

ST. MARY'S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Церква Матері Божої Неустанної Помочі

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

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Christ is Among Us !
He is and will be !

Христос Посеред нас !
Є і буде !



DATE	TIME	EPISTLE	CANTOR	USHERS	ORGANIST
SAT OCT 21	5:00 pm English	Delores Oucharek		Paul Shewchuk Andy Mathuik	
SUN OCT 22 <i>20th Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:00 am Ukrainian	Bernard Stephaniuk	Ed Pindus	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
	11:00 am English	Dave Spelay	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Dave Spelay Faye Spelay	Iris Skehar
SAT OCT 28	5:00 pm English	Sr. Suzanne Kokuruds		Ann Musey Jean Kitsch	
SUN OCT 29 <i>Feast of Christ the King</i>	9:00 am Ukrainian	Mykhaylo Zotov	Lorne Stechyshyn	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
	11:00 am English	Toni Gromnisky	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Jerry Gromnisky Ed Lischynski	Iris Skehar

SUNDAY COLLECTION OCTOBER 15 2017	Received in 161 Regular Envelopes	\$ 3,392.00
	Loose Collection	\$ 184.00
	Received in 15 Other Envelopes	\$ 302.00



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

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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

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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

WEEKDAYS

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

Beloved Parishioners and Visitors,

A few bulletins ago I shared some painful details about the reality of our few fellow Redemptorists – about Frs. Frank, Leonard, Vladimir, and especially Fr. Peter – all of whom were your pastors in the past number of years. You worked with them, you prayed with them, you celebrated with them and yes, I believe, came to love each one of them, with their personal gifts of sharing their faith....

And now our Lord Jesus has called our **+Father Peter Pidskalny** into the Heavenly Kingdom. We often don't understand God's perspective, but we humans are truly saddened and even a little discouraged that Father Peter has left us here on earth at such an early age of **72**. Everyone knows what a gentle, kind and pastoral priest he was and we especially here in the St. Mary's district can generously and abundantly testify to this. We sincerely offer our heartfelt prayers for Father +Peter and our condolences to all his family and friends. May he verily rest in peace! Without doubt, Jesus is saying: *“Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been so faithful in little things. I now place you in charge of greater things in the Kingdom of God! Enter into the joy of your Master!”* (Matt: 25:23)

The prayerful priestly **Parastas** will be celebrated this Sunday evening in St. Peter and Paul's parish in Saskatoon (*Fr. Peter was pastor there just before coming to St. Mary's*) and then on Monday evening at 7:00 pm at Sacred Heart parish in Ituna where only on May 2nd, we painfully celebrated the funeral of our brother **+Fr. Boris Kyba CSsR**. Father Ray and I will journey into Winnipeg to help conduct the funeral Liturgy at St. Joseph's on Wednesday. +Fr. Peter will then be interred in our Redemptorist cemetery with all his deceased confreres. Again, I encourage you to pray in loving thanksgiving and praise for Fr. +Peter who so faithfully served our Ukrainian church and our Ukrainian people in western Canada for 45 dedicated sacerdotal years.

On another note, we happily welcome our monthly **30** participants in the Adult Lay Faith Formation program. This weekend **Fr. John Sianchuk** excitedly shares his vast knowledge of our Byzantine spirituality. His enthusiasm is absolutely contagious!

This Sunday at 10:00 – 11:00 am, we are pleased to resume our bi-monthly **Adult Religious program** – this year we happily are presenting a delightful and informative Bible project, entitled ***Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible***. This consists of 8 excellent DVD presentations that you don't want to miss. Do come and bring a friend to enjoy!

Just a friendly reminder: on **Sunday, November 5th**, we encourage you to be extra generous for a second collection: **The Redemptorist Solidarity Fund** which is being conducted in every CSsR parish in the world. This is a golden opportunity to share our earthly blessings with the *“poor”* and *“homeless”*. I graciously thank you in advance!

May the good Lord Jesus and His Blessed Mother grace you and yours, in turn, with their most wonderful graces....



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 29	First Solemn Holy Communion Class (<i>plus - Parents' Class & Meeting</i>)	9:45 am
October 29	First Solemn Holy Communion Inscription Service	11:00 am
October 29	St. Mary's Fall Supper	4:30 pm - 6:30 pm
November 5	Bible Study DVD Series (<i>Church Basement</i>)	10:00 am
November 5	Knights of Columbus Brunch	10:15 am & 12:15 am
November 6	Knights of Columbus Meeting	7:00 pm
November 6	UCWLC Meeting	7:00 pm
November 10	Knights of Columbus Remembrance Service	7:00 pm
November 13	Holy Rosary Hour	12:00 Noon
November 15	<i>Pylypivka (Pre-Christmas Fast) Begins</i>	
November 19	First Solemn Holy Communion Class	9:45 am
November 20	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting	7:00 pm
November 21	<i>Feast of the Presentation of the Mother of God in the Temple</i>	
November 21	Parish Council Meeting & Divine Liturgy	7:00 pm
November 30	Golden Agers Birthdays and Anniversaries	1:00 pm
December 11	Cultural Centre Board Meeting	6:00 pm

News Release: *City of Yorkton, SK challenged to stop censoring “Right for Life” week*

“...The Justice Centre for Constitutional Freedoms (JCCF.ca) has made a formal request for the City of Yorkton to reverse its rejection of Parkland Right for Life's application to have a “Right for Life” week....The Justice Centre's letter, which was sent to the City on Tuesday, October 10, states that, “[the] City of Yorkton's discrimination against pro-life views and Mr. Deneschuk is unlawful.” The letter requests that the City reverse its arbitrary and biased decision to deny Mr. Deneschuk's application, and grant the application to proclaim a “Right for Life” week on the first available week. <https://www.jccf.ca/category/justice-update/>”

FALL SUPPER

ST. MARY'S PARISH CULTURAL CENTRE

Sunday, October 29th.

4:30 pm – 6:30 pm



Enjoy a menu of Ham, Meatballs, Baked Sausage, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables, Perogies, Cabbage Rolls, Variety of Salads, Pies & Desserts, Coffee, Tea & Pop

ADULTS \$17.00 * CHILDREN (under 12) \$10.00 * PRESCHOOLERS \$3.00



CHRIST THE TEACHER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS NEWS
October 23-27

	SACRED HEART	ST. ALPHONSUS	ST. MARY'S	ST. MICHAEL'S	ST. PAUL'S	ST. THEODORE'S
MON		Old Dutch Chip Pick (Parents/Guardians)			SCC Potato Chip Pickup 3:20 -5:00 pm	
TUES	Parent/Grad Meeting 7:00 pm				Volleyball vs Dr. Brass Girls Home Boys Away	
WED						
THURS	Gr. 10 Retreat New Teacher Induction				Photo Retakes SCC Pizza Lunch	
FRI	Boys Soccer Provincials @SHHS	Picture Retakes Band Booster Chocolate Fundraiser Due				

Youth & Young Adults

“Fall Faith Retreat” October 27-28, 2017 Saskatoon
Registration Date & Venue Changes!

Registration deadline extended to Wednesday, October 25th!

So please join us in our "Fall Faith Retreat" October 27th - 28th in Saskatoon for youth and young adults ages 12-35! Our retreat will begin on Friday, October 27th at *Bishop Pocock School on 227 Avondale Road* (not at the Chancery Office) as part of the Junior Youth event from 8–10 pm. For more details and to register online, please go to our Eparchial Youth Website: <http://skeparchy.org/ucya/>.

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 22	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
	Sunday, November 12	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
CALDER	Sunday, October 29	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
	Sunday, November 26	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
MELVILLE	Sunday, October 22	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
	Sunday, October 29	*No Divine Liturgy*	
	Sunday, November 5	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
SHEHO Town	Sunday, October 29	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy - Praznyk

20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

OCTOBER 22, 2017

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 - Colossians 1 :12-20 Gospel - John 18:33-37

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

SUNDAY	20th Sunday After Pentecost <i>Thanksgiving Food Drive continues...</i> 9:00 am..... Divine Liturgy 10:00 am..... Bible Study DVD Series (<i>Church Basement</i>) 11:00 am..... Divine Liturgy 7:00 pm..... Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo
TUESDAY	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm..... Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
THURSDAY	Feast of Great Martyr Demetrius 10:30 am..... Divine Liturgy at Gladstone Seniors' Residence 1:00 pm..... Golden Agers Birthdays and Anniversaries
SATURDAY	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

MINUTES FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING - Minutes approved at the last Parish Council Meeting are available for viewing on our website (www.saintmarysyorkton.com) . Please click on **“Organizations”** and then click on **“Parish Council”**. Click on the link found on that page.

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

We express our sympathy & prayers to the family & friends of **+Adolph Karapita, +Norman Yasinsky and +Fr. Peter Pidskalny, CSsR** who passed away recently.

Вічна Память God Grant Them Eternal Rest Вічна Память

DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22

20th Sunday After Pentecost		Galatians 1:11-19 ~ Luke 7:11-16
MON Oct 23	Apostle James	Philippians 4:10-23 ~ Luke 7:36-50
8:00 am	+Andy Sebulski (5 Years).....Family	
8:00 am	+Hnat Pisiak.....sister Carol Gnazadowsky	
8:00 am	+Andy Bachewich.....Jean & family	
TUE Oct 24	Martyr Arethas	Colossians 1:1-11 ~ Luke 8:1-3
8:00 am	+Stephan and +Anastasia Shordee.....Grace & family and Bill	
8:00 am	+Deceased Members of the Kulasa & Dobko families.....Anne Dobko	
8:00 am	+Mary Lazurko.....John & Adeline Pacholka	
WED Oct 25	Martyrs Marcian & Martyrius	Colossians 1:18-23 ~ Luke 8:22-25
8:00 am	+Fr. Peter Pidskalny, CSsR.....Yorkton Redemptorists	
THU Oct 26	Great Martyr Demetrius	2 Timothy 2:1-10 ~ John 15:17-16:2
8:00 am	God's Blessings for Julia Pacholko (100th Birthday).....Della & Ruby	
8:00 am	God's Blessings for Children and Siblings.....Terri Genik	
FRI Oct 27	Martyr Nestor	Colossians 2:1-7 ~ Luke 9:12-18
8:00 am	God's Blessings for Ben & Vi Kluk (60th Anniversary).....Knights of Columbus	
8:00 am	God's Blessings for Julia Rohatensky (85th Birthday).....Mary, Marie & Julia	
8:00 am	Health & God's Blessings for Marlene Korol.....Larry & Sandra German	
SAT Oct 28	Martyr Parasceva	2 Corinthians 3:12-18 ~ Luke 6:1-10
9:00 am	Members & Families.....Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
5:00 pm	Birthday Blessings for Elizabeth Zahayko.....Prayer Partner	

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

ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR THE REDEMPTORIST SOLIDARITY FUND

This Solidarity Fund collection is taking place in all our CSsR parishes and monasteries around the world. It is an instrument to offer financial assistance to all the suffering peoples under the care of Redemptorists.

What are the Priorities of this Fund?

1. **Emergency situations:** natural disasters such as earthquakes, wars, hurricanes, floods, economic or social crises, etc.
2. **Formation:** principally interprovincial initial formation, formation houses for future priests and for further studies in Rome at the Collegio Maggiore, etc.
3. **Pastoral projects:** Especially interprovincial projects, new foundations to help the poor



*** We will have this special Collection on November 4th/5th at all Liturgies in our Redemptorist parishes.... PLEASE let us share our blessings and be generous!

Luke 13:3 "This poor widow has given more than all the rest of them"

Saint Mary's Building Fund Donations



In Memory of Fred Bodnaryk
Laurie Fedorowich \$50.00

Balance of the Fund to date: \$ 322,865.22 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



*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.*



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..."**

"An Engaging Journey through the Bible" in 8 DVD sessions



This popular Bible Study program is a wonderful basis for an understanding of the Holy Bible for all our parishioners....

"Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible" makes the complex simple. It helps us uncover the story woven throughout Scripture, so that you get the "big picture" of the Bible and understand what it is all about. The Bible is a story about the Father's unfailing love for us, a love that we are called to share with others.

You will:

- *Make sense of the Bible and see how it relates to your everyday life.
- *Discover the remarkable connection between the Old and New Testament
- *See how the Sacraments, the Church, and our entire Catholic Faith are rooted in Scripture... and much more!

We, your Pastors, strongly encourage our parishioners to grow in faith and love of our Faith and our Church.



WHERE? Golden Agers room *under the Church*

WHEN? 10:00 - 10:45 am – every second Sunday

DATES: October 22, November 5 & 19, December 3 & 17 and dates to be set in 2018

"In eight compelling videos this series presents the story of salvation history from Creation and the Fall through the coming of Christ and the founding of the Church."

"To fall in love with God is the greatest of all romances; to seek Him, the greatest adventure." *St. Augustine*



ST. MARY'S UCWLC WORK BEES



St. Mary's UCWLC is having Work Bees at the Cultural Centre on:
Perogies - Tuesday, October 24th @ 8:30 am
Cabbage rolls - Tuesday, November 14th @ 8:30 am



*We would welcome
your help and support.*



THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE CONTINUES UNTIL OCTOBER 29TH

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 month of October*. 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.

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

Thank you for your support!



ST. BASIL'S MANOR IN REGINA

St. Basil's Manor in Regina has several one-bedroom suites available for immediate occupancy. For viewing, contact Harvey or Sandra Klock at 306-757-1716. For leasing details, contact Regina Housing Authority at 306-565-4434 or 306-565-4432. The current rent for a one-bedroom suite is \$670 per month. Parking is available for an extra \$25 per month. Coin operated laundry is located on each floor. The Chapel and common room are located on the main floor. Come and see this well-kept and beautifully landscaped building!



Fr. Peter Pidskalny, C.Ss.R. peacefully reposed in the Lord on October 15 at St. Joseph's Home in Saskatoon after a brief but courageous battle with cancer. He is predeceased by his parents John and Mary Pidskalny and survived by his sisters, Sr. Anne Pidskalny, SSMI (Winnipeg, MB), Genevieve Morris (husband Allan, Portage la Prairie, MB), Jo-Anne Heuser (Calgary, AB), and brother, Fr. Joseph Pidskalny, OSBM (Vancouver, BC) and nieces, nephews and grandnieces.

Fr. Peter was born in Ethelbert, MB on July 27, 1945. He graduated from St. Vladimir's College in Roblin, MB in June 1963 and entered the Redemptorist Novitiate in Meadowvale, ON. He professed his first vows as a Redemptorist on August 28, 1964. On May 14, 1972, Bishop Michael Rusnak, C.SsR ordained him to the sub-diaconate at St. Mary's Church in Toronto. He was ordained deacon by Metropolitan Maxim Hermaniuk, C.SsR. at Ss. Vladimir & Olga Cathedral, Winnipeg on May 28, 1972. Later that summer, on August 19, Metropolitan Maxim ordained him to the priesthood at Ss. Peter & Paul Church in Ethelbert, MB.

His first assignment was to St. Mary's Parish in Yorkton, SK (1972-73), where, besides being assistant pastor, he was also chaplain to the Eparchial U.C.Y., the Knights of Columbus, and the Catholic Schools. In 1973 he was assigned assistant pastor to St. John's Parish in Newark, New Jersey.

In preparation for a teaching career, he studied at the Faculty of Education at the University of Manitoba and the Faculty of Mathematics at the University of Saskatchewan. From 1975-96, he was professor at St. Vladimir's College in Roblin, Manitoba where he taught Mathematics, Ukrainian, General Sciences, and Computer Science. He had a love of mathematics and sciences and enjoyed sharing it with the students of St. Vladimir's. He had interests in many fields. His hobbies included photography, astronomy and ham radio.

At St. Vladimir's College, from 1978-94 he was principal, Director from 1994-95, and Spiritual Director from 1995-96. During this time he took one year of sabbatical studies at St. Michael's College, Toronto School of Theology (1981-82). For 12 years he served the parishes of Benito and Swan River, and for 8 years the parishes of Russell and Petlura.

Fr. Peter was the associate pastor of the Wynyard Pastoral District from August 1996 to July 1999 and pastor from August 1999 to July 2002. From August 2002 until July 2005 he was the pastor of the Ituna Pastoral District and Local Superior for the Wynyard-Ituna District. On August 1, 2005 he became pastor of Ss. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church in Saskatoon. In August 2008, he was assigned as Superior-Pastor of Yorkton and District and from 2015 he served as Superior-Pastor for Ituna and District until the time of his illness. Since 2008, Fr. Peter served on the Redemptorist Provincial Council with 2 terms as Vicar.

Funeral Prayers will be offered in Saskatoon at Ss. Peter & Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church at 7:00 pm on Sunday, October 22. A priestly parastas will be prayed at Sacred Heart Ukrainian Catholic Church in Ituna at 7:00 pm on Monday, October 23. On Wednesday, October 25 at 10:00 am the Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at St. Joseph's Ukrainian Catholic Church, 250 Jefferson Ave, Winnipeg, MB. Interment will be in Holy Family Cemetery, Winnipeg.

*We pray that he knows the loving embrace of our merciful Redeemer.
May God grant his faithful servant, +Father Peter Pidskalny, C.SsR,
peaceful repose among the saints.*

Вічная Память God Grant Him Eternal Rest Вічная Память