



Dormition & District Ukrainian Catholic Parishes

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Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God – **Saskatoon**

Sacred Heart – **Hawruliuke** Sacred Heart – **Vonda** St. John the Baptist – **Smuts** St. John the Evangelist – **Prud'homme**
St. Volodymyr the Great – **Laniwci** Ss. Peter & Paul – **Bodnari** Ss. Peter & Paul – **Borschiw**

April 11, 2021 – Thomas Sunday Христос воскрес! Воістину воскрес!

Sometimes, in our human condition, we do not always take people at their word. Our experience may have taught us that people exaggerate and even outright lie! In our gospel Thomas, the apostle, did not believe his fellow apostles – men he had known so well for three years. He seems to set down conditions to believe that Jesus had risen – and Jesus met them! He now believed! We are called to a deeper faith in Jesus, opening our eyes to 'see' Jesus as he is, not as we want him to be. It is an exercise in faith on our part to believe – even without seeing. Let us open our eyes, our ears, and our hearts to the risen Lord.

A note of thanks to all who participated and supported our Holy Week and Easter liturgical services. Much gratitude from our family to those who offered an Easter 'Gift of Love' – thank you for being so generous! Speaking of giving, today marks the kick-off to the 2021 and the **6th Annual Eparchial Appeal**. Our Eparchy invites you to share a small portion of the fruits of your labour to help promote our faith and our Ukrainian Catholic Church in Saskatchewan. As in past years, the funds raised in the 2021 Annual Eparchial Appeal will help support our Eparchial Ministries, the St. Matthew's Clergy Society, and the Bishop Roborecki Foundation. Your Annual Eparchial Appeal Letter Package should arrive in the mail in the next week – **please be generous!**

Each week we celebrate a Liturgy intention for individual or family members of our parish community (in alphabetical order). It's another way we can pray for each other during these days of being distanced. This week (Wednesday, 15 April @ 9:00AM) we pray for the **Chris, Ashley & Micah Fedorowich**.

Christ is Risen!
Fr. André

UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: April 11-18, 2021

Date	Time	Location	Event
Sun, 11 April Thomas Sunday	9:30AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – Lisa Fedorowich
Tues, 13 April	9:00AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: +Jim Greer (Sisters Servants)
Wed, 14 April	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – Chris, Ashley & Micah Fedorowich
Thurs, 15 April	5:00PM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: +Allan Rudyk (Barb Logan)
Fri, 16 April	11:30AM	STM College Chapel Facebook Live	Divine Liturgy: Anniversary Blessings – Sr. Rachel Tataryn (SSMI)
Sat, 17 April	9:00AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy : +Ernest Hys (40-Day Memorial)
	10:00AM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
Sun, 18 April Myrrh-Bearers	9:30AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy : For Our Parishioners
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy : +Allan Rudyk (Annette & Family)

Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Date	Time	Welcomers	Epistle Reader
11 April	9:30AM	Lawrence & Ursula Popovitch	Samantha Olenick
18 April	9:30AM	Ruth Serack & Dodie Abrametz	Bill Michaluk

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in these Holy Gifts! I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot receive You now, I place before You my whole life and hope, O loving Master; and I ask, pray, and entreat You: Make me worthy to partake in a mystical way and with a pure conscience of Your awesome and heavenly Mysteries: for forgiveness of sins, for the pardon of offenses, for communion of the Holy Spirit, for the inheritance of the kingdom of heaven, for confidence before You, and not for judgment or condemnation. I embrace You as You enter and abide in me, and I unite myself completely to You. Permeate my soul and body, and never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



Did you know . . .

- St. Thomas was also called the Twin because of his great faith and his doubting.
- He makes a profound profession of faith calling Jesus “my Lord and My God”
- We are called to approach Christ with the same profession of faith!

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Alex Skakun; Jules Chrusch; Rose Chrusch; Tina Wesolowski; Bill Muzyka; Johanna Bidulka; Albert/Genevieve Zaiachkowski; Al Pobran; Roman Hyshka, Steph Cooley; Nikolas Stefanyshyn; Carlie, Chance and Caitlyn Rothwell; Jim Smith; Al Pobran; Morgan Miller, Kyrell Sopotyk.

Please remember in your prayers those who are in hospitals, care homes and those who are not able to join us actively in our community. If you would like to have your name or a loved one added to the “PLEASE PRAY FOR” list, please call the parish office at 306-652-4837 or send an email to admin.ducc@sasktel.net.

Quick Links:

- [Sunday Divine Liturgy Registration \(9:30AM or 5:00PM\)](#)
(Registration Deadline: 6PM Saturdays. Registration for children 5 & under not required)
- [Livestreamed Liturgy on YouTube](#)
- [Livestreamed Liturgy on Facebook](#)
- Support your parish using [Pre-Authorized Debit \(PAD\)](#)
- Support your parish via E-Transfer: treasurerdormitionucc@gmail.com.

LAURC Covenant Study: Join a discussion about the new LAURC Covenant between the Lutheran, Anglican, Ukrainian Catholic, and Roman Catholic (LAURC) churches in Saskatchewan on to be held at 7 p.m. **April 12, 19, and 26** with Nick Jesson and members of the LAURC Covenant Committee. Registration for this online Zoom event is at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84461211693>

2021 Saskatchewan Prayer Breakfast is a free online event this **Wednesday, April 14** at 9:00 a.m. with guest speaker and entertainer Rory Allen and musical guests the Hunter Brothers of Shaunavon, Sk. Visit www.ltgov.sk.ca for details and/or to view the April 14 video post.

Fundraiser for Catholic Missions in Canada (CMIC) will be held online **Thursday, April 29** at 6 p.m. SK time: Help sustain the Catholic faith in remote Canada in these troubled times. Join online to experience CMIC's Tastes of Heaven Virtual Gala to raise support for Canadian missions. CMIC President Fr. David Reilander and Stewardship Officer Joe Gennaro will host an in-depth look at missionary sustenance – including costs of transportation, food, and utilities. His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Collins will present the St. Joseph's Award to an exemplary Canadian missionary. Included is a live discussion during a virtual wine tasting. For information and registration go to: <https://cmic.info/tastes-of-heaven/>

This weekend marks the kick-off to our 2021 and 6th Annual Eparchial Appeal.

The Appeal will run April 10th/11th to May 23rd/24th.

Our theme for this year is ***“GIVE & it will be GIVEN unto YOU”***. We already know that our Ukrainian Catholic Faithful in our Eparchy indeed give generously in all aspects of their life. We are humbly and respectfully asking you to share a small portion of the fruits of your labor to help promote our Faith and our Ukrainian Catholic Church in Saskatchewan. As in past years, the funds raised in the 2021 Annual Eparchial Appeal will go towards funding the costs of the programs offered through our Eparchial Ministries, St. Matthews Clergy Society and the Bishop Roborecki Foundation

Over the next few weeks, you will have the opportunity to learn more about our Eparchial Ministries and how they contribute to create Vibrant Parishes as a place to encounter the Living Christ. Next week the 2021 Annual Eparchial Appeal Video will demonstrate just how important it will be to earn your support of the Appeal and the Eparchial Ministries programs.

In the next week or so, you will be receiving your **Annual Eparchial Appeal Letter Package** in the mail, which will contain detailed information on the various Eparchial ministries and programs supported by the 2021 Appeal. As it has in the last five years, your gift to the 2021 Appeal will make a significant difference and will serve as a powerful witness of God’s love and mercy.

The 2021 Annual Eparchial Goal is set at \$250,000. Each Parish in the Eparchy is assigned an Eparchial Appeal goal based on the number of parish families in the Parish. This may seem like a big number, however, when broken down to an amount per each Parish Family in the Eparchy, it amounts to approximately \$100 per each Parish Family.

With gratitude and appreciation, we ask you to please find it in your heart to support the 2021 Annual Eparchial Appeal.

Please call the **Foundation Office at 306-653-0183, ext 223** if you have any questions, or refer to our website at www.ucfsask.org for more information.

CWL Clothing Depot Hours - Effective **April 6, 2021**, the Clothing Depot will re-open for sales only on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., and on Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The store is limited to six customers at a time. All customers must wear a mask when entering the store and must practice social distancing as required by the Saskatchewan Health Authority. **Starting Thursday, April 29, donation items can be dropped off** on Thursdays only, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the back door of the CWL Clothing Depot, 619 20th Street West, Saskatoon (ring the bell at the back door). Thank you for your patience and ongoing support as the CWL (Catholic Women’s League) Clothing Depot strives to serve the needs of both clients and volunteers.

**Interested in your child learning a second language?
Looking for Kindergarten for your young child?**

**Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School is hosting a Virtual Open House on April 22nd, 7-8pm.
*Please call the school to sign up for the Zoom link.***

**The Kindergarten registration form is online:
<https://www.gscs.ca/studentsandfamilies/schools/FIL>**

Celebrating **40**  Святкуймо

Students will achieve functional fluency in both English and Ukrainian, while deepening their knowledge about Ukrainian tradition and culture, enriched by the Byzantine Rite in all of their learning.

Benefits of a bilingual education:

- bi- or multi-lingual students tend to have a better memory,
- better problem-solving skills,
- and are generally better at switching between tasks

About Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools:

Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools provides Catholic education from pre-kindergarten through Grade 12, rooting students in their faith, helping them grow in knowledge, and encouraging them to reach out and transform the world.