

WE NEED YOUR INPUT!

The Parish is considering setting up Automatic withdrawal (***EFT -electronic fund transfer***) from parishioner's bank accounts as alternative to making your weekly envelope donation.

You get to set the monthly amount that would be withdrawn from your account.

Dates of the withdrawal would 15th or 30th of each month.

Would you be interested in setting up automatic withdrawal as way to make your donation?

YES ☐

NO ☐

Please leave your response in the collection basket Parish Council appreciates your feedback.

God bless!

DATE	TIME	EPISTLE	CANTOR	USHERS	ORGANIST	GREETERS
SAT OCT 8	5:00 pm English	Julian Abrametz	Peter Kobylka	Donald Gabora John Ostrowercha		
SUN OCT 9 <i>21st Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:00 am Ukrainian	Harry Kardynal	Ed Pindus	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood		
	11:00 am English	Susan Willson	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Victor Puchala Vickie Puchala	Iris Skehar	
SAT OCT 15	5:00 pm English	Delores Oucharek	Peter Kobylka	Julian Abrametz Julie Abrametz		
SUN OCT 16 <i>22nd Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:00 am Ukrainian			Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood		
	11:00 am English	Doug Falconer	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Doug Falconer Rhonda Falconer	Iris Skehar	

SUNDAY COLLECTION OCT 2 2016	Received in 178 Regular Envelopes \$ 3,453.00 Loose Collection \$ 79.55 Received in 12 Other Envelopes \$ 140.00 Received in 33 Seminary Fund Envelopes \$ 442.00
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ST. MARY'S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Церква Матері Божої Неустанної Помочі

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

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OCTOBER 9, 2016

Христос Посеред нас !

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Christ is Among Us !

He is and will be !



The parish community of St. Mary's extends a warm

Welcome - Вітаємо

to everyone who is with us today, especially all visitors.

We are pleased that you have come to pray with us this Sunday. May the Lord bless You.

Pastoral Care of the Ukrainian Redemptorists

Fr. Bohdan Lukie, CSsR - Pastor

Fr. Raymond Lukie, CSsR - Assistant Pastor

Fr. Methodius Kushko, CSsR - Assistant Pastor

OFFICE HOURS Monday - Friday

9:15 am - 12:00 pm 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Office 306-783-4594

Info Line 306-782-0654

SICK CALLS - Anytime

BAPTISMS & MARRIAGES* by Appointment

***Please contact the pastor at least six
months before the wedding date.**

DIVINE LITURGY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

Saturday	5:00 pm	English
Sunday	9:00 am	Ukrainian
	11:00 am	English

HOLY DAYS

9:00 am	Ukrainian	7:00 pm	English
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WEEKDAYS

8:00 am	Monday - Friday
9:00 am	Saturday

Beloved Parishioners and Guests,

Yes, we have much to be thankful for on this special weekend and before I elaborate on this topic, I would like to express a special **Thank you** to all you wonderful parishioners and friends who so sincerely expressed your condolences and prayers for my dear younger brother **+Alexander** who was called into God's service. We, as the Lukie clan, gathered in Winnipeg from far and wide to celebrate his life and to support his wife Angela and his four girls. God bless you!

I was most pleased last year when so many of you celebrated the **Thanksgiving Day** in a truly beautiful Christian manner. Even though we all have our own homes where we gather with our family and friends to celebrate this **“giving thanks”** day, let us begin our day together as a parish family in our own **House of Prayer**. Let us gratefully raise our voices together to thank God for His many generous blessings as we celebrate the THANKSGIVING LITURGY at **9:00 am** here in St. Mary's. This gives us plenty of time for celebrations with our family and friends. This is **not** just a long weekend for us!!!

Please, I beg you, remember that **Thanksgiving** is not just the turkey and the merriment, but it is the **giving of thanks!** Let us give thanks to God for having created us and for allowing us to exist! Let us thank God for giving us intelligence and the ability to think and to enjoy, to wonder and to comprehend all the beauty around us. Let us thank our loving God for giving us strength and perseverance to deal with our hardships and our trials and to appreciate the joys and happiness in our lives.

May you never be so busy in life that you do not have the time to say **“Thank You”**... thank you to God and thank you to the people in your life. Truly try not to take anything for granted, and mostly, do not procrastinate your warm expressions of appreciation and gratitude. Say it NOW before it is too late! No one needs tears of gratitude or funeral flowers over the grave! Do this to one another while we are very much alive!

Now as I end this weekly message, allow us to say our own **“Thank you” to all of you!** We, your priests, thank you for all of your prayers, for all of your support and for being part of our parish family. We thank you for your every good deed and kind word – not only to us, but to one another. Your loving generosity brings true peace and harmony which is so very important in all of our lives.

May this Thanksgiving be a time of warmth and joy and love and happiness for each of us and each of you and yours!

Дай Боже, щоб цей День Подяки був джерелом тепла і радості, тепла і радості, які я і вам від щирого серця бажаю....



FROM THE
PASTOR'S DESK

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 16	First Solemn Holy Communion Class	9:45 am
October 16	Adult Faith Presentation	10:00 am
October 17	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting	7:00 pm
October 17	Cultural Centre Board Meeting	7:30 pm
October 18	Parish Council Meeting	7:00 pm
October 20/27	Divine Liturgy at Gladstone Seniors Residence	10:30 am
October 22	Introduction to the New Catechism Seminar	9:00 am
October 23	First Solemn Holy Communion Class	9:45 am
October 23	First Solemn Holy Communion Inscription Service	11:00 am
October 26	Feast of Great Martyr Demetrius	
October 26	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	7:00 pm
October 27	Golden Agers Birthdays and Anniversaries	1:00 pm
November 3	Divine Liturgy at Yorkton & District Nursing Home	10:30 am
November 6	First Solemn Holy Communion Class	9:45 am
November 7	Knights of Columbus Meeting	7:00 pm
November 7	UCWLC Meeting	7:00 pm

The UCWLC Fall Tea and Bake sale is coming....November 19th!

Work Bee at the Cultural Centre

Potato Peeling ((Wednesday, October 19th in the afternoon)

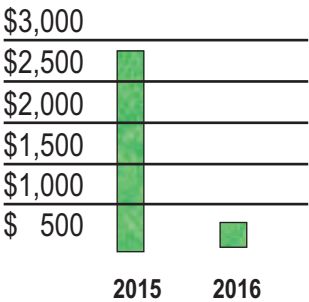
Perogies (Thursday, October 20th - starts at 9:00 am)

WE APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT!!!



Co-Missionary Fund
2015 -16

**OUR TARGET FOR THIS
YEAR IS \$3000.00**



Co-Missionary Fund Contributions can be made monthly, quarterly, semi-annually or annually. Our goal is to contribute \$250/month or \$3,000/yr. Please make your cheques payable to “St. Mary's” but memo the cheque *Co-Missionary Fund*.



The month of October is dedicated to the

Mother of God

You are invited to come and Pray the Rosary
prior the Divine Liturgy
on Saturday evenings and Sunday mornings.



Listen for the UKRAINIAN HOUR

Sundays 3:00 - 4:00 pm Mondays 10:00 - 11:00 pm
on 98.5 the ROCK

We are Looking for Little Angels Volunteers...

❖ Anyone in grades 7-12 can volunteer.

❖ The classes will be from October to May at the 11:00 Divine Liturgy.

❖ Volunteers are to **contact Rhonda Falconer**: falconereh@yahoo.com


Little Angels

This year, Little Angels classes will be on a “drop-in” basis.

**If there is a teacher volunteer and children present,
Classes will be held during the 11:00 Divine Liturgy
in the board room for children ages 3 - 7.

* Children must be escorted to the room after kissing the Gospel.
* One adult out of all the parents must stay with the group.






KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FAMILY CURLING

is starting in mid October.

Please call Jeff at (306) 783-5534 to register.




GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Tuesdays beginning October 11th until November 29th
7:00 – 8:30 pm Bailey’s Funeral Home (45 Fifth Ave. N.)

- An eight week series to help you through grief and all the emotions, thoughts and behaviours that come with it.

- Each meeting includes a discussion topic, video presentation and the opportunity to share or listen.

This group is open to anyone who is grieving a death loss and is free of charge.
Please contact Crystal Bailey for more information:
(306.783.7552) or crystalbailey@sasktel.net.



YORKTON DISTRICT PARISHES			
Schedule of Services in the Yorkton Pastoral District			
Please note: this schedule is subject to change, please check regularly			
BEAVERDALE	Sunday, October 9	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
CALDER	Sunday, October 30	11:00 am	Divine Liturgy
SHEHO (Town)	Sunday, October 23	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Praznyk
WHITESAND	Sunday, October 16	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy

21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

OCTOBER 9, 2016

The theme of Sunday is always Resurrection.
We invite you to refrain from kneeling during the Divine Liturgy.



Today’s special liturgical parts & readings are found on pages 4-6 in the
Tropars, Kondaks, Epistle & Gospel Readings
booklets that are found at the entrances of the church.
Next Week’s Readings: **Epistle** - Galatians 6:11-18 **Gospel** - Luke 16:19-31

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY’S	
SUN Thanksgiving Food Drive
	9:00 am Divine Liturgy
	11:00 am..... Divine Liturgy
MON	9:00 am..... Divine Liturgy *Thanksgiving Day
TUE	12:00 Noon..... Holy Rosary Hour
	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm..... Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
SAT	9:00 am..... Divine Liturgy
	1:00 pm..... Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo
	5:00 pm..... Divine Liturgy



We are thankful, for our food, and our many blessings,
Thank you Lord. Amen.

Wishing you a blessed Thanksgiving!

PARISH OFFICE HOURS - The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, October 10th for the Thanksgiving Day Holiday.

WEDDING PLANS ??- If you are planning to be married at St. Mary’s or any of the Yorkton District parishes, **please contact Fr. Bohdan (306-783-4594) at least six months before the wedding date.**

DEADLINE for submissions to the bulletin is Tuesdays at 4:30 pm.



EMAIL BULLETIN - If you would like to have the Bulletin emailed to you please send your request to: cssrmonastery@sasktel.net

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

We express our sympathy & prayers to the family & friends of **+Nicholas Lushney**
for whom funeral services will be on Thursday - 11:00 am (St. Mary’s Church).

We also express our sympathy & prayers to the family & friends of **+Christine Boychuk** for whom funeral services will be on Thursday - 7:00 pm & Friday - 10:30 am (Yorkton Memorial Gardens Family Centre)

Вічна Память

God Grant Them Eternal Rest

Вічна Память

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9

21st Sunday after Pentecost / Holy Fathers of the 7th Council Galatians 2:16-20 ~ Luke 8:5-15

MON Oct 10 Martyr Eulampius Colossians 2:13-21 ~ Luke 9:18-22

9:00 am* God's Blessings for Tony & Edna Mazur (60th Anniversary).....Children & Grandchildren

9:00 am* Thanksgiving.....Peter & Anna Gulka

TUE Oct 11 Apostle Phillip Colossians 2:20-3:3 ~ Luke 9:23-27

8:00 am Health & God's Blessings for Peter & Anna Gulka (50th Anniversary).....Peter & Marion Yacyshyn

8:00 am Health for Verna Kozi.....Delores & Emil Strutynski

8:00 am Health & God's Blessings for Lena Tymiak.....Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood

8:00 am God's Blessings for Yorkton Redemptorists & Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate.....UCWLC

WED Oct 12 Martyr Probus Colossians 3:17-4:1 ~ Luke 9:44-50

8:00 am +William Evancio.....Lena & family

8:00 am +Nestor Kyba.....Victor & Vickie Puchala

8:00 am +Stella Tratch.....Sophia Pisiak

8:00 am +Mervin Bilyk.....Richard & Verlee Zulyniak

THU Oct 13 Martyr Carpus Colossians 4:2-9 ~ Luke 9:49-56

8:00 am Health & God's Blessings for Orest Zahayko.....Grace & family

8:00 am Health & God's Blessings for Walter & Pauline Prystai.....N.N.

FRI Oct 14 Venerable Parasceva Colossians 4:10-18 ~ Luke 10:1-15

8:00 am  Health & God's Blessings for John & Adeline Pacholka.....SSMI

8:00 am Strength & Perseverance for Trish Balaniuk.....Mom

SAT Oct 15 Venerable Euthymius 2 Corinthians 5:1-10 ~ Luke 7:2-10

9:00 am Health for Kade Dobko.....Genie & Theo Trotz

5:00 pm Health & God's Blessings for Sr. Marijka Konderewicz, SSMI.....Adult Faith Formation

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS - If you are making an offering for this service by cheque, please make your cheque payable to: Ukrainian Catholic Mission



Come and Pray the Rosary for Peace in the World Thursday, October 13th - 12:00 Noon

On October 13, 1917, the Mother of God appeared to three shepherd children, with these words. *"I am the Lady of the Rosary"*, requesting the recitation of the Rosary daily, for peace and to make reparation for sinners, and obtain their conversion. We are all asked to respond to the "Queen of the Holy Rosary" and offer our Rosary as a "spiritual bouquet of roses" to place these petitions, in her powerful intercession.

All parishioners are invited to come. Please come, prayers are urgently needed.

Saint Mary's Building Fund Donations



Balance of the Fund to date: \$ 315,370.21 Thank you very much

Donations may be given anytime.

All funds collected will be used for the future renovations of our church.

Building Fund Envelopes are available at the entrances of the Church

ST. MARY'S CHURCH DONATIONS

In Memory of Peter "Peco" Chorney

Lawrence & Stella Malawski & family	\$100.00	Jim & Jean Horban	\$ 20.00
Peter Wyatt	\$ 60.00	Elmer & Eldeen Dorosh	\$ 20.00
Art & Anne Simpson	\$ 50.00	Katherine Wdowach	\$ 20.00
Donna Kahoot	\$ 50.00	Joe & Emily Shuya	\$ 20.00
Mark & Karen Levesque	\$ 50.00	Glen & Jean Zacher	\$ 20.00
Rudy & Stephanie Karakochuk	\$ 40.00	Alice Derow & Family	\$ 20.00
Slavko, Tatiana, Alex & Maiya Hajduk	\$ 40.00	Ted & Ann Ronn	\$ 20.00
Lori Pugh	\$ 35.00	Bill & Helene Mass	\$ 15.00
Barb Bradley	\$ 35.00	Ella Kahoot	\$ 10.00
Terry Romanyshyn	\$ 35.00	Nestor & Elaine Prystay & Family	\$ 10.00
Barry Romanyshyn	\$ 35.00	Jim & Ann Kinaschuk	\$ 10.00
Stella Krochak	\$ 20.00		

CHURCH DONATIONS

To ensure that your donation is properly recorded and acknowledged, please mark your envelope and the memo line on your cheque **"In memory of..."** or **"On the occasion of..."**

INFORMATION FOR VOTING IN SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

The Municipal Elections will take place on Wednesday, October 26th.



Please refer to the yellow sheet at the church entrances for answers to common questions regarding the Catholic School Board Election.

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE This Weekend - OCTOBER 8TH AND 9TH



This Thanksgiving the Outreach Committee of St. Mary's Church encourages you, our Parishioners, to remember those less fortunate. We will be having a food drive during the Divine Liturgies on **Saturday, October 8 and Sunday, October 9**. The Outreach Committee welcomes your donations of the food items listed below. Also, there are Outreach envelopes available at the entrances, for those who would prefer a monetary donation. **Non-perishable food items only, please.** Thank you for your support!

**granola/snack bars
dill pickles
ketchup
jello cups**

**canned soup
jam
Cheese Whiz
pudding cups**

**spaghetti sauce
pancake syrup
mustard
cereal**

**pork & beans
kidney beans
cookies
juice boxes**



Дякуймо Богові

Вдячність це одна з найкращих людських і християнських чеснот. На жаль, сьогодні ця чеснота є сильно занедбана і не багато людей практикує її в щоденнім житті так супроти Бога, як супроти інших людей, що добро їм чинять.

День Подяки це пригадка нам усім, щоб ми були вдячні тим, що якнебудь і денебуть чинять нам якесь добро і послугують нам у житті чи то своїми ділами, словами, добрим прикладом чи то молитвами, бо кожне добре діло вчинене нам заслуговує на подяку. Бог нагороджує різними ласками і добродійствами те, що ми чинимо для нього, от коли молимося, ходимо до церкви, зберігаємо його заповіді або послугуємо ближньому ради Бога. Христос заявив: "Направду кажу вам: Хто подасть хоча б кухлик холодної води як мому учневі одному з цих малих, то він не втратить своєї нагороди" (Матей 10:42)

Люди не гідні завжди віддячуватися ділами тим, що їм чинять добро, тому вони повинні бодай словами дякувати їм і молитися за тих, що вчинили їм якесь добро або прислугу. Вдячність сильно подобається Богові і людям. Св. Йосафам Кунцевич каже: "Бог має два помешкання, одне в небі, а друге в лагідних і вдячних серцях."



*Just this once, Lord, I want to come to You with no problems, but simply to say, Thank You
Thank You for Your abiding presence that makes every day I live a day of thanks.*



RELIGIOUS CLASSES FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN

Happily our Ukrainian Catholic Synod of Bishops has translated the newly-created Catechism - Christ our Pascha into English for our Canadian parishioners. What a wonderful gift to us as we become more familiar with our Ukrainian Catholic faith.

Yes, I have had the opportunity to review it and it is very well done! We presently have only 75 copies available and could order more if the need arises...

To introduce us to this excellent book, we are blessed to host Fr. Gregory Hrynkiw of Saskatoon who will provide a half-day Seminar to help us to deepen our appreciation and knowledge of our faith. Fr. Greg is an entertaining and most knowledgeable theologian who will effectively teach us "how to best use this book".

Please set aside this day as a couple, as a family, as a parishioner...

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22ND

9:00 am	Divine Liturgy – come and pray if you can..
10:00 am -12:00 Noon	First Session - with coffee & dainties
12:00 Noon-1:00 pm	A light lunch
1:00 - 3:30 pm	Second Session – with a coffee break

What a wonderful opportunity for us Christian adults to experiencing our Faith!

SUNDAY MORNING FAITH PRESENTATIONS

Last fall and spring, we hosted an excellent DVD program **Catholicism** capably conducted by Janet Lawrence and Pat Thompson **every second Sunday at 10:00-11:00 am** in the Golden Agers' Room. About 20-25 parishioners took advantage of this lively and colourful presentation of our Catholic faith by **Father Robert Barron**.

We will commence a 6 session challenging follow-up on: October 16 & 23, November 6 & 20, December 4 & 18 between **10:15 & 11:00 am**, followed by 11:00 am Divine Liturgy...

We strongly encourage all interested parishioners to participate...



FIRST SOLEMN HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAM

We are most pleased that **13** little children have been registered by their parents for our First Solemn Holy Communion program, wonderfully conducted by Diane Stadnyk.

Classes commence at **9:45 am** sharp, followed by the **11:00 am** Divine Liturgy.

Concurrently, we will be offering the **parents special classes**, at least, once per month - **October 23rd, November 20th and December 18th.**

All Parents are expected to actively participate in these classes...

