

**St. Peter and Paul
Ukrainian Catholic Parish
Canora, Saskatchewan**

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**District
Churches:**

**Buchanan
Canora
Dobrowody
Hudson Bay
Invermay
Preeceville
Rama**

**Arran-Vesna
Kamsack
Norquay**

**Benito
Swan River**

NOTE: Original bulletin has many pictures and graphics...

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Dec. 4 Sat.	Buchanan	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	7:00 p.m.
Dec. 5 Sun.	(28th Sunday after Pentecost, Epistle: Col. 1, 12 – 18; Tone 3)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Dec. 7 Tue.	Kamsack	UCWL Moleben		4:00 p.m.
Dec. 9 Thu.	Canora	Christmas Bake Sale (take-out)	10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	
	(Phone: Frances 563-5584; Joanne 563-4859; Nettie 563-3454)			
Dec. 11 Sat.	Rama	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
Dec. 12 Sun.	(Sunday of Holy Fore-Fathers, Epistle: Col. 3, 4 – 11; Tone 4)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Dec. 15 Wed.	Canora	Parish Council Meeting		7:00 p.m.
Dec. 18 Sat.	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
Dec. 19 Sun.	(Sunday before Christmas, Epistle: Heb. 11, 9 – 10; 11, 17 – 23; 11, 32 – 40; Tone 5)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Dec. 24 Fri.	(Christmas Eve, Epistle: Gal. 4, 4 – 7)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	2:00 p.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	4:00 p.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	8:30 p.m.
Dec. 25 Sat.	(Christmas Day, Epistle: Gal. 4, 4 – 7)			
	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	3:00 p.m. !!
	Invermay	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
Dec. 26 Sun.	(Sunday after Christmas, Epistle: Gal. 1. 11 – 19; Tone 6)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Hudson Bay	Liturgy	English	4:30 p.m.
Dec. 27 Mon.	Canora	Baptism		11:00 a.m.

2022 HAPPY NEW YEAR 2022

Jan. 1 Sat.	Buchanan	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 2 Sun.	(Sunday before Theophany, Epistle: 2 Tim. 4, 5 – 8; Tone 7)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Jan. 6 Thu.	(Julian Calendar: Christmas Eve, Gal. 4, 4 – 7)			
	Canora: Christmas Eve	Liturgy (Ukr./Engl.)		8:00 p.m.
Jan. 8 Sat.	Rama	Liturgy & Blessing of Water		5:00 p.m.
Jan. 9 Sun.	(Sunday after Theophany, Epistle: Eph. 4, 7 – 13; Tone 8)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy & Blessing of Water		9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy & Blessing of Water		11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy & Blessing of Water		1:15 p.m.
Jan. 15 Sat.	Preeceville	Liturgy & Blessing of Water		5:00 p.m.
Jan. 16 Sun.	(30th Sunday after Pentecost, Epistle: Coloss., 3, 12 – 16; Tone 1)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Jan. 22 Sat.	Invermay	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
Jan. 23 Sun.	(31st Sunday after Pentecost; Epistle: 1 Timothy, 1, 15 – 17; Tone 2)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Hudson Bay	Liturgy	English	4:30 p.m.
Jan. 30 Sun.	(32nd Sunday after Pentecost, Epistle: 1 Timothy 4, 9 – 15; Tone 3)			
	(Sunday of Zacchaeus)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Canora	Parish Annual Meeting		4:00 p.m.
Feb. 5 Sat.	Buchanan	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
		Parish Annual Meeting		5:45 p.m.
	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	7:00 p.m.
Feb. 6 Sun.	(33rd S. after Pentecost, Epistle: 2 Timothy 3, 10 – 15; Tone 4)			
	(Sunday of the Pharisee and Publican)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Kamsack	Parish Annual Meeting		4:00 p.m.

Feb. 7 – 11	Saskatoon	Clergy conference		
Feb. 12 Sat.	Rama	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
		Parish Annual Meeting		5:55 p.m.
Feb. 13 Sun.	(34th Sunday after Pentecost, Epistle: 1 Cor. 6, 12 – 20; Tone 5)			
	<i>(Sunday of the Prodigal Son)</i>			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Norquay	Parish Annual Meeting		2:00 p.m.
Feb. 19 Sat.	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	Preeceville	Parish Annual Meeting		5:55 p.m.
Feb. 20 Sun.	(Meat-fare Sunday, Epistle: 1 Cor. 8, 8 – 9, 2; Tone 6)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Feb. 21 Mon.	<i>(Family Day)</i>			
Feb. 26 Sat.	Invermay	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
		Parish Annual Meeting		5:55 p.m.
Feb. 27 Sun.	(Cheese-fare Sunday, Epistle Rom. 13, 11 - 14, 4; Tone 7)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Hudson Bay	Liturgy	English	4:30 p.m.
Feb. 28 Mon.	<i>(First Day of Easter Lent)</i>			
Mar. 5 Sat.	Buchanan	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	7:00 p.m.
	(Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)			
Mar. 6 Sun.	(First Sunday of Lent, Epistle: Hebr. 11, 24 – 40; 12, 1 – 2; Tone 8)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Mar. 12 Sat.	Rama	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	(Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)			
Mar. 13 Sun.	(2nd Sunday of Lent, Epistle Heb. 1, 10 – 2, 3; Tone 1)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Mar. 16 Wed.	Kamsack	LENTEN SERVICE		
	(Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)			5:00 p.m.

Mar. 17 Thu.	Norquay	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Mar. 18 Fri.	Canora	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Mar. 19 Sat.	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	(Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)			
Mar. 20 Sun.	(3rd Sunday of Lent, Epistle: Heb. 4, 14 - 5, 6; Tone 2) <i>(Veneration of the Holy Cross)</i>			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Mar. 23 Wed.	Kamsack	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Mar. 24 Thu.	Norquay	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Mar. 25 Fri.	Canora	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Mar. 26 Sat.	Invermay	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	(Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)			
Mar. 27 Sun.	(4th Sunday of Lent, Epistle: Heb. 6, 13 – 20; Tone 3)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Hudson Bay	Liturgy	English	4:30 p.m.
Mar. 30 Wed.	Kamsack	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Mar. 31 Thu.	Norquay	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Apr. 1 Fri.	Canora	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Apr. 2 Sat.	Buchanan	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	7:00 p.m.
	(Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)			
Apr. 3 Sun.	(5th Sunday of Lent, Epistle: Heb. 9, 11 – 14; Tone 4)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Apr. 6 Wed.	Kamsack	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Apr. 7 Thu.	Norquay	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.

Apr. 8 Fri.	Canora	LENTEN SERVICE (Liturgy, Panakhyda, Stations of the Cross)		5:00 p.m.
Apr. 9 Sat.	Rama	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
Apr. 10 Sun.	(Palm Sunday, Epistle: Phil. 4, 4 – 9; Tone 5)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Benito	Liturgy	English	4:00 p.m. SK
Apr. 15 Fri.	(Good Friday)			
	Canora	Exposition of the Holy Shroud		3:00 p.m.
Apr. 16 Sat.	(Holy Saturday)			
	Norquay	Blessing of Easter food		12:00 noon
	Kamsack	Blessing of Easter food		1:00 p.m.
	Canora	Blessing of Easter food		2:00 p.m.
	Invermay	Liturgy & Blessing of Easter Food		5:00 p.m.
	Preeceville	Liturgy & Blessing of Easter Food		7:00 p.m.
Apr. 17 Sun.	(Easter Sunday, Epistle: Acts 1, 1 – 8) (Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy and Bless. of Easter food		9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy and Bless. of Easter food		11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy and Bless. of Easter food		1:15 p.m.
	Arran-Vesna	Liturgy and Bless. of Easter food		4:00 p.m.
Apr. 23 Sat.	Dobrowody	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
Apr. 24 Sun.	(St. Thomas Sunday, Acts 5, 12 – 20; Tone 1) (Julian Calendar: Easter Sunday)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Hudson Bay	Liturgy	English	4:30 p.m.
Apr. 30 Sat.	Rama	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
May 1 Sun.	(Sunday of the Myrrh-bearing Women, Epistle: Acts 6, 1 – 7; Tone 2)			
	Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
	Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
	Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
	Swan Plain Cemetery	Services		3:00 p.m.
May 7 Sat.	Wasyliw cemetery	Services		3:00 p.m.
	Buchanan	Liturgy	English	5:00 p.m.
	Preeceville	Liturgy	English	7:00 p.m.

May 8 Sun. (4th Sunday after Easter, Epistle: Acts 9, 32 – 42; Tone 3)
(Sunday of the Paralytic)
(Mother's Day)

Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Benito	Liturgy	English	4:00 p.m. SK

May 14 Sat. **Dobrowody** **Liturgy** **English** **5:00 p.m.**
Preeceville **Liturgy** **English** **7:00 p.m.**

May 15 Sun. (5th Sunday after Easter, Epistle: Acts 11, 19 – 26; 11, 29 – 30; Tone 4)

Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Arran-Vesna	Liturgy	English	4:00 p.m.
	Baptism	(Papp)	4:45 p.m.

May 22 Sun. (Sunday of the Man born Blind, Epistle: Acts 16, 16 – 34; Tone 5)
No Services

May 29 Sun. (Sunday of the Fathers of the 1st Ecumenical Council;
Epistle: Acts 20, 16 – 18; 20, 28 – 36; Tone 6)

Kamsack	Liturgy	English	9:00 a.m.
Canora	Liturgy	English	11:00 a.m.
Norquay	Liturgy	English	1:15 p.m.
Hudson Bay	Liturgy	English	4:30 p.m.

NOTES FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

1. **Dear Brothers and Sisters,**
I PRAISE YOU for your pious commitment and dedication to God and God's Church.
I THANK YOU for all your help, cooperation, love and support.
I PRAY FOR YOU and all those, that are dear and near to your hearts.
I ENCOURAGE YOU to continue on this road to holiness and salvation, leaving a nice legacy to the future generations.
GOD BLESS YOU.
2. Since March 15th 2020 our personal lives changed a lot, and our Parish lives changed as well, because of the Corona-virus Pandemic (COVID-19), and the government guidelines.
The restrictions and the Government guidelines CHANGE OFTEN.
We have to follow the government guidelines, keep the proper distance, wash hands, wear masks etc. Stay healthy and safe.
3. **CHURCH MEMBERSHIPS AND DONATIONS:** don't forget Your church membership and church donations.
4. Invite more people to our churches (our neighbors, young people and old, healthy and sick), offer them a ride to church etc. Personal invitation means a lot. Invite at least one person a month to our church service.
5. Mass Intentions: for your mass requests for the departed loved ones, or for health, God's blessings, salvation, success etc. – call Fr. J. Rac 1-306-563-5148.
6. Our Canora Church Caretaker is Don Heshka (and Courtlyn Heshka, Bronson Heshka and Hunter Lamb); our Parish Hall Caretaker: Don Heshka, Box 1762 Canora, SK S0A 0L0 (Tel. 306-641-2489) and Danny Rakochy, Box 2055 Canora, SK S0A 0L0 (Tel. 306-563-7688) Parish Grounds Caretaker: Danny Rakochy (Tel. 306-563-7688) (with Don Heshka and Courtlyn Heshka, Bronson Heshka and Hunter Lamb).
A huge THANKS to Julian and Bonnie Chupik for keeping our Canora church building beautiful and clean for many years. God bless you.
7. Our Canora UCWL "Good Perogies" for sale at: CARNATION STREET FLORALS, (Kevin Hryhoriw), 120 Main Street, Canora. SOA OLO Tel. 1-306-563-3056. Visit the Carnation Street Florals for flowers and perogies.
- Also, perogies are for sale from our Parish Hall; call Gloria Demchuk at 306-563-6835.
8. Canora and district Knights of Columbus will join the Yorkton K of C Councils.
9. UCWL: Canora UCWL is celebrating its 75th Anniversary in 2021 and Kamsack UCWL will celebrate its 70th Anniversary in 2022. Congratulations.
10. Visit Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon – web-site: www.skeparchy.org
Our bulletins are there online also, under - Parishes, Yorkton Deanery, Canora

11. **Dear Parishioners: all kinds of organizations and charities are asking your support every day. Your Local Parishes suffer, because of the shrinking membership of the rural population and – Your Local Parishes need Your support FIRST. Their existence depends on You. Please, keep them in the First Place of Your charitable hearts, especially now during this pandemic.**
12. **If you are planning to be married in our church, please call Fr. J. Rac (at 306-563-5148). Couples intending marriage should notify the priest of their intention AT LEAST 6 MONTHS in advance.**
13. **Easter Dates:**
- | <i>Year</i> | <i>Gregorian</i> | <i>Julian</i> | <i>Difference</i> |
|-------------|------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| 2021 | April 4 | May 2 | 4 weeks |
| 2022 | April 17 | April 24 | 1 week |
| 2023 | April 9 | April 16 | 1 week |
14. **Covenant of Care: The Eparchy of Saskatoon is responsible to provide a safe, respectful and secure environment. If you have any questions – contact Fr. J. Rac (306-563-5148) or Dave Popowich, Canora District and Yorkton Deanery Coordinator of Care (1-306-563-5001).**
15. **Rama COOKBOOKS:**
 Cookbooks – Varyty/Cooking with the Ukrainians – FOR SALE by the Rama Ukrainian Catholic Parish of St. Peter and Paul. \$20 each.
 Contact : Marcella (593-4525), Pat (593-6165) Susan (547-3066).
16. **Ideas for our cemeteries:**
 - install a sign with the cemetery name on it;
 - for the records - make a cemetery map, that includes its boundaries and graves placement;
 - have some cemetery rules, by-laws;
 - make a list of the people, who have some family members at the cemetery (these people might help the cemetery financially now or in the future);
 - take care of the monuments, crosses, grass, gate, fence... Be in contact with your parish council, parishioners, priest... - Pray for the deceased.
17. **Parish Council meetings and UCWL meetings: to be announced.**
18. **Canora Nominating Committee: Fr. J. Rac, Dave Popowich and Ernie Kozak. Contact them with Your suggestions for the 2022 Parish Council members.**
19. **PARISH ANNUAL MEETINGS (tentatively):**
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| Canora | Sunday, January 30, 2022 | 4:00 p.m. |
| Buchanan | Saturday, Feb. 5, 2022 | 5:45 p.m. |
| Kamsack | Sunday, Feb. 6, 2022 | 4:00 p.m. |
| Rama | Saturday, Feb. 12, 2022 | 5:55 p.m. |
| Norquay | Sunday, Feb. 13, 2022 | 2:00 p.m. |
| Preeceville | Saturday, Feb. 19, 2022 | 5:55 p.m. |
| Invermay | Saturday, Feb. 26, 2022 | 5:55 p.m. |
- Other parishes: to be announced*

20. **IN OUR PARISH DISTRICT WE TAKE CARE OF THESE:**

ACTIVE PARISHES

Buchanan: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Canora: Church, Rectory, Belfry, Hall

Dobrowody: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Hudson Bay: Cemetery

Invermay: Church, Belfry, Cemetery

Preeceville: Church, Belfry, Rectory, Hall, Cemetery

Rama: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Arran-Vesna: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Kamsack: Church, Belfry, Hall

Norquay: Church, Belfry, Holy Trinity cemetery, St. Demetrius cemetery

Benito (Manitoba)

(Madge Lake: St. Michael's Camp; Holy Eucharist church, Halls, Monument, Statues etc.)

Other parishes:

Antonivka: Church, Belfry, Cemetery

Chornobay Cemetery: Cemetery

Buchach: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Chechow: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Erwood: Cemetery

Hazel Dell: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

High Tor: Church, Cemetery

Hryhoriv: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Kovalivka: Church, Belfry, 2 cemeteries

Kulykiw: Church, Belfry, Cemetery

Kyziv-Tiaziv (Bellendeen): Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Olesha: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Stove Creek: Cemetery

Tadmore: Church, Belfry, Cemetery

Virgin of Sorrows: Church, Cemetery

Wasyliv: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery

Weekes: Church, Cemetery

(Zawerucha Cemetery)

Arran: Church, Belfry, Hall, & Cemeteries: Old, New, Podollia, (Nahnybida)

Dnieper: Church, Belfry, Hall, Cemetery and Owcharyk cemetery

Glen Elder: Church, Cemetery

Hwas; (Ewanchuk Cemetery)

Maybridge: Church, Cemetery

Ormside: Chermcora Cemetery

Pelly: Cemetery

Runnymede: Cemetery

St. Phillips: Belfry, Cemetery

Stenen: Cemetery

Swan Plain: Church, Belfry, Cemetery

Veregin: Cemetery

Whitebeech: Church, Cemetery

Swan River (Manitoba)

21. **Some of the activities in the District:**
- Danbury/Glen Elder parish: Sacred items from the church were given to the Eparchy on October 15, 2018.
- Arran parish: Sacred items from the church were given to the Eparchy on July 24, 2019.
- Whitebeech parish: Sacred items were given to the Eparchy on July 24, 2019.
- Kamsack parish: the rectory is sold in June of 2021.
- Arran parish: the vacant lot (that is between the school and the church), was transferred to the village of Arran in April of 2021.
- Whitebeech parish donated the bell tower to our Vesna parish.
- Canora parish donated two statues to Arran-Vesna (Jesus and Mary, 26 inch tall).
22. **Dobrowody, Arran-Vesna and Benito churches will close for winter (December-March. Our scheduled services will resume in April or May 2022.**
23. **Thanks to Joe and Elsie Luciw for spending this summer more than 200 hours of their volunteer work on the Chechow cemetery, cleaning countless crosses and monuments with electric steel brushes and hand brushes, then priming and painting them. Also – they made and installed the new top windows for the Chechow church. (Thanks to Larry Holowachuk for working on the top of the church, close to the clouds).**
24. **Our Lady of Guadalupe (Mexico) Pilgrimage with Bishop Bryan Bayda, February 10 – 19, 2022. Contact Teresa Bodnar-H. at allShieberts@gmail.com**
25. **2022 Church Liturgical Calendars will be available in our churches in December. I don't think we will have a blessing of homes in January by me, as usual, because of the Covid 19.**
26. **Carolling: You can give Your donations to the carollers at Your home (by Your invitation), or in the church any time. Thanks.**
27. **A Blessed Christmas and Happy and Healthy New Year to all of You and to those, that are dear and near to Your hearts. Let us come together to the new-born King, our Lord Jesus Christ. Let us adore Him.
All of You will be remembered in a special way in the Liturgy on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.**

Fr. Joakim Rac and family

2021 PARISH COUNCILS

1. **Canora 2021 Parish Council:**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
Past President: Zenovie Gulka
President: Dave Popowich
Vice-President: Danny Rakochy
Fin. Secr.: Frances Bartko
Rec. Secr.: Allan Wonsiak
Corresponding Secr.: Marge Shewchuk
Directors: Jack Bartko, Don Hrywkiw, Thomas Dutchak, Gerald Pozniak,
Ernie Kozak, Bernie Marchinko, Allen Demchuk,
Russell Andrusyk, Peter Pshyk, Harold Woloschuk
UCWL: Debbie Dutchak and Gladys Tomski
UCY: Leslie Gulka
Catechism: Amanda Zbitniff
Antonivka: Danny Rakochy, Olga Rakochy, William Trakalo
Janitors: Church, Hall and Grounds: Danny Rakochy and Don Heshka
Auditor: Allan Wonsiak
Church Elders: Dave Popowich, Bernie Marchinko, Julius Dziaduck, Bill Gulka
Communion helpers: Bernie Marchinko, Ernie Kozak, Danny Rakochy,
Nap Dmytrowich

2. **Preeceville 2021 Parish Council:**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
1st Vice-President: Lawrence Maksymiw
2nd Vice-President: Ken Petrowski
3rd Vice-President: Jerry Prystay
Financial Secretaries: Sharon Prystay and Karren Statchuk
Recording Secretary: Molly Kowalyk
Members at large: Joe Luciw, Russell Rudnitski,
Metro Chornomitz
Cemetery spokesmen: Ken Petrowski, Lawrence Maksymiw
Church Elders and Plate Collection:
Joe Luciw, Ken Petrowski, Karren Statchuk,
Metro Chornomitz, Joe Yacyshyn, Lawrence Maksymiw,
Jerry Prystay, Russell Rudnitski
Sisterhood: Marge Statchuk, Ann Michaluk, Zita Serhan, Joanne Petrowski,
Toni Chornomitz, Molly Kowalyk, Roseann Pasiachnyk,
Violet Chornomitz, Sharon Prystay
Caretakers: Volunteers
Communion Bread: Zita Serhan, Joanne Petrowski,
Marge Statchuk, Molly Kowalyk
Auditors: Joe Yacyshyn
Organist: Zita Serhan

3. **Hazel Dell 2021 Parish Council:**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Walter Radawetz
Secr./Treas. Joe Yacyshyn

4. **Dobrowody 2021 Parish Council:**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Ed Diakow
Vice-Pres. Jerry Pozniak
Vice-Pres. Jason Pozniak
Vice-Pres. Raymond Dyky
Secr. Charlotte Diakow
Treasurer: Shirley Pozniak
Church Elders: Allan Pozniak, Ed Diakow, Jason Pozniak
- Dobrowody Ladies Club:**
President: Rosemarie Pozniak
Vice-President: Andia Pozniak
Vice-President: Kim Enge
Secr.-Treas. Christine Dyky
Rec. Secretary: Charlotte Diakow
5. **Invermay 2021 Parish Council:**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Tim Fidek
Vice-Pres.: Reg Fogg
Fin. Secr. Tim Fidek
Rec. Secr. Dale Fidek
Auditors: Darcy Fidek and Laurie Fidek
Cemetery spokesmen: Dale Fidek and Methodius Fidek
6. **Rama 2021 Parish Council:**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Mike Shewchuk
Vice-Pres. Dan Serhan
Secr./Treasurer Ken Kowalchuk
Caretakers: Ron & Pat Leniuk
Auditors: Sergey Shewchuk, Darrell Dutchak and Ron Leniuk
- Rama: Ukrainian Catholic Ladies Club:**
President: Marcella Shewchuk
Treasurer: Susan Serhan
Rec. Secr. Pat Leniuk
Auditors: Trish Shewchuk and Andrea Steranka
7. **Buchanan 2021 Parish Council:**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Bradley Loshka
Vice-Pres. Brian Statchuk
Secr./Treasurer Twila Hadubiak
Rec. Secretary Candace Loshka
- Ladies Club:** Marie Kupchinski (Pres.)
Candace Loshka (Secr.)
Renee Wilson (Treas.)

8. **Wasyliw 2021 Parish Council**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Julius Dziaduck
Vice – Pres. Daniel Dziaduck
Treasurer: Bryce Krawetz
Rec. Secr. Olivia Krawetz
9. **Hudson Bay 2021 Parish Council**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Marvin Derenisky
Vice-Pres. Allan Fedak
Rec. Secr. Allan Fedak
Treasurer: Cindy Gulka
10. **Kamsack 2021 Parish Council**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Alvin Harambura
Vice-President Merv Pelechaty
Rec. Secretary Lorraine Makowsky
Treasurer Denise Grozik
Director: Kathy Derworiz
Director: Larry Perpeluk
Director: Nat Slivenski
Director: Gloria Hotsko
Director: Linda Todosichuk
- UCWL**
President: Nat Slivenski
Vice-President: Olga Kiwaluk
Rec. Secretary: Margaret Ratushny
Treasurer: Georgina Harambura
11. **Norquay 2021 Parish Council**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Dianne Romanow
Vice-President: Bernard Nokinski
Treasurer: Cheryl Holodniuk
Secretary: Angie Pawliw
Director: Jeanette Predinchuk
Director: Nicole Wright
Director: Andrew Chupik
Director: Orest Dedio
12. **Arran-Vesna 2021 Parish Council**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Lawrence Mydyski
Vice-President: Terry Papp
Rec. Secretary: Kathy Papp
Treasurer: Victoria Makohoniuk
13. **Benito 2021 Parish Council**
Pastor: Fr. Joakim Rac
President: Percy Statkewich
Vice-President: David Statkewich
Rec. Secretary: Kathy Lylyk
Treasurer: Adam Statkewich

14 **Swan River – 2021 Parish Council**
Pastor: **Fr. Joakim Rac**
President: **Johnny/Jenna Wintoniw**
Vice-President: **Edgar Yacyshyn**
Rec. Secretary: **Sylvia Hnatiuk**
Treasurer: **Joyce Trevellyan**

UCWL – Canora Branch – 2021 Executive and Committees

Spiritual Director	Very Rev. Fr. Joakim Rac
Past Presidents	Debbie Pozniak and Audrey Hrycak
Presidents	Debbie Dutchak and Gladys Tomski
Recording Secretary	Joyce Spelay
Treasurer	Frances Bartko
Corresponding Secretary	Bev Hadubiak
Membership	Nettie Okrainetz,
Group Leaders	Marlene Kozak and Bonnie Chupik
Publicity	Audrey Hrycak
Communion Bread	Nancy Shabbits, Gloria Demchuk, Elda Bosovich
Bake Sale	Frances Bartko, Marlene Kozak, Gladys Tomski, Audrey Popowich, Phyllis Hrywkiw, Amanda Zbitniff
Honour Guard	Mary Kotyk
Religious Articles	Amanda Zbitniff
Archives	Nettie Okrainetz
Gateway Lodge Rep.	Debbie Dutchak, Joanne Leniuk,
Perogy Account & Sales	Gloria Demchuk, Bernie Marchinko
Church Linen and Grounds	Nancy Shabbits, Genevieve Borys, Gloria Demchuk, Irene Andrusyk, Marlene Kozak, Elda Bosovich
Social	Nettie Okrainetz, Debbie Pozniak, Bev Hadubiak, Jeanette Olenick, Polly Ripa, Nettie Gulka
Cultural, Educational and Spiritual	Fr. Joakim Rac
Ukrainian Canadian Congress	Mary Kotyk
Deliveries to Shut-ins	(Mike Diakow, Allen Demchuk, Bernie Marchinko)
Auditors	Audrey Hrycak and Amanda Zbitniff

(All parishioners are welcome to help any Committee).

UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC EPARCHY OF SASKATOON

Bishop – Most. Rev. Bryan Bayda CSsR

Vicar General and Chancellor: Fr. Janko Kolosnjaji

Vice-Chancellor: Fr. Ivan Nahachewsky

Financial Officer: Adrian Olenick

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- Fr. Joakim Rac
- Fr. Janko Kolosnjaji
- Fr. Ivan Nahachewsky
- Fr. Andre Lalach
- Fr. Basil Malowany
- Fr. Raymond Lukie
- Fr. Leonid Malkov
- Fr. Vasyl Tymishak
- Fr. Michael Smolinski

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- Fr. Raymond Lukie
- Fr. Leonid Malkov
- Fr. Basil Malowany
- Fr. Vasyl Tymishak

PERSONNEL BOARD

1. Fr. Joakim Rac,
2. Fr. Janko Kolosnjaji
3. Fr. Andre Lalach
4. Fr. Ivan Nahachewsky

2 DEANERIES for the whole Saskatchewan:

Yorkton Deanery: (Yorkton - Regina)

Dean: Fr. Joakim Rac

Vice-Dean: Fr. Vasyl Tymishak

Saskatoon Deanery: (Saskatoon – Prince Albert)

Dean: Fr. Janko Kolosnjaji

Vice-Dean: Fr. Andre Lalach

ST. MATTHEW CLERGY SOCIETY EXECUTIVE

- Bishop Bryan Bayda and Adrian Olenick, Financial Officer
- Fr. Vladimir Mudri, President
- Fr. Andre Lalach, Secr.
- Fr. Warren Dungen, Trustee
- Fr. Vasyl Tymishak, Trustee

USHERS, EPISTLE READERS, PLATE COLLECTION, ALTAR SERVERS - CANORA

Organists: Abby Gulka, Shelly Popowich

Epistle in Ukrainian: Audrey Hrycak

Church Elders: Dave Popowich, Bernie Marchinko, Julius Dziaduck, Bill Gulka

Communion helpers: Bernie Marchinko, Ernie Kozak, Danny Rakochy, Nap Dmytrowich

Ushers and Readers: Coordinators: Ernie Kozak and Debbie Pozniak

- Dec. 5 Sun.** Ushers: Tom and Debbie Dutchak
Epistle: Tom Dutchak
Plate: Tom and Debbie Dutchak
- Dec. 12 Sun.** Ushers: John and Joanne Leniuk
Epistle: Joanne Leniuk
Plate: John and Joanne Leniuk
- Dec. 19 Sun.** Ushers: Russell and Irene Andrusyk
Epistle: Danny Rakochy
Plate: Russell and Irene Andrusyk
- Dec. 24 Fri..** Ushers: Jack and Frances Bartko
Epistle: Frances Bartko
Plate: Jack and Frances Bartko
Plate: Tom and Debbie Dutchak
- Dec. 26 Sun.** Ushers: Napoleon and Jeanette Dmytrowich
Epistle: Danny Rakochy
Plate: Napoleon and Jeanette Dmytrowich
- Jan. 2 Sun.** Ushers: Don and Phyllis Hrywkiw
Epistle: Phyllis Hrywkiw
Plate: Don and Phyllis Hrywkiw
- Jan. 6 Thu.** Ushers: Harold Woloschuk and Audrey Hrycak
Epistle: Audrey Hrycak and Pat Bellay
Plate: Harold Woloschuk and Audrey Hrycak
- Jan. 9 Sun.** Ushers: Zenovie and Leslie Gulka
Epistle: Leslie Gulka
Plate: Zenovie and Leslie Gulka
- Jan. 16 Sun.** Ushers: Tom and Debbie Dutchak
Epistle: Tom Dutchak
Plate: Tom and Debbie Dutchak
- Jan. 23 Sun.** Ushers: John and Joanne Leniuk
Epistle: Joanne Leniuk
Plate: John and Joanne Leniuk
- Jan. 30 Sun.** Ushers: Russell and Irene Andrusyk
Epistle: Danny Rakochy
Plate: Russell and Irene Andrusyk
- Feb. 6 Sun.** Ushers: Jack and Frances Bartko
Epistle: Frances Bartko
Plate: Jack and Frances Bartko
- Feb. 13 Sun.** Ushers: Napoleon and Jeanette Dmytrowich
Epistle: Danny Rakochy
Plate: Napoleon and Jeanette Dmytrowich
- Feb. 20 Sun.** Ushers: Harold Woloschuk and Audrey Hrycak
Epistle: Audrey Hrycak and Pat Bellay
Plate: Harold Woloschuk and Audrey Hrycak

Feb. 27 Sun. Ushers: Don and Phyllis Hrywkiw
Epistle: Phyllis Hrywkiw
Plate: Don and Phyllis Hrywkiw

Mar. 6 Sun. Ushers: Mervin and Gladys Tomski
Epistle: Gladys Tomski
Plate: Mervin and Gladys Tomski

Mar. 13 Sun. Ushers: John and Amanda Zbitniff
Epistle: Amanda Zbitniff
Plate: John and Amanda Zbitniff

Mar. 20 Sun. Ushers: Allen and Gloria Demchuk
Epistle: Ernie Kozak
Plate: Allen and Gloria Demchuk

Mar. 27 Sun. Ushers: Gerald and Debbie Pozniak
Epistle: Danny Rakochy
Plate: Gerald and Debbie Pozniak

Apr. 3 Sun. Ushers: Ernie and Marlene Kozak
Epistle: Ernie Kozak
Plate: Ernie and Marlene Kozak

Apr. 10 Sun. Ushers: Norman and Elda Bosovich
Epistle: Pat Bellay
Plate: Norman and Elda Bosovich

Apr. 17 Sun. Ushers: Tom and Debbie Dutchak
Epistle: Tom Dutchak
Plate: Tom and Debbie Dutchak
Plate: Gerald and Debbie Pozniak

Apr. 24 Sun. Ushers: John and Joanne Leniuk
Epistle: Joanne Leniuk
Plate: John and Joanne Leniuk

May 1 Sun. Ushers: Russell and Irene Andrusyk
Epistle: Danny Rakochy
Plate: Russell and Irene Andrusyk

May 8 Sun. Ushers: Jack and Frances Bartko
Epistle: Frances Bartko
Plate: Jack and Frances Bartko

May 15 Sun. Ushers: Napoleon and Jeanette Dmytrowich
Epistle: Danny Rakochy
Plate: Napoleon and Jeanette Dmytrowich

May 22 Sun. -