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UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL OF ST. GEORGE

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БОЖЕСТВЕННА ЛІТУРГІЯ

В неділю: 10:00 рано

В свято: 7:00 ввечері

Щодня: 10:00 рано

DIVINE LITURGY

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.

Feast day: 7:00 p.m.

Daily: 10:00 a.m.

CATHEDRAL IS
WHEELCHAIR
ACCESSIBLE



Cathedral Instagram and Facebook page [stgeorgeyxc](https://www.facebook.com/stgeorgeyxc) and Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George looking for friends and likes and shares.



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We acknowledge that we are on Treaty 6 Territory and the Homeland of the Métis people.

BAPTISM: By appointment
(Christian Initiation preparation)

CONFESSIONS - СПОВІДЬ:

30 minutes before Liturgy

MATRIMONY: By appointment
(Marriage preparation)

FUNERALS: By arrangement

VISITATION OF THE SICK:

Call any time

Office Hours:

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

**Monday - office
CLOSED**

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НАСТУПНИЙ ТИЖДЕНЬ В КАТЕДРІ
September 14th—September 21st, 2025
NEXT WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL PARISH



SUNDAY, September 14th; Exaltation of the Holy Cross; Ливestream
НЕДІЛЯ, 14 вересня; Воздвиження Чесного Хреста, John 19: 6-11, 13-20, 25-28, 30-35

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy with Bishop Michael concelebrating and guest speaker from Ukraine.

ПОНЕДІЛОК - MONDAY, September 15th—П'ЯТНИЦЯ-FRIDAY, September 19th;

No Liturgies.

СУБОТА - SATURDAY, September 20th;

Ливestream

10:00 a.m. Wedding Ceremony

SUNDAY, September 21st; Sunday after Exaltation of the Holy Cross; Ливestream
НЕДІЛЯ, 21 вересня; Неділя по Воздвиженні Чесного Хреста, Mark 8:34-9:1

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for all Parishioners.



Today double collection. 2nd Collection is for Sr Maria's Ivano-Frankivsk School. Today these donations will not receive a tax receipt. On October 12 we have a collection for Aid to Ukraine. On that day all donations will receive tax receipts.



Perogies (\$30 for 5 dozen bag) and cabbage rolls (\$30 for 3 dozen tray) are available for purchase through the Parish Office during regular office hours.

Eparchy of Saskatoon. Safeguarding Policy

Policy webpage -www.skeparchy.org under Safeguarding Policy--- for contact info. For more information or to make a report call: Fr. Ivan Nahachewsky 306-961-1390
Cathedral: Adam Nahachewsky, 306-229-0017
Text or call 306-222-1475 (dedicated line), or any Advisory Board Member
Covenant of Care Advisory Board is posted on the website and in our electronic bulletin.
Please see the poster and be aware of how to report any abuse or misconduct.

MY WEEK IN REVIEW

Glory be to Jesus Christ!

Pastoral: Visits x 4, Galilea youth Q&A, I joined in the funeral for Sr. Bonnie's Mother Ollie (+) Everlasting memories. I wore blue vestments most of the week for the post feast of the Mother of God's Birthday.

Administration: meetings: Jumping fitness, Bishop Michael, Senior's Residence, Millenium Cross x3 and Parish Council. This week in the Eparchy, in addition to training Jana for the part time office administrator we are introducing Ryan as a part time bookkeeper/accountant.

Personal: Debbie and I gave away our house keys, its done, its gone. In the back yard I stacked some fire bricks and patio blocks to make an old-style bread oven. I can't wait to try it out. Military was more demanding this week so I did a full day rather than a half day. After 3 weeks of doing emails every morning I have now caught up. I am very happy for this progress. In your service, Fr. Ivan

ОГЛЯД МОГО ТИЖНЯ

Слава Ісусу Христу!

Пастерське: 4 візити, зустрічі з молоддю молитовної групи "Галілея", я брав участь у похороні матері сестри Бонні - Оллі (+). Вічна пам'ять. Я носив блакитні ризи більшу частину тижня після свята Різдва Пресвятої Богородиці.

Адміністративне: зустрічі: стрибки на батуті, єпископ Михайло, резиденція для літніх людей, Хрест Тисячоліття x3 та Парафіяльна рада. Цього тижня в єпархії, окрім навчання Яни на посаду адміністратора на неповний робочий день, ми представляємо Райана як обліковця/бухгалтера також на неповний робочий день.

Особисте: Ми з Деббі віддали ключі від нашого будинку, все зроблено, все продано. На задньому дворі я склав кілька вогнетривких цеглин та блоків для патіо, щоб зробити старовинну хлібну піч. Не можу дочекатися, щоб спробувати. Військова служба цього тижня була більш вимогливою, тому я провів цілий день, а не півдня. Після 3 тижнів щоранкового прочитання електронних листів я надолужив згаяне. Я дуже радий цьому прогресу. До Ваших послуг, отець Іван

Meetings and activities for the next weeks:

Sept 14	Guest speaker Sr Maria from Ivano-Frankivsk
Sept 14	Millennium Cross Pilgrimage. 3.00 p.m. Bishop Bryan Bayda, CSsR
Sept 15 -20	Fr. Ivan going to Rome for Pastoral Council of the UGCC and then Debbie joins me until we return to Saskatoon on Sept 27
Sept 21	Registration for catechism begins
Sept 21	Bishop Emeritus Pazak celebrating the Sunday Divine Liturgy.
Sept 28	Blessing of catechist for the Jubilee Year
Sept 29 – Oct 3	Fr. Ivan is at a Vocations Directors conference in Calgary
Oct 2-5	National Congress UCWLC and UCBC, hosted in Saskatoon
Oct 5	10:00am Divine Liturgy with Metropolitan Lawrence, Bishop David Matiuk, Bishop Andriy Rabi, Bishop Michael Smolinsky and Bishop Bryan Bayda
Oct 12	First day of catechism classes.
Oct 26	43rd Anniversary of the passing of Bishop Roborecki, Divine Liturgy/ Panakhyda Program/Presentations TF



UCWLC News & Events

Next UCWLC Meeting - Save the Dates

Sunday, September 21, 2025, following 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

We invite all ladies in our parish to join us at our next meeting to learn more about the UCWLC
Ми запрошуємо усіх жінок нашої парафії відвідати наше зібрання і довідатися більше про нашу організацію

We hope to see you there! Чекаємо Вас з нетерпінням!

PEROGY WORKING BEE

Tuesday, September 23, 2025 @ 9:00 AM

National UCWLC Congress – October 2 – 5, 2025

Fall Supper – November 2, 2025

FOOD SALES: Perogies (\$30 for 5 dozen bag) are available for purchase through the Parish Office or after the Sunday Divine Liturgy.

Joni Orenchuk, UCWLC Branch President

Celebrating '50' Years - 1975 - 2025 - St. George's Senior Citizen's Club (1235 - 20th St. West) - 'OPEN HOUSE' - Thursday, September 25th - Registration - 1:00 - 3:00 pm followed by a BBQ - For tickets call Esther - 306-382-1481 - Members \$10.00 - Non-Members \$15.00.
EVERYONE WELCOME !!

On October 19, 2025 after Divine Liturgy there will be the AGM for St. George's Ukrainian Senior Citizens Centre Corp and elections for members of the Board of Directors as required. This residence is part of our parish and therefore the meeting is called by our Parish Council. All parishioners are invited to attend.

Marriage Banns

Second notification:

TORIN JOHN TAKALA of Saskatoon, son of John Takala and Delphia Farn and **MARY ADEL SHAFIK GUIRGUIS ABDELNOUR** of Saskatoon, daughter of Adel Shafik Abdelnour and Matileda Ibrahim.



**Please use the special envelopes for the collection
for the Roof Repair.**



Week of September 13/14, 2025



As we close out another Annual Eparchial Appeal, the Ukrainian Catholic Foundation and the Eparchy of Saskatoon would like to take this opportunity to extend a very **SINCERE AND HEARTFELT "THANK YOU"** to all who so generously supported the 2025 Annual Eparchial Appeal and the Eparchial initiatives and programs.

We are extremely thrilled to announce that the 2025 Annual Eparchial Appeal was a great success. The funds raised through the Appeal to date are \$129,093.02. In addition, there were 6 Parishes who exceeded their Appeal Goal and will receive 75% of the excess amount over their goal. In total these Parishes will obtain over \$8,433.00 in Parish Rebates.

PLEASE be assured your donations to the Appeal will significantly enhance the Eparchy's ability to provide essential services through the Eparchial initiatives and programs that are so vital to the sustainability and the future of our Ukrainian Catholic faith in Saskatchewan.

While the formal part of the 2025 Appeal is wrapping up, donations will still be accepted until the end of December. May God Bless you abundantly with His Grace, Mercy, and Blessings.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the Annual Eparchial Appeal or the Foundation itself, please contact the **Foundation Office at 306-653-0138, ext 223.**



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MILLENNIUM PILGRIMAGE CROSS

Annual Pilgrimage

**SEPTEMBER 14,
2025,
3 PM.**

*Build
a Culture of
Life*

Donations gratefully accepted

- Living Rosary/ Prayer
- Keynote Speaker:
Bishop Bryan Bayda CSsR
- Food, and Fellowship
- BYO rosary, lawnchair/
umbrella



**Location: 10.8 Kms. NE of Aberdeen Sk on HWY #41 Check
www.millenniumcross.ca or Millennium Cross on Facebook for any
changes due to inclement weather**



King of Mercy Eparchial Prayer Group

Come, Sit at the Feet of Jesus

An Evening of Prayer, Reflection, and Intercession

Second Thursday of Every Month @ 7:30

Contact Kathy @ 306.343.7696

**For the
adventurous:**

**A bike pilgrimage to
the Cross starts at
10AM**

**If biking is not for you
show up at 1:30!**



**For
Everyone:**

**Head and Heart
Program runs from
1:30 to 5 pm.**

A program open to all at the
Cross!

Activities and prayer for the
healing of our relationships:
familial, social, and spiritual

**Confessions will be
available.**

**This program is family
friendly and all are
welcome!**

**You can find us at the
Cross under the big tent.**

**Water, snacks and pizza
will be provided.**

Bike, Pray, Learn

Led by local and renowned bike
trekker Fr. Ivan Nachachewsky, it will
commence at the intersection of
Hwy. 5 and 41, Aprox 40 km bike,
with stops 3 hours of riding.
Registration is required. Must be 16
or over or accompanied by
parent.

**And the next
day please
join us at
The Jubilee
Pilgrimage**

**Sunday
September 14**

**Starting at 3 pm
at the Millennium
Cross
See our Website
for details.**

**Let's pray together
in support of a
Culture of Life!**

We look forward to seeing you!

To register

For more information and to register email

info@millenniumcross.ca

Registration is required for the Bike pilgrimage by September 7, 2025 and appreciated for the other program elements.



About us

The Millennium Pilgrimage Cross stands at 100 ft and was built as a millennium year project dedicated to the sacredness of life. Located just north of Aberdeen this sacred site lights up the night sky all year around.

To learn more or to contact us visit our website.



The Millennium Cross in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, can be found on Google Maps by searching for "Millennium Cross Saskatoon" or by using the coordinates 52.1604° N, 106.7142° W



Aim For Healing

Deepen your faith



Saturday September 13, 2025

An afternoon at the Millennium Pilgrimage Cross devoted to healing of our significant relationships



ПАТРІАРША
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Let Us Unite in Catechetical Ministry in Canada

A CATECHIST IS:

a **vocation** | a **mission** of the heart | a **way of life** and **service**



Monthly Bilingual **Online Gatherings**

For Catechists and Those Who Aspire to Become One

These gatherings aim to:

- unite in catechetical ministry and build community;
- develop and discover the beauty of the catechist's vocation;
- pray together;
- share experiences and support one another in ministry;
- grow both spiritually and professionally.



The first gathering will take place in **October 2025**.

Registration: <https://forms.gle/UKwooKd9umL55y1c8>

For additional information, please contact: catechistugcc@gmail.com (Viktoriia)



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катехитична
комісія УГКЦ



Єднаймося у Катехитичному Служінні в Канаді

КАТЕХИТ:

це **покликання**

| **місія** серця

| **спосіб життя** та **служіння**



Щомісячні двомовні **онлайн-зустрічі**
для катехитів та тих, хто прагне ними стати

Ці зустрічі покликані:

- єднати у катехитичному служінні та будувати спільноту;
- пізнавати красу покликання;
- молитись разом;
- ділитись досвідом та підтримувати одне одного у служінні;
- зростати духовно та професійно.



Перша зустріч відбудеться у **жовтні, 2025.**

Реєстрація: <https://forms.gle/UKwooKd9umL55y1c8>

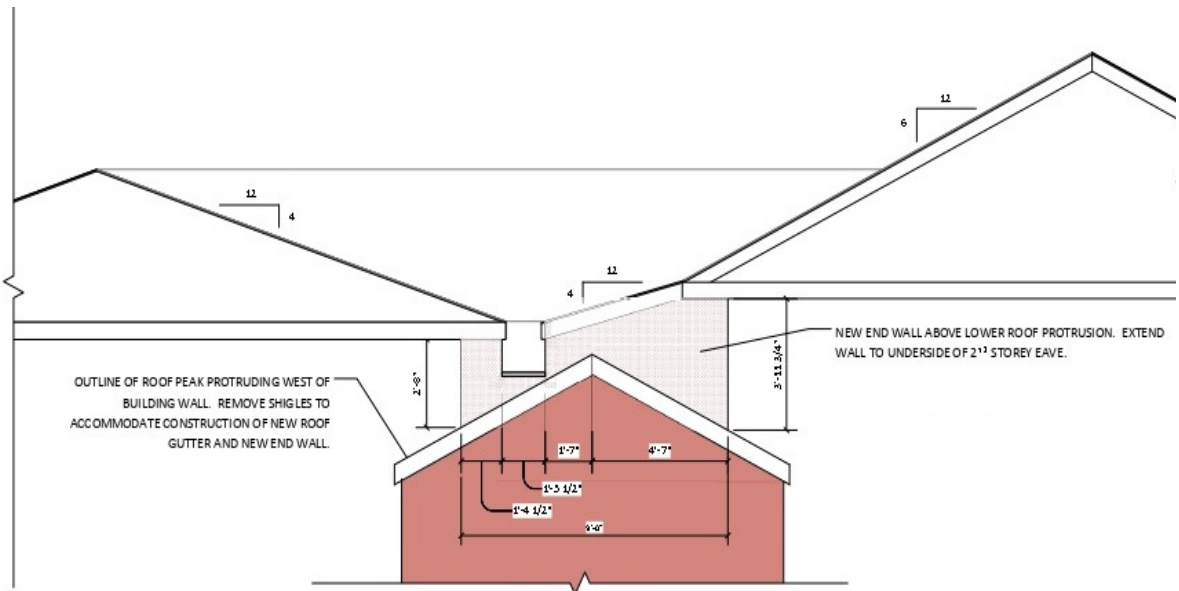
За додатковою інформацією звертайтеся: catechistugcc@gmail.com (Вікторія)

RECTORY AND CATHEDRAL OFFICE ROOF PROJECT

The rectory and cathedral office buildings consists of multiple roofs in order to cover a large footprint. The roof area that is directly above the west entrance to the cathedral office is much lower than the roofs to the north and south of the cathedral entrance roof. This lower roof area is subject to significant snow drift buildup which contributes to consequential damages to the building. This accumulation of snow above the lower roof area is subject to numerous cycles of freeze and thaw that creates ice dams at the lower west edge of the lower roof. This ice damming has progressively caused damage to the building cladding and perhaps even some amount of damage to parts of the underlying roof.

In an effort to reduce the extent of damage to the building over the lower roof area, workers are required following heavy snow falls to access this roof area and hand shovel the snow off of the roof. This is both dangerous and timely work.

Total estimated cost of the above remedial work, including all applicable taxes is \$21,600. Please consider providing a donation specific to the cost of the Rectory-Cathedral Office Roof Project. Project envelopes coming soon.



FRONT ELEVATION



How to Donate Online to the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George

eTransfer: Send your eTransfer to office@cathedralsaskatoon.com

Send your password to Yuliia in an addition email to the Cathedral Office or call 306-664-3459.

Consider setting up Pre-Authorized Debits for automatic ongoing contributions, contact Yuliia for more information.

UCFSASK Parish Offertory Program – Plently

Go to Cathedral Website and click banner or <https://ucfsask.plently.com/#/>



Step 1a: Donor Information

Donation Type

☒ Personal

☐ Corporate

☐ Anonymous

First Name*

Last Name*

Telephone*

Step 1b: Cardholder Information

Step 2: Donation Information

My donation is for*

Parish

Comments

☒ Make a One-Time Donation

☐ Schedule a Recurring Donation

Amount*

Step 3: Card Information

Card Number*

Expiry Month*

Expiry Year*

Security Code (CVV)*

Name on Card*

CONFIRM

QR Code

Step 1a. Input your personal date.

Step 1b. Input the billing information for your credit card.

Step 2. Then select “Parish Offertory Program”

Then Select Parish -- Saskatoon- St. George’s Cathedral.

Write your intended use of the donation in the “Comments.” Ex. General tithe, Heating Tape, etc.

Step 3. Input your credit card information and select “Confirm.”

Covenant of Care Advisory Committee



Marcella Ogenchuk, RN PhD – Advisory Committee Chair

Marcella is a Registered Nurse with over 20 years of experience in acute and community nursing. She received her undergraduate and graduate degrees at the University of Saskatchewan. Currently, she works as an Associate Professor at the College of Nursing at the University of Saskatchewan. Her teaching experience and research are focused on the pediatric population.

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Fr. Andre Lalach, B.A., M. Div., MACP - Fr. Andre Lalach is a priest of the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon. Ordained a priest in 2005, he currently serves as Priest-Administrator for the Dormition & District Ukrainian Catholic Parishes, as a Campus Minister at St. Thomas More College, and Certified Counselor at the University of Saskatchewan Student Wellness Centre. He is married to Luba (2002), and is dad to Roman (2005) and Annika (2009).

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Cornelia Kyba worked for 30 years before retiring from SaskTel in December 1997. Working in various departments within SaskTel, she ended her career as a Customer Services support manager including several years as the Management rep on the SaskTel Employee Assistance Personal Problem Program. In January 2002, she joined the Eparchy of Saskatoon in her present position as Office Administrator. Cornelia was an active member of St. Peter and Paul Parish holding a variety of leadership roles including Parish president. Cornelia also is a 40-year member of Saskatoon Sigma Phi. Married to Bruce Bobinski in 2000, she and Bruce now enjoy their role as grandparents of 5

and great-grandparents of 3, while still taking time to enjoy golf, vacations to warmer climates during the Winter and, of course, staying in tune with the demands of Eparchial needs! cmkyba1@hotmail.com



Brenda Pasloski has been a Social Worker for almost 30 years. She primarily worked as a Medical Social worker in the former Sunrise Health Region. She was the Director of the Social Work Department for 15 years. Brenda was a member of the Ethics Committee, led the Critical Incident Stress Management Team, and held various other positions. Continuing working for Saskatchewan Health Authority, she currently is employed as the Provincial Palliative Care Educator for the province of Saskatchewan. She has been a member of UCWL and on Parish Council, as well as the Life Transitions Coordinator for the Eparchy of Saskatoon. She and her husband Ron farm outside of Saskatoon and enjoy golfing, and spending time outdoors. pasloskibren@gmail.com



Marusia Kobrynsky was born in Canora, Saskatchewan where she grew up as a member of a vibrant Ukrainian Catholic community. Marusia has served as President, Treasurer, Auditor, Vice-President, Catechist, Cantor and Choir Director in parishes in Saskatoon, North Battleford, and Melville. She is currently the Treasurer for the National UCWLC and the Secretary of the World Union of Catholic Women's Organisations Endowment Fund. Marusia has been engaged in the private practice of law for more than 40 years, during which time she has acted as legal counsel to the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon and numerous other non-profit organizations. She is now employed by the Eparchy as the Archivist and Office Assistant and she continues to act as the Eparchy's legal counsel. Marusia serves on the

Covenant of Care Advisory Committee in a volunteer capacity. Marusia is married to Donald MacKinnon and they have 3 adult children. mkobrynsky@sasktel.net



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Deborah Nahachewsky received a BA in Religious Studies (1985) and a BSc(cert) in Computer Sciences (1986). She was a graduate of the first Eparchial Lay Formation Program (2000). In 2001 she became a Cadet Instructor Cadre Officer in the Canadian Armed Forces. Part of her training has allowed her to serve as a Unit Human Rights Advisor, a Unit Cadet Conflict Management Advisor, and a Workplace Harassment Advisor. At present, she works full time as a Zone Training Officer supporting and mentoring both officers and cadets. She is a member of the UCWLC and has served on both the Eparchial and National Executives as a Spiritual Development Chairperson. Debbie is married to Fr. Ivan Nahachewsky. They have 4 children: Roman (Katie), Sophia (Jay), Andriy (Andrea) and Nina. So far, they have been blessed with 5 grandchildren: Peter, Benjamin, Silas, Gabriella and Kassia.



Archdiocese of Edmonton's Ecclesial Marriage Tribunal. dplarmour@proton.me

Deborah Patrick-Larmour, JD, JCL - Deborah is a lifelong Ukrainian Catholic of the Eparchy of Saskatoon. Married to Don Larmour for 40 years, mother of 6 and grandmother of 12 children. Formerly an active parishioner of Ss. Peter and Paul, Saskatoon, she currently attends St. Georges Cathedral. Deborah has a background in theology and philosophy as well as a Civil law degree (with experience in Criminal and Family Law) as well as a Canon Law master's degree and Licentiate. Deborah worked to develop the current Safeguarding Policy in the Eparchy of Saskatoon and assisted in the development of the policy for Safeguarding in the Eparchy of Toronto. She worked as the Eparchy of Saskatoon's Coordinator of Care (Safeguarding) from 2016 to 2023. Currently Deborah is working as a Judge and Advocate for the



incorporating academic research into police policies. Kelsey is married to his wife Shelby and is a stepdad to 3 busy children and is an avid baseball fan. kelseyctrott@gmail.com

Cst. Kelsey Trott, MA - Kelsey has been a police officer since 2016 and is currently posted in the Saskatoon area. Kelsey is also a Canadian Forces reserve infantry officer with the North Saskatchewan Regiment in Saskatoon and has worked with Canada Border Services Agency for 10 years before becoming a police officer. His career has taken him across the country working in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Quebec, Ontario, Nunavut and Yukon. Kelsey is also a PhD student in psychology at the University of Regina studying social and cognitive psychology in policing. Kelsey volunteers with the Canadian Society for Evidence-based Policing as a Research Associate which works towards