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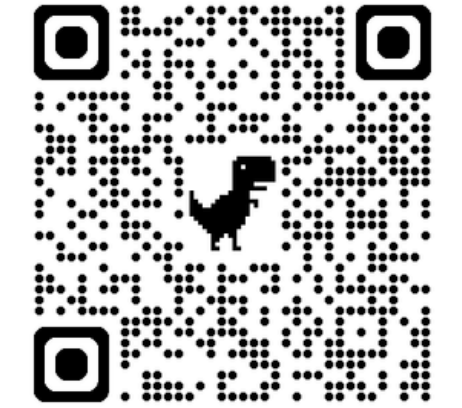
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DyvenSvit ДИВЕН ВІТ



“DyvenSvit”



“DyvenSvit” is the official youth media platform of the Patriarchal Commission On Youth Affairs Of The Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church, with over 15 years of impact. It serves as a space where young people deepen their faith, find answers to life’s questions, and engage in a Christian community.

The platform offers Church news, spiritual reflections, and practical content for everyday life, combining information with inspiration for living Christian values.

Impact:

2,000,000+ unique users

70,000+ social media followers

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as a mediaplatform of evangelization

DyvenSvit ДИВЕН ВІТ

The media platform “DyvenSvit” is one of the most successful and long-standing projects in the field of youth evangelization within the UGCC. Through many years of activity, it has gained the trust of young people who are seeking reliable, high-quality, and up-to-date information. “Dyvensvit” has become precisely such a trusted source.

The platform covers current events in the life of the Church, youth ministry, spiritual initiatives, and important social topics, creating a space for a deeper understanding of faith and the Church’s life today.

For us, this project is especially valuable because it has its own history and continuity, having been founded earlier and consistently developed over the years. At the same time, “Dyvensvit” has long been operating without stable funding, sustained by the dedication of a team working on a volunteer basis.

Despite this, the level of views and audience engagement is remarkably high, which demonstrates the strong demand and significant impact of the platform among young people. “Dyvensvit” remains a living and effective tool of communication and evangelization in today’s media environment.

2 000 000 +

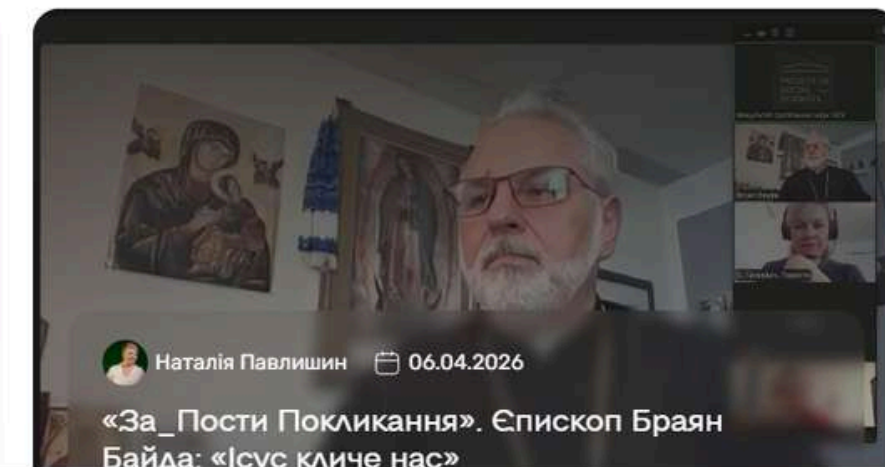
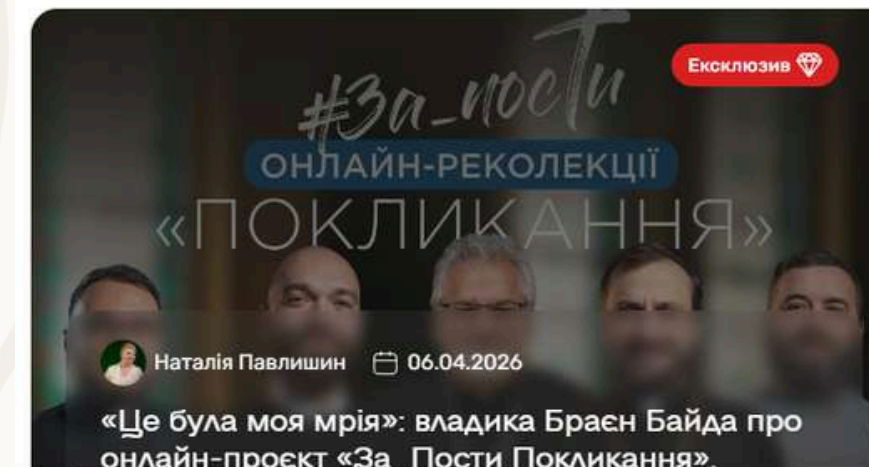
унікальних користувачів

70 000 +

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ЮВІЛЕЙ МОЛОДІ



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#За-посту

#За_Пости (#Za_Posty)

#Za_Posty is an evangelization project of the Patriarchal Commission On Youth Affairs Of The Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church, featuring daily video reflections by young priests that help youth live the fasting period consciously and spiritually.

The project gained importance during the war, providing accessible online spiritual formation for young people in Ukraine and abroad, including those unable to participate in parish life.

It also fostered a unified youth space within the Church and strengthened collaboration among priests across different regions.

In 2026, online retreats were launched on Zoom with translation into six languages, enabling global participation and connection with the Ukrainian community.

Impact:

1 000 000+ views (Advent & Lent 2025)

200+ participants per session (Lent 2026)

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#За_Пости (#Za_Posty) 2022-2025



2022 (Advent)



2023 (Lent)



2023 (Advent)



2024 (Lent)



2024 (Advent)



2025 (Lent)

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#За_Пости (#Za_Posty) 2024-2025



2024(Advent)



2025(Lent)

The evangelization project **#Za_Posty** has become a successful platform of contemporary evangelization for youth.

Through short video reflections, **Fr. Roman Demush, Fr. Taras Brovdi, and Padre Sergio** share profound spiritual insights, helping young people live the fast consciously and fruitfully.

The project responds to the challenges of war and the limited possibilities for in-person gatherings, making spiritual formation accessible to young people in Ukraine and abroad, while also fostering unity within a common spiritual space.

Its success is confirmed by its significant reach — **over 1 million views**, demonstrating its real impact and relevance among youth.

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#За_Пости (#Za_Posty) 2026



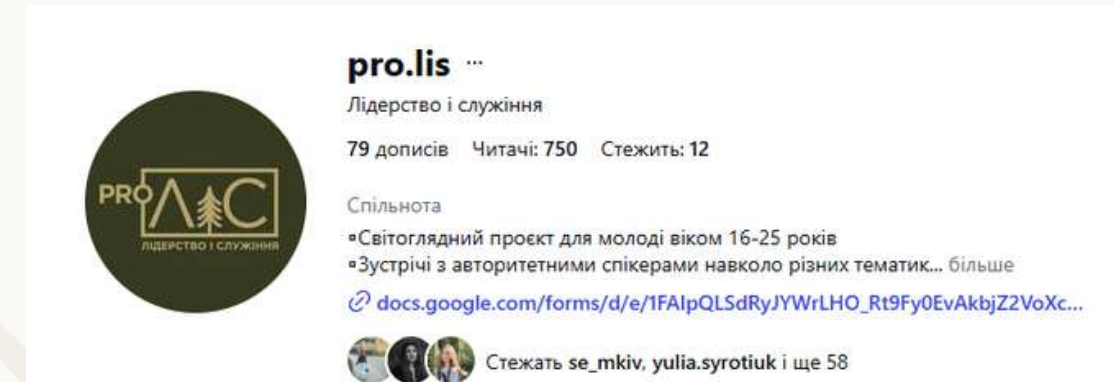
During the Great Lent, we held for the first time online retreats for youth on the theme of “**VOCATION**”. They were led by **Fr. Roman Demush, Fr. Taras Brovdi, Padre Sergio, Fr. Andrii Maksymovych, and Bishop Bryan Bayda** — Head of the Patriarchal Commission of the UGCC on Youth Affairs.

Over the course of **five weeks**, with meetings every Wednesday and every Friday, participants had the opportunity to reflect more deeply on their “**vocation**” and God’s plan for their lives.

A distinctive feature of the retreats was their **multilingual format** — the talks were available in six languages: **Ukrainian, English, Portuguese, Spanish, French, and Italian**. This made it possible to unite young people from different countries and respond to the challenges of war and migration. More than 100 participants at each meeting made use of translation. These retreats became an important space for spiritual growth and unity, showing that even online, the Church can effectively accompany young people and help them discover their vocation.

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proLIS



proLIS – pro Leadership and Service is a youth formation project combining offline gatherings with strong media support to expand its reach.

The media component included coverage of formation weekends, content creation, promotional campaigns, and educational videos, helping engage more young people and promote leadership development.

It also contributed to building a value-based community and a network of relationships, uniting youth around Christian values.

Impact:

200,000+ views

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Come and See (Прийди і подивись)

As part of the nine-month formation program “Come and See,” a media component was included to help participants reflect on their faith in a modern context and learn how to communicate it publicly.

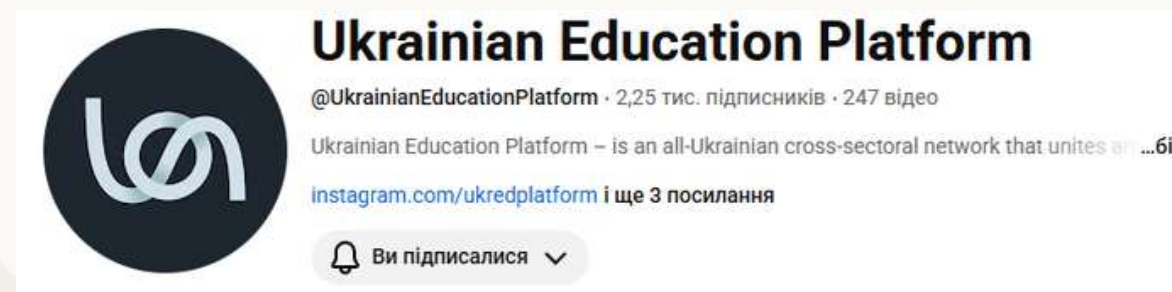
In collaboration with the Ukrainian Educational Platform, a podcast titled “Now Youth Speaks” was created. It features meaningful conversations addressing the real concerns of young people today. Together with spiritual mentors, participants explored answers to challenging questions.

Topics include the role of youth in the 21st-century Church, building relationships based on Christian values, and expressing faith in the public sphere.

All episodes are available on the Ukrainian Educational Platform’s YouTube channel.

Impact:

52 000+ views



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Pilgrims of Hope



Наталія Павлишин 01.09.2025

Ювілейний рік. Свобода

Кожного місяця ми дали собі обіцянку - крок за кроком, готуючись до паломництва, розважати різні теми, які стосуються нашого життя і того, як ми переживаємо і що хочемо відкрити у цьому Ювілейному Році. Цього місяця темою є Свобода. Всі ми...

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The Patriarchal Commission for Youth, together with the Salesian Youth Movement and youth commissions of eparchies and exarchates, invites young people to participate in the formation program “Pilgrims of Hope” for the Jubilee Year.

The program aims to provide spiritual preparation for experiencing the Jubilee, both for those traveling to Rome and those participating locally in parishes and communities.

It includes:

- monthly video catecheses released in the first week of each month;
- a formation guide based on nine Jubilee themes, adapted into four languages;
- online discussion meetings with Bishop Bryan Bayda via Zoom, held monthly to share experiences and reflections.

These initiatives help young people prepare spiritually for the Jubilee Year and especially for the Youth Jubilee pilgrimage.

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Digital Missionaries

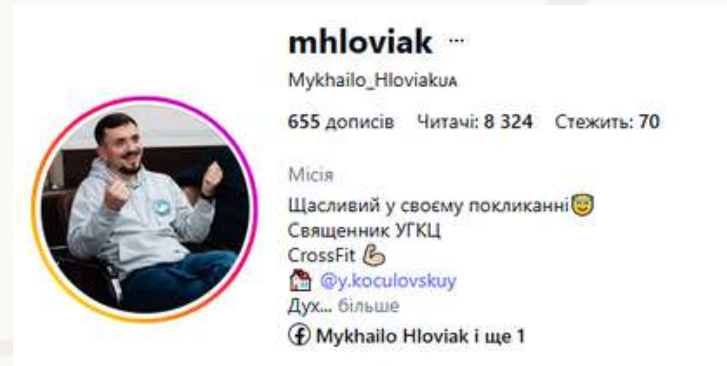
Since the COVID-19 pandemic, the UGCC has developed its digital presence, allowing young people to encounter God online even in times of uncertainty.

Over 10 priests and religious use social media and YouTube as effective tools for catechesis and evangelization, sharing faith through accessible and engaging content.

During the full-scale war, this became especially important, as digital platforms helped young people abroad stay spiritually connected, participate in prayer, and remain part of the Church community.



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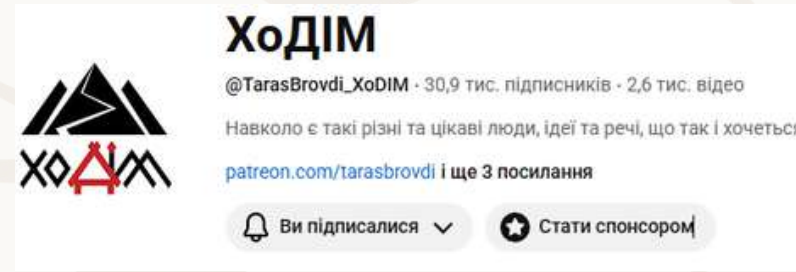
Fr. Mykhailo Hloviak (Instagram)
8,323 followers



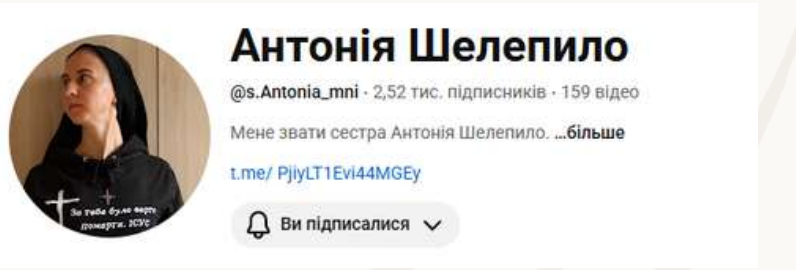
Fr. Roman Demush (Instagram)
46.8K followers



Padre Sergio (YouTube)
506 videos
2,678,170 views
27K subscribers



“HoDIM” – Fr. Taras Brovdi (YouTube)
2,636 videos
9,197,391 views
30.9K subscribers



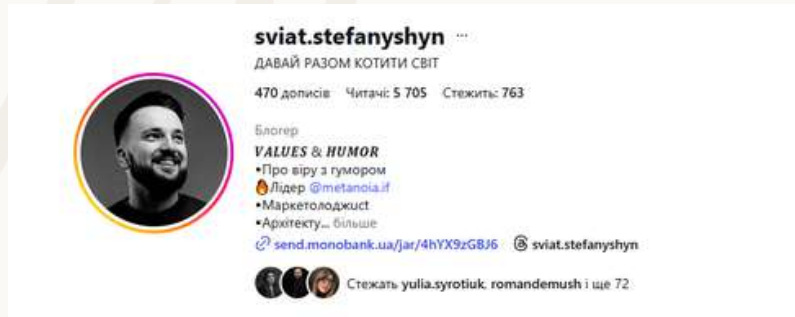
Sr. Antonia Shelepilo (YouTube)
159 videos
105,249 views
2.52K subscribers



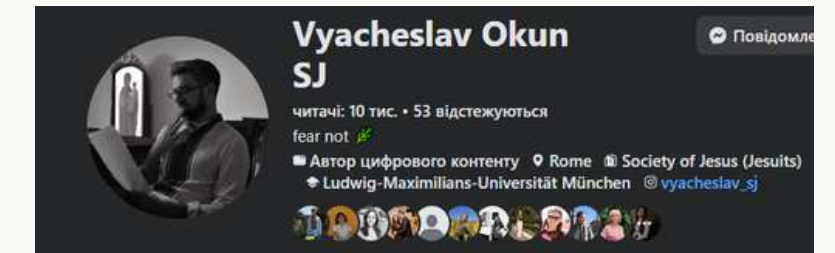
Fr. Ivan Hnatiuk (Instagram)
368K followers



Kateryna Basco (Instagram)
56.1 K followers



Sviatoslav Stefanyshyn (Instagram)
5,704 followers



Fr. Vyacheslav Okun (Facebook)
10K followers



Fr. Yurii Boiko (Facebook)
59K followers