



# Pray for Peace in Ukraine

## Know Your Church . . . Laity Formation

### The Myrrh-bearers

In the beginning of his public life, Jesus often went to Galilee where He performed many miracles. A group of holy women followed Him around, ministering to Him out of their own resources, and even accompanied Him to the foot of the cross, and His entombment; and afterwards, neither losing faith in Him after His death, nor fearing the wrath of the Jewish rulers.

On the morning of the third day after His death, they came to the tomb, bearing ointments they had prepared to anoint His body. It is because of the myrrh-oils, that these God-loving women brought to the tomb of Jesus that they are called the Myrrh-bearers. These women were the first to witness to the Resurrection of Christ, when the angel addressed them: "Fear not you; for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. He is not here, for he is risen, as he said. Come, and see the place where the Lord was laid." (Matt. 28:5-6). It was at this point the Resurrection was revealed to them, and they were commissioned to go and tell the Apostles. They were, in effect, the apostles to the Apostles.

The Myrrhbearers are traditionally listed as:

Mary Magdalene - the woman whom Jesus cast out 7 demons and follower of Christ

Mary - the mother of Jesus

Mary - the wife of Cleopas, sister-in-law to St. Joseph

Martha of Bethany - Sister of Lazarus

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Joanna - the wife of Chuza the steward of Herod Antipas

Salome - the mother of James and John, the sons of Zebedee, daughter of St. Joseph

Susanna - a wealthy woman who followed Jesus in His ministry.

Joseph of Arimathea - a wealthy member of the Jewish Sanhedrin and a secret follower of Christ

Nicodemus - a Pharisee who came to hear the Lord by night

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# Our Weekly Bulletin

## Welcome to our Parish


Christ is Risen!



Indeed, He is Risen!

### Divine Liturgies and Services for the Week

Week of Maty 1 to May 8, 2022

<b>Sunday, May 1</b>	Sunday of the Myrrh-bearing Women	
<b>May 2</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>May 3</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>May 4</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>May 5</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>May 6</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>May 7</b>	No Liturgy	
<b>Sunday, May 8</b>	Sunday of the Paralytic	Millie Deskevich

*If you are looking for a closer relationship with Jesus Christ and are looking for a home, you are welcome to be part of our kid friendly family in Christ. You have found your way home.*

**3rd Sunday of Pascha - The Myrrh-Bearing Women**  
Acts 6:1-7 Mark 15:43-16:9

*Troparion (Tone 2)*

When You went down to death, O Life Immortal, You struck Hades dead with the blazing light of Your divinity. When You raised the dead from the nether world, all the powers of heaven cried out: "O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory be to You!"

*Troparion (Tone 2)*

The noble Joseph took down Your most pure body from the tree. He wrapped it with a clean shroud and aromatic spices and placed it in a new tomb. But on the third day You arose, O Lord, granting the world Your great mercy.

*Kondakion (Tone 2)*

Glory be ... You commanded the myrrh-bearers to rejoice, O Christ God, and ended the grief of our mother Eve by Your Resurrection. You ordered the apostles to proclaim to all: "The Savior is risen from the tomb."

*Kondakion (Tone 2)*

Now and forever... Though You descended into the tomb, O Immortal One, yet You destroyed the power of Hades; and You rose as victor, O Christ God, calling to the myrrh-bearing women: Rejoice! And giving peace to Your Apostles: You, who granted Resurrection to the fallen.

*Prokeimen (Tone 6)*

Save Your people, O Lord and bless Your inheritance.

*verse:* Unto You I will cry, O Lord my God, lest You turn from me in silence.

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*Alleluia*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

*Verse* You have shown favor to Your land, O Lord; You brought back the captives of Jacob.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

*Verse* Mercy and truth have met; righteousness and peace have embraced.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

**PARISH NEWS**

**Weekly Collection** - April 24, 2022 - \$420.00 Thank you for your generosity.

**Relief for Ukraine** - Amount collected to date \$2,931.00.

**Confessions** - Father will hear confessions following Sunday Liturgies.

**Saturdays with Jesus** - Saturday, May 14, 2022 10:00AM - Adult class

Saturday, May 21, 2022 2:00PM - Children from 5 and up

**Relief for Ukraine** - Anyone wishing to help send financial help to Ukraine may do so by writing a check to: Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Josaphat and on the memo line: Aid for Ukraine. Place it in the collection basket and it will be sent to the chancery.

**Vacation Bible School** - VBS will be August 1 through 5 from 6:00PM to 7:30PM for all school age children. More details to follow.

**Bus Trip** - A bus trip for David at Sight and Sound Theater will be Thursday, July 28th. More details forthcoming.

**Prayer List**

**Parishioners:** Connie Butkus, Kathy Ott, Sarah Kelt, Gary Maurer, the Lutak family,

Jeremiah Hunt

**Friends of the Parish:** Jennifer Maurer, Breanna Borlie, Tom and Kris, Mark Prewitt, Richard Shonk, Ryder McDermitt, Steve Helsel, Tuinstra family, Patricia Dragani, Kevin Rogers, Darla Tishok, the Sherman family, the Williams family, Lindsey Lamer.

**Joke of the Day**

I had spent the late winter months waiting impatiently for signs of spring. When the first warm, sunny Saturday arrived, I eagerly unlocked the storm door and stepped onto our patio deck. I was pleased by the sight of green sprouts and the sounds of singing birds. More than anything else, I delighted in the sweet aroma of the spring air. Knocking on the kitchen window, I beckoned to my wife to join me in enjoying the pleasures of the season. She quietly brought me back to earth when she reminded me that I was standing over the dryer vent, inhaling the scent of fabric softener.

**Notice about the Child Protection**

*It is important to remind the people of our parish from time to time that if anyone has been the victim of sexual abuse by the clergy, or by an employee or a volunteer, he or she should come forward and make that known to his or her pastor or to the bishop, who can be reached at his chancery by dialing (440) 888-1522, or by writing to him at PO Box 347180, Parma, OH 44134-7180. You may also report it to the Assistance Coordinator, Marika Zaliszczuk at (412) 215-5372. For more information on St. Josaphat Eparchy's safe environment policy and procedures and other pertinent info, please, log onto: <http://stjosaphateparchy.com/safe-environment/>.*