

UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: April 7-14, 2019

Date	Time	Location	Event
Sun, 7 April 5 th Sunday of Lent	9:30AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy, followed by KofC Breakfast & Generations of Faith
	4:00PM	Dormition-Auditorium	First Communion Preparation
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For the Needs of the Eparchy
Mon, 8 April	8:00PM	Dormition-Church	Men’s Choir
Tues, 9 April	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Bible Study (Final Session until September)
	7:30PM	Dormition-Church	Choir Practice
Wed, 10 April	6:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Pre-Sanctified Liturgy: Birthday Blessings-Julius Turta (Marcie)
	7:00PM	Dormition- Auditorium	UCWLC Monthly Meeting
Thurs, 11 Apr	7:30PM	Dormition-Church	Choir Practice
Fri, 12 Apr	11:30AM	STM College Chapel	Pre-Sanctified Liturgy: God’s Blessings – Students & Staff
	6:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Pre-Sanctified Liturgy: +Taras Konderewicz (SSMI-Saskatoon)
Sat, 13 April Lazarus Saturday	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: +Chrusch/Suderman Family (Julius Chrusch)
	10:00AM	Dormition-Church	Church Spring Cleaning
Sun, 14 Apr Palm Sunday	9:30AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	11:30AM	Laniwci-Church	Divine Liturgy, followed by Parish AGM
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: God’s Blessings – Tom, Peggy, Sharla, Jennifer & Erica

Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Date	Time	Welcomers	Epistle	Children’s Liturgy
7 April	9:30AM	Tim & Cindy Lalach	Malori Keller	Jenn Clerke
	5:00PM	Volunteers	Volunteer	-----
14 April	9:30AM	Bamberger Family	Rose Worona	Robin & Chris Bowman
	5:00PM	Volunteers	Volunteer	-----
21 April	9:30AM	Don Gabruch & Gord Worona	Mildred Nicol	Andrea Bamberger
	5:00PM	Volunteers	Volunteer	-----

Date	Rosary	Collection Counters	Church Cleaners
7 April	Judith Kurulok	Judith Kurulok & Dodie Abrametz	Apr 7-20 Val & Brad Marceniuk
14 April	Kalyn Smith	Gord Worona & Jean Alonso	Apr 21-May 5 Jana Lalach & Natasha Lalach
21 April	Rose Hrycuik	Chris Sherban & Tim Lalach	

Date	Extraordinary Ministry	Snow Removal
7 April	Cyndi & Theresa	Apr 7-13 Kevin Ross
14 April	Diana & Norbert	April 14-20 Brad Marceniuk

COMMUNITY NEWS

1. The Shrine of the Venerable Nun Martyrs Olympia and Laurentia (215 Avenue M South) celebrates a Weekly **Moleben Service** every Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m., followed by fellowship.

2. **BIRTHDAY PARTY at ST. JOSEPH'S HOME:** Sunday, April 7th at 1:30 p.m. (33 Valens Drive, Saskatoon). Celebrating the birthdays of the residents for the month of April. Sponsored by Ss. Peter & Paul UCWLC, Saskatoon.

3. **Employment opportunitie:** Saint Anne’s Catholic Church, 217 Lenore Drive, Saskatoon, is seeking a full-time Coordinator of Youth Ministry and a part time (15 hours/week) Coordinator of Volunteers/Sunday Experience. **Application deadline for both is April 15**, with flexible start dates for late May. For more info and to apply, please visit **www.saintannes.ca/careers**

4. **St. George’s Parish UCWLC Easter Tea** – Saturday, April 13 from 1:00PM – 3:00PM in the Cathedral Auditorium at 210 Ave M South. Featuring: Bake sale, Easter Breads, Sausage, Pyrohy, Cabbage rolls, Beet relish, Raffles, Door Prizes & much more. Adults \$3; Children (6-12) \$2; 5yrs & under Free

5. **Eparchial Chrism Divine Liturgy with Vespers, and Washing of Feet** – Holy Tuesday, April 16, 2019 – 7:00 p.m. – Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George – Saskatoon. **Choir practice** for this service, under the direction of Bill Gulka, will take place at 7:30 p.m. on Sundays, April 7 & 14 at Ss. Peter & Paul Church (10th Street East and Munroe Ave.). Please come out for the practices and join us in singing the responses for the service on Holy Tuesday, April 16th at 7:00 p.m. at St. George’s Cathedral.

6. **Retrouvaille** helps hurting marriages! When couples experience difficulties in their marriage, they often feel alone; like there is no one who can help them. Please consider registering for the Retrouvaille before you consider divorce. For confidential information about the May 3-5 weekend in Saskatoon, contact: (306) 652-7155 or retrouvaille@sasktel.net.

7. **Veselka Ukrainian Festival - Foam Lake, SK - Saturday, May 4, 2019 - "Life as a Ukrainian Canadian - Then & Now"**. Daytime activities start at 7:00 am and include Pancake Breakfast, Parade, Burger Lunch, Children's Veselka, Vendor Displays, and Ukrainian Supper at Foam Lake Community Hall - doors open at 4:00pm with Supper at 5:00pm. Supper by Joan Malinowski. **Featuring:** Zabutnyy Dance Company, Regina, SK. **Appearances by:** Valerie Honchar, Saskatoon; Willy Zuchkan Band, Parkerview, SK, Father Jeffrey Stephaniuk, Wynyard, SK, Wishart Hopak Dancers, Sheho Ukrainian Dance Club, Klenovee Lystky Dance Club, Ituna, SK and Veselka Choir, Foam Lake, SK & Area. **Ticket information - please contact Cindy at 306-272-4658. Advance tickets only - limited tickets and no refunds.** Admission tickets range from \$28-\$30 - Supper Ticketks: Adults \$18; 12 & Under \$10 and Preschool Free.

The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon **Covenant of Care Abuse and Misconduct Protocol** is designed to ensure that all allegations of physical and sexual abuse and other misconduct are handled responsibly, transparently and with all due care and attention. If you have a concern please contact Fr. Andre, Parish Coordinator of Care **Jon Abrametz** at (306-652-8833 ext.1) or **Deb Larmour**, Eparchial Coordinator of Care covenantofcare@skeparchy.org or 306-653-0138 ext. 228



Share the Journey

Share
Lent 2019



Development
and Peace
CARITAS CANADA



Week 5: April 7 (Solidarity Sunday)

Share the journey with Syrian refugees in Lebanon



Since the war broke out in Syria in 2011, some 12.5 million Syrians have had to flee their homes. Development and Peace partner House of Peace (HOPE) is working to build bridges between Syrian refugees and their host communities in Lebanon.

On this Solidarity Sunday, we extend a warm thank you for your generosity. Your donation will help our sisters and brothers across the world, from Colombia all the way to Lebanon, Nigeria, and elsewhere! Thank you for helping us build a world of peace and justice, where no one will be forced to flee their home! devp.org/give

The Development and Peace Share Lent Campaign invites us to be fellow travelers with our sisters and brothers who are forced to flee their homes. Let us be the voice that kindles hope and compassion, and rallies hearts on the path of solidarity. May the Lord illuminate their path and guide them to safety.



The Welcome Home – Winnipeg, MB: “Come and See” Experience for Adults 20 to 55 - May 2 – 5

*Whatever you did for the one of the least of my brothers and sisters,
you did for me. Mt 25:40*

A weekend experience of the **LIFE, MINISTRY AND COMMUNITY** of The Welcome Home. An opportunity to be the hands and feet of Christ through outreach and service.

For more information and to Register Contact:

Liz Artymko: rymcscr@gmail.com

WWW.THEWELCOMEHOMES.CA

A WARM WELCOME TO PARISHIONERS, GUESTS & VISITORS!

PARISH NEWS

1. **PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Alex & Phyllis Skakun, Anne Iwanicha, Hailey Woytowich, Ethan Smolinski, Steph Cooley, Jules Chrusch, Walter Moshinski, Mike Okrainetz, Rose Chrusch, Tina Wesolowski, Nikolas Stefanyshyn, Fred Wesolowski, Albert & Genevieve Zaiachkowski, Delvine Zapaniuk.

2. **Generations of Faith** - In anticipation of our next Generations of Faith event on April 7th - Part 3: The Life of the Church - we invite the parishioners of Dormition of the Blessed Mother of God to continue to read the Catechism with us. This week, please read pages 297-308.

3. **Children's Liturgy:** Thanks to everyone who came out to support the Easter Tea & Bake Sale. A big thank you to the many families and members of our parish who helped to make items for our table. Your efforts allowed for another successful fundraiser for our Children's Liturgy Program! We raised around \$700.00! Thanks again to the UCWLC for mentoring us through Family perogy making and Mini Paska making! Families enjoyed the opportunity to learn about our Ukrainian Traditions as well as a fun time to grow together as a Faith community. It was wonderful seeing the adults, youth and children working together to make our Easter Tea & Bake Sale an enjoyable experience for everyone! Thanks to everyone who helped out at tables, serving, and for your presence at this event! A special thanks to Erin for her help at our Children's Liturgy table! Congratulations to the Children's Liturgy raffle winners: Claire Abrametz, Gail McKay, Annika Lalach, Erin Lalach, Mary Mckinnon, Marjorie Kirkby, Ena Clerke, Marie Elder, Maverick Lalach, Nathan and Julia Lischynski.

4. **UCWLC** – A big thank you to all who had a part in a very successful Easter Tea. Special Thanks to Marcie Lalach for the amazing job convening the Easter Tea and to all of the volunteers who spent time both behind the scenes collecting donations for the prizes, setting up the tables and décor, making Easter Bread, cabbage rolls, pyrohy, beet relish, and baking for the table, and to those who washed dishes, prepared the food, served the tables, and washed more dishes. The children also did a great job serving! Thank you to Annika, Roman, and Clare. Winners of the draws where: Veronica Chelak, Jennifer Clerke, Stephana Alonso, Marjori Kirby, Parker Glova, Cindy Lalach, Paul Zultok, Charlotte Wagner, Julia Lyschynski, Ebin Kayan, Shannon, Cyndi Zenkewich, Helen Adamko, Roman Lalach and Annette Chelack.



Choir Rehearsal for Holy Week & Easter Services

Attention all choir members and interested singers: it's time to prepare for our Holy Week and Easter Liturgical Services. Rehearsals are this Tuesday, April 9th @ 7:30PM and Thursday, April 11th @ 7:30PM. Please come and share the gift of your voice!



Easter Flower Donations Easter Sunday the church will be bursting to overflowing with the glories of the Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ. As is our tradition, we place Easter lilies and other flowers in the Church as an offering to God in thanksgiving for our salvation. To accomplish this, and to allow the faithful to offer a gift to God, you can make a donation to this endeavour. Remember to check off “Easter Flowers” on the inner –side of the parish collection envelop. Thank you.



Our 2019 Schedule of Holy Week and Easter Services for our parishes of our Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon is now available on our Eparchial website on our Home Page or directly at this link:

[Schedule of Holy Week & Easter Services for Parishes of our Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon»»](#)

Please check out this schedule of services and join in “Journeying Together” with your families and our Eparchial family as we prepare to celebrate the Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ!

“I am the resurrection and the life: He who believes in Me will live, even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in Me will never die.” John 11:25-26

2019 Holy Week & Easter Services in Our Pastoral District:

April 14 - Palm Sunday

- 9:30AM Sunday Divine Liturgy
- 11:30AM @ Laniwci Divine Liturgy
- 5:00PM Sunday Divine Liturgy

April 15 – Holy Monday

- 6:30PM Presanctified Liturgy (Confessions @ 6PM)

April 16 – Holy Tuesday

- 7:00PM Eparchial Chrism Liturgy @ St. George Cathedral (Avenue M South)

April 17 – Holy Wednesday

- 6:30PM Presanctified Liturgy & Anointing of the Sick

April 18 – Holy Thursday

- 7:00PM Divine Liturgy & Washing of Feet

April 19 - Good Friday

- 11:00AM @Vonda Holy Shroud Service
- 3:00PM Holy Shroud Service, followed by All-Night Vigil
- 7:00PM Jerusalem Matins (featuring our new Men’s Chorus)

April 20 – Holy Saturday

- 10AM-Noon Confessions
- 2:00PM Divine Liturgy of St. Basil with Vespers
- 8:00PM @ Vonda: Resurrection Matins, Easter Liturgy & Basket Blessing

April 21 - EASTER SUNDAY

- 8:00AM Resurrection Matins, Easter Liturgy& Basket Blessing



“In the Spirit of the Bride” with Fr. Gregory Hrynkiw, ASTH
June 21 and 22, 2019

at Queen’s House of Retreats, 601 Taylor Street East, Saskatoon

Cost is \$70 (accommodations not included). **Deadline for registration is June 14, 2019**

– Contact the Ukrainian Catholic Religious and Education Centre at rel.ed@sasktel.net.

*We will be celebrating 20 years of our
Eparchial Lay Formation Program in Saskatoon ~ 1999 – 2019*

September 2019 we are starting the 10th group of **EPARCHIAL LAY FORMATION PROGRAM!**
September 2019-June 2020 September 2020 - June 2021 It's a two-year program, one weekend per month. The program is in conjunction with the Saskatoon Diocesan Lay Formation Program and the Aboriginal Stream. **THE Lay Formation Program helps us....** to understand the richness of our Eastern Church; to grow in personal and Liturgical prayers; to grow in the areas of community building;

For cost and further information contact @ **UCREC** (306) 652-1718 or rel.ed@sasktel.net

LIVING LENT: Four Bishops Reflect on the Invitations of this Holy Season with Bishop Bryan Bayda CSsR, Bishop Mark Hagemoen, Bishop Christopher Harper and Bishop Sid Haugen.
Registration required: 306-242-1916. \$30 – workshop; \$40 – workshop and lunch.
Saturday March 23, 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – Bishop Bryan and Bishop Sid - **Completed**
Saturday April 13, 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – Bishop Mark and Bishop Chris



April 7, 2019 was the 100th Anniversary of the Falling asleep of Blessed Josaphata Horadashevsk, ssmi. Sister Josaphata’s holiness showed itself in her total dedication to her calling, in constantly embodying in her life Christ’s command to love God and neighbor and in humbly bearing all her difficulties and sufferings. She died on April 7, 1919, after a long and severe illness, prophesying the day of her death, which she accepted consciously, with prayer on her lips. After Liturgy, we will sing the “Intentions” from the Moleben service of Blessed Josaphata and everyone will be invited forward to venerate the relics of Blessed Josaphata. Everyone is invited downstairs for Coffee and doughnuts.



CANTORS' WORKSHOP

Eparchy of Saskatoon

JUNE 7 AND 8, 2019

Friday – 6:30-9:30 pm and Saturday – 9:00 am-9:00 pm

LOCATION: Ss. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church Auditorium
10TH Street East & Munroe Avenue, Saskatoon

PRESENTER: Fr. John Sianchuk, CSsR

Father John Sianchuk, CSsR, will be conducting this 2-day workshop Friday, June 7 (6:30-9:30 pm) and Saturday, June 8 (8:30 am – 9:00 pm). This workshop is intended for cantors seeking refresher/more detail on course offerings, and lead singers who are seeking the knowledge to become cantors in their parishes. **Limited space of 40 participants.**

Workshop Content – in English

Leading the Divine Liturgy; Resurrection Tones; Moleben Services; Panakhyda Service

Material Provided with the Workshop

- Books with musical notation for the material covered
- Music for the material covered (please specify on registration form CD/USB)

Cost of Workshop



The funding for this workshop is provided by the Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan and the Eparchy of Saskatoon, through the Annual Eparchial Appeal initiative.



Unique Fundraising Event

“COME TO ME ALL”

presented by the Social and Justice Committee of the
Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George responsible for the Cooperation
with Ukraine

and

Youth from Ukraine

In support of the Holy Mother Church in the city of Sambir, Ukraine

You are invited to an amazing

FASHION SHOW

With the imagination pondering...

Despite life obstacles EVERYONE is called to encounter Christ!

And

The dream of many Ukrainians who heartily wish to worship God in His temple

[Link to Promo Video “With and To Christ!” »»](https://www.facebook.com/viktoria.marko.96/videos/2386380554719925/)

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Enjoy

- A FASHION SHOW with young models you may recognize
- A short VIDEO explaining the need to fundraise
- A PRESENTATION OF THE UKRAINIAN PARISH COMMUNITY “God’s Puzzles” of the people with special needs;
- A Beautiful SKIT performed by Youth from Ukraine;
- Tea/coffee/cakes;
- Handmade souvenirs for purchase!

ENTRANCE BY DONATION

THURSDAY, MAY 2nd at 6.30 pm

Church Auditorium of St. George’s Cathedral

(210 Ave M South, S7M 2K4, Saskatoon, SK)

Please RSVP to vitamarko77@gmail.com or call 306-914-0355 (Viktoriia Marko) by **MONDAY, APRIL 29.**

Full details and registration forms are available on the Ss. Peter & Paul Church website: www.sspp.ca; the Eparchial website: www.skeparchy.org; by contacting Andrea Swann by email at: aswann@sasktel.net; or by contacting your parish priest or parish office.

Deadline for Registration: Friday, May 10th - NO registrations will be accepted postmarked after May 10th.



**2019 PASTORAL LETTER
OF THE UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC BISHOPS OF CANADA
ON THE OCCASION
OF THE FEAST OF THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD**

To the Very Reverend Clergy, Monastics and Religious Sisters and Brothers, Seminarians and Laity of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada:

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

One day during this past month of March, many of us opened the newspaper and saw a disturbing headline: *“City of Montreal to pull Crucifix from Council Chamber!”* The article was distributed by the official agency, *The Canadian Press*, and as such was seen across Canada. The article explained that the city council had decided that after 80 years, it was no longer desirable to have the crucifix hang in the chambers of the city hall. This, the article pointed out, was part of the movement of secularism in the province of Quebec.

This news item was disturbing on its own, but its impact was particularly felt as it came during the time of the Lenten Fast, when Christians around the world were preparing themselves to mark the crucifixion, death, burial and resurrection of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Even though most city halls across Canada do not have a crucifix hanging on the wall, and likely never did, there was a certain comfort for Christians to know that in a province that had such a strong Catholic history, the respect and tradition of this important symbol of faith was still found in the heart of city life.

The crucifix, even in its simplest form, speaks eloquently of the great gift of Jesus, the Son of God for all humanity. It relays this message of salvation when it is worn around the neck. It relays this same message of salvation when it stands on the top of a church dome. It speaks not only of suffering and death, but at the same time of resurrection and eternal life.

In our churches we find a special place for the cross of Christ especially on Good Friday, near the symbolic grave that is set up in the heart of the church. The cross stands over the grave of Jesus and reminds us of his great sufferings.

On Easter Sunday morning we again find the empty cross in the heart of the church, as we celebrate the resurrection of Christ. It tells us not only of the triumph of Jesus over suffering and death, but of his glorious rising from the dead. And most importantly it reminds us of the Good News that we too are challenged to suffer and die with Jesus, so that we too will rise to eternal life after our death and burial.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The decision to have a crucifix in public places of our communities may not be a decision that will be up to us to make. However, each of us can make the decision to have a crucifix hang on the walls of our homes.

When people walk into our houses, what kind of homes do they find? What does the interior appearance of our homes say about the people who live there? They may see how well our homes are decorated and arranged, and compliment us on our taste. Or they may see dusty cupboards and dirty dishes, causing them to think poorly of our personal hygiene. But when people walk into our homes can they tell that they are in the home of a believer in Jesus Christ? Do they feel a sense of religious faith when they enter our homes, by the appearance of a crucifix, or holy icons, or other religious symbols?

As we prepare for these important days of Good Friday, Holy Saturday and Easter Sunday, let us not get caught up only in the decorations associated with these days, that include various figures of the holy cross. Rather, let us make sure we use the holy cross and other religious figures as symbols of our faith in Jesus Christ.

Strengthened by the cross of Jesus and his life-giving resurrection, we send these Paschal greetings to all our faithful in Canada, in Ukraine and throughout the world. We send these Paschal greetings to the sick and the elderly. We send these Paschal greetings to the marginalized and the forgotten. We send these Paschal greetings to those struggling with their faith, those living in doubt and fear. Live in hope, do not be afraid, for Christ is Risen!

Come all you faithful, and let us bow to the holy resurrection of Christ, since through the cross, joy has come to all the world. Ever praising the Lord, let us extol his resurrection, since He, having endured the crucifixion, has destroyed Death by his death! [Paschal Matins]

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

- + Lawrence Huculak, OSBM, Metropolitan Archbishop of Winnipeg
- + David Motiuk, Eparchial Bishop of Edmonton
- + Stephen Chmilar, Eparchial Bishop of Toronto
- + Ken Nowakowski, Eparchial Bishop of New Westminster
- + Bryan Bayda, CSsR, Eparchial Bishop of Saskatoon
- + Michael Wiwchar, CSsR, Bishop Emeritus of Saskatoon
- + Severian Yakymyshyn, OSBM, Bishop Emeritus of New Westminster

24/31 March 2019, Third Sunday of Great Lent: The Veneration of the Cross