

*The priests and parishioners of Saints Peter & Paul would like to extend a warm welcome to all our guests.  
We are pleased that you have come to pray with us on this Holy day.*

## THIS WEEK AT SAINTS PETER & PAUL

Sunday, Dec. 31

- UCWLC Membership Fees due
- Knights of Columbus Membership Fees due
- Year End Contributions due

Tuesday, Jan. 2

- Deadline to purchase tickets for Parish Theophany Supper

## LITURGY INTENTIONS

**Sun. Dec. 31**      **Sunday after the Nativity**      **Gal. 1:11-19 ~ Matt. 2:13-23**

5:00 P.M. (Sat.)      For Our Parishioners

*(this Divine Liturgy will be recorded and posted on YouTube)*

9:00 A.M.      In Thanksgiving.....Don & Deb Larmour

11:00 A.M.      Health & God's Blessings Norm & Josie Shulhan & Halushka Families.....Bill & Sophie Senkowski

**Mon. Jan. 1**      **Circumcision of Our Lord, St. Basil the Great**      **Col. 2:8-12 ~ Luke 2:20-21; 40-52**

10:00 A.M.      For a Blessed 2024

**Tues. Jan. 2**      **Pope Sylvester**      **James 3:1-10 ~ Mark 11:11-23**

8:00 A.M.      †William Beyko (40 day).....Michelle Beyko & Family

**Wed. Jan. 3**      **Prophet Malachi & Martyr Gordius**      **James 3:11-4:6 ~ Mark 11:23-26**

8:00 A.M.      †Lovella Remenda (40 day).....Family

**Thurs. Jan. 4**      **Synaxis of the 70 Apostles**      **James 4:7-5:9 ~ Mark 11:27-33**

8:00 A.M.      God's Blessings Luanne.....Grace

**Fri. Jan. 5**      **Eve of Theophany**      **1 Cor. 9:19-27 ~ Luke 3:1-18**

*No morning Liturgy*

5:30 P.M.      Divine Liturgy & Blessing of Jordan Water

*(this Divine Liturgy will be recorded and posted on YouTube)*

**Sat. Jan. 6**      **THEOPHANY OF OUR LORD**      **Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7 ~ Matt. 3:13-17**

9:00 A.M.      Divine Liturgy & Blessing of Jordan Water

**Sun. Jan. 7**      **Sunday after Theophany**      **Eph. 4:7-13 ~ Matt. 4:12-17**

5:00 P.M. (Sat.)      Birthday Blessings Christine & Katherine.....Mom

*(this Divine Liturgy will be recorded and posted on YouTube)*

9:00 A.M.      For Our Parishioners

11:00 A.M.      For Students, Staff & Teachers

*Please pray for:*



Fr. Vladimir Kolpakov, C.Ss.R      Zenon Derkach      Fr. Ephraim & Nancy Dingman

Wendy Friedrich      Mary Huchkowski      Deb Larmour      Pat Lendzyk

Iris Pidperyhora      Ed Sosnowski      Patricia Trischuk





## PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Monday, January 1, 2024

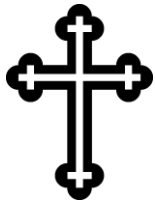


## NOTICE TO ALL PARISHIONERS

Due to banking regulations the priests can no longer accept any cheques that are made payable to individual priests. **All** cheques for the fathers (*except liturgy intentions*) **must** be made payable to 'Ukrainian Catholic Mission'. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Fr. Ray

## LITURGY INTENTIONS



You can request the Fathers to celebrate Liturgies for your intentions. Please contact the parish office to book a Liturgy. Cheques are payable to "**Redemptorist Fathers' Liturgy Account.**" The suggested stipend for a Divine Liturgy is \$20.

## 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY COOKBOOK

*Our second reprint is HERE!*

*Looking for a nice Christmas gift?*

*Our Cookbook is filled with many delicious recipes!*



This wonderful 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary commemorative parish cookbook is a large collection of many parishioners' favorite recipes totaling 656 pages, including 55 pages of traditional recipes for Christmas and Easter. It has been sold out since 2016 but with financial help from the Saskatoon Community Foundation – Stephen & Micheline Worobetz Foundation and the Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan Corporation we have been able to reprint a limited number of copies.

The cost is \$30.00 each.

Available at the office during office hours from 9:00 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

For more information contact the parish office at 306 343 6516, email: [sspp@sasktel.net](mailto:sspp@sasktel.net).

# THEOPHANY 2024 LITURGY SCHEDULE

## Saints Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church

10<sup>th</sup> Street & Munroe Avenue, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

### MONDAY, JANUARY 1, 2024 – Circumcision of Our Lord; St Basil the Great

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 2024 – Theophany Eve

5:30 p.m. Divine Liturgy & Blessing of Jordan Water  
Parish Theophany Supper [advance tickets only]  
*(this Divine Liturgy will be recorded and posted on YouTube)*

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 2024 – Theophany

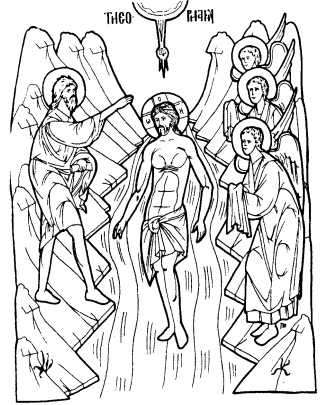
9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy & Blessing of Jordan Water

### SUNDAY, JANUARY 7, 2024 – Regular Sunday Schedule

5:00 p.m. (Sat.) Divine Liturgy (English)

9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy (Ukrainian/English Readings and Sermon)

11:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy (English)



## BLESSING OF HOMES

*If you wish to have the Fathers bless your home with Jordan Water, please fill out the bottom portion of this page and drop it in the collection basket or drop it off at the Rectory office.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Most suitable time for visit: check one of the following:

Morning \_\_\_\_ Afternoon \_\_\_\_ Evening \_\_\_\_





Your **2024 Church Contribution Envelopes & Calendars** are ready for pick up at the entrance of the church. You are also welcome to pick up your envelopes and calendar at the Rectory Office during regular office hours. Please call the office at 306-343-6516 to arrange a time for pick up.

Also, please pick up your envelopes, even if you are on pre-authorized contributions, since the special collection envelopes are included in your box of envelopes.

*Thank you to Greg Lalach, Park Funeral Home, for sponsoring these beautiful calendars.*

## YEAR END CONTRIBUTIONS

*Thank you to all parishioners for your generous donations throughout the year.* For any donations that you want included on your 2023 tax receipt, ALL contributions *must* be in the parish office and your cheques dated no later than **December 31, 2023**. Donations can be mailed in, dropped off at the Rectory, submitted by E-transfer (email: [sspp@sasktel.net](mailto:sspp@sasktel.net)) or dropped off in the contribution baskets.

*Thank you for your continued support!*

## ALL PARISH COUNCIL COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

PLEASE FORWARD YOUR SUBMISSIONS FOR THE PARISH ANNUAL REPORT BY **JANUARY 17, 2024** TO THE PARISH OFFICE OR E-MAIL TO: [sspp.bulletin@sasktel.net](mailto:sspp.bulletin@sasktel.net)

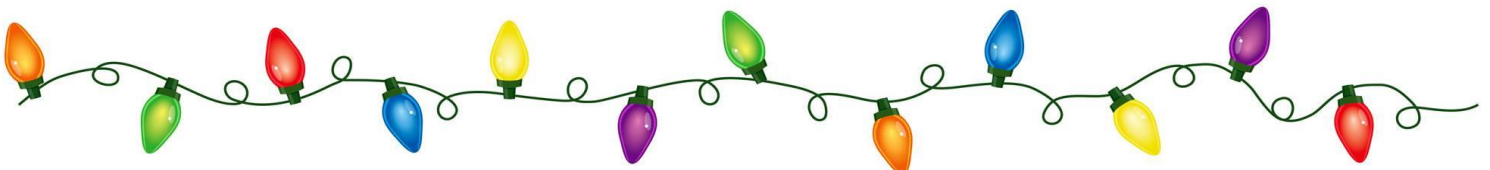


## ATTENTION - UCWLC Members

**Membership Fees of \$20.00 for 2024 are due *December 31, 2023***

Membership Fees can be paid: (1) by enclosing your cash or cheque in the blue "UCWLC Membership" envelope and placing it in the collection basket. (2) by enclosing your cash or cheque in the blue "UCWLC Membership" envelope and placing it in a white envelope and either mailing it or dropping it off in my mailbox. UCWLC Membership, 2122 Ewart Avenue, Saskatoon, SK, S7J 1X9

*Gayle Lockert, Membership Chair*  
306-222-6831





# ATTENTION Knights of Columbus Saints Peter & Paul Council #11775

**2024 Membership fees are due on December 31, 2023**

The fees are the same as last year. Membership fees can be paid: **(1)** by enclosing your cash or cheque in the envelope marked Knights of Columbus Council #11775 and placing it in the collection basket. **(2)** by enclosing your cheque in an envelope and mailing it to Knights of Columbus, 211-3106 Louise Place, Saskatoon, SK. S7J 5K8

Morris Sluchinski  
Financial Secretary 306-373-0957



CONFÉRENCE DES ÉVÊQUES CATHOLIQUES DU CANADA  
CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS

## *Statement of CCCB on Vatican's Document Addressing Pastoral Blessings*

**December 19, 2023, Ottawa** With respect to the Declaration "[\*Fiducia supplicans\*](#)" issued by the Holy See's Dicastery for the Doctrine of the Faith, the CCCB offered the following statement from Bishop William McGrattan, president of the CCCB.

"On 18 December 2023 the Dicastery for the Doctrine of the Faith released the Declaration *Fiducia Supplicans*, which responds to questions that had been raised regarding the possibility of offering blessings to persons living in irregular unions, including same-sex relationships. While explicitly affirming the Church's traditional understanding of marriage, *Fiducia Supplicans* allows pastors to bless people who freely request a blessing, seeking divine help to live in fidelity to God's will. The Declaration makes clear that such blessings must be directed to the persons themselves rather than their situation and that they must be spontaneously requested and are not ritual or liturgical actions.

The guiding principle in the Declaration is the fact that the very request for a blessing represents an openness to God's mercy and can be an occasion for greater trust in God."

### **Media Inquiries:**

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Telephone: 613-241-9461, ext. 225

# SAINTS PETER & PAUL UCWLC

## TRADITIONAL PARISH THEOPHANY EVE SUPPER



**FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 2024**

**7:00 p.m. Church Auditorium**

**(Following the Solemn Blessing of Water  
& Divine Liturgy at 5:30 p.m.)**



### **Advance Tickets:**

**Adults: \$20.00**

**Children (6 - 12 years): \$10.00**

**Preschool (5 & under): *FREE (ticket required)***

**Tickets will be available to purchase after each Divine Liturgy  
on the following dates: Saturday/Sunday - December 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>;  
Saturday/Sunday - December 30<sup>th</sup> & December 31<sup>st</sup>.**

**Tickets will be available at the Rectory office during office hours.**



**Deadline to purchase tickets:**

**Tuesday, January 2, 2024**



**PLEASE NOTE: *No refunds on purchased tickets.***

*This is a parish family event.  
Everyone is most Welcome!*



## Saints Peter & Paul council 11775 is looking for new members

- \* If you would like to join the Knights of Columbus and be part of a great charitable organization of catholic men please contact us and we would share with you what we are all about. We are always looking for new ideas about charitable work and spreading faith in our community. Any catholic men 18 years of age and over can become a member. Contact myself or any member you may know.

Grand Knight Dwayne Sabulsky, call/text 306-280-7836 or [email desabulsky@sasktel.net](mailto:email_desabulsky@sasktel.net)

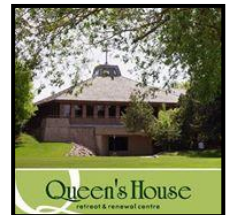
## OF INTEREST

- \* **DEVOTIONS TO BLESSED VASYL VELYCHKOVSKY, C.Ss.R.** – live-streamed from the Shrine in Winnipeg, MB. Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. (SK time) the Redemptorists and Partners in Mission of the Yorkton Region will be live streaming the Blessed Vasyly Velychkovsky Devotional Services from the Shrine Chapel. This will continue during the pandemic. Please join us in prayer. Here is the broadcast link: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCFDrZoGsYeJG1lqgdZyfYMA/featured>
- \* **VIRTUAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CAROL FESTIVAL 2023** – Can be viewed at <https://www.gscs.ca/ci/p/18228>
- \* **ST. MICHAEL'S WINTER CAMP AT MADGE LAKE SASKATCHEWAN** – Come & join us! February 19-25, 2024. Co-ed. Ages 8-14. *Limited space.* \$300 (before January 1<sup>st</sup> \$250). *Activities Include:* Down Hill Skiing, Cross Country Skiing, Tobogganing, Skating, Crafts, Spiritual Activities, Campfire singing and MORE! To register visit our website <https://www.stmichaelscamp.com> or email us at [camp@stmichaelscamp.com](mailto:camp@stmichaelscamp.com) for more details.
- \* **ST. VOLODYMYR UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC PARK INC. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** – Wednesday, February 28, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. in the St. George's Cathedral Auditorium.

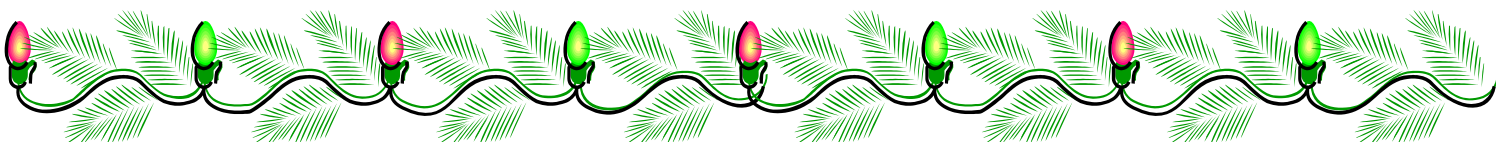
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## QUEEN'S HOUSE RETREAT AND RENEWAL CENTRE

For an update from Queen's House Retreat and Renewal Centre on programs and spiritual direction opportunities, please visit [queenshouse.org](http://queenshouse.org)



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. To speak to someone about a concern please contact your Pastor, Parish Coordinators of Care (PCC) Theresa Gogol at 306-343-6516 or email: [safeguarding@skeparchy.org](mailto:safeguarding@skeparchy.org)  
More information is available on the Eparchial Website.  
Training Tutorial video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-IewlTuJfOI>  
Link to Online Training: <https://www.skeparchy.org/wordpress/courses/>



ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING  
EPISCOPAL NOMINATION, CONSECRATION, AND INSTALLATION  
OF BISHOP-ELECT MICHAEL SMOLINSKI, C.SS.R.

*“Everything God has created is Good” – (1 Tim. 4:4)*  
*Episcopal Motto of Bishop Michael Smolinski, C.Ss.R.*

Please be advised that **RESERVED SEATING** is required to attend all events.  
Tickets for the Luncheon at Saskatoon Inn **must be purchased in advance.**

Tickets available starting **December 27, 2023.**

To reserve your seats and purchase tickets go to:

<https://www.skeparchy.org/wordpress/bishopsmolinski/>

or call Chancery Office at 306-653-0138, Ext. 221, 222, 223



**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 2024**

**Dormition of the Blessed Mother of God Parish**

**Great Vespers & Nomination** at 6:30 p.m.

followed by Reception in auditorium.

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2024**

**Saints Peter & Paul Parish**

**Cheirotonia (Consecration)** at 10:00am.

Principal Consecrator His Beatitude, Patriarch Sviatoslav Shevchuk, and

Co-Consecrators His Grace, Metropolitan Lawrence Huculak, O.S.B.M. and

His Excellency, Bishop Bryan Bayda, C.Ss.R.

1:30 p.m. - Luncheon at Saskatoon Inn, 2002 Airport Drive.

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 2024**

**Cathedral of St. George**

**Installation** at 10:00 a.m.

followed by Reception in auditorium.



# SAINTS PETER & PAUL UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Served by the Ukrainian Catholic Redemptorists*

Church Location: 10<sup>th</sup> Street East and Munroe Avenue

Office & Mailing Address: 1202 - 11<sup>th</sup> Street East, Saskatoon, SK S7H 0G3

Office: 306-343-6516

Auditorium: 306-343-0033

Website: [www.sspp.ca](http://www.sspp.ca)

E-mail: [sspp@sasktel.net](mailto:sspp@sasktel.net)

Parish Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Pastor: Fr. Raymond Lukie, C.Ss.R.**

**Associate Pastor: Fr. Dmytro Dnistrian, C.Ss.R.**

*Deacon Thomas Nahachewsky*

Administrative Assistant: Theresa Gogol

President, Parish Council: Adrian Olenick, Jr. [aad.olenick@gmail.com](mailto:aad.olenick@gmail.com)

Children's Program Coordinators: [sspp.children@gmail.com](mailto:sspp.children@gmail.com) (NEW)

Bulletin Editor: Michelle Alexandrovich [sspp.bulletin@sasktel.net](mailto:sspp.bulletin@sasktel.net) *Submission Deadline: Wednesday 12 Noon*

## Divine Liturgy Schedule

### **Sunday**

5:00 p.m. (Saturday evening)

9:00 a.m. (Ukrainian) & 11:00 a.m.

### **Feast Days**

9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

### **Daily**

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m.

### **Sacraments of Baptism/Chrismation**

Contact the parish office

### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Contact the parish office a minimum of **NINE** months in advance

### **Sacrament of Anointing-Visitation of the Sick**

Contact the parish office – Emergency please call anytime

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation - Confession**

Before Divine Liturgy/By appointment