



# 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**

## January 24, 2021 – Publican and Pharisee

NOTE: Previous weekly bulletins and correspondence can be found at <https://dormitionsaskatoon.ca/2020-bulletins/#>

Brothers and sisters in Christ,

A Publican was a tax collector who was a Jew but worked for the Roman Government. The ordinary Jews who viewed Publicans as unclean, unworthy and traitors to the Jewish race and faith despised them. For Jesus to use a Publican in this story and make him the one who is right with God is to go against all established norms. What type of people would Jesus use today in place of the Publican?

Each week we celebrate a Liturgy intention for individual or family members of our parish community (in alphabetical order). It's another way we can pray for each other during these days of being distanced. This week (Sunday, January 31 @ 5:00PM) we pray for **Julius Chrusch**.

Peace be with you,  
Fr. André

## UPCOMING LITURGIES & EVENTS: Jan 24-31, 2021

Date	Time	Location	Event
<b>Sun, 24 Jan</b> Publican & Pharisee	9:30AM	Dormition-Church <a href="#">Livestreamed</a>	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – Loran, Kyle & Ethan Chrusch
Tues, 26 Jan	9:00AM	Dormition-Church <a href="#">Livestreamed</a>	Divine Liturgy: +Frank Karain (Evelyn & Family)
	7:30PM	Online via Zoom	Parish Executive Meeting
Wed, 27 Jan	9:00AM	Dormition-Church <a href="#">Livestreamed</a>	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – Evelyn Karain (Marcie)
Thurs, 28 Jan	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: Birthday Blessings – Therese Skomar (Prayer Partner)
Fri, 29 Jan	11:30AM	STM College Chapel <a href="#">Facebook Live</a>	Divine Liturgy: Health – Ruth Serack (Diana)
Sat, 30 Jan Three Holy Hierarchs	9:00AM	Dormition-Church <a href="#">Livestreamed</a>	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings – Fr. Gregory (Lalach Family)
	10:00AM	Dormition-Church	Confessions
<b>Sun, 31 Jan</b> Prodigal Son	9:30AM	Dormition-Church <a href="#">Livestreamed</a>	Divine Liturgy: For Our Parishioners
	5:00PM	Dormition-Church	Divine Liturgy: God's Blessings-Julius Chrusch

### 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.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Alex Skakun; Jules Chrusch; Rose Chrusch; Tina Wesolowski; Bill Muzyka; Johanna Bidulka; Albert/Genevieve Zaiachkowski; Olga Kondra, Roman Hyshka, Steph Cooley; Nikolas Stefanyshyn; Carlie, Chance and Caitlyn Rothwell; Jim Smith; Al Pobran; Morgan Miller.

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](mailto:admin.ducc@sasktel.net).

## Quick Links:

- [Sunday Divine Liturgy Registration \(9:30AM or 5:00PM\)](#)  
(Registration Deadline: 6PM Saturdays. Registration for children 5 & under not required)
- [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](mailto:treasurerdormitionucc@gmail.com).

## Ultimate A & B Youth Presents. . . A Youth "Lock-In" Retreat (COVID Style)!

Are you in grades 7-12 and are looking to attend a Lock-in Retreat?

Well now's your chance!

This year's lock-in takes place **Friday, January 29, 2021 and Saturday, January 30, 2021.**

Under normal circumstances, we would invite all the youth in our Eparchy to join us in Regina, however that won't happen this year! Even though, you won't be able to join us in person, we invite you to join us virtually!

This year's theme is "What's Next". Activities for the two days include: spiritual sessions, a guest speaker, group activities and so much more.

**There is no cost for the event.** A link for the event and the schedule will be sent out upon registration. The registration deadline is **Thursday, January 28, 2020.**

**If you are interested in attending or would like more please contact Lesia Lazurko (Ultimate A & B Youth Coordinator) at [ultimateaandb@hotmail.com](mailto:ultimateaandb@hotmail.com) or Viktoriia Marko (Eparchial Youth & Young Adult Minister) at [uwitness2youth@gmail.com](mailto:uwitness2youth@gmail.com).**



## St. Joseph High School Grade 9 Registration Information

This year our registration process for Grade 8's moving into Grade 9 needs to look a little different than in past years due to safety precautions with Covid. The first week in February we will begin connecting with our elementary partners via online presentations in each class as we are unable to host the Grade 8 class tours during the day. Unfortunately, we are unable to have our Parent Information Night, so our parent information regarding registration, will be posted on our St. Joseph High School website and the GSCS site starting February 3.

Registration forms will be delivered to the Grade 8 classroom teachers for students to complete with their parents and return to their classroom teacher at a later date. If you are not from one of our neighborhood elementary schools and would like to register, please contact St. Joseph High School at 306-659-7650 and we will be happy to send you a registration form.

## King of Kovbasa Virtual Appreciation Night

We will not be able to host our King of Kovbasa event this year, but we wanted to keep the momentum going, so we are hosting an appreciation night for kovbasa suppliers and our sponsors. Join us from the comfort of your own home, to support the suppliers, sponsors and the Optimist Hill on **Monday, February 8th from 6:00 – 7:00 PM**. Watch pre-recorded video entertainment bringing the suppliers, sponsors, and dancers together, along with the live action at the Optimist Hill for you to enjoy! We hope things are back to normal next year so that we can host King of Kovbasa 2022 with our Charity Partner, Optimist Hill.

Facebook event page: <https://www.facebook.com/events/233754895005072>

We are having a King of Kovbasa raffle for cash and prizes. I have enclosed a link to the raffle site: <https://ucpba.rafflenexus.com/>

Tickets may be sold and purchased only in the following Saskatchewan cities: Clavet, Grandora, Martensville, Saskatoon, Vanscoy, and Warman.

If you are outside this area, you can call Dan at 306.222.0923 or email at: [dan.servetnyk@shaw.ca](mailto:dan.servetnyk@shaw.ca)

Ticket purchasers must be 19 years of age or older.

1 for \$20.00; 600 tickets maximum

Final ticket sales deadline: February 8, 2021 at 6:30:00 PM CST

Raffle draw: February 8, 2021 at 7:00:00 PM CST

Draw will be held at Optimist Hill - Diefenbaker Park, Saskatoon, SK

The winning ticket is drawn using Random Number Generator software (RNG).

Winners will be posted online at <https://ucpba.rafflenexus.com/winners> on February 8, 2021.

## Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School Community Survey

After 40 years of Ukrainian bilingual education in Saskatoon and area, we are taking the opportunity to pause and look at the future goals for the program. The goals of the Ukrainian Bilingual Program, developed in 1979, serve as the original goals upon which the program was built. The Bishop Filevich community desire input that can be used to help set future direction for the program and we need your help! Even if you are not overly familiar with the Ukrainian Bilingual program in Saskatoon, your input is still valuable! There are 10 questions and should only take around 10 minutes to complete.

**The deadline for completing the survey is February 19<sup>th</sup>.** The link to the survey is: [Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School Community Survey](#). Thank you for your support of Ukrainian Bilingual education!

**The Synod for the Amazon: One Year Later**, New Paths for the Church in Latin America and Canada - Begin your Lenten reflection by participating in an online webinar which will centre on the themes of the Amazon Synod, ecological justice and Indigenous rights, at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 16. This Zoom webinar features speakers Archbishop Murray Chatlain, Mauricio Lopez Oropeza and Sr. Mariangel Marco Teja. Cost: \$20 per person (free for students and the unwaged). Register at: <https://qh.retreatportal.com/events/f?p=EVENTS:1> or for more information, e-mail Myron Rogal at [mrogal@rcdos.ca](mailto:mrogal@rcdos.ca).

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

**Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School  
is accepting Kindergarten registrations online:**  
<https://www.gscs.ca/studentsandfamilies/schools/FIL>



**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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