

# Saint Mary's Building Fund Donations



Emil & Delores Strutyński \$500.00

*Donations may be given at 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.

**Building Fund \$165,601.13 Thank you very much!**

## Sound System Project Donations

Knight of Columbus #5182 \$1,000.00 Anonymous \$500.00 Larry & Sandra German \$150.00

**WEDDING BANNS:** The wedding of Caitlin Mari Lyons and Kelsey Ashton Valuck will take place at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church on May 18th, 2024.

DATE	TIME	EPISTLE	CANTOR	USHERS	ORGANIST
<b>SAT MAY 11</b>	5:00 PM English	Bernadette Gabora	Bernadette Gabora	William & Sylvia Krywulak	
<b>SUN MAY 12</b> <i>Sunday of The Holy Fathers</i>	9:00 AM Eng / Ukr	Elsie Stechyshyn	Lorne Stechyshyn	John & Kathy Woychesko	
<b>SAT MAY 18</b>	5:00 PM English	Tom Abrametz	Tom Abrametz	John & Vicky Ostrowercha	
<b>SUN MAY 19</b> <i>Pentecost Sunday</i>	9:00 AM Eng / Ukr	Darlene Shymanski	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Stan & Darlene Shymanski	Iris Skehar

<b>SUNDAY COLLECTION</b> APRIL 28, 2024 MAY 5, 2024 THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS	Received on April 28 in 63 Regular Envelopes .....	\$ 1,377.00
	Received on May 5 in 65 Regular Envelopes .....	\$ 2,357.00
	Received in Loose Collection .....	\$ 179.55
	Received in 10 Other Envelopes .....	\$ 405.00
	Received in 20 Outreach Envelopes .....	\$395.00

**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..."**

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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

MAY 12 & 19, 2024

Christ is Risen!  
Indeed He is Risen!

Христос Воскрес!  
Воїстину Воскрес!



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.

## YORKTON - ITUNA PASTORAL DISTRICT

Fr. Basil Malowany - Administrator / Pastor

### \*\*OFFICE HOURS\*\*

Tuesday - Thursday \*\*9:00 am - 12:00 pm\*\*

**Office is in the Church Basement-  
use Golden Agers Entrance on North side**

**Office 306-783-4594**

**Fr. Basil - 306-540-5102**

**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 Eng / Ukr

### HOLY DAYS

7:00 pm

### WEEKDAYS

Tuesdays 7:30 am  
Wednesdays 7:30 am  
Fridays 7:30 am

## 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.



**\*\*Please support your parish by joining PAG\*\***

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

**DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS** - If you make an offering for this service by cheque, make payable to: St. Mary's Church. The suggested stipend (offering) for a Divine Liturgy Intention is \$20.00. **Liturgy Request Forms with envelopes are at the Church Entrances.** Place the completed form in the envelope with your stipend, seal the envelope and drop into the collection plate.

## VESNA FESTIVAL CELEBRATING 50 YEARS (1974-2024)

Join us for live music by Nova Mria, Dixie Hiway, Brothers 2, Half Na Piv, & Lastiwka.  
Featuring: Yevshan, PFE, Rushnychok, and Boyan.

May 25, 2024, Doors Open at 5:00pm, TCU Place, Saskatoon Admission with Meal \$50.00  
Sponsored by Ukrainian Canadian Congress Saskatchewan Provincial Council & Sask Lotteries.  
vesnafestival.com

## PLEASE REMEMBER THAT OUR CHURCH IS A SACRED SPACE...

Kindly silence your mobile devices during Divine Liturgy. Thank you.

**WEDDING PLANS ??** - If you are planning to be married at St. Mary's or any of the Yorkton District parishes, please contact Fr. Basil (306-540-5102) at least six months before the wedding date.

**SICK & VISITING** - If you know of someone who is in the hospital and would like to be visited by Father Basil, please call him 306-540-5102.

**HAS YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION CHANGED ??** Please notify the Parish Office if you have a change of address or a new phone number. This will help to keep our records current and ensure that tax receipts go to the correct address. Thank you.

## DIRECTIONS TO THE NEW PARISH OFFICE

We are located in the former Golden Agers Centre. Please go past the end of the ramp on the north side of the church. Continue until you see the north wall of the church, if you walk toward the north wall, you will see an entrance to your right (the door faces east), please proceed down the stairs, turn left and you will find us.

**Office hours are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9:00 am to 12:00 Noon.**



**The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon Eparchial Safeguarding Policy: Covenant of Care, Electronic Communication and Technology & Abuse and Misconduct Policy** is a code of conduct which is designed to create safe & respectful church communities and healthy ministerial relationships, and to protect people from abuse and the harm that results. To speak to someone about a concern please contact your Pastor or email: [safeguarding@skeparchy.org](mailto:safeguarding@skeparchy.org) More information is available on the Eparchial Website, [www.skeparchy.org](http://www.skeparchy.org).

## UPCOMING EVENTS

May 15	Confessions, Adult Catechism and Akhatist	6:30 pm
May 20	UCBC Meeting	7:00 pm
May 21	Parish Council Meeting	6:30 pm
May 22	Confessions, Adult Catechism and Akhatist	6:30 pm
May 26	Grave Blessing at Yorkton City Cemetery	2:00 pm
May 26	Grave Blessing at Yorkton Memorial Gardens	4:00 pm
May 26	Living Rosary and Strawberry Social	7:00 pm

## YORKTON AND DISTRICT PARISHES

### Schedule of Services in the Yorkton Pastoral District

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

MELVILLE	Sunday, May 12	11:30 am	Divine Liturgy
ITUNA	Sunday, May 12	4:00 pm	Divine Liturgy
ITUNA	Thursday, May 16	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy at Sunshine Manor
MELVILLE	Saturday, May 18	7:00 pm	Divine Liturgy
ITUNA	Sunday, May 19	11:30 am	Divine Liturgy
BEAVERDALE	Sunday, May 19	2:00 pm	Divine Liturgy
ITUNA	Thursday, May 23	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy at Sacred Heart Church
WADENA	Saturday, May 25	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
ITUNA	Saturday, May 25	7:30 pm	Divine Liturgy
MELVILLE	Sunday, May 26	9:00 am	Divine Liturgy
WADENA	Saturday, June 1	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Grave Blessing
MELVILLE	Sunday, June 2	11:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Grave Blessing
BIRMINGHAM	Sunday, June 2	2:00 pm	Grave Blessing

## Living Rosary, Moleben & Strawberry Social



Sunday, May 26th

7:00 pm - Living Rosary & Moleben (Church)

Social to follow at the Cultural Centre - \$5.00 per person.

All parishioners of St. Mary's are invited to take part in the Living Rosary.



## UCWLC National Scholarships 2024



The Ukrainian Catholic Women's League of Canada offers two scholarships: The Vera Buczynsky Ukrainian Language Studies Scholarship for \$1,000 is offered to a person who is a member of a Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada who is enrolled in Ukrainian Language Studies at the post-secondary level. The Mary Dyma Religious Studies Scholarship for \$1,000 is offered to a lay woman who is a member of a Ukrainian Catholic Church in Canada who is enrolled in Religious Studies at the graduate level.

Criteria and applications for both scholarships are available online at [www.ucwlc.ca](http://www.ucwlc.ca) and can be submitted electronically to the: Vera Buczynsky Ukrainian Language Studies Scholarship Committee OR Mary Dyma Religious Studies Scholarship Committee at [nationalscholarships@ucwlc.ca](mailto:nationalscholarships@ucwlc.ca)

Sharon Tkachuk: Chair - National UCWLC Scholarship Committee



PODCAST

## PODCASTS

Fr. Basil makes daily podcasts talking about our faith & relationship with Jesus Christ!

Use the links below to follow his podcasts:

<https://bmalow.podbean.com>  
<https://wisdom.app/frbasil4602>





### HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

May the blessing and love of Our Divine Lord and His Blessed Mother be yours in abundance on this Mother's Day and always.



### OPTIONS PREGNANCY CENTRE 2024 BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

The finances & prayers we receive enables us to reach more women in our province who are experiencing the confusion & difficulty of an unplanned pregnancy. To support us:

- Please pickup an empty baby bottle on your way out of church. You can fill it with coins/bills or a cheque, and return the bottle to the church by Father's Day (June 16th)
- Pickup a baby bottle donation slip for information on how to e-transfer at [office@reginapregnancy.com](mailto:office@reginapregnancy.com) or to donate online by credit card at [www.reginapregnancy.com/donate](http://www.reginapregnancy.com/donate).

For more information please contact Options at 306-757-1371. Your support is greatly appreciated.



St. Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church Camp AGM (for 2022 year) is Sunday May 26th at 7pm at St. Mary's School, Yorkton SK and online. Email us [camp@stmichaelscamp.com](mailto:camp@stmichaelscamp.com) to receive the online link for more information or to join the Board!



### CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK - MAY 5-12, 2024

Each year, Catholic Schools in Saskatchewan participate in a week-long celebration to remember, promote, & appreciate the gift of Catholic Education. In our province, this special week encompasses World Catholic Education Day which is always celebrated on Ascension Thursday – this year on May 9. This year's theme, *We Are Called to Love*, reminds us that we have been called to express God's love as people filled with hope, faith, mercy, a sense of justice, and joy. Through the sharing of prayer, scripture, and calls to action, all will be given the opportunity to experience the richness of our Catholic faith in their learning and celebrations. Catholic Education Week is an opportunity to celebrate the contributions to Catholic education provided by our students, staff, families, parishes, and the Board of Education as well as the impact of Catholic Education in our province. The week is marked by special activities such as prayer celebrations and service activities in Catholic schools across the province. May we always rejoice in recognizing the blessings our lives hold, and especially this week, the blessing of Catholic Education.



### ST. MARY'S EQUIPMENT FOR SALE BY ONLINE AUCTION

- Auction lots #94-102 open May 3rd & closes May 13th. To bid, go to [www.ukrainetzauction.com](http://www.ukrainetzauction.com)
- ~ JD Zero Turn Gas Riding Mower
  - ~ White Field Boss Diesel Tractor with Bucket/Blade
  - ~ JD Riding Gas Tractor with Snowblower c/w Mower Deck
  - ~ STIHL Gas String Trimmer
  - ~ 2 - Push Mowers 18" & 20"
  - ~ 42" Lawn Sweep
  - ~ STIHL Gas Leaf Blower
  - ~ STIHL Gas Hedge Trimmer

For info call 306-621-1816. Viewing Saturday, May 4, 12 Noon-2pm behind the Church.

### SUNDAY OF THE HOLY FATHERS PENTECOST SUNDAY

MAY 12, 2024  
MAY 19, 2024

*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 available in the pews.*

### THE NEXT TWO WEEKS AT ST. MARY'S

<b>SUN</b>	<b>MAY 12</b>	<b>SUNDAY OF THE HOLY FATHERS</b>
		9:00 am..... Divine Liturgy <i>English &amp; Ukrainian</i>
<b>TUE</b>	<b>MAY 14</b>	7:30 am..... Divine Liturgy
		10:30 am..... Divine Liturgy at Yorkton Crossing
<b>WED</b>	<b>MAY 15</b>	7:30 am..... Divine Liturgy
<b>FRI</b>	<b>MAY 17</b>	7:30 am..... Divine Liturgy
<b>SAT</b>	<b>MAY 18</b>	8:00 am..... Divine Liturgy & Sorokousty
		5:00 pm..... Divine Liturgy
<b>SUN</b>	<b>MAY 19</b>	<b>PENTECOST SUNDAY</b>
		9:00 am..... Divine Liturgy <i>English &amp; Ukrainian</i>
<b>TUE</b>	<b>MAY 21</b>	7:30 am..... Divine Liturgy
		10:30 am..... Divine Liturgy at The Bentley
<b>WED</b>	<b>MAY 22</b>	7:30 am..... Divine Liturgy
<b>FRI</b>	<b>MAY 24</b>	7:30 am..... Divine Liturgy
<b>SAT</b>	<b>MAY 25</b>	5:00 pm..... Divine Liturgy
<b>SUN</b>	<b>MAY 26</b>	<b>ALL SAINTS SUNDAY</b>
		11:30 am..... Divine Liturgy <i>English &amp; Ukrainian</i>



Deadline for submissions to the bulletin Wednesdays at 12:00 noon. The next bulletin will be printed for Sunday, May 26th. To ensure your bulletin submission is received please submit your submissions via hard copy during office hours or by email to [st.mary.yorkton@sasktel.net](mailto:st.mary.yorkton@sasktel.net) Please note that all submissions sent after the deadline may be held until the next bulletin.

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

### Sound System Proposal

For the past while, a large number of parishioners have shown concern not being able to hear the services clearly. We have reached out to various sound professionals in the past and most recently to rectify this problem. We are being told that our system is very old which we all agree and can't provide quality sound that a Church our size requires. We were given a quote by a local sound professional to provide a state of the art system that will satisfy our needs. This system is estimated in excess of \$13,000 which may seem a lot but nothing comes cheap these days. We can only proceed with this project with the financial help from our parishioners. If you are considering to assist, please indicate on your donation that it is for the Sound System Project. - St. Mary's Parish Council

## DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF SUNDAY, MAY 12

**Sunday of the Holy Fathers** **Acts 20:16-18, 28-36 ~ John 17:1-13**  
**MON May 13 Martyr Glyceria** **Acts 21:8-14 ~ John 14:27 - 15:7**

**Fr. Basil - Day Off \*\*No Divine Liturgy**

**TUE May 14 Martyr Isidore** **Acts 21:26-32 ~ John 16:2-13**  
 7:30 am +Sylvia Ukrainetz.....Andrea, Lorraine, Randy & Darcia  
 10:30 am (Yorkton Crossing) +Johnny Balaniuk.....Karen & Gordon Rubletz

**WED May 15 Venerable Pachomius** **Acts 23:1-11 ~ John 16:15-23**

7:30 am +Deceased Yawney Family Members.....Family

**THU May 16 Venerable Theodore** **Acts 25:13-19 ~ John 16:23-33**

10:00 am Sunshine Manor (Ituna Intention)

**FRI May 17 Apostle Andronicus** **Acts 27:1-44 ~ John 17:18-26**

7:30 am +Albin Zayshley.....Evelyn Kardynal

**SAT May 18 All Souls Saturday** **Acts 28:1-31 ~ John 21:14-25**

5:00 pm +John & +Pauline.....Adeline

## DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF SUNDAY, MAY 19

**Pentecost Sunday** **Acts 2:1-11 ~ John 7:37-52 - 8:12**  
**MON May 20 Monday of the Holy Spirit** **Ephesians 5:8-19 ~ Matthew 18:10-20**

**Fr. Basil - Day Off \*\*No Divine Liturgy**

**TUE May 21 Emperor Constantine & his Mother Helen, Equals to the Apostles** **Galatians 1:11-19 ~ John 10:1-9**  
 7:30 am Health & God's Blessings for Carleen.....Friend  
 10:00 am (The Bentley) +William Beyko.....Sylvia Lozinski

**WED May 22 Martyr Basiliscus** **Romans 1:18-27 ~ Matthew 5:20-26**

7:30 am +Victor Puchala.....Vickie

**THU May 23 Confessor Michael** **Romans 1:28 - 2:9 ~ Matthew 5:27-32**

Sacred Heart Church (Ituna Intention)

**FRI May 24 Venerable Simeon** **Romans 2:14-29 ~ Matthew 5:33-41**

7:30 am +Sylvia Tomchysen.....Tasha & Wendy

**SAT May 25 3rd Finding of the Head of John the Baptist** **Corinthians 4:6-15 ~ Matthew 11:2-15**

5:00 pm Health for Walter.....Virginia



The 2024 Annual Eparchial Appeal has now begun. Here is three initiatives/programs supported by the 2024 Annual Eparchial Appeal.

The St. Matthew Clergy Society program is supported by the Annual Eparchial Appeal. One of the most important elements of service to the Faithful of the Eparchy is the sanctification aspect provided by the Clergy of our Eparchy. Without the Clergy we have no Eparchy, we have no Ukrainian Catholic Church. In accordance with Canon Law, the Faithful of the Eparchy do have a responsibility to ensure that the welfare of our Clergy is accomodated. St. Matthew Clergy Society was established to provide Clergy a supplemental Provincial Plan for health & dental benefits, life insurance & funds for retirement. Increased costs over the years have caused financial strain on the Society.

The Ukrainian Catholic Religious Education Centre under the direction of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate offers the Eparchial Faith Formation Program. This program teaches participants about the sources of Christian faith, offers insights into how to live a Christian life through five basic stages of Christian conversion: scripture, spirituality, liturgy, theology, and ministry. As graduates deepen their relationship with Jesus and others, they are invited to participate in the Pastoral Ministries within their parishes or assist with various Ministries throughout the Eparchy. The alumni serve as Catechists, Cantors, Eucharistic Ministers, Hospital Visitors, Parish & Youth Workers and make significant contributions to making a Parish "Vibrant". For more detailed information, please refer to the Eparchial website, [www.skeparchy.org](http://www.skeparchy.org) under the "Ministries" tab, and the "UCREC" link

To have a vibrant Parish and a vibrant Eparchy, the communication and interactive relationship line between the Eparchy and the parishes must be enriched. The objective of the Communications Office is to establish a more effective, yet efficient communication line between the Chancery Office and the members of our parishes. As expressed by the Eparchial Communication Co-Ordinator, "We are all called upon to preach the Gospel in our daily lives, but not all of us are equipped to do so. The Eparchial Communications Office can assist individuals with the resources, information and inspiration they need to meet life's challenges through the lens of their Ukrainian Catholic Faith, as well as maintain effective communication channels between the Eparchy and our Parishes through our website and social media." A perfect example of the on-line presence was the establishment of the Cantor's Corner initiative, which serves as a reference to cantors on how to sing the various Tropars, Kondaks and Prokimen.

Did you know that there is more than one way to give to the Annual Eparchial Appeal? You can:

- Make a one-time gift.
- Make a pledge and spread out your pledge over 12 (or less) monthly payments.
- Have your donation matched by your company with a Corporate Matching Gift.
- Online donations using the QR code which links directly to the UCFSask website.



In addition, if you want more information concerning the Annual Eparchial Appeal, or if you would like to listen to some of the testimonials from individuals who have participated in the various Eparchial Ministry programs, please go to the Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan's website at [www.ucfsask.org](http://www.ucfsask.org). Now more than ever, it is so important to feed the spiritual needs of all the people in the Eparchy. The Annual Eparchial Appeal is an opportunity to come together as an Eparchy to serve each other, and your participation is crucial. Let us follow Christ's example to serve each other and our community. If you have any questions or comments regarding the Eparchial Appeal or the Foundation itself, please contact the Foundation Office at 306-653-0138, ext 223.



**Knights of Columbus Father Delaere Council  
Harvest Meats 2024 Spring Fundraiser**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

QTY	Item #	Description & Size	#Pkgs/Case	#Pcs/Pkg	Price
_____	80012	Sliced Back Bacon 2x125g	10	5 Slices	\$70.00
_____	80035	Thick-Sliced Bacon 1500g	12	Varied	\$140.00
_____	120280	Beef Burgers 5kg Case		44 Burgers	\$97.00
_____	70061	Smoked Farm Sausage 500g	12	3	\$98.00
_____	70181	Smokies 375g	12	5	\$74.00
_____	60072	Wieners Bulk 1.0kg	6	12	\$82.00

Cheque # \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

ALL Sales are final due to food safety concerns.

Prepaid orders along with cheque made payable to “Knights of Columbus Father Delaere Council”, are to be dropped off in the mailbox at 373 MYRTLE AVENUE BY MAY 17TH.

Order pickup day is May 29th at St. Mary’s Cultural Centre between the hours of 6:00pm and 8:00 pm.

For more information contact Jason Popowich at 306-621-1923 or email at [jasonpopowich@icloud.com](mailto:jasonpopowich@icloud.com)



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