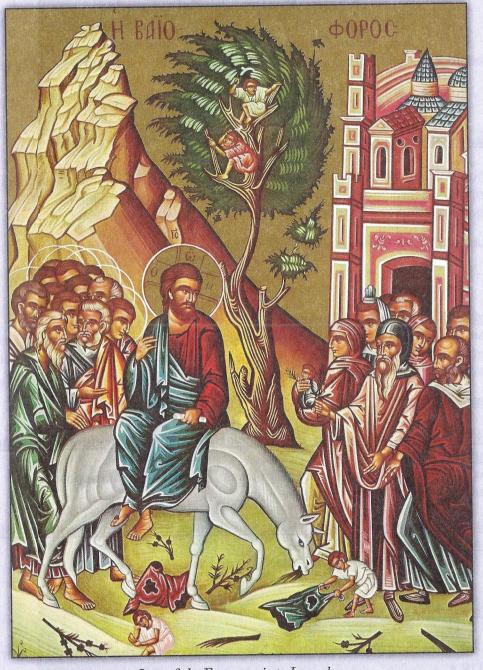
The introductory Vespers' hymn expresses these sentiments in these words: "Today the grace of the Holy Spirit has gathered us together, and we all take up Your Cross and say; Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest!" The Palm Sunday exclamation, "Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord ...." is repeated over and over and we know that it was also taken into the Liturgy's solemn hymn, "Holy, holy, holy ..."

A Palm Sunday liturgical text beautifully expresses the full dimensions of this greeting when it says, "Blessed are You, You have come and are coming again in the name of the Lord God our Savior!" The serene sunshine of the Palm Sunday could not last long. Evening is approaching of the first day of the Holy Week. Jesus' enemies were not idle; they gather and debate how to stop any similar demonstration. He should be arrested.

The Church reminds us of this change: "As we pass from one Divine Feast to another, O faithful, let us go with haste to the reverent and saving celebration of Christ's sufferings. Let us behold Him undergo voluntary suffering for our sake, and let us sing to Him with thankfulness a fitting hymn: O Fountain of tender mercy and Haven of salvation. Lord, glory be to You!" The Great, Holy Week of Christ's Passion began.

Father Vladimir Vancik

## PALM SUNDAY -- FLOWERY SUNDAY



Icon of the Entrance into Jerusalem