

# CATHEDRAL NEWS

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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**

### Душпастирі:

о. Іван Нагачевський

306-961-1390

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### Pastoral Team:

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**НАСТУПНИЙ ТИЖДЕНЬ В КАТЕДРІ**  
**September 21st—September 28th, 2025**  
**NEXT WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL PARISH**



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

**Livestream**

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

**ПОНЕДІЛОК - MONDAY, September 22nd—СУБОТА - SATURDAY, September 27th;**  
No Liturgies.

**SUNDAY, September 28th; 16th Sunday after Pentecost;**  
**НЕДІЛЯ, 28 вересня; 16а Неділя по Зісл. Св. Духа, Matthew 25:14-30**

**Livestream**

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

**Meetings and activities for the next weeks:**

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|-----------------|--|
| 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,<br>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/<br>Panakhyda Program/Presentations <b>TF</b>                              |

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](http://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.



## 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

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

### 43<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of the passing of our Late Bishop Andrew Roborecki

**Sunday, October 26, 2025**

**St. George's Cathedral 10:00 A.M.**

**Divine Liturgy/Panakhida**  
Program/Presentations TF

**All faithful are invited!**

UCBC- Bishop Roborecki Branch

*Bro B. Bodnar, KSV*



**ST. VOLODYMYR VILLA SENIORS' RESIDENCE** REQUIRES A HOME AIDE. IDEAL POSITION FOR MATURE INDIVIDUAL WHO WANTS FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT. DAY AND EVENING SHIFTS PROVIDING SUPPORT, HOUSEKEEPING AND SERVING MEALS TO RESIDENTS. PART OF A TEAM IN A VERY POSITIVE ENVIRONMENT. NO LIFTING OR PERSONAL CARE. BASIC FIRST AID AN ASSET. CRIMINAL RECORD CHECK INCLUDING VULNERABLE SECTOR CHECK REQUIRED. STARTING WAGE \$16.00/HOUR. FAX RESUME TO (306) 374-1989 OR EMAIL TO [st.volodymyr@shaw.ca](mailto:st.volodymyr@shaw.ca) BEFORE SEPTEMBER 30, 2025.

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





# UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL OF ST. GEORGE



## Catechesis



LET THE LITTLE CHILDREN COME TO ME... MT.19:14

To know, love and serve God	Пізнавати, любити і служити Богові
To encounter Christ	Зустріти Христа
Be in relationship with Christ	Будувати стосунки з Хрестом
To contemplate the Word of God	Роздумувати над Словом Божим
Evangalization	Евангелізація
Instruction	Наставництво
Support parents	Підтримувати батьків
Build Parish Community	Творити парафіяльну спільноту
Support Families	Підтримувати сім'ї
Integration of God in our lives	Інтеграція Бога в наше життя
Christian formation	Християнська формація
Participate in Parish life	Участь у парафіяльному житті
Child Development	Розвиток дитини
Making friends	Знаходження друзів
Love the Church	Любити Церкву
Pray	Молитися
Having fun	Розважатися



**GLORY BE TO JESUS CHRIST!**

**СЛАВА ІСУСУ ХРИСТУ !**

**CHILDREN'S CATECHESIS**

**• 3-6 YEAR OLDS AFTER GOSPEL**

**AND AFTER SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY AT 12.00-1.30PM**

**• 3-6 YEAR OLDS**

**• FIRST CONFESSION/COMMUNION**

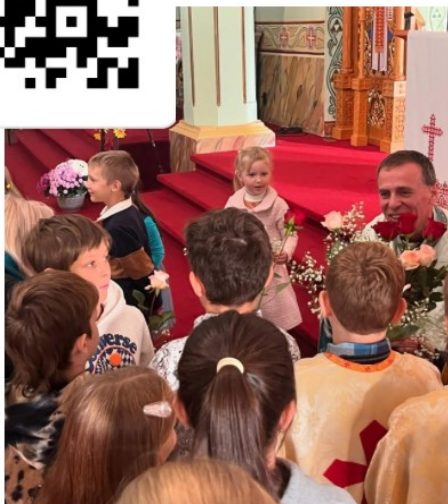
**• 8-12 YEAR OLDS**

**• 13- YEAR OLDS**



**TO REGISTER, USE THE QR CODE OR THE LINK:**

<https://tinyurl.com/ycxbz3j6>





# Musée Ukraina Museum Presents

Varvara is calling you to join us!



11th Annual

## VARVARA'S VARENYKY AND VODKA VECHIR

An evening fundraiser to support  
Musée Ukraina Museum

Thursday, October 23, 2025  
6:00 P.M. (Supper @ 6:45 P.M.)  
St. George's Senior Citizen's Center  
(1235 20th Street West)



### **\$35/Person**

Includes Varenyky (perogies), Cabbage Rolls, Sausage,  
condiments and Dessert

**For tickets contact:  
Nissa @ 306.260.5950**

**or stop by the Museum  
(222 Avenue M South/Sr. Theodosia Lane)  
We are open Sundays 11:30-3:30**

**DEADLINE FOR TICKETS: OCTOBER, 19 2025 (LIMITED TICKETS)**



• Ukrainian Inspired Beer • Vodka Shots • Special Raffle • Unique Prizes • Entertainment •



**Save the Date**  
**Gala Dinner Fundraiser**  
*A Classic Christmas*  
**IV**  
Hosted by the Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan  
At Holy Family Roman Catholic Cathedral in Saskatoon  
**Saturday, November 22, 2025**  
Dinner: Catered by Touch of Ukraine Restaurant  
Entertainment: Johner Bros, together with the Johner Boys  
Ticket Price: \$125.00 (with charitable tax receipt for \$50.00)  
To Reserve Tickets Please Call 306.653.0138 ext 223



## **Eparchy of Saskatoon**

**Eparchial Lay Formation Program – Saskatoon**

**September, 2025 – June, 2027**

**A two year program – in person or by webEx  
at Musee Ukraina Museum, Saskatoon**

**One weekend a month for ten months,  
September to June.**

**This program is designed to help the  
candidates:**

**Understand the richness of our Eastern Church by studying our  
Liturgy, Theology, Spirituality and Traditions.**

**For further information contact:**

**UCREC: 1 (306)652-1718 or (306)380-8509 Email: [rel.ed@sasktel.net](mailto:rel.ed@sasktel.net)**

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.

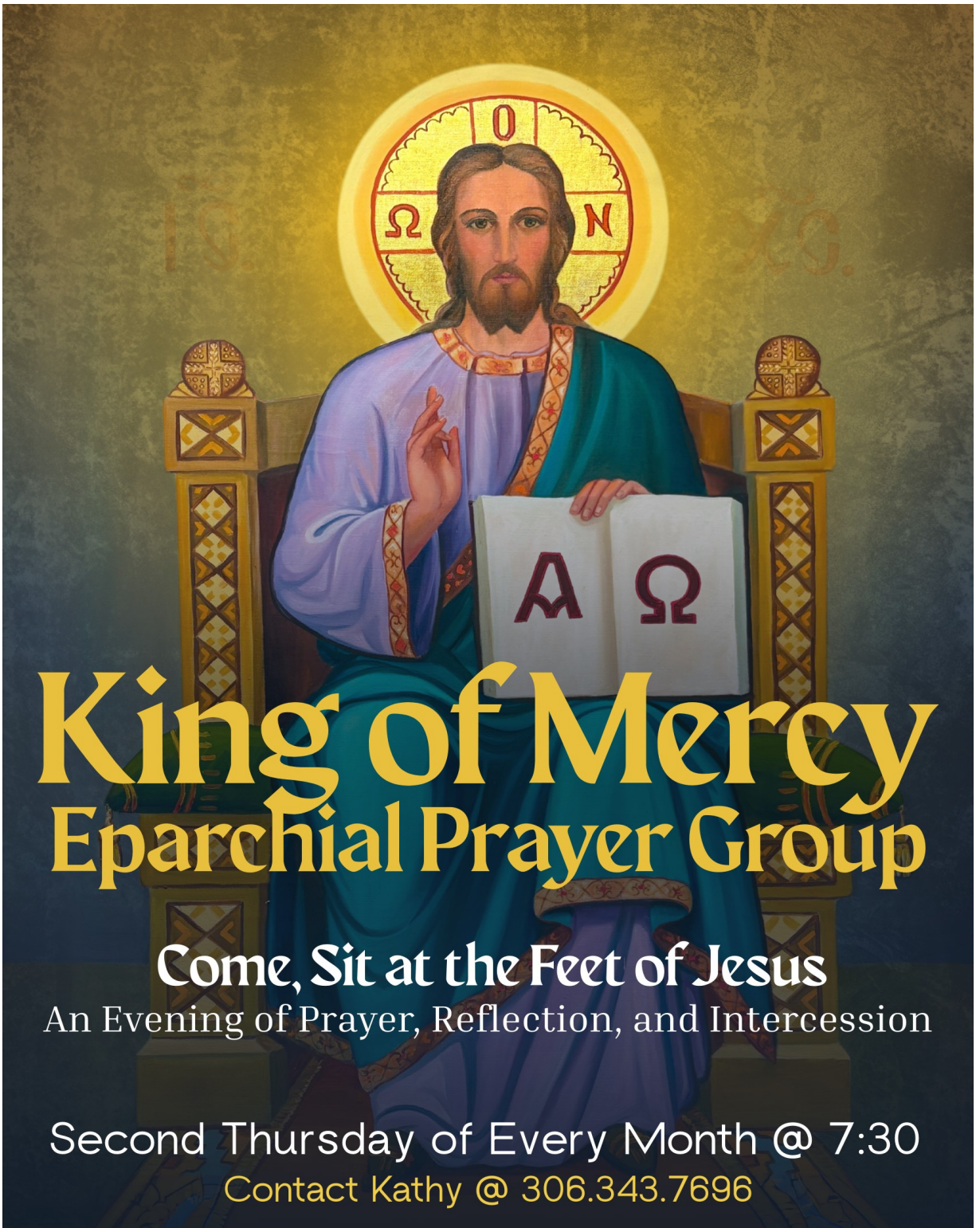
If you have any questions or comments regarding the Annual Eparchial Appeal or the Foundation itself, please contact the **Foundation Office at 306-653-0138, ext 223.**



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# 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





ПАТРІАРША  
КАТЕХИТИЧНА  
КОМІСІЯ УГКЦ



# 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](mailto:catechistugcc@gmail.com) (Viktoriia)



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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>

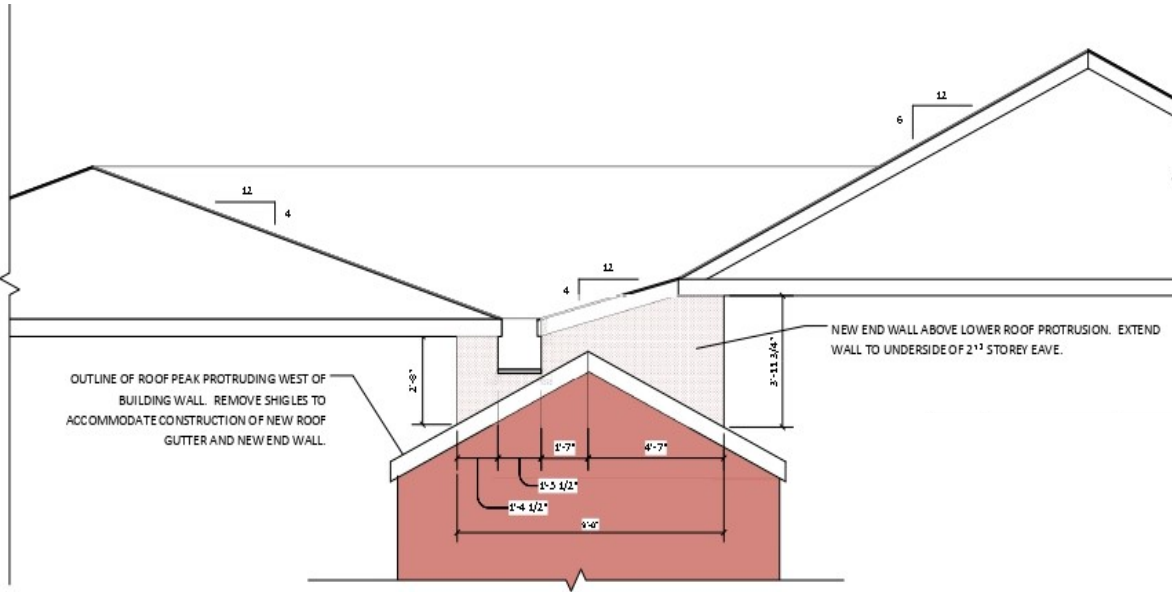
За додатковою інформацією звертайтеся: [catechistugcc@gmail.com](mailto:catechistugcc@gmail.com) (Вікторія)



# 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](mailto: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).  
[alalach@sasktel.net](mailto:alalach@sasktel.net)



**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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:mkobrynsky@sasktel.net)



debnaha@sasktel.net

**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](mailto: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](mailto: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