

CATHEDRAL NEWS

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UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL OF ST. GEORGE

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www.cathedralsaskatoon.com

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 [stgeorgeyx](https://www.facebook.com/stgeorgeyx) 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 28th—October 5th, 2025
NEXT WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL PARISH



SUNDAY, September 28th; 16th Sunday after Pentecost;

Livestream

НЕДІЛЯ, 28 вересня; 16а Неділя по Зісл. Св. Духа, Matthew 25:14-30

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

ПОНЕДІЛОК - MONDAY, September 29th—BIBТОРОК - TUESDAY, September 30th;

No Liturgies.

СЕРЕДА-WEDNESDAY, October 1st. Feast of Protection of the Mother of God. Покрова Пресвятої Богородиці; No Liturgy.

ЧЕТВЕР-THURSDAY, October 2nd—СУБОТА - SATURDAY, October 4th;

No Liturgies.

SUNDAY, October 5th; 17th Sunday after Pentecost;

Livestream

НЕДІЛЯ, 5 жовтня; 17а Неділя по Зісл. Св. Духа, Matthew 15:21-28

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

Meetings and activities for the next weeks:

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| Sept 28 | Blessing of catechists for the Jubilee Year |
| Sept 29 – Oct 3 | Fr. Ivan is at a Vocations Directors conference in Calgary |
| Oct 2 | UCBC- Bishop Roborecki Branch, 7pm, Cathedral Auditorium |
| Oct 2-5 | National Congress UCWLC and UCBC, hosted in Saskatoon |
| Oct 5 | 10:00am Divine Liturgy with Metropolitan Lawrence, Bishop David Motiuk,
Bishop Andriy Rabi, Bishop Michael Smolinski.
Reserved seating for Congress Delegates. |
| Oct 12 | First day of catechism classes. |
| Oct 26 | 43rd Anniversary of the passing of Bishop Roborecki, Divine Liturgy/
Panakhya Program/Presentations to follow |

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.

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




The Ukrainian Catholic Brotherhood of Canada
**HONOURS THE 43RD ANNIVERSARY
OF THE PASSING OF OUR LATE
BISHOP ANDREW ROBORECKI**

Divine Liturgy & Panakhyda
Program & Presentations to Follow

St. George's Cathedral 10:00 A.M.
Sunday, October 26, 2025

All faithful are invited!

UCBC - Bishop Roborecki Branch
Bro B. Bodnar, KSV



EPARCHIAL KING OF MERCY PRAYER GROUP

The Eparchial King of Mercy Prayer Group warmly extends an invitation to all who are called to pray for the needs of the Eparchy including our clergy, religious, deacons, families and parishes.

Our group meets on the second Thursday of every month beginning in September and ending in June and includes evening prayer, scriptural reflection, and intercession.

Our next two prayer nights will be held on September 11, 2025 and October 9, 2025

For more information on location and time, please call Kathy at 306-343-7696

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.

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	Настановництво
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

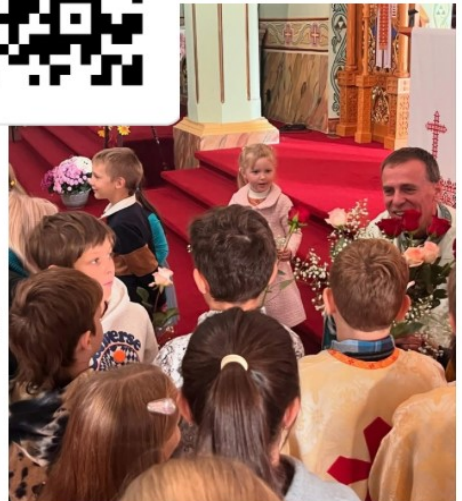
AND AFTER SUNDAY DIVINE LITURGY AT 12.00-1.30PM

• 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**

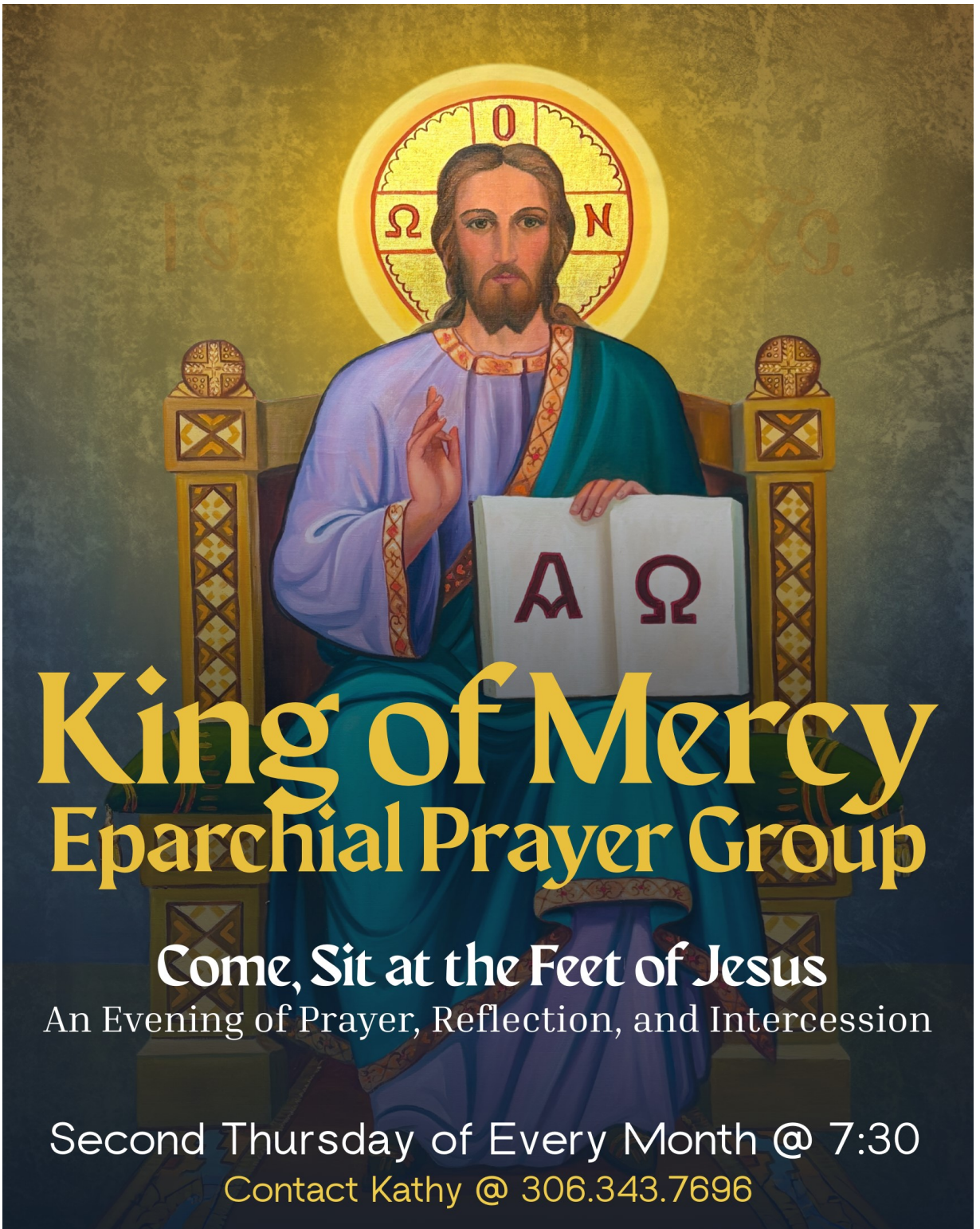
**One weekend a month for ten months,
September to June.**

**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



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



CHAS Convention 2025

Thursday, Oct. 23 - Friday, Oct. 24

PILGRIMS OF HOPE

Nurturing Life, Healing the Wounded.



Sebastian Gomes



Jon Gilchrist



Nancy K. Phillips



Christopher Hrynkow



Mike Carotta

A Place for Everyone

How Pope Francis Ignited the Church's Mission to Serve People Over Ideas.

We welcome the public to this special presentation by [Sebastian Gomes](#)

7 PM on Thursday, October 23, 2025

[Click Here](#)

Keynotes

- Neighbours and Strangers: Re-imagining 'Mission' in Pursuit of Wholistic Communities of Health and Healing
- I've Fallen and I Can Get Up: The Journey Into our True Selves as we Age
- Catholic Mental Health Awareness and Accompaniment
- Wellsprings of Hope: Practical Foundations for Transformative Hospitality that Heals the Wounded

Breakouts Check out the breakouts on [here](#)



**Early Bird Discount
Up to October 4th at Noon**

[Click Here](#)

All the information here



Resurrection Parish, 3155 Windsor Park Rd, Regina



A Message from CNEWA

As we approach the International Day of Peace on September 21st, we are reminded of the late Pope Francis' urgent call: "Peace is a duty, peace is a gift, peace is everyone's responsibility."

Today, and with the Catholic Church, we cannot forget the people of Ukraine, where war continues to devastate families, displace communities, and take innocent lives.

CNEWA, together with our partners on the ground, is providing emergency aid which includes important food, shelter, medical care, and pastoral support to those suffering in Ukraine. Yet the needs remain great.

With your help and as we approach 2026, we wish to support Ukrainian women, men and children in projects like Sustaining a Mission in Izium

Since 2017, the Buchach Eparchy of the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church has been carrying out a humanitarian mission in the city of Izium in the Kharkiv region. Although the Eparchy itself is based far from the front line, it helps support priests on the ground who work daily to maintain peace, while bringing hope to the local community.

Izium, located just 35 kilometers from the warzone, was liberated three years ago, after the world witnessed atrocities there that shocked humanity. Today, the city stands as a symbol of an indomitable spirit and daily struggle for survival.

Your support will ensure its continued presence in Izium and the delivery of vital assistance to those who need it most, including:

- Continuous pastoral and psychological support by ensuring the presence of a priest in Izium, regular pastoral moments that will help people overcome the trauma of war and restore their mental balance.
- Distribution of food, hygiene products, clothing, and medicine to vulnerable residents.

If you have yet to support our most recent fall campaign for Ukraine, I encourage you to offer a sacrificial gift for just one of these many projects we are involved with. A gift given today is a prayer made concrete, a step toward healing, and a sign of solidarity with our sisters and brothers who long for peace. Your support will always be more than just charity.

On the International Day of Peace this coming Sunday, may we join our collective efforts to open our hearts in prayer and action. Together, let us be instruments of Jesus Christ's peace.

Leslie and Irene Dubé

CHAIR FOR CATHOLIC STUDIES

Lecture Series & Events

Abraham, The Migrant: Search for Belonging

His role as "father of many nations" made Abraham a frequent migrant. This lecture addresses the spiritual complexity of migration in the making of a leader.



Fr. Sami Helewa, SJ

*Associate Professor of Religious Studies
and past President of Campion College*



7 pm, Thursday, Oct. 9, 2025

Father O'Donnell Auditorium

1437 College Drive



ST. THOMAS MORE COLLEGE
UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN



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 (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)

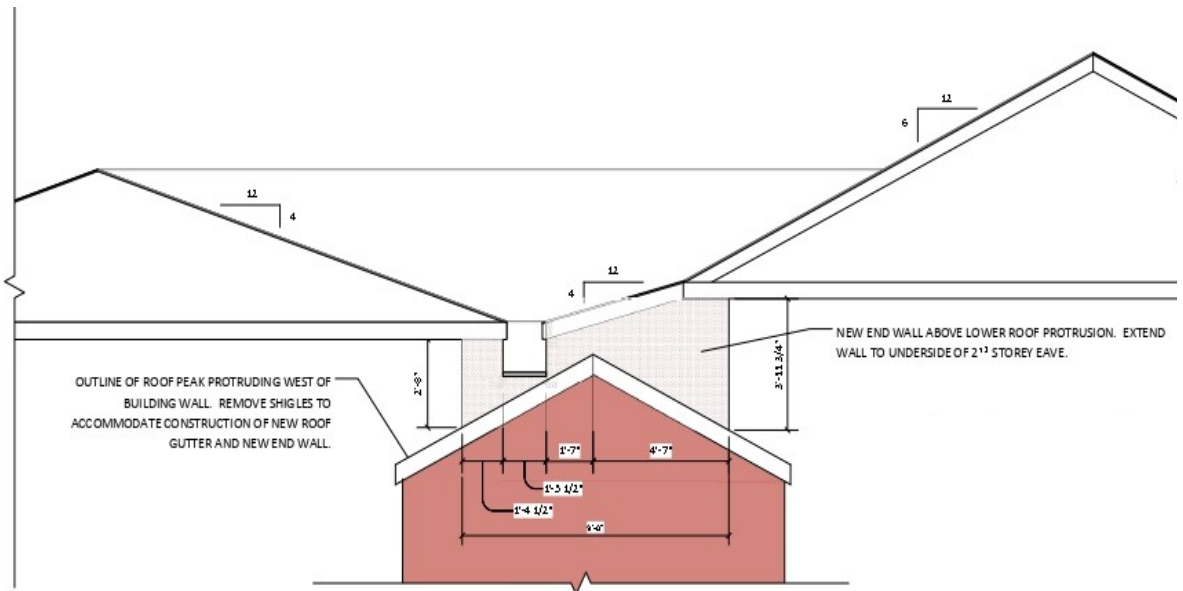
RECTORY AND CATHEDRAL OFFICE ROOF PROJECT



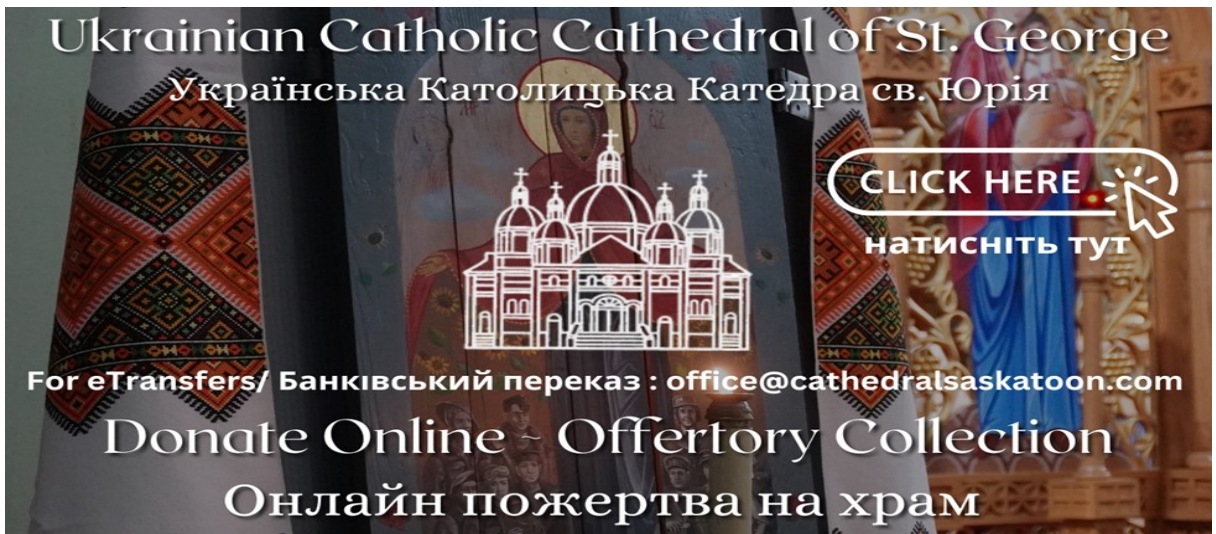
The rectory and cathedral office buildings consists of multiple roofs in order to cover a large footprint. The roof area that is directly above the west entrance to the cathedral office is much lower than the roofs to the north and south of the cathedral entrance roof. This lower roof area is subject 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 – Pllenty

Go to Cathedral Website and click banner or <https://ucfsask.pllenty.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.
marcellajo@sasktel.net



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



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



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

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