ST. MARY'S OUTREACH

The Outreach Committee wishes to thank you for your continuous support. We'd greatly appreciate food items donations for St. Mary's School lunch program and for those in need in our community. Please see the list below:

granola/snack bars canned soup spaghetti sauce pork & beans dill pickles jam pancake syrup kidney beans ketchup Cheese Whiz mustard cookies jello cups pudding cups cereal juice boxes

Non-perishable food items only, please. Bins are located at each entrance. If you wish to give a monetary donation, please find the envelopes at the entrances.

DATE	Тіме	EPISTLE	CANTOR	Ushers	ORGANIST
SAT FEB 9	5:00 pm English	Tom Abrametz	Saturday Evening Group	Ann Musey Jean Kitsch	
Sun Feb 10 The Publican & the Pharisee	9:00 am Ukrainian	lvan Bachynsky	Lorne Stechyshyn	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
	11:00 am English	Gloria Rhinas	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Bob Rusnak Kathy Rusnak	Iris Skehar
SAT FEB 16	5:00 pm English	Sr. Suzanne Kokuruds	Saturday Evening Group	Dan MacLean Lionel Fedorowich	
Sun Feb 17 The Prodigal Son	9:00 am Ukrainian	Mykhaylo Zotov	Lorne Stechyshyn	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
	11:00 am English	Gwen Bilyk	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Mike Smud Bill Krywulak	Iris Skehar

SUNDAY	Received in 108 Regular Envelopes	\$ 2,314.00
COLLECTION	Loose Collection	\$ 87.00
FEB 3, 2019	Received in 8 Other Envelopes	\$ 307.00

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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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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

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

HOLY DAYS

9:00 am

WEEKDAYS

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

Beloved Parishioners and Guests,

We are presently in the Pre-Lenten season as we spiritually prepare ourselves for the 40 day Great Fast and therefore, it is a good time to explain the significant symbolic meaning of the number "40" in our Byzantine Ukrainian tradition...

All this stems from the Biblical times – eg., the Jewish people spent 40 years in the desert enroute to the Promised Land and even major events in Jesus' life consists of 40 days - in the desert preparing for His Mission and the 40 days before PASTOR'S DESK His Ascension into heaven - the completion of a journey or a mission!



We traditionally celebrate the Easter season for 40 days and actually the same applies to Christmas - a time to honour Christ's birth. That is why the Nativity scene and the carolling extends to February 2, the feast of the Presentation and only then the season is complete and the Nativity scene and decorations are removed – again, 40 days!

We also have the holy reminder of praying for our beloved +deceased on the 40th day with the celebration of the Requiem Liturgy and a gathering of the family to share some precious time together, fondly remembering our beloved departed.

As you notice in your church envelope packet, there is a yellow envelope entitled Sorokousty - encouraging you to list your deceased family members. Thus their names will be remembered in prayer during the special requiem service on the Saturdays of Lent. Please continue this unique and prayerful tradition in our Ukrainian Church.

And speaking of funerals, this reminded me of a rather poignant letter to **Dear Abby..** (us older folks warmly remember her daily informative newspaper column!)

Dear Church Member:

"Don't wait until the hearse hauls you to church." If you do:

1. You will go, regardless of the weather.

2. You will go, regardless of the condition of your body.

3. You will go, regardless of how your family feels.

4. There will be beautiful flowers there, but you won't enjoy them.

5. There will be heartfelt prayers, but they will not touch your heart.

6. There will be beautiful music, but you won't hear it.

7. The pastor may say many good things, but they will do you no good.

8. There will be many friends and relatives there, but you won't worship with them. 9. You will go, no matter how many hypocrites are there.

10. You will go, no matter how much you are needed at home or at work.

11. You will go, not concerned about what clothes to wear.

12. You will never have to decide about attending church again.

Aren't you glad to be alive and well and full of zest and be able to choose to go to church." - Pastor Walter Nuessie

"Church is a place to celebrate life, not just mourn those who have died!"

Wow! How good it is to celebrate your life and mine together while we are alive to do so! Have a beautiful, peaceful and loveful day!



UPCOMING EVENTS				
February 24	St. Mary's Cultural Centre Annual Meeting	2:00 pm		
February 28	Golden Agers Birthdays	1:00 pm		
March 1	World Day of Prayer			
March 1	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	1:00 pm		
March 3	First Solemn Holy Communion Class * with Parents' Class	9:45 am		
March 3	Knights of Columbus Brunch	10:15 am & 12:15 pm		
March 3	St. Mary's Parish Annual General Meeting			
March 4	First Day of Great Lent			
March 4	Knights of Columbus Meeting	7:00 pm		
March 4	UCWLC Meeting	7:00 pm		
March 13	Holy Rosary Hour	12:00 Noon		
March 17	First Solemn Holy Communion Class	9:45 am		
March 18	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting	7:00 pm		
March 18	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	7:00 pm		
March 19	Parish Council Meeting	7:00 pm		
March 25	Feast of the Annunciation			

St. Mary's Cultural Centre ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



Sunday, February 24th at 2:00 pm at St. Mary's Cultural Centre

Everyone welcome to attend



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 hav-

ing to write a cheque.

For more information or to enroll,

please see the pamphlets at the church entrances or at the Parish Office.

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 FEBRUARY 11-15

11000	SACRED HEART	ST. ALPHONSUS	St. Mary's	St. Michael's	St. Paul's	St. Theodore's
Mon	Jr. Boys Basketball @ SHHS	Gr. 6 & 8 Ski Trip to Asessippi SCC Mtg 6:30 pm			Gr. 6 & 8 Ski Trip to Asessippi	
TUES	Ski Trip	Dream Brokers Art Session 3:30- 4:30 pm				
WED			Boys Basketball vs St. Al's Boys 4:00 pm		Gr. 4 Swim SCC Family Night 6:30-7:30 pm at K of C Park	
THURS	Jr. Girls Basketball Conference Playoffs @ SHHS	Dairy Queen Lunch			Gr. 4 Swim	
FRI						



Winter Break - No School - February 18 -22



Join the "Call for Conscience":

We, Catholics, Christians and all people of good will are asking the Saskatchewan legislature to create and support a bill which would deal with conscience rights for doctors, nurses and had healthcare professionals who cannot participate in euthanasia/assisted suicide in good conscience. One way to show your support for this campaign is to go to the Call for Conscience website at www.CanadiansforConscience.ca/saskatchewan to learn more, join the "Call for Conscience" and write directly to your Health Ministers asking them to support legislative protection for Saskatchewan healthcare professionals. You may also join us after the Divine Liturgies on the weekend of February 24th to sign letters to our Health Ministers. These letters will be at the back of the Church ready for your Name, Signature, address and email address on February 24th. It is hoped that the Campaign will not only raise awareness of the need for this legislation but generate over 14,000 letters to be presented at the Legislature, to make our views known in support of Conscience Protection laws in our Province. If you are interested in helping out with the campaign please contact our Parish Priest, Fr. Bohdan.

YORKTON DISTRICT PARISHES

Schedule of Services in the Yorkton Pastoral District

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

CALDER	Sunday, February 24	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
I	Sunday, March 10	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Annual Meeting
MELVILLE	Sunday, February 17	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Annual Meeting
	Sunday, March 3	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy

THE PUBLICAN & THE PHARISEE FEBRUARY 10, 2019

THE PRODIGAL SON FEBRUARY 17, 2019

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.

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	THE NEXT TWO WEEKS	S AT ST. MARY'S
SUN, FEB 10	9:00 amDiv	vine Liturgy
	9:45 amFir	rst Solemn Holy Communion Class
	11:00 amDi	vine Liturgy
Mon, Feb 11	7:30 pmCu	ultural Centre Board Meeting
Tues, Feb 12	1:00 - 4:00 pmAd	doration of the Blessed Sacrament
WED, FEB 13	12:00 Noon Ho	oly Rosary Hour
THU, FEB 14	11:00 am Di	vine Liturgy at Gladstone Seniors Residence
SAT, FEB 16	9:00 amDiv	vine Liturgy
	5:00 pmDiv	vine Liturgy
SUN, FEB 17	9:00 amDiv	vine Liturgy
	11:00 amDi	vine Liturgy
Mon, Feb 18	9:00 amDiv	vine Liturgy *Family Day
	7:00 pmUk	
	7:00 pmUk	
Tues, Feb 19	1:00 - 4:00 pmAd	doration of the Blessed Sacrament
	7:00 pmPa	arish Council Meeting
THU, FEB 21	11:00 am Di	vine Liturgy at Gladstone Seniors Residence
SAT, FEB 23	9:00 amDiv	vine Liturgy
	5:00 pmDiv	vine Liturgy

OFFICE Hours - The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, February 18th for Family Day.

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**

Attention Parish Council: This is a reminder to get your annual reports to the Parish Office *by Friday, February 15th*.

If possible, please submit by email to: st.mary.yorkton@sasktel.net



DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10

The Publican	SUNDAY, FEB a & the Pharisee	2 Timothy 3:10-15 ~ Luke 18:10-14
MON Feb 11	Martyr Blaise	2 Peter 1:20-2:9 ~ Mark 13:9-13
8:00 am	+Theodore, +Julia, +Mary, +Brent	, +Catherine, +Pete & +LaudyGeorge
8:00 am	+Robert Tratch (40 Days)	mother Mary
TUE Feb 12	Venerable Meletius	2 Peter 2:9-22 ~ Mark 13:14-23
8:00 am		SSMI
WED Feb 13	Venerable Martinian	2 Peter 3:1-18 ~ Mark 13:24-31
8:00 am		ryl ReeseMom
THU Feb 14	Venerable Cyril	Galatians 5:22-6:2 ~ John 10:9-16
8:00 am	+Paul Huska	Anne & Murray
8:00 am	+Peter Gulka	Annie Achtemichuk
FRI Feb 15	Apostle Onesimus	1 John 2:7-17 ~ Mark 14:3-9
8:00 am	+Mike Chopty	Carol & Greg Toles
8:00 am	+Milko	Marijka Helbig
SAT Feb 16	Apostle Pamphilus	2 Timothy 3:1-9 ~ Luke 18:2-8
9:00 am	+Andy & +Mary Sebulski	MaryAnn Sebulsky
10:00 am	+John Pacholka (40 Days)	Adeline & family
5:00 pm	Health & God's Blessings for Fr. J	oakim Rac & familyDoreen Clark & family
	Sunday, Febri	UARY 17
The Prodigal	Son	1 Corinthians 6:12-20 ~ Luke 15:11-32
MON Feb 18	Pope Leo	1 John 2:18-3:10 ~ Mark 11:1-11
9:00 am*	Health & God's Blessings for all	ll Families
TUE Feb 19	Apostle Archippus	1 John 3:11-20 ~ Mark 14:10-42
8:00 am	+Tom & +Lena Yaginiski	Sandi & Brian
8:00 am		Ed & Jeann Spilak
WED Feb 20	Venerable Leo of Catania	1 John 3:21-4:6 ~ Mark 14:43-15:1
8:00 am	+Donna Lechman	Dad & Mom
8:00 am	+Rosie (H) Lazurko	Ted & Emily Deneschuk
THU Feb 21	Venerable Timothy	1 John 4:20-5:21 ~ Mark 15:1-15
8:00 am	•	Ed & Lorna Greene
8:00 am		Knights of Columbus
FRI Feb 22		iugenios 2 John 1:1-13~ Mark 15:22-25;33-41
8:00 am 🛌	_	tta's marriage & familyDad
8:00 am		a RacStefania Stefanyshyn
SAT Feb 23	Ali Suuis Salui uav i Goi	INTNIANS 10:23-28 ~ LUKE 21:8-9:23-27:33-30
SAT Feb 23 9:00 am	All Souls Saturday 1 Con Divine Liturgy & Sorokousty	rinthians 10:23-28 ~ Luke 21:8-9;25-27;33-36

St. Mary's Church Donations



On Occasion of John's 97th Birthday
John & Sarah Popowich \$97.00

In Memory of Metro Mosiondz

Martha Mosiondz

\$ 180.00

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 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church
Annual General Meeting
will take place on:
Sunday, March 3rd
following the 12:15pm Knights of Columbus Brunch
at St. Mary's Cultural Centre, Yorkton
All parishioners are urged to attend.

SOROKOUSTY - If you wish to have your deceased family members remembered during Sorokousty on the All Souls Saturdays, please use your yellow Sorokousty envelope and place it in the collection basket or drop it off at the Parish Office. Sorokousty is celebrated with the Divine Liturgy on "All Souls Saturday". *The dates for this year are: February 23, March 16, 23 & 30 and June 8.*

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**.



UPCOMING CONCERTS

to ease our winter blues...

On Thursday, February 28th, we have an opportunity to host the **Three Tenors** from Ukraine "Benefit Concert", honouring the **5**th Anniversary of the **Heavenly Hundred** who were killed at the **Maidan** in Kyiv as they demonstrated for democracy in Ukraine. This prayer-filled concert to raise funds in support of injured soldiers will be hosted in Edmonton, Calgary, Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon, and yes, here in St. Mary's church... what a blessing for us all!

On Sunday, March 31st, the **Quartet Oremus** and **Spivohrai Children's Choir** from Bishop Filewich Ukrainian Immersion School in Saskatoon will entertain us with the most successful concert they performed in the city. They wish to share their talent and their joy with each of us. We are thus doubly blessed...

Check future bulletins and posters for more info re: these Concerts.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF SASKATCHEWAN CORPORATION

When: Saturday, February 16, 2019

Time: Registration - 1:30 pm to 2:00 pm

Annual General Meeting - 2:00 pm

Where: St. George's Ukrainian Catholic Church Auditorium (210 Avenue M South, Saskatoon)

All members of a Ukrainian Catholic parish or mission within the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon who are 18 years of age or older are entitled to attend and vote at the meeting.

Purpose: This meeting is being called for the purposes of:

• Approving the Financial Statement Reviewer's Report and the Annual Financial Statements for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2018.

• Appointing a Reviewer/Auditor of our financial records for the next fiscal period.

Approving Bylaws or Amendment to the Bylaws – none to consider for this Annual Meeting.
Reporting of activities and motions of the Directors to the membership.

Electing Directors.

• For transacting such other business as may properly come before an Annual General Meeting.

Access to Documents: Annual Meeting Documents and the Financial Statements will be posted on the Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan website – www.bbessi.org by no later than January 31, 2019. You may also pick up copies at the Foundation Office at 214 Avenue M South, Saskatoon.

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF SASKATCHEWAN CORPORATION

Call for Nominations to the Board of Directors of Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan

Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan is searching for people who are interested in serving on our Board of Directors. To qualify, a person must be 18 years of age or older, a resident of Canada and a member in good standing with a Ukrainian Catholic Parish or Mission within the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon.

The Board has a vacancy from the Regina and Yorkton Deanery. If you are interested in serving on the Board of Directors as a deanery representative from either the Regina or Yorkton Deanery, please contact the Office Administrator, Iris Owchar at 306-653-0138, ext 223, or email your intention to bbessi@outlook.com. Each nomination will require a letter of support from your Pastor. Nominations will close on Monday, February 11th, 2019 at 5:00 pm.

ENGAGED? PLANNING A WEDDING IN 2019? CONGRATULATIONS!

The Eparchy of Saskatoon Marriage Preparation Program "Crown them with Honour and Glory" will take place in Saskatoon on Saturday, March 2nd,



8:00 am to 7:00 pm. At the Chancery Office, 214 Ave M South. At this one-day intensive course you will be immersed in the beauty and richness of our unique Byzantine Catholic wedding ceremony and learn within that context some of the keys to a happy lifelong marriage. Please speak immediately with your Pastor Fr. Bohdan Lukie about your plans. For more information and to register for the course email Deborah Larmour at uwitness2family@skeparchy.org



February 11, 2019 marks the XXVII World Day of the Sick . . . The importance of Health Care and its link to the Ministry of Jesus.



A Prayer for World Day of the Sick 2019

A Blessing for the Sick

May you be held in love. May tenderness carry you. May the pain you know too well Be lifted from you. May your heart's heaviness Be lightened by grace, May hope abound for you.

May those who serve you care for you.

May their expertise help you, Their compassion sustain you. May you know you are not alone But always loved by God.

May you see miracles And know you are one. May your courage give us courage. May your love hold us tenderly. And may you dwell in peace In the midst The depth The breadth of Your being. Amen.



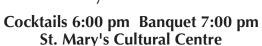
9TH PATRIOTIC DINNER KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BROTHER





THURSDAY MARCH 14th, 2019

Liturgy: 5:00 pm St. Mary's Church







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