

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SUNDAY BRUNCH

Sunday, March 18th



St. Mary's Cultural Centre Following the 10:00 am Divine Liturgy

*Adults \$10.00 * Children (12 & under) \$6.00 * *FAMILY \$30.00 * CHILDREN (5 & UNDER) FREE *

The Knights Would Appreciate your Support! Everyone Welcome !



St. Mary's UCWLC



will be selling Bake Sale Items at the Brunch. There will be Babkas, Paskas, Cabbage Rolls and Perogies for sale.

Date	Тіме	EPISTLE	CANTOR	USHERS	Organist
Sat Mar 17	5:00 pm English	Delores Oucharek	Saturday Evening Group	Ann Musey Jean Kitsch	
Sun Mar 18 5th Sunday of Lent	10:00 am Ukr/Eng	lvan Bachynskyy	Ed Pindus	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
Sat Mar 24	5:00 pm English	Peter Kobylka	Saturday Evening Group	John Ostrowercha Vicky Ostrowercha	
Sun Mar 25 Willow (Palm) Sunday9:00 am UkrainianHarry Kardynal		Colette Karapita	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood		
	11:00 am English	Sharla Schrader	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Fred Schrader Sharla Schrader	lris Skehar
SUNDAY Received in 164 Regular Envelopes				\$ 2,601.00	
COLLECTION MARCH 11,		Loose Collection			
2018	Received	Received in 17 Other Envelopes			

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ST. MARY'S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

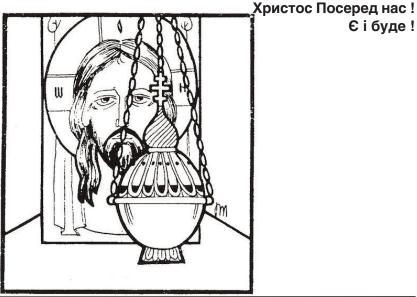
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Our Mother of Perpetual Help

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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.

Saturday

Sunday

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

5:00 pm 9:00 am 11:00 am

English Ukrainian English

Єібуде!

WEEKDAYS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 8:00 am 9:00 am Saturday

LITURGY OF THE PRESANCTIFIED GIFTS

7:00 pm Wednesday & Friday Enalish

WAY OF THE CROSS

6:00 pm Sundays English/Ukrainian





SATURDAY, MARCH 24

5:00 pm (English) - Divine Liturgy & blessing of Pussy Willows

SUNDAY, MARCH 25 - WILLOW SUNDAY / FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION

9:00 am (Ukrainian) - Divine Liturgy & blessing of Pussy Willows 11:00 am (English) - Divine Liturgy & blessing of Pussy Willows

MONDAY, MARCH 26

7:00 pm - Presanctified Liturgy

TUESDAY, MARCH 27

6:30 pm - Confessions 7:00 pm - Presanctified Liturgy

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

6:30 pm - Confessions 7:00 pm - Presanctified Liturgy & the Sacrament of Anointing

THURSDAY, MARCH 29 - HOLY THURSDAY

7:00 pm - Vespers, Last Supper Divine Liturgy & Washing of Feet

FRIDAY, MARCH 30 - GOOD FRIDAY

10:00 am - Passion of Our Lord - 12 Gospels 2:30 pm - Vespers - Enthronement of the Holy Shroud 7:00 pm - Jerusalem Matins

SATURDAY, MARCH 31- HOLY SATURDAY

10:30 am - Easter Divine Liturgy & Blessing of Easter Foods at Gladstone Seniors' Residence
2:00 pm - Vespers & Divine Liturgy
3:30 pm & 4:30 pm - Blessing of Easter Foods
8:00 pm - (English) Resurrection Matins & Easter Divine Liturgy

SUNDAY, APRIL 1 - RESURRECTION SUNDAY

7:00 am - (Ukrainian) Resurrection Matins, Divine Liturgy & blessing of Easter Foods10:00 am - (English) Easter Divine Liturgy

Monday, April 2 - Friday, April 6 - Bright Week 9:00 am - Divine Liturgy





UPCOMING EVENTS

March 25	Feast of the Annunciation	
March 25	Willow (Palm) Sunday	
March 25	First Solemn Holy Communion Class & Parents' Class	9:45 am
April 1	Resurrection - Easter	
April 7	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	7:00 pm
April 9	Knights of Columbus Meeting	7:00 pm
April 9	UCWLC Meeting	7:00
April 9	Cultural Centre Board Meeting	7:30 pm
April 13	Holy Rosary Hour	12:00 Noon
April 15	First Solemn Holy Communion Class (Review & Practice)	9:45 am
April 16	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting	7:00 pm
April 17	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	7:00 pm
April 20-22	Knights of Columbus State Convention (Hosted by Yorkton)	
April 21	Knights of Columbus Bingo	7:00 pm
April 22	First Solemn Holy Communion	11:00 am
April 26	Golden Agers Birthdays & Anniversaries	1:00 pm
May 10	Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord	

Musée Ukraina Museum Inc. 2018 Lottery Winners for February

\$20.00 Winners: Nancy Herasymiuk-Melville, Lorraine Hnidy-Wakaw, Ernest Paluck-Regina, Lena Bihun-Regina, Bruce Schwanbeck-Saskatoon, Keith Kuz-Prince Albert, Stanley & Eileen Ganczar-Weyburn, St. Mary's UCWLC-Yorkton, Elizabeth Kehrig-Prince Albert, Jerry Beblow-Regina, Johanna Bidulka-Prud'homme, Shirley Oleskiw-Regina, Cheryl MacDonald-Saskatoon, Kasie Leschyshyn-Saskatoon, Carl Okrainetz-Canora, Tammy Gerein-Yorkton, Nellie Chubak-Prince Albert, St. Athanasius UCWLC-Regina, Victor & Vickie Puchala-Yorkton, Mary Pizurny-Corman Park, Klarissa Komarnicki-Saskatoon. *\$50.00 Winners:* Isabel Evans-Regina, Sharon Sobkow-Calder, Dodee Flegel-Regina, Marianne Del Col -Porcupine(ON). *\$100.00 Winners:* Spencer McArthur-Wakaw, Liz Herasymiuk-Regina. *\$300.00 Winner:* Bobbie Derkach-Saskatoon.

> Congratulations to all the winners There are still 306 chances to win cash prizes in the 2018 Calendar Lottery! Lottery License #RR17-0035

COVENANT OF CARE ABUSE AND MISCONDUCT PROTOCOL



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 Coordinator of Care (PCC) *Geraldine Koban* at 306-782-0270 or *Deb Larmour*, Eparchial Coordinator of Care at (306)653-0138 ext. 228 or email: covenantofcare@skeparchy.org

More information is available on the Eparchial Website, www.skeparchy.org

	CHRIST THE TEACHER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS EVENTS for the week of Mar 12 - 16					
	SACRED HEART	St. Alphonsus	St. Mary's	St. Michael's	St. Paul's	St. Theodore's
Mon		Stations of the Cross 10:00 am Fruit Pick up @ Royal Honda			Gr. 7 & 8 to SHHS for Drama Gr. 4 Swimming	
TUES		Fruit Pick up @ Royal Honda				
WED		Student Recognition Awards 1:00 pm			Lent Service 9:00 am	
Thurs		Gr. 8 Overnight Ski Trip Gr. 5 Band Trip to Regina			Gr. 5 Band Trip to Regina Gr. 4 Swimming	
Fri		Gr. 8 Overnight Ski Trip				



ST. MARY'S UCWLC FUNDRAISER STEAK NIGHT Saturday, April 14th 5:00–7:00pm at Tapps Brewing Company Ltd.



Tickets: \$25.00 (age restricted)

For tickets contact: Doreen Rathgeber 306-782-1527 Verlee Zulyniak 306-783-6781 Elizabeth Zahayko 306-783-6232 or 306-783-4594

YORKTON DISTRICT PARISHES

Schedule of Services in the Yorkton Pastoral District **Please note: this schedule is subject to change, please check regularly**				
CALDER	Sunday, March 25	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Willow Sunday)	
	Friday, March 30	3:00 pm	Vespers & Shroud	
	Sunday, April 1	9:00 am	Easter Divine Liturgy & Food Blessing	
INSINGER (St. Nicholas)	Saturday, April 7	6:00 pm	Easter Divine Liturgy (Julian Calendar)	
MELVILLE	Sunday, March 18	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy	
	Sunday, March 25	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy (Willow Sunday)	
A.	Thursday, March 29	6:30 pm	Holy Thursday - confessions	
(and		7:00 pm	Way of the Cross	
Stanne ?	Friday, March 30	1:00 pm	Good Friday - Shroud Service	
BI-BI	Sunday, April 1	8:00 am	Resurrection Matins & Divine Liturgy	

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 18, 2018 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 in the Tropars, Kondaks, Epistle & Gospel Readings booklets that are found at the entrances of the church. Next Week's Readings: Epistle - Philippians 4:4-9 Gospel - John 12:1-18 THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S SUN 10:00 am*...... Divine Liturgy *Note only One Divine Liturgy 11:15 am..... Knights of Columbus Brunch St. Mary's UCWLC Bake Sale continues St. Mary's Annual General Meeting 6:00 pm...... Way of the Cross MON 7:00 pm...... Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting TUES 12:00 Noon......Holy Rosary Hour 1:00 - 4:00 pm..... Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament **WED** 7:00 pm.....Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts THU 1:00 pm...... Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo 7:00 pm...... Knights of Columbus Prayer Program 10:30 am...... Divine Liturgy at Gladstone Seniors' Residence FRI 7:00 pm..... Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts SAT Lazarus Saturday

9:00 am...... 5:00 pm...... Divine Liturgy (*Blessing of Pussy Willows*)

AGM MEETING REPORT BOOKS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ARE AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH ENTRANCES FOR TODAY'S ANNUAL MEETING

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.

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

We express our sympathy & prayers to the family & friends of **+John Kozie and +Anna Peeskar** who passed away recently.

Вічная Память God Grant Them Eternal Rest Вічная Память

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS SUNDAY, MARCH 18

	CONDAT, MARK	
Fifth Sunday of	of Lent	Hebrews 9:11-14 ~ Mark 10:32-45
MON Mar 19	Martyr Chrysantus	Colossians 3:12-16 ~ Luke 11:34-41
8:00 am	+Michael ChoptyCo	ousins Vivian, Albert, Melvin, Arthur & Janice
8:00 am	+Norman Yasinsky	Ted & Sonya Wlock
TUES Mar 20		1 Thessalonians 5:14-23 ~ Mark 8:30-34
8:00 am	+Julia Wlock	Family
8:00 am	+Andy & Mary Sebulski	MaryAnn Sebulski
WED Mar 21	Confessor James	Ephesians 4:7-13 ~ Luke 12:16-21
7:00 pm	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts	
THU Mar 22	Priest Martyr Basil	Galatians 4:4-7 ~ Luke 18:18-27
8:00 am	+Deceased Puchala Family Members	sFamily
8:00 am	+Mike Lackmanec	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood
FRI Mar 23	Venerable Nicon	Ephesians 2:4-10 ~ Matthew 4:1-11
7:00 pm	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts	
SAT Mar 24	Lazarus Saturday	Hebrews 12:28-13:8 ~ John 11:1-46
9:00 am	Health & God's Blessings for Brian	Sandi
5:00 pm	Speedy Recovery for Allan Bailey	Larry & Sandra German

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

**In accordance with the New Eparchial Stipend Schedule (effective November 1, 2017), the suggested stipend (offering) for a Divine Liturgy Intention is now \$20.00.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

There will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on: Tuesday, March 27th and Tuesday, April 3rd.

Fifth in the Podcast Series on Discovering the Unity of Life and Love :

This Sunday's segment of the Document will directly address the issue of "gender theory"-exploring why we encounter it and what is at stake if we try to remove or blur gender difference in the human person created in the "image and likeness of God". On the Further Reflection a video of one man's journey to healing and wholeness in this area.



Find the podcast by going to the Eparchy of Saskatoon Family and Life Office website www.skeparchy.org/flo Or go to www.skeparchy.org and click on the Family and Life Office icon. It is never too late to join us... So take some time to go deeper in your faith...its just a few clicks away.

Saint Mary's Building Fund Donations



Balance of the Fund to date: \$ 326,644.91 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 Pauline Dennis Pauline Spilchen

\$ 10.00

Thank you very much

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 ... "

NOTICE OF ST. MARY'S PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



Today – Sunday, March 18th at St. Mary's Cultural Centre You are encouraged to attend Divine Liturgy at 10:00 am (There will be only one Divine Liturgy on this Sunday)

The Annual General Meeting will follow the Knights of Columbus Brunch

All parishioners are urged to attend.

The Nominating Committee has the responsibility to propose a slate of officers and chairpersons for the various committees of the Parish Council. The following is a proposed slate of officers and chair. persons for the various committees.

Parish Council Executive				
President:	Gwen Bilyk	Past President: Geraldine Koban		
Vice-President:	Bill Prybylski	Treasurer: Kathy Rusnak /Leona Matisho		
Secretary:	Vicky Ostrowercha	, ,		
	Parish Council Cor	nmittees:		
Children & Youth:	Lana Klemetski, She	lly Kluk		
Communications:	Julie Abrametz, Tom Abrametz, Mary Prybylski			
Education:	Pat Thompson, Janet Lawrence			
Finance: Fred Schrader				
Liturgical:	Lorne Stechyshyn, La	aurie Fedorowich, Ron Wizniak		
Maintenance:	Peter Moroz, Bob Pa			
Outreach:	Outreach: Verlee Zulyniak			
Parish Activities:				
Stewardship: Vi Protz				

If you are interested in any one of these positions, please, call one of the following nominating committee members: Fr. Bohdan Lukie, CSsR, Dave Spelay, Geraldine Koban or Larry German.



The Chaplet of Divine Mercy

The Divine Mercy Novena is prayed between **Good Friday**, **March 30th** and **Divine Mercy Sunday**, April 8th.

Those praying the novena are to pray for the special intentions of each day followed by the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.

St. Faustina wrote that Jesus told her, "On each day of the novena you will bring to My heart a different group of souls and you will immerse them in this ocean of My mercy ... On each day you will beg My Father, on the strength of My passion, for the graces for these souls. (Diary of Faustina, 1209)

Please watch the upcoming bulletin for more information.....

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

A Chance to Warm Hearts...

Pope Francis said, *"For Jesus, what matters above all is reaching out, healing wounds, and restoring people to the family of God."* What matters above all for you? Are you looking for an opportunity to sync your values and interests with those of Jesus?



The Welcome Home – A mission of St. Alphonsus, is a Redemptorist inner city ministry in Winnipeg, MB that reaches out to those on the periphery of our church and society. This ministry has been working for 25 years to build a community that embraces the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of those in need, "warming hearts and healing wounds."



Are you searching for a place to belong and serve, where you can listen and take the time to befriend Canada's most abandoned? *We are now accepting applicants, ages 20 and up, for a 10 month live-in community, commenc-ing September 1, 2018.* Explore the possibilities of giving your time and talent and receive a life changing experience in return!

Please visit thewelcomehome.ca or contact Delores Courchene for additional information: whome01@mymts.net or (204) 946-5352

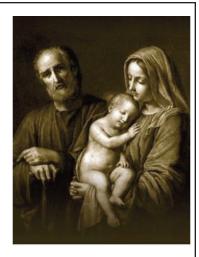


Kníghts of Columbus Holy Famíly Prayer Program 2018

The Traveling Icon will be here at St. Mary's on:

Wednesday, March 21st - Friday, March 23rd

Please join the Knights of Columbus for the Prayer Program on Thursday, March 22nd at 7:00 pm at St. Mary's Church



"The future of the world and of the Church passes through the family," observed St. John Paul II, whom Pope Francis called "the Pope of the Family." Recognizing the vital role of families in the world, the Knights of Columbus has dedicated its 17th Orderwide prayer program to the Holy Family, with the intention of strengthening Catholic families and their prayer lives.

The featured image for this program is an etching of the Holy Family by Giovanni Balestra (1774-1842). The original etching, based on a painting by Giovanni Battista Salvi da Sassoferrato (1609-1685), is housed in the Pontifical John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family in Rome.



MOBILE DEVICES

You are kindly reminded to silence your mobile devices upon entering the church.



Beloved Sisters and Brothers of Our Mother of Perpetual Help parish,

One of the most beautiful and expressive images of Our Lord Jesus in the Gospel of St. John is that of **"Good Shepherd"**:



PASTOR'S DESK

"I am the Good Shepherd; I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for my sheep." John 10: 14-15

The *"ideal"* to which a Pastor strives is to become the *"Good Shepherd"* for his *"sheepfold"*, just as Jesus was and is for each and everyone of us.

A 'good shepherd' knows his flock and they know him. "...the sheep hear his voice, one by one, he calls his own sheep and leads them out. When he brings out his flock, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow because they know his voice." John 10:3

For almost three years now, I have been your **'shepherd'**. I have come to know you, almost all of you by name, to love each of you and to hopefully lead you to a greener pasture – to a fuller life of faith. As I live each day, as I expend my energy and time for you, I am trying to *"lay down my life for you."*

Together we strive and struggle in our faith commitment to our Church and to one another.. At times, we stumble and fall, but rise again to try anew.

I, first of all, thank you for giving me the opportunity to be your 'Shepherd', for accepting me as I am and for forgiving me when I fail to be the 'good shepherd'. Thank you for your sincere and kind words of encouragement and strong support, for your heartfelt prayers and generous love.

I reflect upon the many hours and days I have devoted to preparing new little 'lambs' for their Baptism into our parish flock, or the slightly more mature ones for the reception of the 'Good Shepherd' in Holy Communion, or the young couples who, romantically and spiritually, are anticipating the blessing of their love in sacramental Marriage.

How many times we, as a parish family, celebrated the Sunday Banquet of Love, as we prayed together and encouraged one another. How many times we

mourned with you as we celebrated the 'final farewell' for a beloved, called into the Heavenly Pasture. Yes, how often we, as Christ's sheepfold, have shared precious moments of sadness and happiness, times of sorrow and joy, as we strove to be **'only one flock and one Shepherd.**"

These past years have been very memorable ones as we celebrated the Millennium of Ukrainian Christianity, the Centennial of Ukrainians in Canada, the Centennial of the Ukrainian Redemptorists, the Centennial of our Mother of Perpetual Help parish, etc. We were strongly encouraged to *'renew'* our Catholic faith and commitment to our Ukrainian church and our people.

And now this year we have the privilege of celebrating the **150**th Anniversary of the birth of our great founder – **Father Achilles Delaere CSsR**, who dedicated his energy, his whole life and soul to pastorally care for our Ukrainian immigrants who arrived by the 1000's to western Canada. This year our annual *Vidpust* in June will rightfully focus on the *"gift"* of this man, also the founder of Ukrainian Redemptorists who at great personal sacrifice saved the Catholic faith of all our fellow Ukrainians.

Sadly, we have had to share some very painful moments in our parishes with the pre-mature and untimely deaths of two of our active Redemptorist confreres, **+Father Boris Kyba** (*May 2nd*) and **+Father Peter Pidskalny** (*October 15th*). This obviously has strongly affected our pastoral ministry in Yorkton and district; Father Ray and I are doing our best to also alternately serve Ituna and parishes and we are pleased that Father Methodius is doing his share in visiting many of shut-ins and the nursing homes. Please pray that we remain strong and healthy to serve.

So very much awaits us! Let us together strive to *"re-build, re-new, re-store and re-dedicate"* all our parishes in our districts and especially here at St. Mary's as caring, compassionate, loving, worshipping families of God. Our future depends upon you and your love and concern for our Catholic Church.

A gracious heart-felt THANK YOU to all our parish organizations – be it, the Parish Council, the UCWL, the Brotherhood, the Knights of Columbus, the Golden-Agers Club, the Adult Lay Formation, the Adult and the Children's Religious program, the Cultural Centre and the Parish Choirs and Cantors. All of you, as a group and as individuals, strive to make our Ukrainian churches into *"Vibrant Parishes"*.

May the "Good Shepherd", Our Lord Jesus and His Blessed Mother Mary truly watch over us all as we offer our lives to God Our Father!