



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**

20 March 2022 – 3rd Sunday of the Great Fast

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Brothers and sisters,

I hope your Lenten journey is going well. If you are feeling stuck in your Lenten practices, consider starting and ending your day during Lent with The Prayer of St. Ephrem:

O Lord and Master of my life,
 Keep from me the spirit of indifference and discouragement,
 Lust of power and idle chatter. (Prostration)

Instead, grant to me Your servant,
 The spirit of wholeness of being, humble-mindedness,
 patience and love. (Prostration)

O Lord and King,
 Grant me the grace to be aware of my sins, and not to judge my neighbour,
 For You are Blessed, now and forever (Prostration)

Have a great week -- Fr. André

UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: March 20-27, 2022

Date	Time	Location	Event
Sunday, Mar 20 3 rd Sunday of Lent	9:30AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	11:30AM	Vonda-Church	Divine Liturgy: For the Needs of the Eparchy, followed by Pastoral District Meeting
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: Health – Sally Dziadyk (Evelyn & Monica)
Tuesday, Mar 22	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Bible Study
Wednesday, Mar 23	9:00AM	Dormition-Auditorium	UCWL Paska & Babka Making
	6:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Presanctified Liturgy: +Gen Zaiachkowski (UCWL)
Friday, Mar 25 Annunciation of the Theotokos	6:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Feast Day Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
Saturday, Mar 26	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: Heath – Marcie Lalach (requested by a friend)
	10:00AM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
	11:00AM	Dormition-Church	Lectio Divina
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Great Vespers
Sunday, Mar 27 4 th Sunday of Lent	9:30AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	11:30AM	Prud'homme-Church	For the Needs of the Eparchy
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: Birthday Blessings – Brie Fritz (godfather)

Ministry Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Welcomers</u>	<u>Epistle Reader</u>	<u>Children's Liturgy</u>
20 March	9:30AM	Lonsberry Family	Samantha Olenick	Sharon, Ryder & Weston
	5:00PM	Jana	Volunteer	-----
27 March	9:30AM	Ruth Serack & Dodie Abrametz	Darci McLashen	Luke & Eli
	5:00PM	Loran Chrusch	Volunteer	-----

<u>Date</u>	<u>Church Cleaning</u>	<u>Sunday 9:00AM Rosary Leader</u>	<u>Extraordinary Communion Ministers</u>
March 20	Lischynski Family	Judith Kurulok	TBA
March 27	Stus Family	Rose Hrycuik	TBA

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.

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Alex Skakun; Jules Chrusch; Rose Chrusch; Bill & Lil Muzyka; Johanna Bidulka; Albert Zaiachkowski; Al Pobran; Steph Cooley; Nikolas Stefanyshyn; Carlie, Chance and Caitlyn Rothwell; Jim Smith; Morgan Miller; Kyrell Sopotyky; Janet Loiselle (Maroniuk), Emily Woytowich.

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:

- [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.

Justice & Peace - Lent includes three traditional practices: prayer, fasting and alms giving. This year, our parish Justice & Peace Committee is offering **red ribbons** to parishioners as a reminder to pray for inclusion of all people, the care of our environment and to reflect on Jesus' suffering and royalty.

Dormition UCWL Easter Food Sale

Order online or Call-in Orders only (March 24-30)

Online Orders: <https://form.jotform.com/Glova/UCWLBakesale>

Call-in Orders: 306-290-7969 **Pick-up Orders: April 2 1:00-4:00 pm**

Cash or Cheque (payable to Dormition UCWL)

SALE ITEMS: Perogies:

5 dozen - potato & onion \$25.00 per bag

5 dozen - cheddar cheese & onion \$30.00 per bag

Cabbage Rolls: \$7.00/dozen or \$20.00 per 3 dozen bag

Paska \$10.00 Large or \$8.00 Small

Babka \$8.00 Large or \$6.00 Small

Beets with **Horseradish** \$6.00 (500 mL)

As Eparch of Saskatoon, and as Apostolic Administrator of the Eparchy of Toronto and Eastern Canada, I join with the Supreme Pontiff, Pope Francis, on **March 25, 2022 (17:00 Rome Time)** and I consecrate the Eparchy of Saskatoon, the Eparchy of Toronto and Eastern Canada, Ukraine, as well as Russia, to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

+Bryan Bayda, C.Ss.R.,

Eparch of the Eparchy of Saskatoon

Apostolic Administrator of the Eparchy of Toronto and Eastern Canada

In response to Pope Francis' decision to consecrate both Ukraine and Russia to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Ukrainian Catholic leaders hope that all Catholic faithful from around the world will join them. In view of this appeal, the Catholic Bishops of Canada, united with the Holy Father, invite their faithful and all people of good will to participate in the novena with the following prayer:

God of peace and justice,
we pray for the people of Ukraine today.
We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.
We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,
that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.
We pray for those with power over war or peace,
for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.
Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at-risk and in fear,
that you would hold and protect them.
We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace.
Amen.

March 17, 2022

Слава Ісусу Христу! Glory be to Jesus Christ!

Dear Reverend Fathers, Sisters, Parish Council Presidents, brothers and sisters in Christ,

On behalf of Bishop Bryan Bayda, C.Ss.R., I would like to announce the formation of a new working-group in the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon dedicated to addressing ways to assist with the current humanitarian crisis occurring in Ukraine: **RESCU** (Response by Eparchy of Saskatoon to Crisis in Ukraine). **RESCU** will continue to convene to organize and action various responses that the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon will undertake to assist Ukrainians effected and displaced by the war including through spiritual, financial, and educational means. After receiving many calls to our parishes and Chancery Office, we want to reiterate that the best help that the faithful of the Eparchy can give is through financial support to humanitarian aide organizations, of which we highly promote the Catholic Near-East Welfare Association of Canada (CNEWA).

You can send donations directly to CNEWA through the following ways:

Visit: www.cnewa.org/ca/campaigns/Ukraine

Call: 1-866-322-4441

Send a cheque to: CNEWA Canada, 223 Main Street, Box 80, Ottawa, Ontario K1S 1C4

Newly available information from the Government of Canada regarding emergency travel can be found here:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada/ukraine-measures/cuaet.html>

Information from the Government of Saskatchewan in support of displaced Ukrainians arriving in our province can be found here: <https://www.saskatchewan.ca/residents/saskatchewan-supports-ukraine/resources-for-displaced-ukrainians>

The Ukrainian Canadian Congress – Saskatchewan Provincial Council can also provide much needed assistance, especially in the areas of settlement and immigration. More information can be found here:

<https://www.ucc.sk.ca/en/services/immigration> or by calling or emailing them at 1.888.652.5850 or settlement@ucc.sk.ca.

Let us continue to pray earnestly for an end to the war and for peace in Ukraine.

In Christ,

Very Rev. Janko Kolosnjaji, Chair of RESCU

Ukrainian Bracelets

Young people of our Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy in cooperation with their friends from the U of S have launched the project *Ukrainian Bracelets* in support of Ukraine. We are making blue and yellow ribbon bracelets. The money raised will go towards the support of Ukraine through CNEWA and other sources, directly to support refugees, volunteer. The students from our Bishop Filevich school and some other Catholic schools are contributing to this by creating bracelets. Join us in making them, distributing, or purchasing (min \$5/bracelet). We have gatherings twice per week on Mondays and Saturdays at 6.00-8.00 pm in the church auditorium of St. George's Cathedral. There you can learn how to make the bracelets, get some for yourself, give a donation or receive more information. You can also make the bracelets at home. The ribbons can be provided. The bracelet is very easy to make (takes about 5 minutes/bracelet). To learn how to make them follow this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZM1L0fYECUQ>

Contact us at uwitness2youth@skeparchy.org (Viktorii Marko) if you have any questions.

Priest, Prophet, King - A Catholic Men's Night will be held **Friday, March 25** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Rd., Saskatoon beginning at 7 p.m. with Stations of the Cross, followed by a presentation from Bishop Mark Hagemoen: "Theological reflections on the crises and opportunities of our time for our Church," and refreshments.

Grief Ministry program for widows and widowers:

"From Mourning to Dawn" will hold a spring session **April 5 to May 24**. The times will be determined by program participants, with the program held weekly at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. The facilitators (who have also experienced the death of a marriage partner) engage with participants on an eight-week journey of transformation and healing, offering support and encouragement for bereaved spouses. "From Mourning to Dawn" is open to participants who have been widows/widowers between two months and two years. Cost is \$35. To register or for more information, contact Dianna Knaus at dknaus@sasktel.net or (306) 382-0535.

Sask. K of C Vocations Endowment Support – The Catholic Bishops of Saskatchewan, in partnership with the Saskatchewan Knights of Columbus, request your financial support for seminarians in Saskatchewan. There are currently 13 seminarians from the Roman Catholic dioceses and Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy in Saskatchewan preparing to become future leaders within the Church. This Vocation Endowment was established to help defray the annual educational cost of over \$30,000 per seminarian. A fundraising campaign will take place in parishes during the first two weeks of February. See <https://saskkofc.foundation> for further information or to make an online gift.

Online Bible Study Sessions with Hieromonk Gregory Hrynkiw, ASTH

Tuesdays, 6:30 – 7:15 pm

Bible Study – Weekly sessions with Hieromonk Gregory Hrynkiw, ASTH **run through to May 31, 2022 [No sessions Apr-19 and May-03]**, meeting in-person at Dormition Parish and on-line via **WebEx with Login from 6:15 pm and the sessions will run from 6:30 – 7:30 pm**. Fr. Gregory will lead the scripture study on the **Acts of the Apostles**. To register, **please contact the Ukrainian Catholic Religious Education Centre (UCREC) - rel.ed@sasktel.net or calling them at 306-652-1718, 306-653-1897 or 306-380-8509** to receive the WebEx link.

A "goodwill offering" towards the sessions can be made by: (1). Cheque made out to Father Gregory Hrynkiw, mailed to the **Ukrainian Catholic Religious Education Centre (UCREC)** 214 Avenue M South, Saskatoon, SK S7M 2K4; (2). Via eTransfer from your bank mobile app or website to asketerion@gmail.com [In the Message, simply type in your name].

Pro-life Personal Prayer Intentions for the weeks of the Great Fast: March 20 - Veneration of the Cross
Lord, You are merciful and gracious. When we fail to stand up for the abused, the preborn, the elderly, the sick and the disabled, soldiers, and citizens at war, grant us Your forgiveness; renew our strength to do Your will. "Save your people O Lord and bless Your inheritance. Grant victory to Your faithful people against enemies and protect Your community by Your cross." *Troparion, Tone 1.*

Vonda Ukrainian Catholic Parish Pre-Easter Supper, Bake Sale & Bingo Fundraiser for the Church & Hall

Saturday, April 2, 2022

Bake sale 4-6pm

Supper 6pm

Bingo 7pm



**Adults \$25
Children 6-12 years \$12
Under 6 Free**

**A limited number of tickets will be sold.
Advanced tickets must be purchased by
March 30, 2022**



For Tickets Call

Mabel 306.258.4520

Vonda Hotel 306.258.2186

Victor 306.651.6032 or 306.280.8842

Jane 306.651.2141

Jim 306.222.0684

Sylvia 306.258.2032

Vesna Festival is back on May 7, 2022, with a return to TCU Place Centennial Hall. General Admission \$25; Tables of 8/reserved seating \$300; Sponsorship tables \$800 (this includes homemade Ukrainian food and wine PLUS prime seating)

****NEW* \$20 Advanced meal ticket purchasing to ensure availability of Homemade Ukrainian food. There will be limited food available for purchase at the festival. This option is recommended.***

Bands: Nova Mria & Half Na Piv, plus a spectacular showcase of Saskatchewan's Ukrainian talent. For Information and ticket purchases go to www.vesnafestival.com.

This is a festival 2 years in the making. We can't wait to celebrate spring with our community again!

Bishop Filevich School Kovbassa Fundraiser:

Raising Money to Support Humanitarian Efforts in Ukraine

Just in time for Easter! Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School Parent Council is doing our bi-annual sausage fundraiser. Perfect time to stock your freezer to prepare for Easter company, summer BBQs, bonfires, and camping trips that lie ahead! Once again, we are offering products from Big Bob's Meats in Regina. **Instead of raising funds for our school this Spring, funds from our sausage fundraiser will be sent to provide Humanitarian Aid to Ukraine during the country's time of need.**

To participate in this fundraiser, go to <https://www.cognitoforms.com/FOBf1/KovbassaFundraiser> to order electronically and submit payment by way of ***E-transfer or Cheque*** by ***March 25, 2022***. ***Cheques to be made payable to: Friends of Bishop Filevich. E-transfers are to be sent to CSCCFILT@GSCS.CA.*** Copies of the order form can also be accessed via our school Facebook page or upon request. Electronic submissions preferred.

Please pick up your order at the side door of the Bishop Filevich school gym at 125 105th Street W on ***Monday, April 11, 2022*** from 3:00 pm - 6:00 p.m.

For more information contact Betsy Olenick at blolenick@gmail.com.

ST. MARY'S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

50/50 FUNDRAISER

Total prize value of \$10,000

Guaranteed prize of \$2,000

TICKET PRICES

1 FOR \$10.00; 4 FOR \$20.00; 20 FOR \$50.00; 100 FOR \$100.00

20,000 tickets available

ALL TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED ONLINE AT www.rafflebox.ca

This link can be found on the church website: saintmarysyorkton.com and our **Facebook page.**

Fundraiser commences March 1, 2022 and will end April 25, 2022

Draw will be made May 1, 2022 at 12:00 noon

At St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church

TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED AND RESIDENTS SASKATCHEWAN MUST BE 18 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER

Contacts: Rose Maleschuk 306-621-4987 or rcmaleschuk@sasktel.net

Sharla Schrader 306-621-7605 or sharus75@yahoo.ca

Proceeds from this fundraiser will go towards the renovations and upgrades of our church.

Your Support will be greatly appreciated!

Lottery Lic# RR21-0544