



**CELEBRATING THE 60TH ANNIVERSARY OF PRIESTHOOD FOR
BISHOP EMERITUS MICHAEL WIWCHAR, CSSR
CELEBRATION WILL TAKE PLACE ON SUNDAY, JULY 7TH**

at the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George (210 Avenue M South Saskatoon)
Moleben Service at 5:00 pm
~ Cocktails and Banquet to follow at St. George's Cathedral Church Auditorium~

Tickets: Adults: \$30 ~ Youth (12-18): \$20 ~ Children (5-11): \$10 ~ Under 4 - free Limited
Number of tickets will be available, so get your tickets early!
Tickets are now available at St. Mary's Parish Office – 306-783-4594
Deadline for Tickets is Tuesday, July 2nd!

For more information contact:
Andrea Wasylow at 306-230-1659 – email andrea.wasylow@usask.ca
Sponsored by the Eparchial Pastoral Council

Clergy, religious and laity from throughout the Eparchy are invited to come and celebrate with us!

DATE	TIME	EPISTLE	CANTOR	USHERS	ORGANIST
SAT JUNE 15	5:00 pm English	Joyce Kniaz	Saturday Evening Group	Brian Halarewich John Ostrowercha	
SUN JUNE 16 <i>All Saints Sunday</i>	9:30 am* Ukr / Eng	Harry Kardynal	Lorne Stechyshyn	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
SAT JUNE 22	5:00 pm English	Lori Keller	Saturday Evening Group	Lionel Fedorowich Paul Shewchuk	
SUN JUNE 23 <i>Holy Eucharist Sunday</i>	9:30 am* Eng / Ukr	Gloria Rhinas	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Bill Krywulak Ed Lischynski	Iris Skehar

SUNDAY COLLECTION JUNE 9, 2019	Received in 120 Regular Envelopes.....	\$ 2,741.00
	Loose Collection.....	\$ 89.90
	Received in 8 Other Envelopes	\$ 355.00

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ST. MARY'S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Церква Матері Божої Неустанної Помочі

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

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PARISH BULLETIN

JUNE 16, 2019

**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
9:00 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 2-SEPTEMBER 29)

Saturday	5:00 pm	English
Sunday	9:30 am	Eng/Ukr

HOLY DAYS
9:00 am

WEEKDAYS

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

Dear Beloved of St. Mary's and all visitors,

I was searching the internet re: Father's Day and was shocked to discovered a message I had written in 1993 for my Toronto bulletin that was posted for 1000's to read...may I share this with you for it still applies very much to this day:

"My five sisters and five brothers and I were among the most fortunate children to have a loving 'tato' who generously hugged, patiently listened, wisely taught and quickly forgave with an emotional intensity that still nourishes our lives today. Tato unexpectedly died in 1966 at the age of 60, the year before I was ordained a priest. As the parish 'diak'-cantor, he sincerely had hoped some day to celebrate the Divine Liturgy with his son, the priest. Thirty-six years later (now 52 years later), a day doesn't go by when this priest doesn't think of him or feel his loving presence and I pray daily for him!

"I truly believe we were especially fortunate and most blessed because I sadly remember other friends, not feeling quite the same way about their fathers. I am, however, hopeful for today's children because there are many positive signs that certain changes in the role of the father contribute to healthier and happier generations to come.

"An interesting article I recently read reveals that **90%** of fathers say they share in child care, help feed the baby and take a turn at the changing table. Most expectant fathers are, nervously but happily, present in delivery rooms and **75%** of fathers say they spend more quality time with their children than their fathers spent with them.

"One middle-aged Executive shared: ***"My personal goal, when I'm in my senior years, is to look back and say to myself that I took every opportunity to spend time with my children and with my wife."*** His perspective is extremely vital for all fathers and their children. Several recent studies demonstrate that **warmth** and **attention from their dads** produced mature, self-reliant girls and confident, generous boys. This is no real surprise to those of us who were strongly supported and lovingly cared for by our fathers.

"Dads, no less than moms, owe it to their children to warmly embrace, to generously love, to frequently be there for them and they also owe it to themselves as well. Today would be the perfect day for parents and youngsters to **"catch up"** on a little hugging and some deeply felt **"I love you's"**. At least, I think so and my tato would have too!

"On this **Father's Day**, as a parish **'father'**, I extend my heartfelt and warmest greetings to all the **'FATHERS'** (*and of course, GRANDFATHERS too!*) and pray that God the Father blesses each and everyone one of you!"

PS Next Sunday after our **Praznyk Liturgy**, we three priests wish to express our gratitude for the privilege of serving you and we would be delighted if you, in turn, shared a **short letter** to each of us expressing your personal thoughts which we can take with us!

Wishing you a wonderful Father's Day and a beautiful week of Love!



**FROM THE
PASTOR'S DESK**

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 23	St. Mary's Parish Praznyk & Farewell for our Priests	
June 24	Feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist	
June 27	Golden Agers Birthdays	1:00 pm
June 29	Feast of Ss. Peter & Paul	
August 13	Holy Rosary Hour	12:00 Noon
September 4	Knights of Columbus Bingo	7:00 pm
September 9	Knights of Columbus Meeting	7:00 pm
September 9	UCWLC Meeting	7:00 pm
September 9	Cultural Centre Board Meeting	8:00 pm
September 16	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting	7:00 pm
September 17	Parish Council Meeting	7:00 pm



**Annual
Eparchial
Appeal**

2019 CAMPAIGN PERFORMANCE
– AS OF JUNE 12TH
\$125,978 of our **\$250,000** goal
has been raised this year !

2019 ANNUAL EPARCHIAL APPEAL (THIS YEAR)	
GOAL	\$250,000.00
RAISED	\$125,978.00
TRANSACTIONS	506
PROGRESS	50%

If you have not yet made your pledge/gift, there still time to do so. We recognize that there many worthy charitable causes that you can support. However, for sustaining our faith, there aren't many that are as important or as critical as the support of our Ukrainian Catholic Church in Saskatchewan. We ask you to prayerfully, and with faith, please consider making a gift to the Appeal.

Thank you again for your generosity and for your attentiveness to our call for funds to the 2019 Annual Eparchial Appeal. May God Bless you abundantly with his Grace, Mercy and Blessings.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the Eparchial Appeal or the Foundation itself, please contact our office at 306-653-0138, Ext 223 or by email to admin@ucfsask.org.

Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan
www.ucfsask.org.

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 JUNE 17-21

	SACRED HEART	ST. ALPHONSUS	ST. MARY'S	ST. MICHAEL'S	ST. PAUL'S	ST. THEODORE'S
MON	Spring Sports Banquet @ 6pm @ St Mary's Cultural Centre			Gr. 6 Sand Dune Hike		
TUES	Band & Choir Final Concert @ 7:00 pm Channel 22 Auditions @ SHHS all day			Channel 22 Auditions	All Library Books to be returned to the Library	
WED	Formal Day/ Year End Awards @ 1:00pm	K-3 Play Day on the Playground 1:00 - 3:00 pm	Gr. 6 Canoe Instruction @ Gallagher Centre	SCC Cold Snack - DQ Blizzards		
THURS	Final Exams	Last Day of Pre-K Backwards Day Grade 6's at Good Spirit Lake hiking Gr. 7 & 8 Year-end Dance	Gr. 7 & 8 Year-end Dance at St. Michael's 7:00 - 10:00 pm	2/3E Bowling Trip (pm) Gr. 7 & 8 Year-end Dance Doors open at 6:30 pm	Gr. 7 & 8 Year-end Dance at St. Michael's SCC Year-end Barbecue 5-7 pm	
FRI	Final Exams	Blizzards from the SCC @ 2:45 pm All Students Books Returned to the Library	Last Day of Pre-K	Spirit Day Heroes vs Villains Gr. 4 to Motherwell 1/2F at the Spray Park 11:45 am Library Books back	Author's Tead Service Awards 2:15 pm Band Students will play "O Canada"	

DNIEPER - Divine Liturgy and Grave Blessing at Transfiguration of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church on Sunday, July 28th at 2:00 pm. Please bring your lawn chairs. Lunch will be supplied. For more information please call Sandie 306-273-0100.

YORKTON DISTRICT PARISHES

Schedule of Services in the Yorkton Pastoral District

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

YORKTON	Sunday, June 16	1:00 pm	Graves at Yorkton Memorial Gardens
BEAVERDALE	Sunday, July 21	10:00 am	Praznyk & Grave Blessing
CALDER	Sunday, July 28	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy
INSINGER (St. Nicholas)	Sunday, July 14	11:30 am	Divine Liturgy & Grave Blessing
JEDBURGH	Sunday, July 21	<i>after Beaverdale</i>	Grave Blessing only
MELVILLE	Sunday, June 16	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
	Sunday, June 30	11:30 am	Divine Liturgy
MODEL FARM	Sunday, June 30	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Grave Blessing
STORNOWAY	Sunday, July 28	<i>after Wroxton</i>	Grave Blessing only
WHITESAND	Sunday, July 7	11:30 am	Divine Liturgy
WROXTON	Sunday, July 28	11:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Grave Blessing

SUNDAY OF ALL SAINTS

JUNE 16, 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.
Readings for Next Sunday: Epistle - 1 Corinthians 11:23-32 Gospel - John 6:48-54*

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

SUN All Saints Sunday

9:30 am..... Divine Liturgy
1:00 pm..... Blessing of graves at Yorkton Memorial Gardens
1:00 pm..... Knights of Columbus Bingo

MON

7:00 pm..... Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting

TUES

1:00 - 4:00 pm..... Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

THU

11:00 am..... Divine Liturgy at Gladstone Seniors' Residence

SAT

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.



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

ST. MICHAEL'S CAMP - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

will take place on **Sunday, June 30, 2019** at Yorkton Memorial Gardens (which is 3.3 km east of highway 9 on highway 10). **Registration** is at **2:30 pm** followed by the **meeting** from **3:00 – 5:00 pm**. *In order to be able to vote you must register onsite to be a member.*



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..."**

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

We express our sympathy & prayers to the family & friends of
+Mary Tratch and **+Joyce Martynuik** who passed away recently.

Вічна Память God Grant Them Eternal Rest Вічна Память

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS
SUNDAY, JUNE 16

Sunday of All Saints		Hebrews 11:33-13:2 ~ Matthew 10:32-33,37-38,19:27-30
MON June 17	Martyr Manuel	Romans 2:28-3:18 ~ Matthew 6:31-34;9-11
8:00 am	+Norman Yasinsky.....	Family
8:00 am	+Dean, +Metro and +Ann.....	Don & Bernadette
TUE June 18	Martyr Leontius	Romans 4:4-12 ~ Matthew 7:15-21
8:00 am	Health & God's Blessings for Deana, Reg, Raegan, Logan & Evan...Don & Bernadette	
8:00 am	Health & God's Blessings for Shirley Kosar.....	A friend
WED June 19	Apostle Jude, Brother of Our Lord	Jude 1:1-10 ~ John 14:21-24
8:00 am	+Helen Brodziak (40 Days).....	Family
8:00 am	+Bill Kozakewich.....	Litwin Family
THU June 20	Holy Eucharist	Romans 5:10-16 ~ Matthew 8:23-27
8:00 am	Health & God's Blessings for Andrew & Vadym.....	N.N.
8:00 am	Health for Ron Popowich.....	Helen & Ed McLashen & family
FRI June 21	Martyr Julian	Romans 5:17-6:2 ~ Matthew 9:14-17
8:00 am	+Victor Fedorowich.....	Laurie & family
8:00 am	+Patricia Dick.....	Ben & Violet Kluk
SAT June 22	Priest Martyr Eusebius	Romans 3:19-26 ~ Matthew 7:1-8
9:00 am	Members & Families.....	Knights of Columbus
5:00 pm	God's Blessings for Pauline Prystai.....	Walter

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**.



ST. MARY'S PARISH PRAZNYK

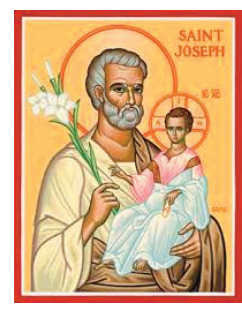
SUNDAY, JUNE 23RD

DIVINE LITURGY 9:30 AM

BRUNCH HOSTED BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TO FOLLOW

(ADMISSION AT THE DOOR)

JOIN US IN A SPECIAL FAREWELL FOR OUR PARISH PRIESTS



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

On this Special Day, May God Grant
 all "Dads" & our "Spiritual Fathers"
 Many Happy Years! Многая Лѣта !

Musée Ukraina Museum Inc. 2019 Lottery Winners for May

\$20.00 Winners: Alyssa Vandevord-Prince Albert, Dennis & Wendy Humonuk-Rostern, Tim Jelinski-Saskatoon, Park Funeral Home-Saskatoon, Michael Osatchuk-Saskatoon, Pauline Spilchen-Yorkton, Donald & Novia Proulx-Prud'homme, Nellie Wolkowski-Regina, Eileen Shaw-Yorkton, Elsie Demyon-North Battleford, Carl & Marianne Couckuyt-Regina, Jayne Paluck-Regina, Lorette Worobetz-Prince Albert, Betty Zatylny-Saskatoon, Marlene Matiko-Saskatoon, Linda Jensen-Prince Albert, Rusnak Balacko Kachur Rusnak-Yorkton, Velma Sosnowski-Wakaw, Paul Zultok-Saskatoon, Paul & Evelyn Kardynal-North Battleford, Charlene Herter-Saskatoon, Bohdan Gabruch-Saskatoon, Ray Paslawski-Osage, Harry Moleschi-Regina, Elizabeth Chapelle-Prince Albert. **\$50.00 Winners:** Bozanna Simunovic-Regina, Rosa Hawryluk-Prince Albert, Fr. Methodius Kushko-Yorkton. **\$100.00 Winner:** Joe & Erica Harden-Yorkton. **\$200.00 Winners:** Linda Karakochuk-Wynyard, Lara Kammermayer-Saskatoon.

Congratulations to all the winners!

There are still 213 chances to win cash prizes in the 2019 Calendar Lottery! Lottery License #RR18-0279



**78th Pilgrimage August 14 & 15, 2019
 at Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, Rama**

Rama Parish warmly invites you, parishioners, friends and family to attend the 78th Pilgrimage at Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes in Rama, Sask. Favorites at Rama Pilgrimage include: *Candlelight Procession; *Living Rosary;*Mass in Polish & English; *Byzantine Rite; *Adoration, and SO much more! Please view the poster for details.

- The annual Pilgrimage will not only be in Rama, but the pilgrims are invited to walk from Yorkton to Rama, SK from August 11th - 14th. Below, the website has more details. When the pilgrims make it to Rama they will stay over for the night in order to attend Pilgrimage on August 14th & 15th. The website has all the details regarding the registration. <https://www.stphilomenawalkingpilgrimage.org>

- If you wish to book a chicken supper at Rama, please call Mary @ (306) 593-6120 before August 2. Cost is \$13.00 a plate.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18: 7TH ANNUAL MASS FOR THE UNBORN

Time: 12:15 pm with rosary lead by the Knights of Columbus before Mass
Location: Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, Rama, SK. Procession to statue of St. Gianna Beretta Molla and prayer. Flowers are welcomed to be placed at the statue in memory of the Unborn. Luncheon & program to follow in the Parish Hall. Guest Speaker TBA.

LifeLines

Life Issues Bulletin # 6 June 2019



Life Support

Sue and Bill were watching TV. Bill turned to Sue and said, "Look honey, I've been thinking; if it ever gets so bad that I'm hooked up to a life support machine, just pull the plug."

Sue got right up and pulled the plug on the TV!

Euthanasia: Unfortunately it's No Joke.

Euthanasia: "the deliberate and morally unacceptable killing of a human person."
St. John Paul II

Is euthanasia always wrong? Yes, always.

Can't you "pull the plug" in good conscience?

Ending or refusing "extraordinary measures" is not Euthanasia, deliberately taking a life is. Seek sound advice from your priest or contact the Family and Life Office. Clear moral guidelines exist that can help in every situation so you can then find true peace of mind and a clear conscience before God. See the *Catholic Health Ethics Guide* or consider attending or organizing a **Dying Healed Seminar**. Contact: Family and Life Office at 306-653-0138 Ext 228.

But what if the person is really suffering?

Call the priest to come and visit and give the Sacraments. It is a time to pray, maybe like we have never done before, staying close to the patient with strong love and support - like we've never done before

***If God sends you many sufferings,
it is a sign that He has great plans for you
and certainly wants to make you a saint.***

St. Ignatius Loyola



What if the pain is really too much?

Look for another doctor; seek another opinion. Palliative care doctors will affirm that there is almost always effective means to manage pain.

Can you remove nutrition and hydration?

A statement from the Vatican recently:
Nutrition and hydration constitute a form of essential care ... to nourish a sick person never constitutes a form of unreasonable therapeutic care ... provided this does not cause intolerable suffering or prove damaging to the patient.

The removal of such care represents, rather, a form of abandonment of the patient, based on a pitiless judgment of the quality of their life, the expression of a throwaway culture that selects the most fragile and helpless people, without recognizing their uniqueness and immense value.

Joint Declaration of the Dicastery for the Laity, Family and Life and the Pontifical Academy for Life on the case of Mr. Vincent Lambert, 21.05.2019

A FATHER CHOOSES TO SUPPORT HIS WIFE IN LIFE!

Luigi Quattrocchi (d.1951) was a good man in his youth though not very religious. That changed after his marriage to his beloved Maria. They went to daily Mass and prayed the family Rosary. He became an ideal father, providing selfless care to his family also serving in community organizations.



Maria suffered great difficulties in her first three pregnancies. "I'd prefer anything to another pregnancy!" she wrote to a friend.

Then another baby was conceived. Maria developed severe complications. The best doctors suggested there was elevated risk and advised abortion.

But Luigi, remembering our heavenly Father and his own fatherhood, **encouraged and supported his wife's decision to persevere in the pregnancy.** Together they declared, "No abortion!", despite the risks.

Through their faith, God faithfully took care of them. A healthy baby was born at seven months and Maria lived many more fulfilling, happy years to the age of 81.

The couple lived an ordinary life with extraordinary and heroic faith, hope and love. Together with Maria, Papa Luigi was beatified by Pope St. John Paul II in 2001.

Blessed Luigi, pray for all fathers

Hurting or haunted by a previous abortion?

For help and healing.

Call Pregnancy Options:

Saskatoon : (306) 665-7550 or

Regina: (306) 757-3344



THE HEART OF A FATHER

Sharon O. recalls: "A young man briefly told me his story. His girlfriend who was carrying his child decided to have an abortion – against his wishes." To this day, years later, he grieves the loss of his child.

Amy W. remembers holding a sobbing young man in her arms, his heart breaking. His fiancée was next door preparing for an abortion.

He was encouraged to talk to his fiancée "one last time". Assuring her of his love and support she decided against abortion.

Someone must have been praying...

SAVE A LIFE

Pray for a man who is being tempted to take his wife or girlfriend for an abortion:

Lord, give him a FATHER'S HEART to love and protect his child AND the mother.



***Father,
provide for them in all their needs.***