

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

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All are welcome here today. We hope that your “God experience” will be personal and that you will come again.

March 26th – Fifth Sunday of Lent

Archangel Gabriel

Reconnecting with Faith and Family

Propers book: page 160 Anthology: page 635

Epistle reading: St. Paul to the Hebrews (Heb 9:11-14) Gospel: Mark (10:32-45)

Pope's Monthly Intentions: For Victims of Abuse: 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. 26	10:00 Divine Liturgy/5 th 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) requested by St. George's Choir/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
Sun. Apr. 2	10:00 Divine Liturgy/PALM/WILLOW SUNDAY/St. Titus/Propers pg. 162/Epistle: Philippians 4:4-9/gospel Jn. 12:1-18/followed by blessing of willows
Wed. Apr. 5	6:00 Presanctified Liturgy for general intentions/St. Theodotus
Thur. Apr. 6	6:00 p.m.HOLY THURSDAY/Divine Liturgy with the gospel of the Last Supper/St. Methodius Propers in handouts
Fri. Apr. 7	10:00 GOOD FRIDAY/Service of the Holy Shroud, Plashchanytsia 6:00 p.m. Moleben to the Passion of Christ
Sat. Apr. 8	2:00 p.m. blessing of baskets in the upper hall 3:00 p.m. Service of the Removal of the Shroud/followed by blessing of baskets in Church
Sun. Apr. 9	9:00 EASTER SUNDAY/Resurrection Matins 9:30 Easter Divine Liturgy/followed by blessing of baskets

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: Hosea, p. 7

Communion hymn: From the Depths, p. 5

Closing hymn: Prodigal Son, p. 79

Gospel Reflection, Mark 9: 17-31 The fifth week of Lent in the Byzantine Rite is dedicated to St. Mary of Egypt – a woman of great faith who lived the life of a hermit in the desert of Egypt. The gospel reading focuses on the Power of Prayer. The apostles could not cure a boy possessed by a demon, so the boy's father brought his son to Jesus. We are told how terrible this boy suffered. Jesus rebuked the demon, and the boy was cured. The Apostles later asked, why could they not cast the demon out? Jesus answered, this kind can only come out with prayer. Whenever you think there is no hope, always rely on the power of prayer. God, who knows each person's heart, never gives us more burden than we can bear. 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 will not 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, April 2nd – Palm/Willow Sunday
Greeters/Ushers: Jan Olesko & Pat Rohachuk
Reader: Olga Thoms

NIPAWIN SCHEDULE

Saturday, Apr 8

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy followed by blessing of baskets

PARISH EVENTS THIS WEEK

1. **Today** we will have a second collection for the purchase of Easter flowers for the church. **UCWLC members** will do the collection.
2. **Wednesday (29)** parish fun night-cards, board games, etc. at 7:00 in the knights' hall. Bring your own refreshments and snacks.
3. **Saturday (1)** Easter Tea & Bake Sale 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. **Admission \$3:00.**
4. **Next Monday (3)** parish council meeting at 7:00 in the knights' hall. Note change from original date of April 10.

PARISH EVENTS BEYOND THIS WEEK – MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Apr. 6	11:30 Parish bingo
Apr. 8	5:30 K of C bingo
Apr. 12	7:00 K of C meeting
Apr. 15	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, April 1st 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.

MESSAGE FROM THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

All Knights of Columbus members are invited to attend the opening ceremonies of the 2023 Convention at the Cathedral at 6:00 P.M. April 21, 2023. Also, if you're interested in going to the banquet and witness all the dignitaries grand march, it is on Saturday night at the Exhibition Centre at 5:30 P.M. with the cost being \$50/person. Banquet supper at 6:00 P.M. Dance to follow at 9:00 P.M. Finally, the Knights will be holding an Memorial Mass at the Cathedral on Sunday April 23 at 11:00 A.M.

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.

1. Installation to MINOR ORDER and Ordination to the DIACONATE of Mr. Ivan Simko on Wednesday, April 5 and Thursday, April 6, 2023. Details on the poster on the bulletin board.

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

Visit Our Website

If you want something in the bulletin, the cut off is Thursday at midnight. My email address is cannon_iris@hotmail.com. If you would like to have your bulletin emailed to you, forward your e-mail address to cannon_iris@hotmail.com and I will add you to the list.

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE
UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF SASKATCHEWAN
CORPORATION**

When: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 2023

(NOTE: This will be a virtual meeting via the Zoom meeting facility)

Time: Registration (Sign into Zoom) – 7:00pm to 7:30pm
Annual General Meeting – 7:30pm

Where: This will be a virtual meeting via the ZOOM Meeting facility.

MEMBERS WISHING TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING MUST PRE-REGISTER WITH THE UCFSASK OFFICE VIA EMAIL (admin@ucfsask.org) OR TELEPHONE (306-653-0138, EXT 223) BY NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 2023 – 4:00PM. A ZOOM MEETING INVITE WILL BE SENT TO ALL WHO HAVE PRE-REGISTERED FOR THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

Who: All members of a Ukrainian Catholic parish or mission within the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon who are 18 years of age or older are entitled to participate and vote at the meeting.

Information regarding the detailed agenda and all the relevant annual meeting documents, including the audited financial statements for the period January 1, 2022, to December 31, 2022, are posted on the Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan's website at www.ucfsask.org, under the 2022 Annual General Meeting tab.

**UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF SASKATCHEWAN
CORPORATION**

**Call for Nominations to the Board of Directors of Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of
Saskatchewan**

The Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan is searching for people who are interested in serving on our Board of Directors. To qualify, a person must be 18 years of age or older, a resident of Canada and a member in good standing with a Ukrainian Catholic Parish or Mission within the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon.

The Board has two vacancies from the **Yorkton Deanery**. If you are interested in serving on the Board of Directors as a Deanery Representative from the Yorkton Deanery, please contact the **Office Administrator, Iris Owchar at 306-653-0138, ext 223**, or email your intention to admin@ucfsask.org. Each nomination will require a letter of support from your Pastor. **Nominations will close on Friday, April 14, 2023, at 4:00 p.m.** Directors will be elected at the Annual General Meeting on Wednesday, April 19, 2023.