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UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL OF ST. GEORGE

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Glory be to Jesus Christ! Glory be Forever! Слава Ісусу Христу! Слава Навіки!

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DIVINE LITURGY

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

Feast day: 10:00 a.m.

Daily: 8:00 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE

Open Monday to Thursday

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

CATECHETICAL PROGRAMS:

See inside for specifics

BAPTISM:

By appointment (Pre-Baptismal preparation)

CONFESSIONS - СПОВІДЬ:

30 minutes before Liturgy

MATRIMONY:

By appointment (one year in advance)

FUNERALS: By arrangement

VISITATION OF THE SICK: Call any time

HOLY COMMUNION AT HOMES:

First Friday of the month



БОЖЕСТВЕННА ЛІТУРГІЯ

В неділю: 10:00 рано

Свята: 10:00 рано

Щодня: 8:00 рано

ПАРАФІЯЛЬНА КАНЦЕЛІЯРІЯ

від понеділка до четверга

9:00 рано до 4:00 пополудні

CATHEDRAL IS
WHEELCHAIR
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Вітаємо всіх гостей, приятелів та рідних, які зєдналися сьогодні разом брати участь в цій Службі Божій. Нехай наш Господь благословить Вас і Вашу родину!

We extend our welcome to all guests, friends, visiting relatives and parishioners in celebrating this Divine Liturgy together. May our Lord bless you and your family!

Schedule for Sundays

SUNDAY (10:00 a.m.) November 25th (English)

Readers: Chris Pidwerbeski (Uk.27)
Paege Hiebert (Eng.27)

Cantor: Curtis Hiebert

Sacristan: Mike Luczka

Ushers: John Bomok & John Luby

Altar Servers: Please Volunteer

SUNDAY (10:00 a.m.) December 2nd (Bilingual)

Readers: Lesya Krushelnytska (Uk.30)
Janine Johnston (Eng.30)

Cantor: Curtis Hiebert

Sacristan: David Orenchuk

Ushers: Ken Fay & Ed Rogalski

Altar Servers: Please Volunteer

SUNDAY (10:00 a.m.) December 9th (Ukrainian)

Readers: Olya Kowaluk (Uk.34)
Alexa Kowaluk (Eng.34)

Cantor: Nadia P./ Nissa B.

Sacristan: John Holowachuk

Ushers: Lenard Prokopchuk/ John & Maria Kowaluk

Altar Servers: Please Volunteer

If you are planning to be married at St. George's Cathedral in 2019

Please call the parish office at 306-664-3459 to arrange an appointment with Fr. Janko

Couples intending marriage should notify the priests of their intention *at least* six months in advance. Engaged couples will participate in a Marriage Preparation program.

PYLYPIVKA (PRE-CHRISTMAS FAST)

(Nov 15 – Dec 24)

Ukrainian Catholics refer to the pre-Christmas fast period as Pylypivka or St. Philip's Fast, as it always begins on the day after the feast of Saint Philip the Apostle, and ends on Christmas Eve.

This fast once had very strict rules. Today, the Church encourages us to abstain from meat on Fridays. We are also required to practice the spirit of sacrifice, penance, especially charity.

To prepare to celebrate the joy of Christmas, we fast, we pray more and we increase our acts of love and compassion. It is important to approach the fasting with the right attitude. It does not make sense to abstain from meat on Friday only to go out to an elegant lobster dinner.

It is essential that an inner fast accompany the outer fast. Fasting involves not just food, but the entire being. Our mouths should fast from off-color, offensive or hurtful words. Our eyes should fast from things they shouldn't see, perhaps movies or television programs that do not promote Christian values. Our ears should fast from listening to things they shouldn't, like gossip and music that goes against moral integrity. Our minds should fast from thoughts that aren't compatible with our life as Christians.



Thank you, Epistle readers,
for your help in proclaiming
God's Word!



ЦЬОГО ТИЖНЯ В КАТЕДРАЛЬНІЙ ЦЕРКВІ

November 25th - December 2nd

THIS WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL PARISH

НЕДІЛЯ - SUNDAY, November 25th : 27th Sunday after Pentecost ; 27-ма Неділя по Зісланні

(Luke 13: 10-17)

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for all Parishioners (English) - Свята Літургія за парафіян
Панахида - Holodomor Memorial Service, Panakhyda



ПОНЕДІЛОК - MONDAY, November 26th

8:00 a.m. No Divine Liturgy

ВІВТОРОК - TUESDAY, November 27th

8:00 a.m. Health of UCBC members

СЕРЕДА - WEDNESDAY, November 28th

8:00 a.m. Intentions for Michael Alpin.....Helen Lindsay (Canada Mission)

ЧЕТВЕР - THURSDAY, November 29th

8:00 a.m. +o. Vladimir & Marijafamily

П'ЯТНИЦЯ - FIRST FRIDAY, November 30th

8:00 a.m. +Mike & Lena Olynykfamily

СУБОТА - SATURDAY, December 1st

8:00 a.m. Birthday Blessings for Peiwen & Alexfamily

НЕДІЛЯ - SUNDAY, December 2nd: 30th Sunday after Pentecost ; 30-ма Неділя по Зісланні

(Luke 18: 18-27)

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for all Parishioners (Bilingual) - Свята Літургія за парафіян

Згадуймо!

В Україні в 1932 -1933 роках вмирало
17 людей щохвилини, 1000 – щогодини,
25 000 – щодня.

З урахуванням непрямих жертв, за
приблизними підрахунками, голодомор
забрав 14 мільйонів людей.

Хай палає свіча,

хай палає,

Поєднає нас вона в цей час,

хай сьогодні спогади лунають...



Your Return Gift to God :

<i>Sunday & Feast Day Collection</i>	<i>\$ 976.00</i>
<i>Open Collection</i>	<i>\$ 34.50</i>
<i>Automatic Debits</i>	<i>\$ 95.00</i>
<i>Vigil Lights</i>	<i>\$ 50.50</i>

May the gifts of time, talents and treasure you offer to God be multiplied through the world.

May Our Lord bless you graciously.

Meetings & Events – Сходини та Події

Nov 25 (Sun)	After the Liturgy : Панахида - Holodomor Memorial Service, Panakhyda
Dec 6 (Thu)	UCBC monthly meeting at 7:00p.m.—Cathedral Auditorium
Dec 8 (Sat)	Preparation classes for the First Holy Communion & Children Catechism classes
Dec 9 (Sun)	UCWLC & UCBC AGM after Divine Liturgy following lunch
Dec 13 (Thu)	Cabbage rolls Bee
Dec 16 (Sun)	St. Nicholas Program
Dec 19 (Wed)	Parish Council Meeting at 7:00p.m.—Rectory
Jan 12 (Sat)	Parish Malanka at St. George's Citizen Centre
Jan 18 (Fri)	Theophany Supper



**UCWLC & UCBC
Annual General Meeting
December 9, 2018
Lunch/Social to follow**



**Parish Council Meeting
Wednesday, December 19, 2018
at 7:00p.m.– Rectory**



MEMORIAL DONATION

Donation to St. George's Cathedral was received in the memory of Late Tony Skomar from Dan & Sally Berting, Adeline Deal, Jim & Denise Strong, Ed & Gladys Rogalski, Vic & Therese Skomar, Liz Bunko.
Thank you!
May the memory of Tony be eternal!

SIMPLE, SAFE, RELIABLE AND EASY ...
Giving monthly by direct debit is a confidential agreement between you and St. George's Parish. Simply complete the pre-authorized debit form (available at the entrance of the church), attach a voided cheque and place it in the collection basket. Thank you for your generosity and support!

CONTRIBUTIONS

Thank you to all parishioners for your generous donations throughout the year.
ALL contributions that you want to be included on your 2018 tax receipt **MUST** be in the parish office NO LATER than Friday **December 28, 2018** to count for 2018.

St. George's Special Project Donations
Raising funds to pay the cost of
Cathedral Roof Drainage System:

Parish goal is \$ 20, 000. 00

Balance to date \$ 14, 170. 00

Thank you very much! Щиро Дякуємо!

Donations may be given anytime.

The Shrine of the Venerable Nun Martyrs Olympia and Laurentia (215 Avenue M South) celebrates a Weekly Moleben Service every Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m.

♦ **Musee Ukraina Museum Calendars 2019** available at the parish office, \$20/each.

World Youth Day 2018 – Panama



Dear Parishioners,

On behalf of the Youth Ministry of our Eparchy and the three youth who will be attending World Youth Day 2019 with myself and Bishop Bryan Bayda, CSsR, we would like to ask you for financial assistance to fulfill this pilgrimage experience for our youth to Panama, January 22-2, 2019.

The youth are very excited to grow in their faith and to build relationships with other youth from around the world who have the same desire to know, love and serve God. This opportunity will also expose the youth to a vast array of cultures, as well as open their eyes to various social and economic issues around the world. On a larger scale, these pilgrims hope that this spiritual journey will enrich the Eparchy through the sharing of their experience to help rally other youth and young adults to become more involved in our parishes and communities, and in living their faith. The youth hope to become renewed in their passion for God and to bring that passion into the hearts of the youth in their home parishes. They are looking forward to standing in the presence of Pope Francis and receive his wisdom and message for the youth.

We are appealing to your generous hearts and the awareness of the importance to assist our youth in this spiritual journey, and humbly and prayerfully ask for your donations. Cheques can be made out to "Eparchy of Saskatoon" with the indication "WYD 2019-Panama" and sent to the Chancery Office at: 214 Ave M South, Saskatoon, SK S7M 2K4.

Viktoriia Marko, Youth and Young Adult Minister

Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon,

uwitness2youth@gmail.com , 306-914-0355

Inviting Young Adults (18-35) to CCO's

Rise Up "Come & See" Conference

Dec. 28, 2018 - Jan. 1, 2019.

This year Rise Up will be held in Calgary, AB
at the Hyatt Regency Hotel

Full registration includes a 4-night stay at the hotel, 3 hot brunches, access to our New Year's Eve banquet and all keynote and breakout sessions. This conference is for Young Adults between 18-35 who want to know Christ more deeply and explore their faith in accompaniment with their peers and aims to inspire and bless all young Catholics in Canada, uniting all in order to build up the Kingdom of God in a time when saints are needed in this world. You are invited to "Come and See" what the Lord has in store for you through five amazing days in fellowship with the young Church! If you would like more information, please contact Viktoriia Marko at 306-914-0355 or by email at uwitness2youth@gmail.com. You may also register at: CCO.CA/RISEUP2018.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERSHIP BISHOP BUDKA EPARCHIAL STEWARDSHIP SOCIETY INC. (BBESSI)

When: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2018

Time: Registration - 2:00 pm to 2:30 pm
Special General Meeting – 2:30 pm

Where: Dormition of the Blessed Mother of God Ukrainian Catholic Church
Auditorium, 120 – 105th Street West, Saskatoon Saskatchewan

Who: 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.

Call for Nominations to the Board of Directors of the proposed new Eparchial organization – "Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan Corporation"

If the proposed revisions of the current BBESSI Bylaws are approved by the Membership at the December 9th, 2018 Special General Meeting, a new Board of Directors will be established. To this end, one representative from each of the four Deaneries will be elected to the new Board of Directors. If you are interested in serving on this Board of Directors as a deanery representative, please contact **BBESSI 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 Wednesday, December 5th, 2018 at 5:00pm.** 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.

BISHOP BUDKA EPARCHIAL STEWARDSHIP SOCIETY INC (BBESSI)
“SHARE THE SPIRIT” 50/50 LOTTERY DRAW (Lottery License - #LR18-0067)

THANK YOU very much to all who have already purchased tickets in the **“Share the Spirit” 50/50 Lottery Draw**. The response to date has been great and at the time of this posting, the 50/50 winners share was already at **\$7,530.00** and growing daily.

Please remember that with each ticket you buy, \$5.00 goes to a Parish/Mission or a designated Eparchial Organization that you can name on the ticket you purchase as the “Parish/Mission or Eparchial Organization Designation”. This will be a great opportunity to not only have an opportunity to win some extra cash for Christmas, but also financially help your Parish/Mission or designated Eparchial Organization.

If you wish to purchase your tickets and pay by cheque, please make your cheque payable to **BBESSI**. **It is important to remember that under the Lottery License rules ALL tickets, SOLD OR UNSOLD TICKETS,** must be return to the BBESSI Office in the self-addressed envelope provided in your package. You can also return your tickets to your Parish Office or place them in the Sunday Collection Basket.

THE DEADLINE DATE FOR RETURNING YOUR TICKETS IS DECEMBER 9, 2018.

If you want more detailed information on the “Share the Spirt” 50/50 Lottery, please visit the BBESSI Website at www.bbessi.org, call the BBESSI Office at 306-653-0138, ext 223.

FAMILY VOLLEYBALL CONTEST

Youth – Parents Who will be the winner?

If you are **14 +** and you are willing to experience an unforgettable amazing volleyball time, take your parents with you (or at least one parent) and come for:

A Family Volleyball Contest: YOUTH versus PARENTS

Sunday, December 9th at 2:00-5:00 pm at St. Edward Catholic Elementary School (1002 Avenue P, N)

There will be **pizza** and **drinks!** Donation of \$15 per family. **Don't forget to bring your indoor shoes!**

Register **by December 7th** at 306-914-0355 or at: uwitness2youth@gmail.com

- Viktoriia Marko, Eparchial Youth and Young Adult Minister

♦ **St. George's Ukrainian Senior Residence** is having available **one bedroom apartments**.

For information or to apply please phone Bernie at 306-934-6555

♦ **ST.GEORGE'S SENIORS (1235 – 20th St. West.** - ‘TURKEY BINGO’ - **Thursday, Nov. 29th** - Doors open 6:30p.m. – Bingo Starts at 7:00 p.m.

♦ **Christmas Tea & Bake Sale** – Saturday December 1, 2018 1:00pm to 3:00pm. Saints Peter & Paul Church Auditorium 1202 – 11th Street East. Kolachi Breads, cabbage rolls, varenyky, wheat, home baking, Silent Auction and raffles. Adults \$3.00: Children 6 to 12 years \$2.00: Pre School Free. Sponsored by Saints Peter and Paul UCWLC.

♦ **St. Joseph's Home December Birthday and St. Nicholas Party - Sunday, December 2 at 1:30pm:** Sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph, St. Joseph's Home Board of Directors and Home Auxiliary. Come out on Sunday, December 2 at 1:30 pm, and join with the Sisters of St. Joseph, the Board of Directors and Home Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Home, as we celebrate together with the December birthday celebrants, their families and the residents, and also enjoy a special visit from St. Nicholas, in a fun-filled afternoon with fellowship, entertainment and snacks, in our St. Nicholas celebration!



We thank everyone who came out and supported our Pasta Night fundraiser last Friday, November 16. A special thank you to Hania (the Pasta Lady) & David Nahachewsky for their donation of the "awesome" pasta and their support with this event. Thank you also to our cooks, servers and cleanup crew - without your help this event would not have run as smoothly as it did. Your treasure of your time was greatly appreciated!

St. Nicholas Program - Door prizes donations

Donations would be greatly appreciated. Any prize donation for children or adults please bring to the Rectory or Cathedral auditorium marked "adult" or "child". St. Nicholas Program is on December 16th after Divine Liturgy at Cathedral auditorium. Thank you!



MAKE A CHILD HAPPY

At Christmas, some children have no gift to open.

That is why last Christmas our friends at Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish were so grateful to St. George's for the gifts you provided for their children, who were filled with joy and excitement as they came forward to receive their gifts at their Christmas Eve service. For some, it would be the only Christmas gift they received.

Please help us to again provide the children with the thrill of opening a Christmas present, a blessing from you to our neighbours at Guadalupe.

You can see our special Christmas tree at the front of our Church, next to the icon of Our Lady of Guadalupe. It is colourfully decorated with gift tags that describe the age and appropriate gift for one child.

Please take one or more of these tags and provide gifts valued at around \$10 each. Please wrap the gift with the tag attached so that we can match your gift to a boy or girl of appropriate age.

Bring your gifts to Church and place them under our tree. As the tree loses its colourful decoration of tags, it will be surrounded by your colourful gifts, an outpouring of the Spirit of Christmas.

Hoping for your support and generosity,

Gerald Seniuk, Chair / Social Justice Committee



St. George's Cathedral Parish

Malanka

Saturday, January 12, 2019

St. George's Senior Citizen Centre (1235 20th Street West)

Cocktails: 5:30 p.m.

Supper: 6:30 p.m. by Touch of Ukraine

Dance: 8:30 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

Late Night Lunch

An Evening of Great Food, Fun and Prizes

Advance Tickets Only!

Deadline for Tickets is January 8th, 2019!

Adults: \$40.00

Youth (12-18): \$20.00

Children (6-11): \$15.00

Children (5 & under): FREE

Music by: Brothers of the Road

210 Ave M South
Rectory: 664-3459
John: 249-0493
Bernie: 382-1647
Liz: 382-6572
Angeline: 382-2715

CABBAGE ROLL BEE

Thursday, Dec. 13th

at 9:00a.m.

at Cathedral auditorium

Your help is needed and so greatly appreciated.

UCWLC is having for sale:

Pyrohy \$25.00 / 5 dozen bag

Cabbage rolls \$20/small roaster

Available in the Parish Rectory.
Please bring your own carry bag.

ATTENTION: If you have changed your address or your phone number in the past year and have not informed the Parish Office, please do so AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. That will help us to update our files.

2018 UCBC - Bishop Roborecki Branch/William & Elsie Hnatiuk Scholarship

Three \$100.00 Scholarships are available to youth ages 8-18 (ages as of December 31, 2017) to encourage them to continue participating in Ukrainian Language, Liturgical Activities, Traditions, and Culture. The youth must be a member of one of the three Ukrainian Catholic parishes in Saskatoon and show consistency in leadership qualities. The youth may be nominated, in written form, by any parishioner of the three Ukrainian Catholic parishes, clergy, sisters, UCBC members, staff members of Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School or the Ukrainian Program at Bethlehem High School, members of parish organizations, Ukrainian arts groups, and St. Volodymyr Camp Board. Candidates may not be nominated by members of their immediate families. Nomination information is to include nominee's school, grade, parish affiliation, and relevant family information. **Deadline for nominations is Monday, November 26, 2018.** The Scholarships will be presented at the St. George Cathedral Parish St. Nicholas Celebration following the 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy on Sunday, December 19, 2018. Scholarship recipients are encouraged to be in attendance to receive their in person.

To submit nominations or for further information, contact Bro. Bernard Bodnar (306-382-1647), Bro. William Hnatiuk (306-382-3764), or Bro. Bill Gulka (306-249-0243). Nominations may be mailed or submitted to "2018 Scholarship", St. George Cathedral Parish, 210 Avenue M South, Saskatoon, SK S7M 2K4", or to w.gulka@sasktel.net or saintgeorge@shaw.ca.

♦ The CWL Clothing Depot is holding its Christmas sale again from Nov 12 until Dec 22.

Along with your regular generous donations, we are asking for new items such as toys, socks and underwear. We always need sheets, blankets, comforters, towels, tea towels, socks and clothing Jewellery, health and beauty products and individually wrapped candy are especially good at Christmas time. This makes a hug difference in people's lives!

If you have any Bulletin Submissions, please bring them to the office or email them to:
saintgeorge@shaw.ca no later than Wednesday .



ЗАПРОШЕННЯ

Неділя 16-го грудня після Святої Літургії

Запрошуємо Вас на **Парафіяльну Програму в честь Св. Отця Миколая.**

В програмі діти співом звеличають надходячі

Свята, а програма включає і відвідини Св.Миколая, та перекуску на кінці. Прийдіть самі та приведіть і Ваших дітей та внуків.

INVITATION

**Sunday, December 16th
after Divine Liturgy**

On **December 16th** at
Cathedral auditorium
after Divine Liturgy is the
St. Nicholas Program
with the visit of St. Nicholas.
Light lunch.

Come and bring your
children and grandchildren .

