CATHEDRAL NEWS

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Cathedral Instagram and Facebook page stgeorgeyxe and Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George looking for friends and likes and shares.

CATHEDRAL IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE

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.

EVERY CHILD MATTERS

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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НАСТУПНИЙ ТИЖДЕНЬ В КАТЕДРІ
November 8th – November 15th, 2026
NEXT WEEK IN THE CATHEDRAL PARISH



SUNDAY, November 8th; St. Michael, the Archangel **Livestream**
НЕДІЛЯ, 8 листопада; Архистратига Михаїла Luke 8:41-56
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for all Parishioners.

ПОНЕДІЛОК-MONDAY, November 9th **Livestream**
No Liturgy

ВІВТОРОК - TUESDAY, November 10th **Livestream**
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy. Health of UCBC

СЕРЕДА-WEDNESDAY, November 11th **Livestream**
No Liturgy

ЧЕТВЕР-THURSDAY, November 12th **Livestream**
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy. Health of UCWLC

П'ЯТНИЦЯ-FRIDAY, November 13th **Livestream**
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy. Thanksgiving of God's Blessings Chris
6:00 p.m. Molebyn at the Shrine

СУБОТА-SATURDAY, November 14th **Livestream**
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy. Protection and God's Blessings for Oleg, Bohdan, Tetiana,Vlad, Viktoriia, Danylo, Maria, Ivan
7:00 p.m. Vespers

SUNDAY, November 15th; 25th Sunday after Pentecost **Livestream**
НЕДІЛЯ, 15 листопада; 25-а Неділя по Зісланні Святого Духа Luke 10:25-37
10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for all Parishioners.

Meetings and activities for the next weeks:

Nov 8	Installation of Metropolitan Michael Kwiatkowsky in Winnipeg
Nov 13	Altar Servers meeting
Nov 14	Young Adults Puschenia: Vespers, guest speaker and dance Party. Age 19-35 welcome
Nov 19	Parish Council meeting
Nov 15	St. Philip's Fast begins
Nov 22	UCWLC Meeting after Divine Liturgy

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.

Note Time Change for Weekday Divine Liturgies:
Effective November 1st Weekday Divine Liturgies will be celebrated at 10:00 am unless otherwise posted in the Sunday bulletin.



MY WEEK IN REVIEW

Glory be to Jesus Christ!
Pastoral: I had a meeting with a cabinet maker to discuss how to present the relics in the cathedral. Our first Children's liturgy turned out well. Please pray for a new Catechumen, adult studying our faith, with the intention of becoming baptized someday. In addition to the 3 funerals this week I had two house visits for funeral preparations. The fall supper was sold out and the food was amazing. My job was to mingle and I did my job. We celebrated the 70th anniversary of the creation of our Eparchy. Bishop wasn't feeling well so he did not attend; we cancelled 3 meeting for the same reason and we can always reschedule.
Administrative: Meetings: Catholic Connections because Bishop Michael was away and Catechist PD. We planned a strategy for the next three years of rent of the land donated by Eugene Hrycak' estate.
Personal: Remembrance Day preparations, Debbie and I watched the last Rider Game of the year, I am one who prays and one who dreams. I attended the PA funeral of the soldier who died in the Wainright fire and attended regular training night. I went on the last outdoor bike ride for the season with Ryan. Debbie goes back to work half-time on Monday. Maybe you will notice the missing tree? I now have some free firewood.
In your service, Fr. Ivan

ОГЛЯД МОЇХ ДВОХ ТИЖНІВ

Слава Ісусу Христу!
Пастерське: Я мав зустріч із майстром, щоб обговорити, як розмістити реліквії в катедрі. Наша перша літургія для дітей пройшла успішно. Будь ласка, моліться за нового катехумена — дорослу людину, яка вивчає нашу віру з наміром у майбутньому прийняти хрещення. Окрім трьох похоронів цього тижня, я двічі відвідував родини вдома для підготовки до похоронних відправ. Квитки на осінню вечерю були повністю розпродані, а їжа — чудова. Моїм завданням було спілкуватися з людьми, і я з ним впорався. Ми відсвяткували 70-річчя заснування нашої єпархії. Владика не дуже добре почувався, тому не зміг бути присутнім; з цієї ж причини ми скасували три зустрічі — їх завжди можна перенести на інший час.
Адміністративне: Зустрічі: «Catholic Connections» (оскільки владика Михаїл був у від'їзді) та семінар із професійного розвитку для катехитів. Ми розробили стратегію на найближчі три роки щодо оренди землі, отриманої у спадок від Юджина Грицака.
Особисте: Підготовка до Дня пам'яті (Remembrance Day). Ми з Деббі дивилися останню в цьому році гру команди «Riders». Я — людина, яка молиться і мріє. Я відвідав похорон військового (у Принс-Альберті), який загинув під час пожежі у Вейнрайті, а також узяв участь у черговому вечірньому тренуванні. Разом із Раяном здійснив останню в цьому сезоні велопрогулянку на свіжому повітрі. У понеділок Деббі повертається на роботу (на пів ставки). Можливо, ви помітите, що одного дерева більше немає? Тепер у мене є трохи безкоштовних дров.
До Ваших послуг, отець Іван

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

We express sympathy and prayers to family and friends on the death of
+ Eddie Kocay
ВІЧНАЯ ПАМ'ЯТЬ! GOD GRANT HER ETERNAL REST!

PYLYPIWKA FOOD DRIVE

St. George's Cathedral Pastoral Council's Social and Justice Committee invites you to be part of our quarterly food drives. We run food drives during the fasting periods of the Church's Liturgical Calendar.



During our Church Liturgical Services between November 15 through to December 13, we encourage and invite you, our parishioners, to place unopened food donations in the marked bins that will be set up in the church. Each week the collection will have a theme based on the Most Needed Items according to the Saskatoon Food Bank and Learning Centre.

November 15: Grain Products (Pasta, rice, oats, & whole-grain cereals)
November 22: Protein Foods (Canned meat & fish, canned beans & lentils, peanut butter, nuts)
November 29: Vegetables & Fruits (Canned vegetables and fruits, applesauce, pasta sauce)
December 6: Prepared Meals and Pantry Items (Canned soups, stews, chili)
December 13: Infant food & Baby Formula (Infant formula, infant cereals, baby food)

St. Philip's Fast—opens a forty-day journey of expectation, preparation, and fulfillment. Although less familiar than the Great Fast before Pascha, this ancient pre-Christmas fast has deep roots in the Christian East. Its purpose is simple and profound: to prepare our hearts for the mystery of the Nativity, when the eternal God takes flesh for our salvation.

***Adapted from Ss. Peter & Paul Saskatoon https://sspp.ca/our-faith/liturgical-year/periods-of-fast/**

~ Logan & Elise Michalishen - Social & Justice Committee

Pylypiwka – St. Philip's Fast (November 15 – December 24)

UCWLC NEWS

THANK YOU – THANK YOU- THANK YOU

A heartfelt *THANK YOU* to everyone who supported our Fall Supper. Your kindness and generosity helped make it a wonderful occasion. A Special ***THANK YOU*** to our volunteers who generously shared their time and talents to make the supper a success. We are truly grateful for each and everyone of you! May God Bless you with His Grace and loving care!

UPCOMING WORK BEES – MARK YOUR CALENDARS

November 10th – Cabbage Roll work bee @ 9:00 A.M.

November 24th – Perogy work bee @ 9:00 A.M.

If you are willing to come out and help with our work bees, we would be very grateful for the "Helping Hands". We enjoy the fellowship, humor, and luncheon that we all share in on these days.

UCWLC GENERAL MEETING & LUNCHEON

All ladies of the Parish are welcome to join us on **November 22nd** for the UCWLC General Meeting, and Luncheon. The meeting will feature a guest speaker, and all ladies are invited to attend. We look forward to seeing you there!

Iris Owchar, UCWLC President

2026 UCBC - BISHOP ROBORECKI BRANCH/PARK FUNERAL CHAPEL SCHOLARSHIP

Three $100.00 Scholarships are available to youth ages 8-18 (ages as of December 31, 2025) 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, members of parish organizations, Ukrainian arts groups, or St. Volodymyr Camp Committee. 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 Tuesday, November 18, 2026. To submit nominations or for further information, contact Bro. Bernard Bodnar (306-371-9807) or Bro. Bill Gulka (306-249-0243). Nominations may be mailed or submitted to 2026 Scholarship, St. George Cathedral Parish, 210 Avenue M South, Saskatoon, SK S7M 2K4, to w.gulka@sasktel.net, or office@cathedralsaskatoon.com

The scholarship recipients will be announced following the 5:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy on Saturday, December 05, 2026 at Ss. Peter & Paul parish as well as the parish bulletins for the three parishes. Scholarships will be presented following the 5:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy.

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC
FOUNDATION OF SASKATCHEWAN CORPORATION

"SHARE THE SPIRIT" 50/50 LOTTERY DRAW (Lottery License - # LR26-0105)

The Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan (UCFSASK) will again be conducting a "Share the Spirit" 50/50 Lottery Draw. The draw date will be made on Friday, December 4, 2026 at 2:00pm at 214 Avenue M South, Saskatoon SK.

Ticket Prices: 1 ticket for $25.00; 3 tickets for $70.00; 5 tickets for $100.00

Buy tickets at: https://ucfsask.rafflenexus.com/

- 50% of the total ticket sales will go to the winner of the lottery draw
- Net proceeds from the "Share the Spirit" 50/50 Lottery Draw will be allocated to the Eparchy of Saskatoon to promote spiritual, educational, cultural, and social initiatives

Check your mail - each parish family in the Eparchy will receive a lottery package including a "Lottery Ticket Purchase Form" that can be used by ticket purchasers to use cheque or e-transfer. For more information, please email **lotteries@ucfsask.org,** or call us at (306) 653-0138, ext. 223.

YOU ARE INVITED • COMMUNITY PRESENTATION

THE CURRENT STATE OF EDUCATION IN WARTIME UKRAINE

СТАН ОСВІТИ В УКРАЇНІ В УМОВАХ ВІЙНИ



Speaker: Dr. Olena Huzar
Ternopil National Pedagogical University
Centre for Teaching Excellence

The presentation highlights the impact of war on all levels of schooling from pre-school to post-secondary institutions. Events in Ukraine have an impact on families who have children in Saskatchewan schools.

WHERE
Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2026
7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

All are welcome. Refreshments/Cookies will be provided.

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GREATER SASKATOON CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

A Workshop for Ukrainian Catholic Young Adults

CANTORING WITH CONFIDENCE

Friday Nov. 27 — 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Saturday Nov. 28 — 9:30 am - 4:30 pm
Ages: 14 – 36

Facilitator: Deacon Cyril Kennedy

Dormition of the Blessed Mother of God Parish
120 - 105th Street West, Saskatoon, SK

Register online by November 24th

https://tinyurl.com/3txrkthw

Learn the skills and confidence to lead our Ukrainian Catholic liturgies.

This event is sponsored in part by a grant from the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchial Foundation


YOUNG ADULTS
JOIN US FOR
Pushchenya
FEAST BEFORE THE FAST
Join us for Vespers, a talk by Bishop Michael Smolinski,
and a dance party afterwards!
NOVEMBER 14
6:00 PM
ST. GEORGE'S
UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC
CATHEDRAL
210 AVENUE M S
SASKATOON
$10
ENTRY TICKET
SUPPER WILL BE
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DRINKS AVAILABLE
FOR PURCHASE
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See you there!


GREAT VESPERS
SATURDAY EVENINGS
All are welcome
DORMITION PARISH
120 - 105th St. W.
October 17– 5 pm
November 28– 5 pm
December 19– 5 pm
ST. GEORGE CATHEDRAL
210 - Ave. M South
October 10– 5 pm
November 14– 5 pm
December 5– 5 pm
YOUNG ADULTS, STAY AFTER VESPERS
Potluck • Socializing • Guest Presenters
High school youth and young adults are invited to gather for prayer, reflection, and fellowship.
WORSHIP • COMMUNITY • CONVERSATION

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 6, 2026.**

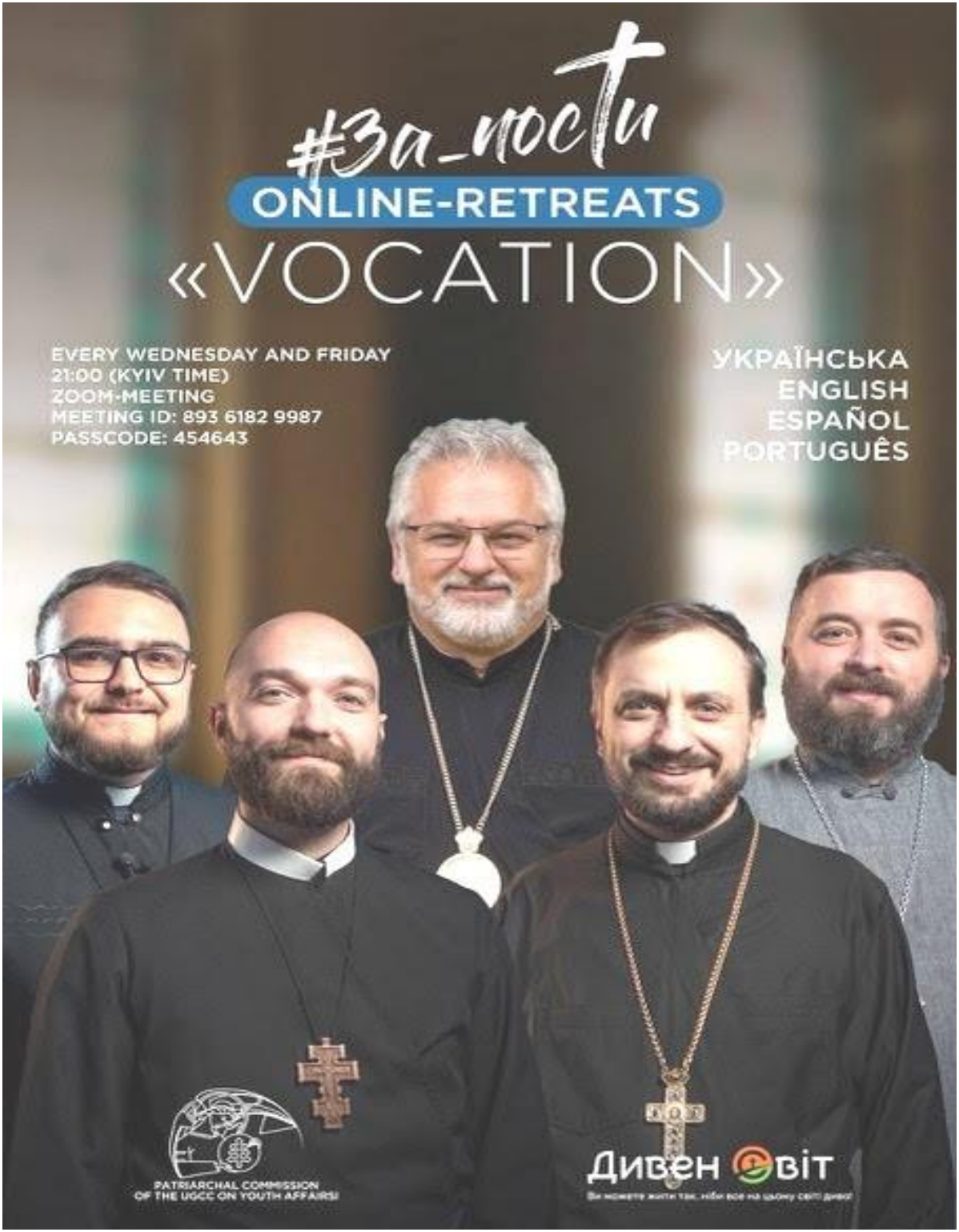
Registration: https://forms.gle/Lsh2t9ZXcBwg8Wan7

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

UCREC Ongoing Faith Formation Classes Start Soon in Yorkton and Regina or Online!

The Ukrainian Catholic Religious Education Centre is gearing up for another year of Faith Formation. Each month people from across our eparchy meet in Regina or in Yorkton to learn about our Ukrainian Catholic Faith. We cover a wide range of topics and there are options for online learning if you can't make it to the in-person meetings!

There is no cost. You can donate if you'd like. But the return is invaluable – a deeper understanding of your faith and a growing sense of our Ukrainian Catholic community here in Saskatchewan. For more information contact the Ukrainian Catholic Religious Education Centre at rel.ed@ucrec.ca or call 306-652-1718.


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ONLINE-RETREATS
«VOCATION»
EVERY WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY
21:00 (KYIV TIME)
ZOOM-MEETING
MEETING ID: 893 6182 9987
PASSCODE: 454643
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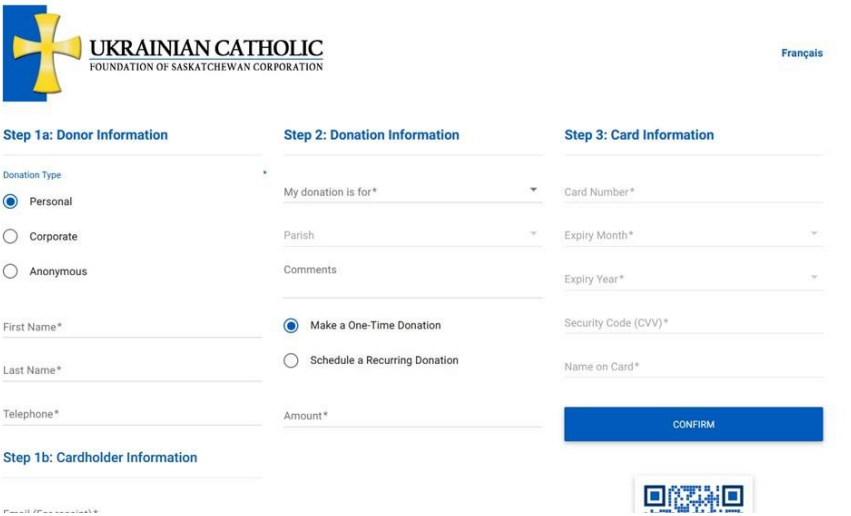


How to Donate Online to the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George
eTransfer: Send your eTransfer to office@cathedralsaskatoon.com

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. 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 Ss. 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



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.

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



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 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