



St. Mary's Romanian Orthodox Church

A Parish of the Romanian Orthodox Dioceses of Canada

The "Priest's Page"

The Very Rev. Fr. Mircea Panciuk

Tel. 780-456-7737

Cell: 780-722-5438

E-mail: mpanciuk@yahoo.com

Vol. 4, Issue 4 ANNIVERSARY ISSUE May 15, 2022

***Hristos A Inviat ! Adevarat A Inviat !
Christ Is Risen ! Indeed He is Risen !!***



We would like to remind everyone that on Sunday, May 15th, there will be the Services for the Blessing of the Graves, the Memorial Cross blessing and the 86th Anniversary celebration of the creation of The Boian Ladies Club. His Grace Bishop IOAN CASIAN will be officiating along with a number of visiting priests.

The welcome of His Grace Bishop IOAN CASIAN will take place at 9:45a.m. followed by Divine Liturgy at 10:00 a.m. We ask that if at all possible, please be present by 9:30a.m.

As we do every year, The Blessing of the Graves service will be followed by a communal lunch which is "pot luck", therefore we ask you to bring a potwith something in it to share with everyone.

The Boian Ladies Club had wanted to celebrate the 85th Anniversary of its Founding during 2021, but due to COVID-9 restrictions it was decided to celebrate in 2022, hence the odd number 86. To honour the memory of members past and celebrate present-day members, it would be appropriate if we all wore Romanian dress. If you have a Romanian blouse or complete costume it would be nice you see you wearing it. There will be a picture taken of the Ladies Club members after the service. The Boian Ladies Club, from its inception has been the backbone of the Parish in terms of their objectives. They are akin to the Myrrh Bearing Women of the Gospel. Let's not forget our mothers on this Sunday May 8, 2022.



His Grace will also be at Sts. Constantine and Elena Church on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 20 - 22, 2022, to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Consecration of the Church.

Friday evening, May 20, will be the Service of Holy Unction at 4:30 p.m. followed by Evening Vespers.

Saturday, May 21, will celebrate Divine Liturgy beginning at 10:00 a.m. for the Feast day of Sts. Constantine and Elena, and Vesper Services at 6:00 p.m. the preceding Sunday.

Sunday, May 22, the Divine Liturgy will begin at 10:00 a.m. followed by the celebration banquet to commemorate the 50th Anniversary, since the consecration of the church was on May 21, 1972. For more information, please see the Sts. Constantine and Elena Romanian Orthodox Church Parish Bulletin, Edmonton.



This year is also the 5th Anniversary of the Founding of the Romanian Orthodox Dioceses of Canada and the 5th Anniversary of the enthronement of His Grace Bishop Ioan Casian as Bishop of the Dioceses.

Fr. Mircea

RESURRECTION SERVICE - MAY 24-25, 2022

