

## UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: Jan 19-26, 2020

Date	Time	Location	Event
Sun, 19 Jan 31 <sup>st</sup> Sunday after Pentecost	9:30AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	1:30PM	St. Joseph's Home	Monthly Resident Birthday Party (hosted by Dormition UCWL)
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For the Needs of the Eparchy
Tues, 21 Jan	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: +William +Sophie +Bernie Blazieko (Family)
	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Bible Study: The Gospel of St. Matthew
Wed, 22 Jan	6:30PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – UCWL Members
	7:00PM	Dormition-Church	Building Committee Meeting
	7:15PM	Dormition-Auditorium	UCWL Monthly Meeting
Thurs, 23 Jan	11:30AM	STM College Chapel	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – Students & Staff
Fri, 24 Jan	8:00PM	Bishop Pocock School	Jr. Youth Night
Sat, 25 Jan	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: Birthday Blessings—Therese Skomar (Prayer Partner)
	4:00PM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
Sun, 26 Jan Zacchaeus Sunday	9:30AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	4:00PM	Dormition-Church	First Communion Preparation
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: For the Needs of the Eparchy

Date	Welcomers	Epistle	Children's Liturgy Leaders
19 Jan	Andrea, Kurtiss & Family	Brennan Uhyn	Tricia Glova
26 Jan	Children/Youth	Children/Youth	Andrea A
2 Feb	Jennifer & Chris Clerke	Bill Michaluk	Samantha Olenick

Date	Rosary	Collection Counters	Church Cleaners
19 Jan	Judith Kurulok	Gord Worona & Jean Alonso	Jan 19-Feb 1 Mary Shewaga & Jennifer Clerke
26 Jan	Rose Hrycuik	Chris Sherban & Dodie Abrametz	
2 Feb	Norbert Wasylenko	Kimball Lischynski & Bernie Stadnyk	Feb 2-15 Brenda & Jennifer Hrapchak

<b>Extraordinary Ministry</b>	Jan 19 Cyndi & Therese	Feb 2 Diana & Norbert	Feb 9 Jana
<b>Snow Shoveling</b>	Jan 19-25 Kimball Lischynski	Jan 26-Feb 1 Terry Sawchuk	Feb 2-8 Mykhaylo Dzyuba



### House Blessings 2020

Throughout the month of January, Fr. André will be visiting and blessing the homes of parishioners from our pastoral district with the newly blessed “Jordan water”. If you wish to have your home blessed, fill out a request form (located at the entrance of church) and drop it in the collection basket, call/text 306-280-2941 or email [admin.ducc@sasktel.net](mailto:admin.ducc@sasktel.net).

## WELCOME TO ALL PARISHIONERS, GUESTS AND VISITORS!

**Христос Раждається! Славите Його!**  
**Christ is Born! Let us glorify Him!**

### COMMUNITY NEWS

1. Shrine of the Venerable Nun Martyrs Olympia and Laurentia (215 Avenue M South – Sister Theodosia Lane) **Weekly Moleben Services** every Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m., followed by fellowship. Please come and join the Sisters of St. Joseph to pray together every Sunday evening.

2. **JANUARY BIRTHDAYS at ST. JOSEPH'S HOME – TODAY at 1:30 pm** (33 Valens Drive, Saskatoon, SK.) Please come and join with the Sisters of St. Joseph as we celebrate together with the January birthday celebrants, their families and the residents in a fun-filled afternoon with fellowship, entertainment and snacks. Sponsored by Dormition UCWLC.

3. Attention Women and Mothers of All Ages: **Time Out for Moms** will begin new sessions Wednesday, Jan. 22. Find Catholic fellowship and meet other women as moms visit, eat breakfast, and grow in faith together (childcare is available on site for infants and preschoolers). Sessions are held 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Wednesdays at the Cathedral of the Holy Family (123 Nelson Road) Early bird price is \$40/term before Jan. 10; or \$50/term after January 10. Register online at: <http://rcdos.ca/time-out-for-moms>.

4. Planning to get married in 2020? Congratulations! The Eparchy of Saskatoon **Marriage Preparation Program** “Crown them with Honour and Glory” will take place in Saskatoon on Saturday, February 29<sup>th</sup> from 8 am. to 7 pm. at the Eparchial Chancery Office (214 Ave M South). At this one-day intensive course you will be immersed in the beauty and richness of Byzantine-Ukrainian Catholic wedding liturgy. Please speak immediately with Fr. Andre about your plans. For more info or to register email Deborah Larmour at [uwitness2family@skeparchy.org](mailto:uwitness2family@skeparchy.org).

5. Tickets for the 19<sup>th</sup> annual **King of Kovbasa** on Thursday, February 6 at 7PM have been selling extremely well. This isn't last call, but next to last call. It looks like another Sell Out! Our charity partner this year is Saskatoon Interval House. A reserved table of 8 is \$350. Individual tickets are \$40. To purchase single tickets or reserved tables on Showpass, go to: <https://www.showpass.com/king-of-kovbasa-2020/>

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](mailto:covenantofcare@skeparchy.org) or 306-653-0138 ext. 228.

## *Eparchy of Saskatoon CANTOR'S WORKSHOP*

FEBRUARY 7 AND 8, 2020

Friday 6:30-9:30 pm and Saturday – 8:30 am-9:00 pm

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

PRESENTER: Fr. John Sianchuk, CSsR

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:** Samohlasni Tones; Funeral Divine Liturgy; Parastas; Panakhyda; Pre-Sanctified Divine Liturgy.

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.

Full details and registration forms are available at [www.sspp.ca](http://www.sspp.ca) or [www.skeparchy.org](http://www.skeparchy.org); or by contacting Andrea Swann by email at: [aswann@sasktel.net](mailto:aswann@sasktel.net).

**Deadline for Registration: Wednesday, January 22, 2020!**

### **BISHOP ANDREW ROBORECKI FOUNDATION INC.**

214 Avenue M South, Saskatoon, Sask. S7M 2K4

The Bishop Roborecki Foundation was established in 1982 for the purpose of raising funds to provide financial support for the education of seminarians and clergy in our Eparchy. For the past 16 years, the month of January was designated as the Donation Month for Bishop Roborecki Foundation. Donations were made through all the Parishes in the Eparchy, for which we are very thankful.

Starting in **January 2020**, the Bishop Roborecki Foundation will discontinue requesting donations through the Parishes in January and will become a participant in the **ANNUAL EPARCHIAL APPEAL CAMPAIGN**, which is held after Easter of each year. Therefore, when making your next annual Eparchial Appeal donation in 2020 and going forward, please include an amount for the Bishop Roborecki Foundation, which will be used for the education of seminarians and clergy in our Eparchy. Larger donations or Bequests will continue to be accepted if mailed directly to the Bishop Roborecki Foundation, 214 Ave. M South, Saskatoon, Sask. S7M 2K4.

We trust this will simplify making donations towards various Eparchial Initiatives. We sincerely thank all the Faithful in the Eparchy who have so loyally supported this Foundation for the past 37 years and we look forward to eparchy-wide continued support as we go forward.

**Norbert Wasylenko, Chair**

### **PARISH & PASTORAL DISTRICT NEWS**

1. **PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Alex Skakun, Hailey Woytowich, Steph Cooley, Jules Chrusch, Mike Okrainetz, Rose Chrusch, Tina Wesolowski, Nikolas Stefanyshyn, Albert/Genevieve Zaiachkowski, Delvine Zapananiuk, Olga Kondra, Evan Sorestad, Shelley Perepeluk, Bill Muzyka.

2. **NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING:** All parishioners of Dormition Ukrainian Catholic Parish are invited to a Special Meeting on **Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup> (after the 9:30AM Divine Liturgy)** when our Parish Renovation Committee will present a progress report. Printed copies of the report are available in the parish office and will be distributed via email.

3. **BIBLE STUDY** is offered on TUESDAYS from 6:30PM-7:15PM, focusing on St. MATTHEW'S GOSPEL, led by Fr. Gregory Hrynkiw. Weekly sessions – no registration necessary.

4. **UCWLC** - Due to the extreme cold our January 15 meeting was cancelled. **The rescheduled meeting is this Wednesday January 22.** **Divine Liturgy at 6:30pm followed by meeting at 7:15pm.** Membership fees are now due - the fee is \$20.00. These can be paid on Wednesday at the meeting or place an envelope marked UCWLC in the collection basket. Please consider joining the UCWLC and sharing your God-given gifts and talents with the ladies.

### **2020 DORMITION PARISH MEMBERSHIP**

You can renew your membership for 2020 by filling out a regular church donation envelope and checking off "Membership" on the back and inserting the offering in the envelope. If you are not currently a member of Dormition Parish and would like to register, please fill out a Membership Registration Form available at the entrance of the church, place it in an envelope along with the annual membership offering, and drop it in the church collection. 2020 Rates: \$25 – student; \$50 – single; \$100 – family.

Perhaps the challenge of the Gospel lies precisely in the invitation to accept a gift for which we can give nothing in return. For the gift is the life breath of God himself, the Spirit who is poured out on us through Jesus Christ. This life breath frees us from fear and gives us new room to live. A man who prayerfully goes about his life is constantly ready to receive the breath of God, and to let his life be renewed and expanded. The man who never prays, on the contrary, is like the child with asthma; because he is short of breath, the whole world shrivels up before him. He creeps in a corner gasping for air and is virtually in agony. But the man who prays opens himself to God and can freely breathe again. He stands upright, stretches out his hands and comes out of his corner, free to boldly stride through the world because he can move about without fear.

A man who prays is one who can once more breathe freely, who has the freedom to move where he wishes with no fears to haunt him. The man who lives from God's breath can recognize with joy that the same breath sinks into the lungs of his fellowman, and that they are both drawing from the same source. At this mutual realization, the fear of another disappears, a smile comes to the lips, the weapons fall, and one hand reaches out for the other. He who recognizes the breath of God in another can truly let another enter his life, too, and can receive the gifts which are given to him. In this way it is possible to allow another the joy of giving something.

Henri Nouwen, With Open Hands





**WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY**  
**January 19 – 26, 2020 -- Saskatoon**

*Extending our Unity* – This year during Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, in light of our theme, *“They showed us unusual kindness”*, we are asking that you bring donations of food to each service to give to the Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish Food pantry which helps their community.

**EVENTS**

**Opening Service: Sunday, January 19th – 3:00 pm**

– Knox United Church, 838 Spadina Crescent East

**Singing Into Unity: Tuesday, January 21st – 7:30 pm**

– St. Stephen’s Anglican Church, 10 Grosvenor Avenue

**Service and Luncheon: Thursday, January 23rd – 12:00 pm**

(Liturgy 12:00 pm; Luncheon 12:30 pm)

– Queen’s House of Retreats, 601 Taylor Street East

**Celebrating Our Unity – An Ecumenical Ceilidh: Friday, January 24th – 7:30 pm**

– Christ Church Anglican, 515 – 28<sup>th</sup> Street West

**Closing Service: Sunday, January 26th – 3:00 pm**

– St. Philip Neri Roman Catholic Church, 1902 Munroe Avenue

**WEEKDAY MORNING PRAYER SERVICES AND BREAKFAST – 8:00 AM**

- **Monday, January 20th** – St. Andrew’s Presbyterian Church, 436 Spadina Crescent East
- **Wednesday, January 22nd** – Clavin Goforth Presbyterian Church, 1602 Sommerfield Ave.
- **Thursday, January 23rd**– All Saints Anglican Church, 1801 Lorne Avenue
- **Friday, January 24th** – Resurrection Lutheran Church, 310 Lorne Drive



**Interested in your child learning a second language?  
 Looking for Kindergarten for your young child?**

**Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School  
 Kindergarten Information Night on Wednesday, January  
 23rd, at 7pm!**



**Students will achieve functional fluency in both English  
 and Ukrainian, while deepening their knowledge about  
 Ukrainian tradition and culture, enriched by the Byzantine  
 Rite in all of their learning.**

**Benefits of a bilingual education:**

- bi- or multi-lingual students tend to have a better memory.
- better problem solving skills,
- and are generally better at switching between tasks.

**About Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools:**

Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools provides Catholic education from pre-kindergarten through Grade 12, rooting students in their faith, helping them grow in knowledge, and encouraging them to reach out and transform the world.

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