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**DECEMBER 8, 2023**

**HIEROMARTYR CLEMENT**

**Слава Ісусу Христу! Glory to Jesus Christ!**

**Dear Parishioners, Supporter, Faithful, Brothers and Sisters,**

*ON DECEMBER 1ST, 2023, THE EPISTLE OF HIS EMINENCE, METROPOLITAN ILARION, ANNOUNCED THAT THE UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH OF CANADA WILL MOVE TO THE REVISED-JULIAN CALENDAR AS OF DECEMBER 20, 2023.*

*THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF HOLY TRINITY UKRAINIAN ORTHODOX METROPOLITAN CATHEDRAL PARISH CONVENED A SPECIAL MEETING WITH HIS EMINENCE ON DECEMBER 5, 2023, TO DISCUSS THE TIMING OF OUR PARISH'S MOVE TO THE REVISED-JULIAN CALENDAR. FOLLOWING CAREFUL CONSIDERATION, THE EXECUTIVE HAS VOTED THAT **OUR CATHEDRAL PARISH WILL MOVE TO THE REVISED-JULIAN CALENDAR AS OF DECEMBER 20, 2023, IN KEEPING WITH THE BLESSING OF OUR COUNCIL OF BISHOPS.***

*HIS EMINENCE HAS BLESSED THAT OUR CATHEDRAL WILL HAVE TWO SETS OF NATIVITY SERVICES FOR THIS YEAR ONLY: ONE ON DECEMBER 24/25, 2023, AND THE OTHER ON JANUARY 6/7, 2024.*

*THE FEAST OF JORDAN WILL BE CELEBRATED ON JANUARY 5 AND JANUARY 6, 2024, AND ALL FUTURE FEASTS THAT ARE TIED TO FIXED DATES IN THE CALENDAR WILL BE CELEBRATED ACCORDING TO THE REVISED-JULIAN CALENDAR.*

*FR. GENE AND THE PARISH COUNCIL WILL WORK TOGETHER TO ENSURE A SMOOTH TRANSITION TO THE REVISED-JULIAN CALENDAR. IT IS OUR PRAYER THAT WE WILL ALL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND THESE SERVICES WITH GREAT JOY AS WE GATHER TO CELEBRATE THE BIRTH OF OUR SAVIOUR AND THE FEASTDAYS THAT SURROUND THIS BLESSED EVENT.*

*GOD IS WITH US! З НАМИ БОГ!*

In Christ,  
V. Rev. Archpriest Eugene Maximiuk  
Cathedral Dean

Keith Swinton,  
Parish Council President

