



# 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 – **Borschiv**

**19 September 2021**

**GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST!**

Dear Bodnari - Ss Peter & Paul,

In accordance with new protocols issued by the Province of Saskatchewan, anyone attending in-person Liturgies or events in the Eparchy of Saskatoon must wear a mask. Be reminded that Divine Liturgy is celebrated at 9:30AM and 5:00PM on Sundays at Dormition Parish, and at 11:30AM in one of our District Parishes as scheduled.

Dormition Parish community is replacing 16 windows in the nave of the church at a cost of \$23,683.00. During this Season of Creation, you are invited to financially contribute towards this project to make our building more energy efficient. Consider donating in memory of a family member or loved one who shared the light of faith with you. Please indicate "Church Windows" in the memo line of a contribution envelope or [eTransfer](#).

Have a great week,  
Fr. André

## UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: Sept 19-26, 2021

Date	Time	Location	Event
<b>Sunday, Sept 19</b> Sunday after the Exaltation	9:30AM	Dormition-Church <a href="#">Livestreamed</a>	Divine Liturgy: For our Parishioners
	11:30AM	Bodnari – Church	Divine Liturgy: For the Needs of the Eparchy
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: +Otto Reinke (Barb Logan)
Tuesday, Sept 22	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: +Ken Mantyka (Rose Chrusch)
Wednesday, Sept 23	11:30AM	STM College Chapel	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – Students, Faculty & Staff
Saturday, Sept 25	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: +Tony+Borisien+Martin+Mary (Nestor & Loretta)
	10:00AM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church <a href="#">Livestreamed</a>	Great Vespers
<b>Sunday, Sept 26</b> 19 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost	9:30AM	Dormition-Church <a href="#">Livestreamed</a>	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For the Needs of the Eparchy

### Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Date	Time	Welcomers	Epistle Reader
19 September	9:30AM	Stefanyshyn-Alonso Family	Bill Michaluk
	5:00PM	Loran Chrusch	Volunteer
26 September	9:30AM	Ruth Serack & Dodie Abrametz	Luba Lalach
	5:00PM	Darryl Adamko	Volunteer

The **Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon Eparchial Safeguarding Policy: Covenant of Care, Electronic Communication and Technology & Abuse and Misconduct Policy** is a code of conduct which is designed to create safe and respectful church communities and healthy ministerial relationships, and to protect people from abuse and the harm that results. To speak to someone about a concern please contact Fr. Andre, Parish Coordinator of Care (PCC) **Jonathan Abrametz** at (306-652-8833 ext.1) or Deborah Larmour, Eparchial Coordinator of Care at 306-222-1475 or email: [covenantofcare@skeparchy.org](mailto:covenantofcare@skeparchy.org).

**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; Morgan Miller, Kyrrell Sopotytk.

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](mailto:admin.ducc@sasktel.net).

### Quick Links:

- [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](mailto:treasurerdormitionucc@gmail.com).

**First Solemn Holy Communion Preparation** for children in our pastoral district who are in grade 2 this year begins at the end of September! Parents or grandparents of such children should speak to Fr. Andre for further details or register for the program by email: [admin.ducc@sasktel.net](mailto:admin.ducc@sasktel.net).

**Catholic TRC Healing Response:** Many members of our Catholic community have expressed their solidarity and support for reconciliation and healing for residential school survivors and their families and communities. To make a gift or learn more about the initiative launched by the bishops of Saskatchewan see: <https://dscf.ca/catholic-trc-healing-response/>

### How can churches effectively engage the new National Day for Truth and Reconciliation?

St. Andrew's Hall Centre for Missional Leadership (Vancouver) is offering a Zoom call for Pastoral Leaders on September 15 at 12 noon (Saskatchewan time). Join in a conversation with Rev. Dr. Ray Aldred. Ray Aldred was ordained with the Christian and Missionary Alliance in Canada. He is status Cree from Swan River Band, Treaty 8. Born in Northern Alberta, he now resides with his wife in Richmond, British Columbia, Canada. Ray is the director of the Indigenous Studies Program at the Vancouver School of Theology whose mission is to partner with the Indigenous Church around theological education. Formerly Ray served as the Assistant Professor of Theology at Ambrose Seminary in Calgary, Alberta and is former Director for the First Nations Alliance Churches of Canada. He is well known in Saskatchewan as the former pastor of First Nations Alliance Church in Regina. To register, email Mavis Ho at [cml@standrews.edu](mailto:cml@standrews.edu)

### Federal election Sept. 20

**Catholic Conscience** is again compiling a range of resources related to the upcoming federal election, including party platform comparisons in light of Catholic Social Teaching:

<https://catholicconscience.org/canada/>

**A free Catholic Action webinar will be held Wednesday, Sept. 15** at 5 p.m. (SK time) to discuss how to effectively bring a Catholic social vision into political engagement. Find more details and/or register:

[www.catholicpolitics.eventbrite.ca/](http://www.catholicpolitics.eventbrite.ca/)



### Online Bible Study Sessions with Hieromonk Gregory Hrynkiw On the Book of the Prophet Isaiah

**Tuesdays, September 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> - 6:30 – 7:15 pm**

The Online sessions are available virtually via WebEx App. To receive a link for the sessions, please contact the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate (SSMI) at the Ukrainian Catholic Religious Education

Centre (UCREC), at [rel.ed@sasktel.net](mailto:rel.ed@sasktel.net) or calling them at 306-652-1718, 306-653-1897 or 306-380-8509. Once you have received the link and downloaded the WebEx App, you will get weekly invitation notices from them to join in the sessions. **Login will be from 6:15 pm. NOTE: New series of Online Bible Study will begin on Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup> on the "Acts of the Apostles". More details coming out soon!**

# Eparchial Adult Faith Formation Program

October 2021 – June 2022

Saturdays 9 am to 1 pm

Sessions at Musee Ukraina Museum

## Year I ONLY - in-person

October 30  
November 27  
December 18  
January 29  
February 12 or 19  
March 26  
April 30  
May 28

## Year I/Alumni- in-person and virtual

October 16  
November 13  
December 11  
January 8  
February 5  
March 5  
April 2  
May 14  
June 11

June 18 (Retreat for ALL)

Designed to help candidates:

- Discover the richness of the Eastern Church
- Grow in personal and Liturgical prayers
- Grow in the areas of Community building

Deadline: October 13, 2021

For More information contact:

UCREC (306) 652-1718; cell (306)380-8509 or (306)270-4920

Email: [rel.ed@sasktel.net](mailto:rel.ed@sasktel.net)

**Campaign Life Coalition Saskatchewan: 40 Hours for Life Campaign in Saskatoon will run from Wednesday Sept 22<sup>nd</sup>, concluding on Friday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2021** in front of City Hospital at the corner of Queen Street and 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue. The campaign will be conducted Monday to Friday from 9 am to 12 noon. Each day, there will be three one hour 'shifts': 9 am to 10 am, 10 am to 11 am, and 11 am to 12 noon. If you can help be a witness for life during any of these time slots - one-time, daily (eg: M-F at 9), weekly (eg: Fridays at 10) - please let us know by calling 306-249-2764 or email [campaignlifesk@gmail.com](mailto:campaignlifesk@gmail.com)

**Rachel's Vineyard Ministry of SK 2021 Retreat will be held Oct. 1-3 - Are you hurting because of an abortion?** Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats offer you a supportive, confidential and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, release and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of restoration, renewal and healing. The next retreat in Saskatchewan will be held **Oct. 1-3, 2021**. To register, please contact Elaine at [1-306-480-8911](tel:3064808911) or email: [r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net](mailto:r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net)

**Musée Ukraina Museum:** For a listing of recent Lottery Calendar Winners go to:  
<https://www.mumsaskatoon.com/index.php/2021-lottery-calendar>

**Grow Hope Saskatchewan**

**Help sponsor this year's crop to feed hungry people around the globe.**

You are invited to sponsor a partial acre, full acre or multiple acres to help cover costs of production. After harvest, the crop is sold and proceeds donated to the Canadian Foodgrains Bank to feed hungry people around the world. **Learn more or donate online at:** [www.growhopesk.ca](http://www.growhopesk.ca). For more info contact Myron Rogal at: [mrogal@rcdos.ca](mailto:mrogal@rcdos.ca).

— Pope Francis

Adapted from the Message on the 51st World Day of Prayer for Vocations.



## SEASON OF CREATION

**From the Office of Human and Environmental Development Program**

**- Dr. Lesya Sabada, Coordinator**

### An Eastern Christian Point of View on the Season of Creation

*“Where there is no vision, the people will perish” Proverbs 29:18*

The ecological vision of the Eastern Church is grounded in the Biblical and Patristic understanding of the interrelation and reciprocity outlined in the five main points below:

- 1) Creation is an ecological order involving unity, diversity, interdependence, hierarchy, and harmony.
- 2) Human nature is both integrally part of the order of creation, and at the same time, there is something in our nature - our Divine image – that transcends the created order, making us both responsible for creation as priests and stewards and dependent upon it in our kinship with all life.
- 3) The nature of the relationship of human nature with the order of nature is one of dynamic reciprocity; that is, what humans are and what humans do is central to sustaining or the destruction of order and harmony in nature.
- 4) Metanoia – change of heart followed by a change of life is key to all earth keeping and care for creation. If human nature is integral to the order of nature, then disorder in nature can be restored only by order in human beings.
- 5) The human energy that creates, sustains, and restores order in nature is the energy of sacrificial love, grounded in *ascesis* – self-discipline.

**Links:**

- [Season of Creation 2021 Calendar & Info>>](#)
- [Season of Creation Prayer Guide>>](#)
- [Season of Creation Educational Kit>>](#)
- [Season of Creation Action Guide>>](#)



## OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE PILGRIMAGE & TOUR to Mexico City

**"Enculturated 2022"– February 10 – 19, 2022 with Bishop Bryan Bayda, CSsR.** Journey with San Juan Diego to meet Our Lady on the Hill of Tepeyac! Meditate on the mystery of the miraculous tilma in the Basilica! Be uplifted by thousands of people on a Sunday morning! Experience enculturated evangelization! Come home understanding how powerful Our Lady's appearance truly was and is today! **Land Package & Registration: \*\*Double/triple occupancy \$2100/person; \*Single occupancy \$2400. Land package includes** hotel accommodation, breakfasts & dinners at the Hotel Villa Quijotes near the Shrine. Also includes English speaking tour guide with group van transportation (includes group



to/from airport). **Pilgrim's expenses include** travel/health insurance, lunches, tips for maids & waiters, mass offerings & donations, shopping, personal needs, personal requests to tour guide, free time expenses, museum & pyramid admission (\$10 approx.). **Group Airfare & Insurance:** Michael Bayda, Lobstick Travel 1-800-665-0171; [mike@lobsticktravel.com](mailto:mike@lobsticktravel.com) **Registration: \$100.00** (nonrefundable deposit) to hold your spot; **\$1,000.00 (\$1150 single) required by October 31, 2021.** Balance of **\$1,000.00 (\$1150 single) required by November 30, 2021.** **Contact:** Teresa Bodnar-Hiebert [all5hieberts@gmail.com](mailto:all5hieberts@gmail.com)

**Catholic men are invited to join the Knights of Columbus**, with a free 12-month membership available for those who join online at <https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/join-the-knights.html> Service and charity are at the heart of the Knights of Columbus. Founded to meet the needs of immigrants, refugees and families suffering from the death of a breadwinner, the Knights began as a small service organization and has grown into a worldwide financial and charitable organization. The Knights of Columbus is a "Catholic, Family, Fraternal Service Organization" that includes charitable service and financial aid to communities, parishes, families and members. Contact the Knights of Columbus council in your local parish for more information or see: <https://kofcsask.com>



**Join us for an informative online presentation by inspirational speaker, behavioral finance expert and brother Knight, Joe Jordan.**  
**September 29, 2021 | Time: 5 PM**

**Joe will discuss "Stress Free Retirement Planning", including how to plan for your financial future and a secure retirement. His talk will give you new insights into your financial affairs without losing sight of your faith and values. Sponsored by Your Knights of Columbus Lewans Agency. Scan the QR code for details.**

The **Ukrainian Catholic Women's League of Canada National Executive** offers two scholarships to post-secondary students enrolled in Ukrainian Studies and Religious Studies.

### **The Vera Buczynsky Ukrainian Studies Scholarship**

for **\$1000** is offered to any person, male or female, who is a member of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada and enrolled in Ukrainian Studies at the post-secondary level. Criteria and applications are available online at [www.ucwlc.ca](http://www.ucwlc.ca) and can be submitted to:  
The Vera Buczynsky Ukrainian Studies  
Scholarship Committee  
Barbara Olynyk, chair  
[ucwlcnationalscholarships@gmail.com](mailto:ucwlcnationalscholarships@gmail.com)

*Deadline for receipt of completed applications is  
September 30.*

### **The Mary Dyma Religious Studies Scholarship**

for **\$1000** is offered to a lay woman who is a member of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada. Secondly the applicant must be enrolled in courses of Religious Studies in an accredited program. Criteria and applications are available online at [www.ucwlc.ca](http://www.ucwlc.ca) and can be submitted to:  
The Mary Dyma Religious Studies  
Scholarship Committee  
Barbara Olynyk, chair  
[ucwlcnationalscholarships@gmail.com](mailto:ucwlcnationalscholarships@gmail.com)

*Deadline for receipt of completed applications is  
September 30.*