Byzantine Ukrainian Catholic Parishes of St. George, Prince Albert & All Saints, Nipawin

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Ukrainian Catholic Religious Education Centre (UCREC), 214 Ave. M South, Saskatoon, Sk. S7M 2K4 306-652-1718 All are welcome here today. We hope that your "God experience" will be personal and that you will come again.

March 19th – Fourth Sunday of Lent

St. Chrysanthus & St. Daria

Reconnecting with Faith and Family

Propers book: page 157 Anthology: page 630

Epistle reading: St. Paul to the Hebrews (Heb 6:13-20) Gospel: Mark (9:17-31)

Pope's Monthly Intentions: <u>For Victims of Abuse</u>: We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.

PA LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sun. Mar. 19 10:00 Divine Liturgy

Wed. Mar. 22 3:30 Divine Liturgy at Mt. St. Joe's/St. Basils/UCWLC members will lead responses/handouts will be given for special parts

Thur. Mar. 23 6:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy for health & Blessings of the Knights of Columbus/St. Nikon/Propers pg. 125/epistle: Hebrews 5:9-14/gospel: John 16:23-28

Fri. Mar. 24 6:00 p.m. Presanctified Liturgy/Sorokousty/St. Zacharius

Sun. Mar. 26 10:00 Divine Liturgy/5th Sunday of Lent/Archangel Gabriel/Propers pg. 160/epistle: Hebrews 9: 11-14;

gospel: Mk. 10:32-45/Second collection for Easter flowers

Thur. Mar. 30 9:00 Divine Liturgy for +Jean Tycholiz (40 Day Memorial)/Sorokousty/Propers pg. 127/epistle:

1Corinthians 2:1-5/gospel: John 17:20-26

Fri. Mar 31 6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

During Lent, we omit:

- the First Antiphon and take the First Psalm pg. 21
- the Third Antiphon and take The Beatitudes, pg. 27
- It is truly right... and take, In you, O full of grace... in Propers.



Opening hymn: How Great Thou Art, p. 16 Communion hymn: The Mournful Mother, p. 5 Closing hymn: I Will Never Forget You, p. 42

Gospel Reflection, Mark 10:32-45 The fourth week of Lent in the Byzantine Rite is dedicated to St. John of Climacus, aka St. John of the Ladder. He compared gaining virtues or holiness as gaining a rung on a ladder closer to God. The more virtuous we become, the higher on the ladder of holiness we'll go. The gospel reading focuses on the ambitions of the Apostles James and John. They were from well-to-do families and their mother was a strong supporter of Jesus assisting financially in works that He began. Because of that status, James and John asked Jesus if they could each be at his side in the Kingdom of Heaven. This was certainly not what John of the Ladder later taught. Jesus responded by saying that those spots were not His to give away. We should all do what we can from the heart. In that way, "God our Father in Heaven Who sees everything will certainly reward us"! Fr. Andrei

If you want to offer Liturgy intentions, please contact Fr. Andrei at 306-763-3645.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: If you or a family member are admitted to the hospital, your patient file <u>will not</u> include Fr. Andrei's name as your spiritual contact person. If you or your loved one would like to have spiritual services, such as visiting, praying, bringing the Holy Eucharist, hearing confession, anointing, or blessing of the sick, last rites, baptisms, provided by Fr. Andrei, you, or someone you trust, must contact him directly. Fr Andrei would like to do his very best to meet the spiritual needs of the parish.



The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon Covenant of Care Abuse and Misconduct Protocol is designed to ensure that all allegations of physical and sexual abuse and other misconduct are handled responsibly, transparently and with all due care and attention. To speak to someone about a concern please contact your Pastor, Parish Coordinator of Care (PCC) Alan Cannon at 306-961-4070 More information is available on the Eparchial Website, www.skeparchy.org.

Sunday, March 26th- Fifth Sunday of Lent

Greeters/Ushers: Roni Hyshka & Marcia Coulic-Salahub

Reader: Iris Cannon

NIPAWIN SCHEDULE

Sunday, Mar. 19 2:00 Divine Liturgy

Sunday, Apr 8 2:00 Divine Liturgy followed by blessing of baskets

PARISH EVENTS THIS WEEK

1. Next Sunday (26) we will have a second collection for the purchase of Easter flowers for the church. UCWLC members will do the collection.

PARISH EVENTS BEYOND THIS WEEK – MARK YOUR CALENDARS

*Mar. 29 7:00 Parish fun night/cards, board games, visiting. Bring your own snacks and refreshments

Apr. 1 1:00-3:00 Easter Tea and Bake Sale \$5.00 admission (Poster on the bulletin board)

Apr. 6 11:30 Parish bingo

Apr. 16 1:00 UCWLC meeting in the knights' hall



If you are donating baking for the Annual Tea and Bake sale on April 1st, please bring your items to the hall, using the knight's hall door on Saturday, March 31st between 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Thankyou for your contributions.



During the month of March, Father Andrei will be visiting as many schools as possible in order to assist with hearing Easter confessions for the students, especially for those students who are from Ukraine and would like to talk with someone in their own language. Thus, some of our Thursday morning Liturgies have to be cancelled as some of the schools have confessions at that time. Pray that this may be an occasion for our children, especially those from Ukraine, to remember that God still loves them in spite of many of them losing so much.



Lenten food drive will continue until Sunday, April 2nd. Donations can be left in the bins at the back of the church. They will be donated to the Prince Albert Food Bank. Personal items such as toothpaste, deodorant, shampoo, etc. can also be donated.

EPARCHIAL EVENTS OUTSIDE OUR PARISH



Detailed information about any printed notices items can be found on the Eparchial website, www.skeparchy.org and posters on the back bulletin board.

Please check the bulletin board for latest eparchial updates.

Eparchial Website: www.skeparchy.org
Family and Life Office: www.skeparchy.org/flo
Youth and Young Adult: www.skeparchy.org/ucya/
UCFSASK: www.ucfsask.org/
UCREC: www.ucrec.ca



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hotmail.com and I will add you to the list.