

ST. MARY'S UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Церква Матері Божої Неустанної Помочі

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

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PARISH BULLETIN

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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
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

You are invited to



ST. MICHAEL'S CAMP FALL SUPPER

Sunday, September 24th 4:00 - 7:00 pm

St. Michael's Camp, Benito Subdivision, Madge Lake

Adults: \$15 Youth (12 & under): \$10

DATE	TIME	EPISTLE	CANTOR	USHERS	ORGANIST
SAT SEPT 16	5:00 pm English	Julian Abrametz		Gerry Smysnuik Dan MacLean	
SUN SEPT 17 <i>Sunday after the Exaltation</i>	9:00 am Ukrainian	Ivan Bachynskyy	Lorne Stechyshyn	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
	11:00 am English	Terry Ruf	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Terry Ruf Nadia Ruf	Iris Skehar
SAT SEPT 23	5:00 pm English	Delores Oucharek		Paul Shewchuk Andy Mathuik	
SUN SEPT 24 <i>16th Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:00 am Ukrainian	Mykhaylo Zotov	Ed Pindus	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood	
	11:00 am English	Dave Spelay	Laurie Fedorowich Ron Wizniak	Dave Spelay Faye Spelay	Iris Skehar

SUNDAY COLLECTION	Received in 462 Regular Envelopes	\$ 8,910.50
	Loose Collection	\$ 427.00
AUG 27 TO SEPT 10	Received in 55 Other Envelopes	\$ 360.00
	Received in 89 Church Cleaning Envelopes	\$ 1,239.00

COVENANT OF CARE ~ ABUSE AND MISCONDUCT PROTOCOL
Parish Coordinator of Care: Geraldine Koban 306-782-0270

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Dear Beloved Parishioners and Guests,



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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.

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.

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

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.

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.

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.

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..

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
lukieful week!

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 24	1st Solemn Holy Communion Class & Parents' Meeting	10:00 am
September 27	Knights of Columbus Bingo	7:00 pm
September 28	Golden Agers Birthdays and Anniversaries	1:00 pm
September 28	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	7:00 pm
October 1	<i>Feast of the Patronage of the Mother of God</i>	
October 2	Knights of Columbus Meeting	7:00 pm
October 2	UCWLC Meeting	7:00 pm
October 4	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	7:00 pm
October 5	Knights of Columbus Bingo	7:00 pm
October 9	Cultural Centre Board Meeting	7:30 pm
October 12	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Bingo	1:00 pm
October 13	Holy Rosary Hour	
October 16	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting	7:00 pm
October 17	Parish Council Meeting & Divine Liturgy	7:00 pm

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH CAMP OF SASKATCHEWAN INC.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING ~ ST. MICHAEL'S CAMP, MADGE LAKE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1ST

1:30 pm Registration 2:00 pm Special Meeting

Please direct inquiries to:

Tracie at 306-533-8229 or info@stmichaelscamp.com

See our proposed Bylaw changes and Article of Incorporation changes at:

www.skeparchy.org or www.stmichaelscamp.com

Contact/Directions Information: <http://www.stmichaelscamp.com/contact/>



Musée Ukraina Museum Inc. 2017 Lottery Winners for August

\$20.00 Winners: Phil Germain-Regina, Jeff Wawryk-Yorkton, Sts Peter & Paul UCWLC-Saskatoon, Kenneth Kornylo-Calgary,(AB), Aaron Houghton-Saskatoon, Maria Hladky-Winnipeg(MB), Ken & Sylvia Siedlecki-Foam Lake, Lisa Wilson-Dalmeny, Dylan Wiest-Regina, John & Mary Holowachuk-Saskatoon, Chris Scott-Regina, Mike & Helen Hyniuk-Prud'homme, Carlotta Kulpak-Selkirk(MB), Norinne & Dennis Sawitsky-Wakaw, Joanna Pidperyhora-Yorkton, Gene Stychyshyn-Regina, Sid Chorney-Winnipeg(MB), Chris Salyniuk-Whitehorse(YT), Iryna Matsiuk-Saskatoon, Connie Doetzel-Bruno, Mary Kruger-Aberdeen, John Skorski-Saskatoon, Fr. Isidore Dziadyk-Winnipeg(MB), Gerri Wolfe-Saskatoon, Dean Smart-Naples(FL). **\$50.00 Winners:** Vasyl Nedilenko-Saskatoon, Patricia Holinaty-Wakaw, Al & Kim Bodnar-chuk-Saskatoon, Lena Pobran-Hafford. **\$100.00 Winners:** Fr. Bohdan Demczuk-Saskatoon, Geraldine Esaiw-Saskatoon.

Congratulations to all the winners!

There are still 122 chances to win cash prizes in the 2017 Calendar Lottery!

Lottery License #RR16-0270



CHRIST THE TEACHER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS NEWS
For the week of September 18-22

	SACRED HEART	ST. ALPHONSUS	ST. MARY'S	ST. MICHAEL'S	ST. PAUL'S	ST. THEODORE'S
MON		Old Dutch Fundraiser begins			Volleyball vs St. Michael's (Girls home, Boys away)	
TUES		Opening Mass @ St. Gerard's 1:00 pm				
WED						
THURS		Christ the Teacher Cross Country Meet @ Logan Flats			Christ the Teacher Cross Country Meet @ Logan Flats	
FRI						

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SHARE YOUR TALENTS AND TIME?

Saint Paul's School Maker Space Club use their talents of knitting and making quilts (the tie together kind)! We will be working on learning to knit in the month of November. Our goal is to knit scarves to donate to those in need. In March, we hope to make a number of tie together quilts to donate to the maternity ward in our hospital. Our students meet twice a week at noon. If you would like to help us out, **please contact Tammie Latimer or Jennifer Stackhouse at 306-783-9212 as soon as possible**, so we can plan for our projects. Looking for help from parish members who would like to share! Thank 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 24	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
CALDER	Sunday, September 24	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
MODEL FARM	Sunday, October 1	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy - Praznyk
SHEHO Farms	Sunday, September 17	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy & Grave Blessing
SHEHO Town	Sunday, October 29	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy - Praznyk
WHITESAND	Sunday, September 17	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy
	Sunday, October 8	10:00 am	Divine Liturgy

SUNDAY AFTER THE EXALTATION

SEPTEMBER 17, 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 - 2 Corinthians 6:1-10 Gospel - Matthew 25:14-30

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

SUNDAY	9:00 am.....	Divine Liturgy
	10:30 am.....	First Solemn Holy Communion Registration (In Boardroom)
	11:00 am.....	Divine Liturgy
MONDAY	7:00 pm.....	Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood Meeting
TUESDAY	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm.....	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
THURSDAY	10:30 am.....	Divine Liturgy @ Gladstone Seniors' Residence
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: c SSRmonastery@sasktel.net

FIRST SOLEMN HOLY COMMUNION & RECONCILIATION

REGISTRATION - TODAY - Sunday, September 17th at 10:30 am

1ST CLASS & PARENTS' MEETING - Sunday, September 24th at 10:00 am

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

- Register on **Sunday, September 17th at 10:30 am in the Boardroom.**
- Attend the **First Class and Parents' Meeting on Sunday, September 24th at 10:00 am in the Boardroom.**


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



DIVINE LITURGY INTENTIONS
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

Sunday after the Exaltation		Galatians 2:16-20 ~ Mark 8:34-9:1
MON Sept 18	Venerable Eumenius	Galatians 4:28-5:10 ~ Mark 6:54-7:8
8:00 am	+Sister Modesta.....	M.J. Hataley Family
8:00 am	+ Mary Lukash.....	Maureen Pankowski
TUE Sept 19	Martyr Trophimus	Galatians 5:11-21 ~ Mark 7:5-16
8:00 am	+Zygmunt.....	Adeline & John
8:00 am	+Mary Lazurko.....	Steve & Marg Walter
WED Sept 20	Martyr Michael	Galatians 6:2-10 ~ Mark 7:14-24
8:00 am	+Mike Chopty.....	Alice & family
8:00 am	+Peter Kostyniuk.....	Shirley
THU Sept 21	Apostle Quadratus	Ephesians 1:1-9 ~ Mark 7:24-30
8:00 am	+Michael & Martha.....	Albert & Natalie Zelany
8:00 am	+Arthur Gazdewich.....	William Harasymuk
FRI Sept 22	Priest Martyr Phocas	Ephesians 1:7-17 ~ Mark 8:1-10
8:00 am	✠ God's Blessings for Bernadette Lukey & Veronica Dutchak.....	Brian & Sandi
8:00 am	✠ Health for Peter Gulka.....	Anna
SAT Sept 23	Conception of St. John the Baptist	1 Corinthians 10:23-28 ~ Matthew 24:34-44
9:00 am	Health & God's Blessings for Eunice Mathuik.....	Prayer Partner
5:00 pm	Birthday Blessings for Fr. Bohdan Lukie, CSsR..... Terry & Vicki Chaikowsky	

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




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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23RD

11:00 AM TO 2:00 PM @ GIANT TIGER

Join us for a hot dog and drink. Proceeds to St. Alphonsus Playground Project.




INTERNATIONAL LIFE CHAIN

First Sunday in October ~ October 1st


Time: 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Place: Corner of Gladstone Avenue & Broadway Street

This is a silent witness for the protection of the unborn, handicapped and the elderly. Everyone is welcome. For more information call 306-783-6240.



Saint Mary's Building Fund Donations



In Memory of Mike Huziak
Ed & Donna Lischynski \$25.00

Balance of the Fund to date: \$ 322,513.73 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

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 CHURCH DONATIONS

On Occasion of 50th Anniversary
Dennis & Linda Benko \$150


Thank you very much

PARKLAND RIGHT TO LIFE MEETING

held on the third (3rd) Wednesday of each month
at St. Gerard's Basement (CWL Room) at 7:30 pm

Next meeting is
Wednesday, September 20th

For further information call 306-783-6240.





Introducing Nestor Halaitso as the New Executive Secretary for AGEMI (Angel Gabriel Eparchial Ministries Inc.) Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon

Nestor Halaitso's role as Executive Secretary will be to help the AGEMI (Archangel Gabriel Eparchial Ministries Inc.) Board analyze the state of assets of the Eparchy.

Nestor Halaitso came to Canada six months ago with his wife Okasana and son Volodya from Lviv, Ukraine. He has his Master's Degree in Finance, Money and Credit Record and a Bachelor's Degree in Economics and Enterprise Management.

Contact Information:

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