

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

6 March 2022 - Forgiveness Sunday

Glory to Jesus Christ!

I am happy to report that Children's Liturgy resumes this Sunday, March 6 during the 9:30AM Divine Liturgy. Children (Kindergarten and up) are invited to the parish auditorium immediately following the Gospel reading. Pre-K children are also welcome but must be accompanied by a parent. These sessions are facilitated by parents and Jr. Youth. If you would like to help with this ministry, please speak to Presbytera Luba.

Have a great week -- Fr. André

UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: March 6-13, 2022

Date	Time	Location	Event	
Sunday, Mar 6 1st Sunday of Lent	9:30AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners	
		<u>Livestreamed</u>	(Knights of Columbus Prayer to St. Joseph at 8:50AM)	
	11:00AM	Dormition-Church	Dormition Parish Annual General Meeting	
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For the Needs of the Eparchy	
Tuesday, Mar 8	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Bible Study	
Wednesday, Mar 9	9:00AM	Dormition-Auditorium	UCWL Paska Making	
	6:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions	
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Presanctified Liturgy: +Anne Iwanicha (UCWL)	
		<u>Livestreamed</u>		
	7:15PM	Dormition-Auditorium	UCWL Meeting	
Thursday, Mar 10	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Stations of the Cross (led by Youth)	
Friday, Mar 11	6:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions	
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Presanctified Liturgy: Health – Ruth Serack (friend)	
Saturday, Mar 12 All Souls Saturday	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For All Souls	
		<u>Livestreamed</u>		
	10:00AM	Dormition-Church	Confessions	
	11:00AM	Dormition-Church	Lectio Divina	
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Great Vespers	
		<u>Livestreamed</u>	•	
Sunday, Mar 13 2 nd Sunday of Lent	9:30AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For our Parishioners	
		<u>Livestreamed</u>		
	11:30AM	Laniwci-Church	Divine Liturgy: For the needs of the Eparchy	
	4:00PM	Dormition-Auditorium	1st Communion Preparation	
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: Birthday Blessings - Ivy	

Liturgical Ministry Schedule					
<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Welcomers</u>	<u>Epistle Reader</u>		
6 March	9:30AM	Knights of Columbus	Rose Hrycuik		
	5:00PM	Jana Lalach	Volunteer		
13 March	9:30AM	Don & Lydia Gabruch	Annette Rudyk		
	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. I) 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 Sopotyk; Elaine Bowman; 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:

- <u>Livestreamed Liturgy on YouTube</u>
- Livestreamed Liturgy on Facebook
- Support your parish using Pre-Authorized Debit (PAD)
- Support your parish via E-Transfer: <u>treasurerdormitionucc@gmail.com</u>.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Dormition of the Blessed Mother of God Ukrainian Catholic Church Sunday, March 6th, 2022 @ 11:00AM

All parishioners are urged to attend in-person. However, if you are medically vulnerable or still reticent about participating in public gatherings, please contact the parish office (306-652-4837 or admin.ducc@sasktel.net) to request a Zoom link.

If you have small children and want to attend the meeting, please let us know and we will arrange some synchronous programming for our kids in the parish auditorium.

A limited number of printed copies of Annual Reports are available in the parish office.

The digital version is downloadable here.

Sending a BIG thank you to all the ladies from the UCWL or parish council who helped host the World Day of Prayer event which was enjoyed by all. For anyone who missed the World Day of Prayer event the link to the service video is https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JDtjQU--vdE. To donate to the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada who give grant money towards social justice projects supporting women in communities all over the world including Canada please see https://wicc.org/donate/

Thank you - Deb LS

Justice & Peace - Lent includes three traditional practices: prayer, fasting and alms giving. This year, our parish Justice & Peace Committee is offering <u>red ribbons</u> 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. There also is a plan to receive the <u>Lenten Calendar</u> from Development and Peace to be distributed to each household.

How to support our brothers and sisters in Ukraine: The war in Ukraine dominates the news headlines. Ukraine has been in a state of war since 2014, when Russia annexed the Crimean Peninsula and then occupied territories of eastern Ukraine, forcing the displacement of tens of thousands of people from their homes. An estimated 2.9 million people need immediate help, with more than half of them in serious need of medical attention.

How can you help? First, pray. Pray for peace in Ukraine and throughout the world. Second, stay informed. Third, donate to support charitable work being done in Ukraine. Towards this end, Bishop Bryan and the Ukrainian Catholic Bishops of Canada recommend the "Catholic Near East Welfare Association" (CNEWA). Donate online or mail your cheque to CNEWA Canada, 223 Main Street, Box 80, Ottawa, Ontario K1S 1C4.

Fr. Gregory will lead a teaching on **Christ our Pascha** Ukrainian Catholic Catechism on Thursdays during the Great Fast from 6:30pm-7:30pm at Musée Ukraina Museum on Avenue M South, **Starting March 3**. This is a live event or via WebEx. Contact the Sisters at the Religious Education Centre (<u>rel.ed@sasktel.net</u> or 306-652-1718) for more info.

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THE YOUNG ADULTS OF THE

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC EPARCHY OF SASKATOON

March 10, 6:30 Dormition of Blessed Mather of God Church 120-105th Street West, Saskatoon,

> March 24, 7:00 St. George's Cathedral 210 Avenue M South, Saskatoon

March 18, 5:00 St. Philip Neri Parish
1902 Munroe Avenue South, Saskatoon

March 27, 7.00 St. Peter and Paul Church 10th Street East & Munroe Avenue, Saskatoon

Junior Ukrainian Catholic Youth (Grades 6, 7, 8 & 9)

Sponsored by Ss. Peter & Paul Parish, Saskatoon

Come to Junior UCY!

Bring your creativity, curiosity, friends, mask, and non-marking indoor shoes (for gym time)

- Each evening typically consists of recreation time in the gym, a faith-related teaching, and really good fellowship.
- It is drop-in, so if your child can't attend this time, they can attend the next session no problem.
- The youth-leaders this year are Anna Maria Simko and Petro Seman, who are both faithful and responsible.

Next sessions:

Saturday, March 19th, 7 - 9 p.m.

Location: Bishop Pocock Catholic Elementary School 227 Avondale Road - rear entrance

For more information, please contact Anna Maria Simko: email, ans745@usask.ca

or Petro Seman: email, petroseman@outlook.com

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 <u>asketerion@gmail.com</u> [In the Message, simply type in your name], or (3). PayPal:

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!

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. This is an example of what our bracelets look like:

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 (Viktoriia Marko) if you have any questions.