

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

10 April 2022 - Palm Sunday

Brothers and sisters,

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Think back—on Christmas Eve Mary rode into Bethlehem on a donkey with Joseph at her side and gave birth to Jesus in a manger—humble beginnings. Fast forward to today, Palm Sunday, and Jesus rides into Jerusalem on a donkey for what he knew would be the last time—a humble entry. Crowds cheered – Hosanna - save us!

When we say "hosanna in the highest" at each Divine Liturgy, we acknowledge Jesus for his ultimate sacrifice and what it means for us and humanity. Hosanna—please hear me! Please talk to me! Please show me something new! We are reminded of the welcoming of Jesus into our hearts and of our willingness to follow him. As Jesus entered Jerusalem, he knew what was in store for him just days away. Yet he made his triumphant entry to show us the way. What do we learn from this? Anyone can have their fortunes, and their lives, change dramatically. Do we have the same faith as Jesus?

There are liturgical services throughout this upcoming week in our Pastoral District. You might also consider attending the Eparchial Chrism Liturgy at St. George Cathedral on Thursday morning, when Bishop Bryan will consecrate the chrism oil that we use for the Sacrament of Chrismation.

Have a great and holy week -- Fr. André

UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: April 10-17, 2022

Date	Time	Location	Event	
Sunday, April 10 Palm Sunday	9:30AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For our Parishioners	
		Livestreamed	Blessing & Distribution of Willows	
	11:30AM	Vonda-Church	Divine Liturgy, Distribution of Willows & Confessions	
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For the Needs of the Eparchy	
Monday, April 11 Holy Monday	6:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions	
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Presanctified Liturgy: Health-Diana Chomitzky (Prayer Partner)	
Tuesday, April 12 Holy Tuesday	4:30PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions	
	5:00 PM	Dormition-Church	Presanctified Liturgy: Health – Emily Woytowich (Friend)	
Wednesday, April 13 Holy Wednesday	6:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions	
	6:30 PM	Dormition-Church	Presanctified Liturgy & Anointing of the Sick	
Thursday, April 14 Holy Thursday	10:00AM	St. George Cathedral	Chrism Liturgy	
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Liturgy of St. Basil with Vespers	
Friday April 15	11:00AM	Laniwci-Church	Holy Shroud Service	
	3:00PM	Dormition-Church	Holy Shroud Service, followed by All Night Vigil	
Friday, April 15 Good Friday			at the Tomb of Jesus until noon Saturday	
dood Tittay	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Jerusalem Matins	
		<u>Livestreamed</u>		
Saturday, April 16 Holy Saturday	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Liturgy of St. Basil with Vespers & Easter Basket Blessing	
	8:00PM	Laniwci-Church	Resurrection Matins, Easter Liturgy & Basket Blessing	
Sunday, April 17 Easter Sunday	8:00AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Resurrection Matins, Easter Divine Liturgy & Basket Blessing	

Ministry Schedule							
<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	Welcomers	<u>Epistle Reader</u>	Children's Liturgy			
April 10	9:30AM	Vic & Therese Skomar	Samantha Olenick	Sharon, Ryder & Weston			
	5:00PM	Jana	Volunteer				
April 17	8:00AM	Parish Executive Members	Darryl Adamko				

Date	Church Cleaning	Sunday 9:00AM Rosary Leader	Extraordinary Communion Ministers
April 10	Ina, Morris & Jana	Knights of Columbus	Coming Soon
April 17	Ina, Morris & Jana		Coming Soon

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 Sopotyk; 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.

Ouick 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.

Easter at the Prison - The diocesan office of Restorative Ministry is seeking monetary donations to purchase chocolate Easter bunnies to distribute at the Saskatoon Correctional Centre as a way of sharing the power, love and joy of Christ's Resurrection with those in prison, letting them know that they are not forgotten. Please drop labelled donations into the parish collection or send to the attention of Dianne Anderson at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, S7S 1H1. You can also donate online through the "designated ministry" form on the Diocese of Saskatoon Catholic Foundation website at: https://dscf.ca/designated-ministry-support/

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].

CWL Clothing Depot in Saskatoon continues to depend on donations. At this time Clothing Depot needs are: cutlery towels, blankets, warm clothing, pots and pans and small appliances in good working condition. Donations may bedropped off weekdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.at the back-alley entrance of the Clothing Depot, which is located at 619 20thStreet West. Volunteers are also needed for a three-hour commitment 12 noon to 3 p.m. Tuesday to Friday and 9:30 a.m.to 12:30 p.m. on Saturday. Call Bea (306) 242-5042 to volunteer.

"Walking with Your Neighbour" adult faith formation Encounter Dessert Night featuring guest speakers Archbishop Donald Bolen of Regina and Chief Cadmus Delorme of Cowessess First Nation will be held in-person at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 28 at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Rd, Saskatoon. This Encounter evening includes dessert /coffee; tickets: \$20. Deadline to register is April 22. Register at https://rcdos.ca/dessert or call (306) 659-5836.

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!

YORKTON 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.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF SASKATCHEWAN CORPORATION

When: MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2022

(NOTE: This will be a virtual meeting via the Zoom meeting facility)

Time: Registration (Sign into Zoom) – 7:00pm to 7:30pm

Annual General Meeting – 7:30pm

Where: This will be a virtual meeting via the ZOOM Meeting facility.

MEMBERS WISHING TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING MUST REGISTER WITH THE UCFSASK OFFICE VIA EMAIL (ADMIN@UCFSASK.ORG) OR TELEPHONE (306-653-0138, EXT 223) BY NO LATER THAN THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 2022 – 4:00PM. A ZOOM MEETING INVITE WILL BE SENT TO ALL WHO HAVE REGISTERED FOR THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

Who: All members of a Ukrainian Catholic parish or mission within the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon who are 18 years of age or older are entitled to participate and vote at the meeting.

Purpose: This meeting is being called for the purposes of:

- Approving the Financial Statement Reviewer's Report and the Annual Financial Statements for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021.
- Appointing a Reviewer/Auditor of our financial records for the 2022 fiscal period
- Approving Bylaws or Amendment to the Bylaws see below.
- Report from the Board of Directors
- Electing Directors
- For transacting such other business as may properly come before an Annual General Meeting.

Access to Documents: Annual Meeting Documents and the Financial Statements are posted on the Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan website – <u>www.ucfsask.org</u>. You may also pick- up copies at the Foundation Office at 214 Avenue M South, Saskatoon Sask.

Bylaw Changes: Bylaw 6.6 & Bylaw 6.9 – Change to allow Eparch to appoint a proxy for meeting of Members. **Bylaw 7.6** - ineligible for election after eleven months to "after 5th term ended" from after eleven months "after 3rd tern ended".

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF SASKATCHEWAN CORPORATION Call for Nominations to the Board of Directors of Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan

The Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan is searching for people who are interested in serving on our Board of Directors. To qualify, a person must be 18 years of age or older, a resident of Canada and a member in good standing with a Ukrainian Catholic Parish or Mission within the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon.

The Board has two vacancies from the **Saskatoon Deanery**. If you are interested in serving on the Board of Directors as a Deanery Representative from the Saskatoon Deanery, please contact **the Office Administrator**, **Iris Owchar at 306-653-0138**, **ext 223**, or email your intention to **admin@ucfsask.org**. Each nomination will require a letter of support from your Pastor. **Nominations will close on Thursday**, **April 21**, **2022**, **at 4:00pm**. **D**irectors will be elected at the Annual Meeting on Monday, April 25, 2022.