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DIVINE LITURGY: Sunday - 9:30 a.m. Service in English; TEMPORARILY by preregistration Weekday Liturgies – as scheduled; **preregistration required** by calling Fr. Vasyl Tymishak (306-519-9030)

MEMBERSHIP AT ST. ATHANASIUS PARISH is recognized by <u>participating</u> in the Sunday Divine Liturgy and by fulfilling your baptismal responsibility in <u>contributing</u> to our Church Community activities by using your time, talents and treasures. Regular financial donations by use of Sunday envelopes is necessary for our parish to grow and prosper.

Please contact Fr. Vasyl if you know of any parishioner who is sick and wants to be visited.

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On Tuesday May 4, 2021 the province of Saskatchewan, along with Dr. Saqib Shahab, Saskatchewan's Chief Medical Health Officer, announced the new measures in response to the New measures for all Saskatchewan.

Re-Opening Roadmap: A Gradual, Measured Approach to Easing Public Health Measures Released on May 4, 2021

Three-Step Plan Will Move Forward as Province Reaches Vaccination Targets

The Government of Saskatchewan today released the "Re-Opening Roadmap" - a three-step plan to gradually lift current public health restrictions as Saskatchewan reaches significant vaccination levels. The Re-Opening Roadmap also provides Saskatchewan people with an incentive to continue following public health measures and a clear reason to get vaccinated.

"The road to the end of this pandemic runs through the vaccination clinics, and today we are providing Saskatchewan people with a clear roadmap of how we will get there and some important markers along the way," Premier Scott Moe said. "This is not only a re-opening plan. It's also a plan to encourage people to get vaccinated and to keep following all the public health orders and guidelines. Those are the two things we all need to do in order to move forward through the three steps of re-opening so we can enjoy a great Saskatchewan summer and get back to normal."

"As the provincial vaccination campaign continues and we see our way out of the pandemic event, all residents must continue those best practices to protect us all against transmission," Saskatchewan Chief Medical Health Officer Dr. Saqib Shahab said. "Get vaccinated when it is your turn, mask whenever you are in an indoor public place outside your household, particularly in the workplace; keep your number of contacts low and restrict gatherings in accordance with public health measures; and get tested for even the mildest symptoms or if you think you have been exposed to COVID-19."

The Re-Opening Roadmap includes three steps based on vaccination thresholds, vaccine availability and timing between steps. The thresholds are as follows:

Threshold Current level

Step One • Three weeks have passed since 70 per cent of people age 40 and above have received their first dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

Vaccine eligibility open to all adults (18+) province-wide.
 65% of 40+

Step Two • Three weeks have passed since 70 per cent of people age 30 have received their first dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

• Three weeks have passed since the beginning of Step One. 53% of 30+

Step Three • Three weeks have passed since 70 per cent of people age 18 and above have received their first dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

Three weeks have passed since the beginning of Step Two. 44% of 18+

Based on the current pace of vaccinations, it is estimated that Saskatchewan could enter Step One about the last week in May, Step Two the third week in June and Step Three the second week in July. These are estimates only. Three weeks is used as a buffer between the threshold and the easing of public health measures as it is the length of time it takes for an individual to achieve the necessary immune response to a dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

Provincial hospitalization rates will continue to be monitored throughout the re-opening. If acute care pressures require, a re-opening step may be paused to respond to COVID-transmission trends at regional or provincial levels.

All current public health orders will remain in place until reviewed as part of implementing Step One.



A three-step plan to gradually lift the current public health orders as Saskatchewan reaches significant vaccination levels.



Three weeks after 70% of people 40+ have received their first dose, and vaccine eligibility is 18+

40 AND OLDER

70%

- Restaurants and bars open, maximum six at a table
- 30% capacity or 150 people (whichever is less) at places of worship
- Group fitness classes can resume, with three metres between participants
- Limit of 10 people at private indoor, outdoor and household gatherings
- Limit 30 people at public indoor gatherings
- Limit 150 people at public outdoor gatherings

STEP 2

Three weeks after 70% of people 30+ have received their first dose, and three weeks since beginning Step 1

30 AND OLDER

70%

- No capacity thresholds on retail and personal care services, must maintain physical distancing
- No table capacity for resturants and bars, must maintain physical distancing or barriers between tables
- 150 person maximum capacity at event facilities, casinos, bingo halls, theatres, libraries and recreational facilities
- Limit of 15 people at private indoor gatherings and household gatherings
- Remaining restrictions on youth & adult sports will be lifted

STEP 3

Three weeks after 70% of people 18+ have received their first dose, and three weeks since beginning Step 2

18 AND OLDER



- Most remaining restrictions will be lifted
- Guidance on gathering sizes and indoor masking is still being developed
- Public health orders from Step Two on gathering sizes and indoor masking will remain in place until that guidance is finalized



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Step One:

Step One of the re-opening roadmap will commence three weeks after 70 per cent of residents age 40 and above have received their first dose, and once vaccine eligibility has opened to all adults age 18 and older across the province.

Step One will see the cautious easing of public health measures across the province, including bringing Regina and the surrounding communities in line with public health orders that apply to the rest of the province. Changes to public health orders in Step One will include:

- Restaurants and bars open, maximum of six at a table, two metres or structural barriers between tables, dance floors and buffets remain closed, VLTs may re-open;
- 30 per cent of capacity or 150 people, whichever is less, at places of worship, with physical distancing between households;

- Group fitness classes involving intense training, like aerobics and spin, can resume, with three metres between participants;
- Current restrictions remain in place for retail, personal care services, event facilities, casinos, bingo halls, theatres, art galleries, libraries and recreational facilities;
- Current protocols remain in place for primary, secondary and post-secondary education and for childcare;
- Limit of 10 people at private indoor and outdoor gatherings, including household gatherings;
- Limit of 30 people at public indoor gatherings;
- Limit of 150 people at public outdoor gatherings; and
- Current province-wide masking mandate remains in place.

Step Two:

Step Two of the re-opening roadmap will commence three weeks after 70 per cent of residents age 30 and above have received their first dose, with at least three weeks passing since the commencement of Step One. Public health measures in Step Two are planned to be eased as follows:

- No capacity thresholds on retail and personal care services, must maintain an occupancy that allows for physical distancing;
- Restaurants and bars will have no table capacity thresholds, must maintain two metres of physical distancing or structural barriers between tables, dance floors and buffets remain closed;
- 150 person maximum capacity at event facilities, casinos, bingo halls, theatres, art galleries, libraries and recreational facilities, must maintain an occupancy that allows for physical distancing, restaurant guidelines apply at venues that serve food:
- No change from Step One at gyms and fitness facilities, primary, secondary and post-secondary education and childcare;
- All remaining restrictions on youth and adult sports will be lifted;
- Limit of 15 people at private indoor gatherings, including household gatherings;
- Limit of 150 people at public indoor gatherings and private and public outdoor gatherings; and
- Current province-wide masking mandate remains in place.

Step Three:

Step Three of the re-opening roadmap will commence three weeks after 70 per cent of residents age 18 and older have received their first dose, with at least three weeks passing since the commencement of Step Two.

In Step Three, most remaining restrictions will be lifted. Guidance on gathering sizes and indoor masking will be developed based on the progress of the first two steps. Public health orders from Step Two on gathering sizes and indoor masking will remain in place until that guidance is finalized.

Aggressive Vaccination Campaign to Continue

Even after the vaccination thresholds are met, the province's aggressive vaccination program will continue at full pace until all Saskatchewan residents have the opportunity to be fully vaccinated.

"Even after we hit these targets, we need to keep going to get as many people vaccinated as possible and everyone still needs to get their second dose, so you are fully protected," Moe said.

"We need to achieve the highest vaccination rate possible to protect ourselves and those in our province who are unable to receive a vaccine," Shahab said. "It's only a matter of a few weeks before we begin providing the second doses of our two-dose vaccines, providing full protection to Saskatchewan residents."

Please note: Due to the revised Public Health order regarding places of worship, St. Athanasius Church will allow 30 people to attend services as per Public Health Act of Saskatchewan. *Also, please remember there is to be no gathering or socializing in the church foyer after services.* Please continue to register for all services.

SUNDAY LITURGIES: If you wish to attend Liturgy on Sundays, please contact Rosanne Miller, 306-543-5773, to confirm your attendance (preferably by Noon on Saturday). This is a reminder that this process must be followed for **EACH** Sunday. You can leave a message for Rosanne if she is not home, and she will confirm whether or not there is space for you. Thank you for your cooperation.

WEEKDAY LITURGIES: If you wish to attend weekday Liturgies, please register by calling Fr. Vasyl at 306-519-9030.

Please join our services by visiting our website and clicking on the Livestream icon: https://st-athanasius.ca/ or on Facebook:

https://facebook.com/reginaukrainiancatholicnorth/live

TO ALL PARISHIONERS: During our Livestream and Videotaping, the video may capture the likeness of those parishioners sitting in the pews during our services. This video will be kept for a maximum of 45 days. Other than those who choose to view the livestream as it happens,

the video will not be released to third parties.

As our video will stream on Facebook, we will comply with that website's regulations.

If you are uncomfortable being on video, please advise the Greeters when you enter the church and they will place you in a pew where you will not be captured.

Please join us at 9:15 a.m. for the praying of the rosary followed by Divine Liturgy at 9:30 a.m.

Gloria Be To Jesus Christ! Glory Be Forever! Слава Ісусу Христу! Слава на віки!

PENTECOST SUNDAY

SPECIAL HYMN: Heavenly King, Advocate, Spirit of Truth, Who are everywhere present and fill all things, Treasury of Blessings, Bestower of Life, come and dwell within us; cleanse us of all that defiles us, and O Good One, save our souls.

FIRST ANTIPHON: The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament proclaims His handiworks. **Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Saviour, save us.** Day pours out the

word to day, and night to night imparts knowledge. **Through the prayers ...** Through all the earth their voice resounds and to the ends of the world, their message. **Through the prayers ...** Glory be...now and forever...: Only Begotten Son...

POST-FEAST THIRD ANTIPHON: Regular 3rd Antiphon but with the following response:

O good Advocate, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!

THIRD ANTIPHON: O Lord, in Your strength the king is glad; in Your victory how greatly He rejoices.

TROPAR (Tone 8): Blessed are You, O Christ our God. You filled the fishermen with wisdom, sending down upon them the Holy Spirit. Through them You have caught the whole world in Your net. O Lover of Mankind, glory be to You.

You have granted him his heart's desire; You refused not the wish of his lips. *Blessed are* You ... For You welcomed Him with godly blessings, You placed on his head a crown of pure gold. *Blessed are You* ...

SMALL ENTRANCE: Be extolled, O Lord in Your strength! We will sing, chant the praise of Your might. *Blessed are You ...*

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and for ever and ever, Amen.

KONDAK (Tone 8): When the Most High descended and confused tongues, He scattered the people; but when He distributed the tongues of fire, He called all to unity. Therefore, with one voice, let us praise the Most Holy Spirit.

INSTEAD OF "Holy God ..." Amen: All you who have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. Alleluia! (3x) Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; now and forever and ever. Amen. Have put on Christ. Alleluia! All you, who have been baptized into Christ, have put on Christ. Alleluia!

PROKIMEN (Tone 8): Through all the earth their voice resounds, and to the ends of the world, their message.

VERSE: The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament proclaims His handiwork

EPISTLE: A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (2:1-11)

When the day of Pentecost came it found them gathered in one place. Suddenly from up in the sky there came a noise like a strong, driving wind which was heard all through the house where they were seated. Tongues as of fire appeared which parted and came to rest on each of them. All were filled with the Holy Spirit. They began to express themselves in foreign tongues and

make bold proclamation as the Spirit prompted them. Staying in Jerusalem at the time were devout Jews of every nation under heaven. These heard the sound, and assembled in a large crowd. They were much confused because each one heard these men speaking his own language. The whole occurrence astonished them. They asked in utter amazement, "Are not all of these men who are speaking Galileans? How is it that each of us hears them in his native tongue? We are Parthians, Medes, and Elamites. We live in Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus, the province of Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt, and the regions of Libya around Cyrene. There are even visitors from Rome -- all Jews, or those who have come over to Judaism; Cretans and Arabs too. Yet each of us hears them speaking in his own tongue about the marvels God has accomplished."

ALLELUIA VERSE: By the word of the Lord the heavens were made; by the breath of his mouth all their host.

From heaven the Lord looks down; he sees all mankind.

GOSPEL: (John 7:37 – 52, 8:12)

On the last and greatest day of the festival, Jesus stood up and cried out: "If anyone thirsts, let him come to me; let him drink who believes in me. Scripture has it: 'From within him rivers of living water shall flow.' "(Here he was referring to the Spirit, whom those that came to believe in him were to receive. There was, of course, no Spirit as yet, since Jesus had not yet been glorified.) Some in the crowd who heard these words began to say, "This must be the Prophet." Others were claiming, "He is the Messiah." But an objection was raised: "Surely the Messiah is not to come from Galilee? Does not Scripture say that the Messiah, being of David's family, is to come from Bethlehem, the village where David lived?" In this fashion the crowd was sharply divided over him. Some of them even wanted to apprehend him. However, no one laid hands on him. When the temple guards came back, the chief priests and Pharisees asked them, "Why did you not bring him in?" "No man ever spoke like that before," the guards replied. "Do not tell us you too have been taken in!" the Pharisees retorted. "You do not see any of the Sanhedrin believing him, do you? Or the Pharisees? Only this lot, that knows nothing about the law -- and they are lost anyway!" One of their own number, Nicodemus (the man who had come to him), spoke up to say, "Since when does our law condemn any man without first hearing him and knowing the facts?" Do not tell us you are a Galilean too," they taunted him. "Look it up. You will not find the Prophet coming from Galilee." Jesus spoke to them once again: "I am the light of the world. No follower of mine shall ever walk in darkness; no, he shall possess the light of life."

INSTEAD OF 'It is truly right...": O my soul, extol the One God in three persons. Rejoice, O Queen and glorious Virgin Mother! What orator, rich in eloquence, could find the proper words to fashion a hymn of praise worthy of you? For every spirit shudders before the mystery of your holy birthgiving; and we also unite our voices to glorify you.

COMMUNION HYMN: May your good spirit guide me on level ground. Alleluia! Alleluia!

SPECIAL NOTE: For those who are in church today, we will be reciting the regular prayer before communion.

For those who are watching via livestreaming, please recite the prayer below:

BYZANTINE ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

O Lord, I believe and profess that you are truly Christ, The Son of the living God, who came into the world To save sinners of whom I am the first.

Although I cannot now be a partaker of your mystical supper, O Son of God,

Come at least spiritually into my heart by your Divine Grace for the healing of my soul and body.

For I will not reveal your mystery to your enemies, Nor will I give you a kiss as did Judas, But like the thief I profess to you:

- + Remember me, O Lord, when you come in your kingdom.
- + Remember me, O Master, when you come in your kingdom.
- + Remember me, O Holy One, when you come in your kingdom.

O Lord, I also believe and profess, that this, Which I would receive, and which is now here present with us in Mystery, Is truly your most precious Body, and your life-giving Blood. May I one day partake of your mystical supper again For the remission of all my sins and for life everlasting. Amen

- + O God, be merciful to me, a sinner.
- + O God, cleanse me of my sins and have mercy on me.
- + O Lord, forgive me for I have sinned without number.

With Ecclesiastical Approbation. Byzantine Catholic Eparchy of Phoenix

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE May 24 - May 30, 2021

Monday, May 24 - Monday of the Holy Spirit. <u>Ephesians 5:9-19</u>; <u>Matthew 18:10-20</u>

10:00 a.m. Pentecost Cemetery service <u>livestreaming</u> (preregistration). Private graves blessings will be available only by preregistration by calling Fr. Vasyl @ 306-519-9030) *livestreaming*

Tuesday, May 25 - The Third Finding of the Precious Head of the Holy, Glorious Prophet, Forerunner and Baptist John; Passing into Eternal Life (1951) of Blessed Mykola (Nicholas) Tsehelsky, Priest and Martyr; <u>2 Corinthians 4:6-15</u>; <u>Matthew 11:2-15</u>

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for health and God's blessing upon Jayne Paluck, requested by UCWLC St. Athanasius Branch (preregistration by calling Fr. Vasyl @ 306-519-9030) *livestreaming*

Wednesday, May 26 - The Holy Apostle Carpus, One of the Seventy Disciples; Romans 1:18-27; Matthew 5:20-26

7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy for health and God's blessing upon Heidi Hadubiak, requested by Eleanor Hadubiak and Family (preregistration by calling Fr. Vasyl @ 306-519-9030) *livestreaming*

Thursday, May 27 - The Holy Priest-Martyr Therapontus (254-59); Romans 1:28-2:9; Matthew 5:27-32

No service scheduled 6:30 p.m. PCM

Friday, May 28 - Our Venerable Father Nicetas, Bishop of Chalcedon (716-40); Romans 2:14-29; Mathew 5:33-41

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for repose of the soul of Clarence Heth, requested by Karen Johnston (preregistration by calling Fr. Vasyl @ 306-519-9030) *livestreaming*

7:00 p.m. Moleben to Blessed Virgin Mary (preregistration by calling Fr. Vasyl @ 306-519-9030) livestreaming

Saturday, May 29 - The Venerable-Martyr Theodosia the Virgin (286-305); Romans 1:7-12; Matthew 5:42-48

No service scheduled

Sunday, May 30 - First Sunday after Pentecost. All Saints Sunday. UCWLC League Day. <u>Hebrews</u> 11:33-12:2; <u>Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38</u>; 19:27-30

9:15 a.m. Rosary (preregistration by calling Rosanne at 306-543-5773) *livestreaming* **9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy** for faithful (preregistration by calling Rosanne at 306-543-5773) *livestreaming*

Save the date: Sunday, May 30 is League Day. Special intentions at the Sunday morning Divine Liturgy.

If you would like to attend, please preregistration by calling Rosanne at 306-543-5773.

UCWLC Tag Day will not happen in the usual manner. We will accept donations in cash or by cheque made out to St. Athanasius UCWL.

MAY GREETERS

May 23 today	Terry & Rosanne Miller
May 30	Mark & Karen Woitas

Schedule of singers for upcoming Sundays/Special Services etc. subject to change as needed. We will continue having only limited households at one time, each sharing a microphone while respecting distancing requirements, until the spread of Covid-19 is no longer a risk.

May 23 (Today): Phyllis Lukey; Alla Gof-Tymishak

May 28 Moleban 7 PM: Peter & Marion Federko; Phyllis Lukey May 30: Peter & Marion Federko; Len & Anna Markewich

June 6: Phyllis Lukey; Alla Gof-Tymishak



After all this time unable to spend time with those we love, win a place to gather together when we are able to again!

St Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church Camp Inc is having a raffle to raise funds to maintain the facility. **First prize** is a Free Weekend Stay at St. Michael's at Madge Value \$4000* (\$3000 cash value) **2**nd **Prize** — Meat Smoker: \$776.99

value, **3rd Prize** – PILGRIM Jewellery: \$284.46 value Gracefulness/Affection Collections Necklace, Bracelet, Earrings from Sherring Gold in Yorkton, **4th Prize** – \$250 gift Certificate from Madge Lake Developments, and **5th Prize** – Summer fun in the park package: 1 Duck Mountain Park seasons pass, Free minigolf for 5 at Waves Ice Cream and Minigolf, and a Hoodie from Friends of Madge Lake.

**Must be 19 year and older to purchase tickets and claim prizes

Draw 11:30am on June 27th, 2021 at St. Basil's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Regina, SK Tickets are being sold at most Ukrainian Catholic Churches in Saskatchewan and by phone – contact: St. Athanasius Office - 306-543-8008 during office hours. You may purchase your tickets by e-transfer to stathandeposit@sasktel.net. If you choose the e-transfer, please complete the message field by providing your name, address and phone number, and indicating it is for St. Michael's Camp. Paper copy of the ticket will be mailed out to you.

Also, St. Michael's Camp will be accepting e-transfers at stmichaelscamp5@gmail.com. Buyers are to use the password: win, when making their e-transfers to stmichaelscamp5@gmail.com. Remember to complete the message field by providing your name, address and phone number.

Dying Healed Workshop Saturday June 12, 2021 Online 10:00am-4:30pm. This workshop will provide comprehensive education on palliative care/end of life issues and preliminary training for those wishing to provide compassionate and supportive care to those in need, particularly at end of life. To Register contact Deborah Larmour at: uwitness2family@skeparchy.org or call/text 1 306 222-1475 Cost: \$15 includes a workbook. As this is a virtual presentation participants will need to register with emails and be able to use an Online platform with minimal support. This program is a joint project and sponsored jointly by the Diocese of Saskatoon and the Eparchy of Saskatoon (Eparchial Appeal).

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY: *UNIVERSAL INTENTION – The world of finance:* Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

MAY FOOD BANK ITEM: CRACKERS

NOTICE: Our parish expenses continue, even though there are no large church services. Therefore, it would be very much appreciated if you could continue your support of the parish. There are a few options available to you: drop off your envelope at 54 McMurchy Avenue, mail in your cheque to 55 McMurchy Avenue, Regina, S4R 3G3, or you can also do an e-transfer to stathandeposit@sasktel.net. **PLEASE COMPLETE THE MESSAGE FIELD and DO NOT USE ALIAS NAMES WHEN SENDING AN E-TRANSFER DONATION.**

May 16: 15 regular envelopes - \$555; 2 Building Fund envelopes - \$50; Loose Change - \$20. E-Sunday Collections & E-transfers: 3 regular donations - \$350; 1 Canadian Conference Of Catholic Bishops Assessment - \$25; 1 Pope Pastoral Works - \$25; 1 Building Fund Donation - \$50.



St. Volodymyr Ukrainian Catholic Camp 2021: July 12 – 16 – Ages 8 - 14! This year we will be having camp but under different circumstances! Remember to save the date: Registration for camp opens on June 1st! . . . stvolodymyrcamp@gmail.com More details on camp procedures and new additions to come!



Saturday June 5, 2021 -- 10 am. to 6 pm. (St. George's Seniors Centre - 20th St. West & Ave. M South, Saskatoon

We live in a world where the majority of the points of conflict that exist between our Catholic worldview and the secular culture concern what it means to be human and how the deep truth about our creation impacts our approach to life and love. The focus of our day will be to consider these issues in the light of Pope St. John Paul II's Theology of the Body.

Topics will include:

Love, marriage and what it means to be human....

(Deborah Larmour; Family and Life Office Eparchy of Saskatoon)

Religious Life: How Does it fit into the Great Mystery?

(Jonathan Lashyn, Seminarian Eparchy of Saskatoon)

If Porn Kills Love What's a Guy/Girl to Do?

(Fr. Deacon Cyril Kennedy, Doctoral Candidate Catholic University of America)

Gender and Identity Matters

(Hudson Byblow, International Speaker on Theology of the Body and Identity Issues)

Games/Activities/Q&A/Discussions

BYO Lunch, Snacks provided

Online participation available Registration fee \$10
Registration deadline: Tuesday, June 1st by contacting Viktoriia Marko at

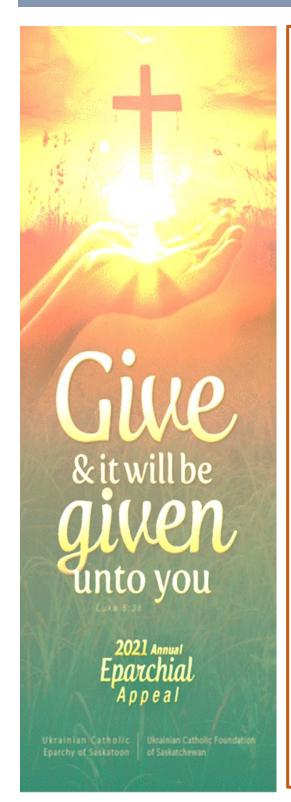
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Organized by the Eparchial Family Life Office and Youth and Adult Ministry Office

Generously sponsored by the Annual Eparchial Appeal

Current COVID-19 protocol will be followed

2021 ANNUAL EPARCHIAL APPEAL WEEK 5 – May 22nd/May 23rd, 2021



Today marks the close of the 2021 Annual Eparchial Appeal. Our Parish, the Eparchy & The Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan want to say an *ENORMOUS THANK YOU* to all who have made a gift to this Annual Eparchial Appeal to support the Eparchial Ministries & Programs. Please be confidently assured that your gift will be used to support ministries and programs that were identified in the 2021 Annual Eparchial Appeal literature.

If you have not yet made your pledge/gift, there is still time to do so. We recognize that there many worthy charitable causes that you can support. However, for sustaining our faith, there are not many that are as important or as critical as the support of our Ukrainian Catholic Church in Saskatchewan. We ask you to prayerfully, and with faith, please consider making a gift to the Appeal.

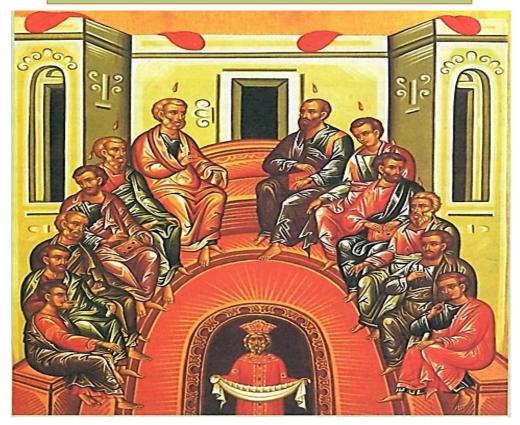
Thank you again for your generosity and for your attentiveness to our call for funds to the 2021 Annual Eparchial Appeal. May God Bless you abundantly with his Grace, Mercy and Blessings.

A full report of the funds raised in the 2021 Annual Eparchial Appeal will be provided just as soon as the final accounting is completed.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the Eparchial Appeal or the Foundation itself, please contact the **Foundation Office at 306-653-0138, ext 223.**

Ukrainian Catholic Foundation of Saskatchewan www.ucfsask.org.

SUNDAY OF PENTECOST



Icon of Pentecost

The Gift of the Holy Spirit

Let us therefore make use of this great benefit, and seek for personal experience of this most needful Gift. For the Apostle says, in words I have already cited, "But we have not received the spirit of this world, but the Spirit which is of God, that we may know the things that are given unto us by God." We receive Him, then, that we may know.

Faculties of the human body, if denied their exercise, will lie dormant. The eye with out light, natural or artificial, cannot fulfill its office; the ear will be ignorant of its function unless some voice or sound be heard; the nostrils unconscious of their purpose unless some scent be breathed. Not that the faculty will be absent, because it is never called into use, but that there will be no experience of its existence. So, too, the soul of man, unless through faith it has appropriated the gift of the Spirit, will have the innate faculty of apprehending God, but be destitute of the light of knowledge. That Gift, which is in Christ, is One, yet offered, and offered fully, to all; denied to none, and given to each according to the measure of his willingness to receive; its stores the richer, the more earnest the desire to earn them. This gift is with us unto the end of the world, the solace of our waiting, the assurance, by the favors which He bestows, of the hope that shall be ours, the light of our minds, the sun of our souls. This Holy Spirit we must seek and must earn, and then hold fast by faith and obedience to the commands of God.

From On the Trinity by St. Hilary of Poitiers