SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

FEBRUARY 25, 2024

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, Feb. 25	1:00 P.M 2:30 P.M.	- Singing Practice for Plashchanytsia
,	2:30 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.	- Singing Practice for English Resurrection Matins
	6:30 P.M.	- DVD Scripture Study
Monday, Feb. 26	7:00 P.M.	- Children's Programs
Sunday, Mar. 3	1:00 P.M 2:30 P.M.	- Singing Practice for Plashchanytsia
	2:30 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.	- Singing Practice for English Resurrection Matins
LITURGY INTENTIONS		
Sun. Feb. 25	Second Sunday of Lent	Heb. 1:10-2:3 ~ Mark 2:1-12
5:00 P.M. (Sat.)	For teachers, students & staff	
· · · ·	(this Divine Litur	gy will be recorded and posted on YouTube)
9:00 A.M.	Health & God's Blessings Bernade	ette & GaryJoan
11:00 A.M.	For Our Parishioners	-
Mon. Feb. 26	Venerable Porphyrius	Eph. 4:25-32 ~ Matt. 5:42-48
8:00 A.M.	†Julia Stachniak	John & Kim Billett
		Myrna
Tues. Feb. 27		Phil. 2:12-16 ~ Matt. 10:32-38; 19:27-30
8:00 A.M.		St. Volodymyr Villa
Wed. Feb. 28	Confessor Basil	Eph. 4:1-6 ~ Matt. 7:1-8
7:00 P.M.	Pre-Sanctified Liturgy	
Thurs. Feb. 29	Venerable Cassian	Col. 3:4-11 ~ Matt. 7:24-8:4
8:00 A.M.	†Bernice Hrytsak	Sally & Robert Deptuch
Fri. Mar. 1	Venerable Martyr Eudoxia	Eph. 5:1-8 ~ Matt. 6:22-34
7:00 P.M.	Pre-Sanctified Liturgy	
Sat. Mar. 2	All Souls Saturday	Heb. 10:32-38 ~ Mark 2:14-17
9:00 A.M.	Divine Liturgy & SOROKOUSTY	
Sun. Mar. 3	Third Sunday of Lent	Heb. 4:14-5:6 ~ Mark 8:34-9:1
5:00 P.M. (Sat.)	Health & God's Blessings for all U	CWLC Members
(this Divine Liturgy will be recorded and posted on YouTub		
9:00 A.M.	Gratitude, Health & God's Blessings Maggie & Mo SluchinskiSSMI Sisters	
11:00 A.M.	For Our Parishioners	
Please pray for: Fr. Vladimir Kolpakov, C.Ss.R Zenon Derkach Wendy Friedrich		
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	Mary Huchkowski Dan Kolysh	ner Deb Larmour Pat Lendzyk



LENT - 2024

Pre-Sanctified Liturgy and Confessions every Wednesday & Friday at 7:00 p.m. (except for Wednesday March 13th)

All Souls Saturdays - Sorokousty - 9:00 a.m. on Saturdays - March 2 & March 9

<u>Tuesday, March 12th & Wednesday, March 13th –</u> Parish DVD Mission "The Jewish Roots of Holy Week - The Last 7 Days of Jesus" by Dr. Brant Pitre

- Tuesday, March 12th at 7:00 p.m. TBD Service followed by DVD Mission Part 1
- Wednesday, March 13th at 7:00 p.m. Poklony Service followed by DVD Mission Part 2

Friday. March 15th at 7:00 p.m. - Akafist Saturday Matins

Saturday. March 16th at 9:00 a.m. – Akafist Saturday - Divine Liturgy

Saturday, March 23rd at 9:00 a.m. - Lazarus Saturday - Divine Liturgy

Sunday, March 24 – Palm Sunday – Regular Sunday Schedule

(Schedule for Holy Week and Easter will be posted at a later date)

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)* <u>must</u> 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.

SOROKOUSTY SERVICES – PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED T

Sorokousty Service is celebrated with the Divine Liturgy on *"All Souls Saturday"*. The remaining dates are MARCH 2nd & 9th & May 18th

If you wish to have your deceased family members remembered during these services, please use your January 20th colored "Sorokousty" envelope for your offering and list of deceased family/friends and place it in the collection basket or drop it off at the office.

If you are writing a cheque please make it payable to the Ukrainian Catholic Mission. The recommended offering (stipend) for Sorokousty is \$10.00.

Special Collection: Holy Spirit Seminary (March 3, 2024)

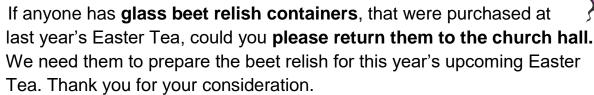
This special collection is for Holy Spirit Seminary. Holy Spirit is the Major Seminary of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada. Its primary purpose is the preparation of candidates for ordination to the priesthood in the Catholic Church. To contribute, please use your yellow "Seminary Offering" envelope.



Just a friendly reminder:

SCENT FREE - Out of concern for those with allergies or asthma, we ask that you refrain from using products with perfume or scent when coming to church. Thank you.





UCWLC Cultural Committee



TODAY, Sunday, February 25, 2024 in the church auditorium at 6:30 p.m.

Contact Bernadette at popowych@shaw.ca or 306-249-2432 for more information.



NOTICE OF PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Saints Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church Sunday, March 17, 2024

12:45 p.m. in the church basement immediately following the Knights of Columbus Breakfast



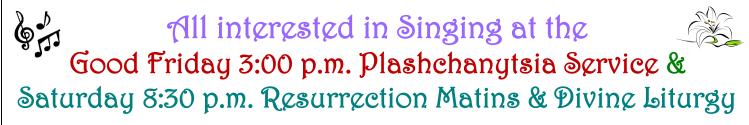
Call for Nominations! Saints Peter & Paul Parish Council



As our Parish Annual General Meeting approaches, the Nomination Committee is accepting nominations for voted positions on the Executive Council. We are currently seeking nominations for the following position: <u>President.</u> New perspectives and new ideas strengthen our parish!

If you or someone you know is interested in serving the parish in this way please contact Adrian Olenick at <u>aad.olenick@gmail.com</u> or 306-270-6820 for more information, to volunteer, or nominate someone from within the parish for a role on Parish Council.

Adrian Olenick, President



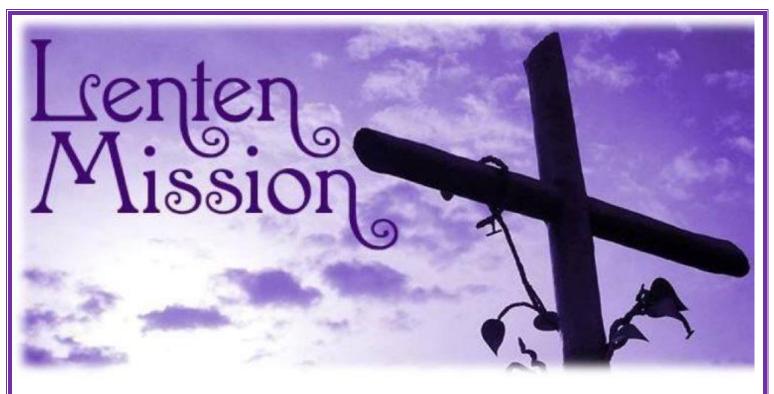
Calling all Singers! If you are interested in joining the group lead singing for the **Plashchanytsia (Exposition of the Holy Shroud) Service on Good Friday, March 29 at 3:00 p.m.** and/or the **English Resurrection Matins and Divine Liturgy on Saturday, March 30 at 8:30 p.m.** the practices will be as follows:



- Sunday, March 3rd 1:00 p.m. 2:30 p.m.
 Plashchanytsia
- Sunday, March 3rd 2:30 p.m. 4:00 p.m.
 English Resurrection Matins



Please email Andrea Swann: <u>aswann@sasktel.net</u> if you are able to come and join



Saints Peter & Paul Lenten Mission

The Journey to the Empty Tomb The Last 7 Days of Jesus

Tuesday, March 12th & Wednesday, March 13th 7:00 P.M.

Lenten Service in the Church proper

Followed by Dr. Brant Pitre's DVD Presentations on Holy Week in the church auditorium.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Please bring a non-perishable food item for the Foodbank Help us help families in Saskatoon facing food insecurity!

CCWLC EASTER TEA Saturday, March 16, 2024 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Saints Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church

Church Auditorium 10th Street East & Munroe Avenue

Admission: Adults \$5.00 Children (12 & under) - FREE

Items for sale include:

* EASTER BREADS * PEROGIES * CABBAGE ROLLS *

* BEET RELISH * VARIETY OF BAKING *

* SEVERAL RAFFLES * EASTER EGGS (PYSANKY) *









Saints Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church Knights of Columbus # 11775

PARISH FISH SUPPER

Saturday, March 23, 2024 6:15 p.m.

(Following the 5:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy)

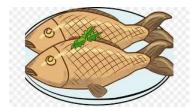
Church Auditorium

10th Street East & Munroe Avenue



Advance Ticket Prices: (No Take-outs)

Adults: \$20.00 Children 5 - 12: \$10.00 Children under 5: FREE



Tickets will be sold after each Saturday & Sunday Divine Liturgy starting on February 25th.

Deadline to purchase tickets - Wednesday, March 20, 2024

Tickets can also be purchased at the office during office hours. (306-343-6516 or email: <u>sspp@sasktel.net</u>)

50/50 Tickets will be sold

Please join us for fish, fellowship and friendship!





World Day of Prayer 2024



Please join us for a World Day of Prayer Service and refreshments at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 812 Preston Ave., Saskatoon on Friday March 1 at 2:00 p.m. This year's service was World Day of prayer is a prayer movement that invites us to enrich our faith experience with the experience of Christians from other countries and cultures and to bring hope to women touched by injustice.

More information about our community's service is available from Redeemer Lutheran 306 374 7585 or <u>redeemer.luth.stoon@sasktel.net</u>

The World Day of Prayer is co-ordinated by the E-mail: wicc@wicc.org; Website: www.wicc.org <u>www.facebook.com/WICCanada</u>

I Beg You... Bear With One Another in

St. Volodymyr Ukrainian Catholic Park Inc.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



Wednesday, February 28, 2024 7:00 p.m.

St. George's Cathedral Auditorium 210 Avenue M South



Interested in a Director Position? Get to know the workings of the Park.

Members of the Eparchy of Saskatoon - This is your park! "Would you like to make a difference?"

For Information: Bernie Bodnar 306-371-9807 <u>bernie.bodnar99@gmail.com</u>



OF INTEREST

* <u>DEVOTIONS TO BLESSED VASYL VELYCHKOVSKY, C.Ss.R.</u> – live-streamed from the Shrine in Winnipeg, MB. <u>Wednesday</u> at 7:00 p.m. (SK time) the Redemptorists and Partners in Mission of the Yorkton Region will be live streaming the Blessed Vasyl Velychkovsky Devotional Services from the Shrine Chapel. This will continue during the pandemic. Please join us in prayer. Here is the broadcast link: <u>https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCFDrZoGsYeJG1lqgdZyfYMA/featured</u>

* QUEEN'S HOUSE RETREAT AND RENEWAL CENTRE – For an update on programs and spiritual direction opportunities, please visit queenshouse.org

* <u>GERADAN – SPRING WILL COME</u> – Monday, March 4, 2024, Yorkton, SK. Sacred Heart High School Auditorium. Tickets available online on Eventbrite 12 & under FREE! Journey through Ukraine: Gerdan's Folk & Masterclass Tour.

* <u>UCBC BISHOP ROBORECKI BRANCH MONTHLY MEETING</u> – Thursday, March 7, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. in the St. George's Cathedral Auditorium.

* <u>UKRAINIAN CANADIAN CONGRESS SASKATOON BRANCH (UCC-SB) – SHEVCHENKO CONCERT</u> – Sunday, March 10, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. at Bethlehem Catholic High School (110 Bowlt Crescent) Entertainment by Ukrainian dance groups, solo artists and bandura musicians. No admission. Donations will be accepted.

* FATHER WOLODYMYR IWASZKO FOUNDATION – STEAK NIGHT FUNDRAISER – Tuesday, April 23, 2024 from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. at The Longbranch in the Ramada Saskatoon, 806 Idylwyld Drive N, \$25.00 per person. Tickets available from Bill Gulka, Conrad Pura, or Walter Wandzura.

* <u>ATTENTION ALUMNI – ST. VLADIMIR'S COLLEGE – You are invited to a Reunion!</u> – St. Vladimir's College operated as a Ukrainian Catholic High School from 1941 to 2002 in Roblin, Manitoba Canada. A group of Alumni is planning a **reunion gathering from June 28 - July 1, 2024 at St. Michael's Camp in Madge Lake, Saskatchewan.** All former students and teachers are welcome to attend this great opportunity to connect. For more information, details and to pre-register, visit <u>www.stvladsalumni.ca</u> Even if you are unable to attend, please complete the form and check the website regularly so that you can keep in touch!

* <u>RECIPIENTS OF 2023 NATION BUILDERS & COMMUNITY RECOGNITION AWARDS</u> – <u>Nation Builders Award</u>: Ernest Paluck, Regina <u>Community Recognition Awards</u>: Anna Shyian, Regina – Youth Achievement; Tanya Baran, Saskatoon – Leadership & Volunteerism; Brett Drozd, Saskatoon – Leadership & Volunteerism; Merle Wasylynka, Wynyard - Leadership & Volunteerism; Sheila Hryniuk, Yorkton (posthumous) – Leadership & Volunteerism; Gwen Warnyca, Regina – Volunteerism; Anna Lee (Fuhr) Parnetta, Yorkton – Cultural Preservation & Development and Leadership; Bunny (Bohdan) Halyk, Melville -Leadership & Volunteerism.



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: <u>safeguarding@skeparchy.org</u> More information is available on the Eparchial Website. Training Tutorial video: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-IewlTuJfOI</u> Link to Online Training: <u>https://www.skeparchy.org/wordpress/courses/</u> "The Flames of Love are Flames of Fire, a Blaze That Comes from the Lord" Song of Songs, 8:6



Byzantine Leadership And Zealous Evangelization

Date: March 2, 2024 (Saturday) March 3, 2023 (Sunday)

Time: 9:30am - 9:30pm (Saturday) 9:00am - 5:45pm (Sunday)

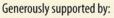
Place:

Bethlehem Catholic High School (110 Bowlt Crescent, Saskatoon, SK S7M 0L1) and Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George (210 Avenue M S, Saskatoon, SK S7M 2K4)

Who is this program for? ... high school students of GSCS!

Scan to Register:





Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools Foundation Inc.

Goals:

- Form young leaders who will be inspired to serve their communities: schools, parishes, camps, and places of need.
- Evangelize and form missionary disciples in the educational spirit of St. Don Bosco under the guidance of Mary, Help of Christians.

 Equip young leaders with the knowledge of Byzantine Catholic tradition (based on the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Youth Catechism "We Walk With Christ").

Activities:

- Talks led by Ukrainian Catholic clergy and Youth Ministers
- Participation in the Divine Liturgy
- Team and trust building, decision making/problem solving
- Leadership games
- Chotky workshop (Eastern prayer rope)
- Prayer and testimonies
- Serving those in need
- Visit to the Shrine of Blessed Nun Martyrs
 Olympia & Laurentia

Registration Deadline: February 29, 2024

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Contact Info:

Religious Consultant, Byzantine Rite VMarko@gscs.ca





Our Speakers:



On November 30, 2023, the Vatican announced that His Holiness Pope Francis, having blessed the decision of the Synod of Bishops of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church (UGCC), appointed the Most Reverend Father Michael Smolinski, formerly the Provincial Superior of the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer in Canada, as the bishop of the Saskatoon Eparchy of the UGCC in Canada. **Bishop Michael Smolinski** previously worked in parishes in Saskatoon and Winnipeg and in an inner city mission in Winnipeg.

Mariel Cabrera looks forward to meeting and serving alongside you! She has enjoyed working in Youth and Young Adult Ministry within the Archdiocese of Toronto and the Salesians of St John Bosco for over 10 years. From running retreats to leadership workshops, promoting service programs and offering pilgrimage experiences, she is blessed to witness how Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit transform a person's heart. If she is not animating youth programming, you can find her driving around trying new restaurants, trip planning a dream vacation to some remote beach, watching a Disney movie or on the court playing basketball, volleyball or soccer.





Fr. Ivan Nahachewsky has been in full time ministry with the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church for 33 years, 29 of them as a priest. He is married with 4 children and 5 grandchildren. His ministry was mostly in rural Saskatchewan and now he is the Rector of the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral Parish of St. George. One of his favourite prayers is "Lord, strengthen me in this place."

Fr. Bo Nahachewsky is a married Ukrainian Catholic priest from Edmonton, iconographer, camp director, and fan of most things nerdy. With his three bright university-aged children and brilliant beautiful wife, he knows his missions in life: to serve God, to support everyone as much as he can, and to tell awful dad jokes. If he is not in the schools, colleges, or at the Eparchial Children's Camp, Fr. Bo is writing traditional icons and/or woodworking in his garage, or preparing to challenge a group of young adults in an epic adventure. Fr. Bo tries to keep the faith real, practical, and profound for all. ...and he cheers for the Roughriders.



Press release For immediate release

Canadian churches and Christian leaders call for peace as war in Ukraine enters its third year

February 21, 2024, Ottawa - February 24 marks the second anniversary of Russia's invasion of Ukraine. National representatives of Orthodox, Catholic, and Protestant communities, in collaboration with the World Evangelical Alliance's Peace and Reconciliation Network, the Evangelical Fellowship of Canada, and the Canadian Council of Churches, have signed this Pastoral Letter on Ukraine, Canada, and the Church, inviting all to join in praying for peace.

"Without in any way minimizing or ignoring the suffering and sorrow caused by war and violence in other areas of the world, we stand together in inviting Christians and all people of good will to prayerfully consider how we are all called, and might contribute to, the achievement of peace in and for Ukraine." – excerpt from the Pastoral Letter.

Endorsed by 45 leaders, the Letter identifies six meaningful ways by which to foster peace:

- 1. Pray
- 2. Support Ukrainian Refugees
- 3. Urge diplomatic steps towards a just and sustainable peace in Ukraine
- 4. Seek cooperative relationships of humanitarian support
- 5. Remember February 24, 2022
- 6. Hope for reconciliation

The President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, the Most Rev. William T. McGrattan, Bishop of Calgary, supported by the CCCB's Executive Committee, is one of the aforementioned signatories to the Letter, now available in English, French and Ukrainian. You are invited to share these links to pray and work together for peace.

Media Inquiries:

Maribel Mayorga Director of Communications Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB) Email: <u>communications@cccb.ca</u> Telephone: 613-241-9461, Ext. 225

SAINTS PETER & PAUL UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Served by the Ukrainian Catholic Redemptorists

Church Location: 10th Street East and Munroe Avenue

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

Office: 306-343-6516 Website: <u>www.sspp.ca</u> Auditorium: 306-343-0033 E-mail: <u>sspp@sasktel.net</u>

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. <u>aad.olenick@gmail.com</u> Children's Program Coordinators: <u>sspp.children@gmail.com</u> (*NEW*) Bulletin Editor: Michelle Alexandrovich <u>sspp.bulletin@sasktel.net</u> Submission Deadline: Wednesday 12 Noon

Divine Liturgy Schedule

Sunday

Feast Days 9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. Daily Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m. (Saturday evening) 9:00 a.m. (Ukrainian) & 11:00 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