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UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL OF ST. GEORGE

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St. George
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ACCESSIBLE



БОЖЕСТВЕННА ЛІТУРГІЯ

В неділю: 10:00 рано
В свято: 7:00 ввечері
Щодня: 9:00 рано

DIVINE LITURGY

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.
Feast Day: 7:00 p.m.
Daily: 9:00 a.m.



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

Thursday
Friday
12:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

**Monday - office
CLOSED**

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ВІСТІ



НАСТУПНИЙ ТИЖДЕНЬ В КАТЕДРІ
August 30th—September 6th, 2026
NEXT WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL PARISH



SUNDAY, August 30th; 14th Sunday after Pentecost

Livestream

НЕДІЛЯ, 30 серпня; 14-а Неділя по Зісланні Святого Духа Matthew 22:1-14

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

ПОНЕДІЛОК - MONDAY, August 31st

Livestream

7:00 p.m. Prayers. +Alice Tarnowski @ Park Funeral Home

ВІВТОРОК - TUESDAY, September 1st. New Ecclesiastical Year;

Livestream

10:00 a.m. Funeral Service +Alice Tarnowski

СЕРЕДА-WEDNESDAY, September 2nd

Livestream

9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy Birthday Blessings Gabriel

Baba

ЧЕТВЕР-THURSDAY, September 3rd

Livestream

9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy Birthday Blessings Brenda

Chris

П'ЯТНИЦЯ-FRIDAY, September 4th

Livestream

9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy +William Rawlyk

Bodnars

6:00 p.m. Molebyn at the Shrine

СУБОТА-SATURDAY, September 5th

Livestream

10:00 a.m. Wedding Ceremony.

11:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy National Community of Catechists

SUNDAY, September 6th; 15th Sunday after Pentecost

Livestream

НЕДІЛЯ, 6 вересня; 15-а Неділя по Зісланні Святого Духа Matthew 22:35-46

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

Meetings and activities for the next weeks:

Sept 3	UCBC meeting, 7PM Cathedral Auditorium
Sept 4-6	National Catechetical Formational Weekend
Sept 5	Wedding
Sept 13	Millennium Cross Pilgrimage, 3PM
Sept 13	UCWLC meeting
Sept 9-14	Fr. Ivan Vacation week 1 in Manitoba
Sept 19-25	Fr. Ivan UGCC Pastoral Council in Lourdes
Sept 26-Oct 3	Fr Ivan Vacation week 2 in Spain

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.



Support the National Community of Catechists Conference!

Our Saskatoon Eparchy is honoured to host the **National Community of Catechists Formation and Reunion Weekend** from **September 4–6, 2026**, welcoming catechists from across Canada for prayer, formation, fellowship, and renewal in their calling to lead others closer to Christ.

We invite you to support this important ministry through prayer and, if you are able, a financial donation to help cover the costs of the event. By supporting catechists, we invest in the faith formation

of our children, youth, families, and parish communities across Canada.

Donations may be made by:

Cheque (payable to):

Ukr Cath Episcopal Corp of SK

Memo: *Viktoriia Marko*

Cash or Cheque Delivery:

Chancery Office (Attn: Jana Lalach)

or mailed to:

Viktoriia Marko

309–110 Akhtar Bend

Saskatoon, SK S7W 0Y9

E-transfer:

admin@skeparchy.org

Memo: *Viktoriia Marko*

Donated funds will be used to help cover conference expenses. **Individual donors are eligible to receive a charitable tax receipt.**

We also ask for your prayers for all catechists and participants attending this gathering, that the Lord may strengthen them in their vocation and ministry.

Thank you for your support and generosity.

Congratulations to baptised and confirmed!

We are happy to welcome:

Aurora Lee Lozowchuk & Anya Anastasia Lozowchuk

Daughters of Alex Lohrey & Erin Lozowchukn

as the newest members of the Catholic Community!



St. Volodymyr Ukrainian Catholic Park Inc

Park Board Meeting
Tuesday, Sept 08, 2026 @ 7pm
St. George's Cathedral Auditorium



2026
*Millennium
Cross*

**PILGRIMAGE
SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 13**

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3 pm.



**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:
REV. FR. BASSIM SHONI,
SACRED HEART
CHALDEAN PARISH**



JOIN US TO PRAY
FOR A CULTURE OF
LIFE

**LIVING ROSARY,
PRAYER,
FOOD & FELLOWSHIP**

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OUR WEBSITE
FOR DETAILS
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THE EPARCHY OF SASKATOON AND
THE MILLENNIUM PILGRIMAGE CROSS FOUNDATION

A LIGHT SHINES AND DARKNESS SHALL NOT OVERCOME IT

The Eparchy of Saskatoon is fundraising until September 30, 2026 to support our brothers and sisters in the Exarchate of Odesa.

The war has ravaged infrastructure in the region. Last winter, Odesa experienced blackouts averaging 18-22 hours a day.

Monetary donations will provide power generators and supplies for the local food bank.



**Bringing Warmth, Light, and Food to our
Brothers and Sisters in Odesa**

Credit Card*

Through the Ukrainian
Catholic Foundation
of Saskatchewan
ucfsask.org
or
306.653.0138 ext 223

Cheque

Payable to
"Ukrainian Catholic
Episcopal Corp. of
Saskatchewan"
Mail to:
214 Ave M. South
Saskatoon, Sk, S7M 2K4

E-Transfer

Send to
admin@skeparchy.org
with comment
"Odesa"
and your
Name and Address

ALL TAX RECEIPTS ISSUED BY THE UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC EPARCHY OF SASKATOON
*** DONATIONS BY CREDIT CARD SUBJECT TO ADMINISTRATION FEES**



Катехити Канади



Catechists of Canada

A Community under the Patronage of the Patriarchal Catechetical Commission of the UGCC

A Formational Weekend
for Catechists in Canada to be held in Saskatoon, SK (EN/UKR)

Формаційний Вишкіл
Катехитів Канади у Саскатуні (двомовний)

«КАТЕХИТ СЬОГОДНІ: ЯК ОЖИВИТИ КАТЕХИЗАЦІЮ?»
“THE CATECHIST TODAY: HOW TO VITALIZE CATECHESIS?”

September 4 - 6, 2026

More information is provided in the registration link.

Register at: <https://forms.gle/YuYrukADzrSMMq5H8>

Registration deadline: August 1st, 2026

Number of participants is limited!

Contact catechistugcc@gmail.com
(**Viktoriia**) for more information



@Catechists of Canada





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COMMISSION OF THE UGCC



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION MINISTRY
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ARCHEPARCHY OF PHILADELPHIA



COMMUNITY OF
CATECHISTS IN CANADA

FORMATION PROGRAM IN THEOLOGY AND EVANGELIZATION

Join a journey of faith formation
rooted in the Eastern Catholic tradition
and deepen your understanding
of the faith!

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

SEPTEMBER 10, 2026

To equip and inspire conscious and
committed faithful who seek a deeper
knowledge of their faith as well as to
provide an ongoing formation for
catechists and parish leaders

ACCREDITED
CERTIFICATE

PROGRAM DURATION:

SEPTEMBER 19 – MARCH 7

PARTICIPATION FEE:
\$ 150 (USA)

SIX ONLINE COURSES – FLEXIBLE SCHEDULE

- INTRODUCTION TO BIBLICAL STUDIES
- FUNDAMENTALS OF EASTERN THEOLOGY
- INTRODUCTION TO LITURGICS
- FUNDAMENTALS OF MORAL THEOLOGY
- FUNDAMENTALS OF EVANGELIZATION
- HISTORY OF THE UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
IN THE USA AND CANADA

Scan QR-code to find more
information and to register



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The National Community of Catechists *under the Patronage of the Patriarchal Catechetical Commission of the UGCC*

The national community of catechists is dedicated to uniting all those who wish to grow in the catechetical ministry of our Church here in Canada — to learn, to share experiences, to support one another, and to grow both spiritually and professionally.

We offer:

- Monthly online meetings held separately for two groups: English-speaking and Ukrainian-speaking. Each meeting includes four components: prayer, reflection on catechetical texts, sharing of personal experience, and professional development;
- Access to a shared Google Drive with presentations, meeting summaries, catechetical resources for various age groups in both languages, and a curated collection of catechetical documents used for reflection;
- Online Christmas and Lenten retreats offered in both languages;
- Communication platforms, including the Facebook page “*Catechists of Canada*,” the “*Catechists of Canada*” profile on the UGCC Believe & Connect app, and a WhatsApp group for informal communication;
- A Formation and Reunion Weekend for Catechists of the Ukrainian Catholic Church, hosted by our Eparchy from September 4–6 in Saskatoon. This gathering provides opportunities for spiritual and professional growth, learning interactive catechetical methods, and building networks and friendships;

The launch of six online courses in English this September, offered by the Patriarchal Catechetical Commission and the Catechetical-Pedagogical Institute of Ukrainian Catholic University. By saying “yes” to this beautiful calling in our hearts, we invest in the future of our parishes and in the lives of children, youth, parents, and adults. Catechesis begins in the mother’s womb and continues throughout one’s entire life; it is not limited to preparation for First Confession or Solemn Holy Communion.

As the UGCC Catechism *Christ — Our Pascha* (#54) states:

“The goal of catechesis, as an essential work of the Church, is to teach and to form Christians in the faith, leading them into communion with Jesus Christ and the Church community. Catechesis has a systematic character. It elucidates a Christian understanding of the personal and social life of the faithful, in light of the teachings of Christ and the Church.”

If you feel this beautiful calling in your heart, you are warmly invited to join our community.

For more information or to register, please contact us at catechistugcc@gmail.com.

Viktoriia Marko

Coordinator, national community of catechists

ONLINE-RETREATS

УКРАЇНСЬКА
ENGLISH
ESPAÑOL
PORTUGUÊS



PATRIARCHAL COMMISSION
OF THE USCC ON YOUTH AFFAIRS

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THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN

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>





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 step-dad 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