

May 31, 2020 – Pentecost Sunday

NOTE: Weekly bulletins are posted on our parish website: <https://dormitionsaskatoon.ca/2020-bulletins/#>

Glory to Jesus Christ!

Happy Pentecost! Thanks to all who participated in our [Parish Pentecost Video](#). Lots of creativity! Special thanks to Myron Glova for his videography and editing talents.

It was so good to see so many of our children on the May 30th **Zoom Children's Liturgy**. Thanks to Luba and Andrea who facilitated the experience and to all the parents who helped our kids learn more about the Feast of Pentecost.

The last Sunday of May we normally celebrate UCWL 'Tag Day', which provides an opportunity to offer gratitude for many ways our Women's League benefits and supports our parish. While we are not able to do that in person this year, we can still offer up a prayer of gratitude today for the members of our League!

If you use an iPad to participate in our livestreamed Liturgy, you may want to consider 'screen splitting, which enables you to view the livestream on half of your screen and the text of the Liturgy on the other half. Thanks to Loran for creating [step-by-step instructions](#) on how to do that.

Mark Your Calendars! Cemetery services (grave blessings) in Saskatoon will be held this year as follows: **Sunday, June 7th at 2:00PM at Woodlawn Cemetery** (1502 2nd Ave North) and **Sunday, June 14th at 2:00PM at Hillcrest Cemetery** (210 Wess Road). Due to COVID-19 restrictions, there will be no gathered Panakhyda service before the blessings - families are asked to wait for the priest at the grave of their loved one or in their car, limit attendees to no more than 10 persons, and maintain physical distancing of two metres from other parties. If you would prefer to schedule a cemetery blessing at another time, please call me at 306-280-2941.

Peace be with you,
Fr. André

UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: 24-31 May 2020

Date	Time	Location	Event
Sun, 31 May Pentecost	9:30AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners, with special blessings for our UCWL
Tues, 2 June	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: +Paul +Stella +Corinne Wasylenko (Norbert)
	7:00PM	Dormition-Church	Knights of Columbus Prayer & Meeting
Wed, 3 June	9:00AM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: +Mike Komarnicki (SSMI Saskatoon)
Thurs, 4 June	9:00AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – Kevin Diduck (Lischynski Family)
Sat, 6 June	9:00AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: Health – Natasha Payton (Emily Woytowich)
	10:00AM	Dormition- Outdoors	Confessions
Sun, 7 June All Saints	9:30AM	Dormition-Church Livestreamed	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	2:00PM	Woodlawn Cemetery	Cemetery Services

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in these Holy Gifts! I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot receive You now, I place before You my whole life and hope, O loving Master; and I ask, pray, and entreat You: Make me worthy to partake in a mystical way and with a pure conscience of Your awesome and heavenly Mysteries: for forgiveness of sins, for the pardon of offenses, for communion of the Holy Spirit, for the inheritance of the kingdom of heaven, for confidence before You, and not for judgment or condemnation. I embrace You as You enter and abide in me, and I unite myself completely to You. Permeate my soul and body, and never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

PARISH & COMMUNITY NEWS

- 1. PLEASE PRAY FOR EACH OTHER!** Remember especially those who are sick, suffering or house-bound: Alex Skakun, Steph Cooley, Jules Chrusch, Rose Chrusch, Tina Wesolowski, Nikolas Stefanyshyn, Albert/Genevieve Zaiachkowski, Delvine Zaparaniuk, Bill Muzyka.
2. Our parish council is grateful to those of you who have left donations in the church mailbox or online via the parish website, or through our pre-authorized debit (PAD) program. THANK YOU! Please continue to use these donation methods or sending your gifts by mail directly to the church (120-105th Street West Saskatoon, SK S7N 1N2). You can also sign-up online to participate in our monthly [Pre-Authorized Debit](#) (PAD) program, or you can make a donation to the parish via e-transfer by sending it to treasurerdormitionucc@gmail.com.
- 3. Devotional Services to Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky** - Every Wednesday at 7:00 pm (CST) Livestreamed on the [Bishop Velychkovsky National Martyr's Shrine YouTube Channel](#).
- 4. Joyful Ever After** is an online Catholic Marriage Summit which will be held June 11-13. Register for free at <https://www.joyfuleverafter.org>. Explore ways to get the marriage you want from the marriage you have. Free portion of the event features 50-plus Catholic marriage experts over three days with live "main events" each day. Custom topic tracks including content exclusively for couples, and for men and women individually; there is also an invitation to connect with other married couples from around the world; and an opportunity for an "All Access Pass" option that includes "lifetime access," exclusive live question and answer sessions with presenters, etc.
- 5. Catholic Hospital Chaplaincy:** During the COVID-19 crisis, patients can still receive pastoral visits from designated denominational chaplains under some circumstances. To request a visit for yourself or a loved one at Saskatoon hospitals, contact Jackie Saretsky at 306-292-5531 or Fr. Rhéal Bussi re at 306-371-7125.
- 6. Help to feed the hungry** - Saskatoon Friendship Inn has been forced to change its regular operations in order to meet the requirements restricting public gatherings during the COVID-19 pandemic. Friendship Inn's free meal service has shifted to take-away only, but it is still open for breakfast from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. and for lunch from 11:45 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. More than ever, our neighbours in need are relying on the Friendship Inn for food, while the Inn strives to keep all guests, staff and the community safe. Monetary donations are needed to purchase bulk and wholesale food resources. Please see <https://friendshipinn.ca> for more information about how to donate online.
- 7. The Lighthouse** has opened a few more houses in the community as a part of their Home Again program. With this, they are in need of several items to turn these houses into homes. Please go to <https://www.lighthousesaskatoon.org/donate/household-items/> to donate!

8. St Angela Merici Residence is seeking a compassionate and experienced caregiver for casual day and evening shifts. Requirements: Personal Support Worker's certificate, First- Aid/CPR, and clear Vulnerable Sector Criminal Record Check, as well as a heart for serving seniors with dignity and patience. Clearly spoken and written English is a must. Send resumé to Shannon Granger at stangmerici@sasktel.net.

9. For Your Information: [Why Quitting Porn will improve your mental health.](#)