

ST. MICHAEL UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
APRIL 2017 REPORT TO PARISHIONERS

COLLECTIONS: April 2: \$1,701.00. April 9: \$2,084.00. April 16 (Easter): \$3,468.
April 23: \$900.00. April 30: \$2,147. TOTAL COLLECTIONS: \$10,300.00 (5 weeks)
Dues: \$100. Candles: \$129.65. Easter Flowers: \$50

Many thanks to Volodymyr Terletsyy for volunteering to help maintain the Rectory grounds. Also, the heating/cooling system at the Hall has been replaced. SHARE 2017 (Bishop's Appeal) Our parish assessment will probably be the same as last year (\$860.00). You can contribute either by making a check out to St. Michael Ukrainian Catholic Church and forwarding it to our Treasurer, or send your contribution directly to the Eparchy (just inform our Treasurer, so we can keep track of our parish total).

We joyfully rejoice with the good news of the appointment of the Most Rev. Benedict Aleksyichuk, M.S.U., as Bishop of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of St. Nicholas in Chicago. Bishop Benedict has up until now served as Auxiliary Bishop of Lviv, Ukraine. He succeeds Bishop Richard Seminack, who served the Eparchy for 13 years until his death on August 16th, 2016. Bishop Benedict was born in Ukraine on January 16, 1968 and is a Ukrainian Studite monk. He was ordained a priest in Lviv, Ukraine 25 years ago and as a Bishop on September 5, 2010. He will be installed as Bishop of St. Nicholas Eparchy on June 29th at the Cathedral of St. Nicholas in Chicago. The rite of enthronement will be led by His Beatitude Sviatoslav, Head and Father of the UGCC. Let us offer prayers of thanksgiving to Almighty God for the blessing of a new chief shepherd for our Eparchy and for Bishop Benedict as he undertakes this new journey, under the protection and guidance of the Mother of God.

SISTERHOOD LUNCH RECEIPTS

April 2: \$138 thanks to Halyna Chirovsky
April 9: \$99 thanks to Maria Dillon & Carla Liesemeyer; Gift Box: \$36
April 16: \$36 - EASTER! Thanks to all who contributed to the Buffet Brunch!
April 23: \$103 thanks to Leon and Orlene Unland.
April 30: \$142 thanks to the Fesz and Cole families; Gift Box: \$1.00
Bake Sale: \$370 thanks to Zenia Kunasz, Anna Fesz, Sonia Capar & Irena Petryna
Easter Flowers: \$36

MAY LUNCH SIGN-UPS: May 7: Sophia Capar; May 14: Mothers' Day;
May 21: Maciborski Family; May 28: Ihor & Zenia Kunasz.

CLEANING SIGNUPS: May 8: Kunasz Family; May 22: Marta & Volodomyr Terletsyy

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please pray for Lubomyra Lutz, Father Andriy Chirovsky, Zenon and Olya Korytko, Maria Gojnycz, Stephania Szubak, Tony Reznowski, Skibicky Family, Ron Cherinko, and Bishop Benedict Aleksyichuk.

MAY DATES: Sunday, May 14 is Mother's Day. Sunday, May 21, second collection for the Seminary. Thurs., May 25 is Ascension of Christ. Divine Liturgy at 7:00 PM.