



## YORKTON DEANERY ADULT FAITH FORMATION

SEPTEMBER 2018 - JUNE 2019

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH - YORKTON

FRIDAY 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM SATURDAY 7:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Mark your Calendar! Topic: Gospel of Matthew

September 21 & 22, 2018	October 19 & 20, 2018
November 9 & 10, 2018	December 7 & 8, 2018
January 18 & 19, 2019	February 15 & 16, 2019
March 15 & 16, 2019	April 12 & 13, 2019
May 11 & 12, 2019	June 7 & 8, 2019

Cost: \$80.00 For further information contact:

UCREC rel.ed@sasktel.net, Geraldine Koban (306)621-3436, Doreen Rathgeber (306)621-1522



**LITURGY LIVE:** Not able to get to church? Away on vacation? At home sick? Tune in to Divine Liturgy on Sundays at 9:30 am by going to <https://livestream.com/dormition>, or [www.facebook.com/DormitionSaskatoon/](http://www.facebook.com/DormitionSaskatoon/).

DATE	TIME	EPISTLE	CANTOR	USHERS	ORGANIST
SAT SEPT 8	5:00 pm English	Tom Abrametz	Saturday Evening Group	Gwen Bilyk Doreen Rathgeber	
SUN SEPT 9 <i>Sunday before the Exaltation</i>	10:00 am Eng / Ukr	Doug Falconer	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Doug Falconer Ed Lischynski	Iris Skehar
SAT SEPT 15	5:00 pm English	Sr. Suzanne Kokuruds	Saturday Evening Group	4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Glen Tymiak Steven Hrynkiw	
SUN SEPT 16 <i>Sunday after the Exaltation</i>	10:00 am Ukr / Eng	Bernie Stephaniuk	Ed Pindus	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	

<b>SUNDAY COLLECTION SEPT 2, 2018</b>	Received in 138 Regular Envelopes .....	\$ 3,970.00
	Loose Collection.....	\$ 97.00
	Received in 18 Other Envelopes .....	\$350.00

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UCBC - Larry German 306-782-2461 CULTURAL CENTRE - Russ Thompson 306-782-9425

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## ST. MARY'S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Церква Матері Божої Неустанної Помочі

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

155 Catherine Street, Yorkton, SK S3N 0B9

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PARISH BULLETIN

SEPTEMBER 9, 2018

Christ is Among Us!  
He is and will be!

Христос Посеред нас!  
Є і буде!



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  
10:00 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

(JUNE 3-SEPTEMBER 30)

Saturday	5:00 pm	English
Sunday	10:00 am	Eng/Ukr

#### HOLY DAYS

9:00 am

#### WEEKDAYS

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

## Dear Beloved Parishioners and Guests,

Truly the school year is in full swing after a much appreciated summer vacation – which obviously must have flown by, not only for the students, but also for all parents. A school year was completed back in June and now everyone is experiencing a higher grade, or off to University or work! We sincerely wish all these happy students much success and much energy to accomplish another exciting school year!

The educational system has changed over the years – be it for the student or the teacher who strives to impart a wholesome, positive and challenging formation – no, the word should be “**education**” --- from Latin: “*e-ducare*” - ‘to bring out the best’...

A poem, attributed to a young 15 year old student who received an “A” for its insights and a sad reflection upon our current society is worth sharing with you:

The **Lord's Prayer** is not allowed in most public schools anymore:

### A NEW School Prayer

Now I sit me down in school  
Where praying is against the rule  
For this great nation under God  
Finds mention of Him very odd.

If scripture now the class recites,  
It violates the Bill of Rights.  
And anytime my head I bow  
Becomes a Federal matter now.

Our hair can be purple, orange or green,  
That's no offense; it's a freedom scene.  
The law is specific, the law is precise.  
Prayers spoken aloud are a serious vice.

For praying in a public hall  
Might offend someone with no faith at all.  
In silence alone we must meditate  
God's name is prohibited by the State..

We're allowed to cuss and dress like freaks,  
And pierce our noses, tongues and cheeks...!  
They've outlawed guns, but FIRST the Bible,  
To quote the Good Book makes me liable.

We can elect a pregnant Senior Queen  
And the '*unwed daddy*', our Senior King.  
It's '*inappropriate*' to teach right from wrong  
We're taught that such '*judgments*' do not belong.

We can get our condoms and birth controls,  
Study witchcraft, vampires and totem poles...  
But the Ten Commandments are not allowed,  
No word of God must reach this crowd.

It's scary here I must confess,  
When chaos reigns, the school's a mess.  
So, Lord, this silent plea I make:  
Should I be shot; My soul please take! Amen

Truly there is much wisdom in this poem and definitely food for thought! Yes, we are most blessed that in our Catholic schools much of this does not apply...

Wishing you a beautiful, peaceful, lovely and even lucky week!



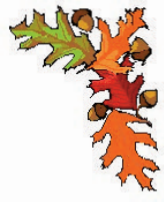
## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

## UPCOMING EVENTS

September 17	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting	7:00 pm
September 23	First Solemn Communion Registration & Parents' Meeting	11:15 am
September 23	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	7:00 pm
September 27	Golden Agers Birthdays & Anniversaries	1:00 pm
September 28	Knights of Columbus Bingo	1:00 pm
October 1	<i>Feast of the Patronage of the Mother of God</i>	
October 1	Knights of Columbus Meeting	7:00 pm
October 1	UCWLC Meeting	7:00 pm
October 8	Cultural Centre Board Meeting	7:30 pm
October 16	Parish Council Meeting	7:00 pm
November 13	Holy Rosary Hour	12:00 Noon



**St. Gerard's Annual Fall Supper**  
**Sunday, September 30<sup>th</sup>**  
**4:30 – 6:30 pm**  
**St. Gerard's Parish Complex**  
**Bring a friend and enjoy a delicious meal!**  
**Everyone is welcome!**



**BROTHER STANISLAUS ASSEMBLY #1286**  
**4<sup>TH</sup> DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION**  
**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup>**  
**ST. MARY'S CULTURAL CENTRE**



Registration - 1:30 pm      Exemplification - 2:30 - 4:30 pm  
Class Picture (In Church) - 4:30      Divine Liturgy (St. Mary's) - 5:00 pm  
Installation of Officers - 6:00 pm      Banquet (Cultural Centre) - 7:00 pm

Cost: Candidate Exemplification Fee - \$70 Banquet Ticket- \$25

**\*\*Deadline for Banquet Tickets - Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>\*\***

Contact: Dave Spelay @ 306-782-5320 or 306-621-3360

## 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](mailto:covenantofcare@skeparchy.org)



More information is available on the Eparchial Website, [www.skeparchy.org](http://www.skeparchy.org)



### CHRIST THE TEACHER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS EVENTS SEPT 10-14

	SACRED HEART	ST. ALPHONSUS	ST. MARY'S	ST. MICHAEL'S	ST. PAUL'S	ST. THEODORE'S
<b>MON</b>		Pre-Kindergarten Parents' Meeting in Gym 6:00 pm	Pre-Kindergarten First Day of School			
<b>TUES</b>			Gr. 3/4 Class Field Trip to Pizza Farm Open House 5:00 - 7:00 pm			
<b>WED</b>		Pre-Kindergarten First Day of School	Gr. 7 Girls Canoe Trip @ York Lake			
<b>THURS</b>		Gr. 7 Girls Canoe Trip @ York Lake	Gr. 7 Girls/Boys Canoe Trip @ York Lake			
<b>FRI</b>		Gr. 7 Girls/Boys Canoe Trip @ York Lake	Gr. 7 Boys Canoe Trip @ York Lake			

### New on our Eparchial Website: My Questions of Faith and Life



*What are your questions? What issues concern you regarding living our faith? What things would you like to hear about from the pulpit?*  
The Bishop, Clergy and Ministries of the Eparchy want to hear from you. Please go to our home page on our Eparchial website [www.skeparchy.org](http://www.skeparchy.org) and click on the icon "My Questions on Faith and Life" - write your question in the question box, briefly stating the type of questions or issues you would like addressed, from a Ukrainian Catholic perspective. These may be things you would like to hear about either in sermons, in programs offered at your parish, online or by direct response. Enter your name and email address and check off whether you wish to remain anonymous and click "Submit". We look forward to hearing from you!

### YORKTON DISTRICT PARISHES

#### Schedule of Services in the Yorkton Pastoral District

**\*\*Please note: this schedule is subject to change, please check regularly\*\***

BEAVERDALE	Sunday, September 9	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
CALDER	Sunday, September 30	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
INSINGER (St. Nicholas)	Sunday, September 23	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
MELVILLE	Sunday, September 16/30	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
MODEL FARMS	Sunday, October 7	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
SHEHO (Farms)	Sunday, September 16	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Grave Blessing

### SUNDAY BEFORE THE EXALTATION

### SEPTEMBER 9, 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.  
Readings for Next Sunday: Epistle - Galatians 2:16-20 Gospel - Mark 8:34-9:1*

#### THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

<b>SUN</b>	10:00 am.....	Divine Liturgy
<b>MON</b>	7:00 pm.....	Knights of Columbus Meeting *Note change of date
	7:00 pm.....	UCWLC Meeting *Note change of date
	7:30 pm.....	Cultural Centre Board Meeting
<b>TUE</b>	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm.....	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
<b>THU</b>	10:30 am.....	Divine Liturgy at Gladstone Seniors' Residence
	12:00 Noon.....	Holy Rosary Hour
<b>FRI</b>	<b>Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross</b>	
	9:00 am.....	Divine Liturgy
	1:30 pm.....	Divine Liturgy at Queen Elizabeth Court
<b>SAT</b>	9:00 am.....	Divine Liturgy
	5:00 pm.....	Divine Liturgy

**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.

**OFFERINGS** - to assist the Parish Accountant in recording your offerings correctly, please write the amount of your offering on the outside of your envelope.



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

#### SUMMER SCHEDULE

To help alleviate the huge workload of our priests, the Summer Schedule will continue for the month of September.  
We will resume the regular schedule on **Sunday, October 7th.**

#### UKRAINIAN CLASS REGISTRATION

**Monday, September 10<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm**

Golden Agers Centre (Church Basement)

for more information please contact

Sonia Popowich (306-783-5441) or Fr. Methodius Kushko (306-783-7778)

**DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS**  
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

**Sunday before the Exaltation** *Galatians 6:11-18 ~ John 3:13-17*  
**MON Sept 10** *Martyr Memodora* *Ephesians 1:22-2:3 ~ Mark 10:46-52*  
 8:00 am Health & God's Blessings for Phyllis Kowalchuk.....Harry & Evelyn Kardynal  
 8:00 am God's Blessings for Nettie Kowal.....daughter Colleen  
**TUE Sept 11** *Venerable Theodora of Alexandria* *Ephesians 2:19-3:7 ~ Mark 11:11-23*  
 8:00 am Members & Families.....UCWLC  
 8:00 am Health for Fr. Bohdan Lukie, CSsR.....Ted & Ann Ronn  
**WED Sept 12** *Priest Martyr Autonomus* *Ephesians 3:8-21 ~ Mark 11:23-26*  
 8:00 am Thanksgiving for blessings received.....Henry & Mary  
 8:00 am God's Blessings for Russ & Pat Thompson.....Karen Chopty  
**THU Sept 13** *Priest Martyr Cornelius* *Ephesians 4:14-19 ~ Mark 11:27-33*  
 8:00 am +Hnat Pisiak.....wife Sophia  
 8:00 am +Lovelean Malinowski.....St. Nicholas Parish, Insinger  
**FRI Sept 14** *1 Corinthians 1:18-24 ~ John 19:6-11;13-20;25-28;31-35*



**9:00 am** *Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross*

**SAT Sept 15** *Saturday after the Exaltation* *1 Corinthians 1:26-29 ~ John 8:21-30*  
 9:00 am +Metro, +Eva and +Deceased Family Members.....Peter & Anna Gulka  
 5:00 pm Members & Families.....Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood

**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**.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION (ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT)**

will resume on Tuesday, September 11<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

Please consider spending a few minutes or an hour in His Presence.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
**FAMILY ROSARY PROGRAM**

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>

9:30 am St. Mary's Church

For more information please contact:

Steve Popowich 306-521-1500 or Dave Spelay 306-621-3360



**Saint Mary's Building Fund Donations**



**Balance of the Fund to date: \$ 324,030.40 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 Mary Mysko*

Walter Mysko & Family \$ 200.00

**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...*"



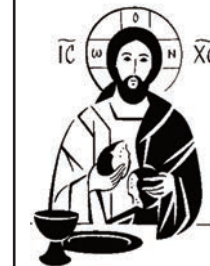
**ST. MARY'S PARISH**  
**PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN (PAG)**

The Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) Program enables you to make donations to the parish on a monthly or semi-monthly basis right from your bank account. It eliminates the need of having the correct amount of cash on Sunday and/or from having to write a cheque.

**For more information or to enroll,**  
*please see the pamphlets at the church entrances or at the Parish Office.*

**MOBILE DEVICES**

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



**FIRST SOLEMN**  
**HOLY COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION**

*Parents of children who are planning to receive First Solemn Holy Communion & Reconciliation in the spring are asked to attend:*

**REGISTRATION & PARENTS' MEETING**

**Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> at 11:15 am**  
**in the Parish Boardroom in the Rectory**

*For more information, please contact:*  
**Fr. Bohdan 306-783-4594 or Diane Stadnyk 306-783-3179**