



Sunday, January 22, 2023

**ST. ATHANASIUS UKRAINIAN
CATHOLIC CHURCH
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REGINA SK. S4R 3G3**

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ROSARY: Sunday – 9:10 a.m. (livestreaming)

DIVINE LITURGY: Bilingual: Sunday - 9:30 a.m. for the faithful. (livestreaming)

DIVINE LITURGY in Ukrainian – the first Sunday of each month at 11:30 a.m.

Weekday Liturgies – as scheduled

Confessions before every Divine Liturgy & Week Day Liturgies – As per the schedule

MEMBERSHIP AT ST. ATHANASIUS PARISH is recognized by participating in the Sunday Divine Liturgy and by fulfilling your baptismal responsibility in contributing 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. If you would like to become a registered member, please contact Fr. Vasyl or parish office.

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

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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.

We have completed the installation of our security system for the parish complex and rectory. Please be advised there is 24 hour video coverage of the church facility and rectory.

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>

JANUARY/FEBRUARY GREETERS		JANUARY/FEBRUARY TABULATORS
Jan. 22	Carl & Linda Korchynski	Art Wytrykush & Rosanne Miller
Jan. 29	Mark & Karen Woitas	Carl Korchynski & Walter Brigidear
Feb. 5	Terry & Rosanne Miller	Kevin Korchinski & Rosanne Miller
Feb. 12	Kevin Korchinski & Len Markewich	Arty Wytrykush & John Dmyterko
Feb. 19	Maggie Stephen & Bernice Bzdell	Walter Brigidear & Cliff Rakochy
Feb. 26	Mark & Karen Woitas	Kevin Korchinski & Karen Woitas

JANUARY/FEBRUARY ROSARY		JANUARY/FEBRUARY READERS
Jan. 22	John Makuch/Svitlana Zelena - <i>Joyful</i>	John Makuch
Jan. 29	Bernice Bzdell/Iryna Baran - <i>Luminous</i>	Rosanne Miller
Feb. 5	Louise Makuch – <i>Glorious</i>	Louise Makuch
Feb. 12	Karen Woitas/Iryna Baran – <i>Luminous</i>	Karen Woitas
Feb. 19	Marianne Stadnyk/Natalia Osoba - <i>Byzantine Luminous</i>	Marianne Stadnyk
Feb. 26	Bernice Bzdell/Svitlana Zelenyi - <i>Glorious</i>	Rosanne Miller

CHRIST IS BORN! LET US GLORIFY HIM!
ХРИСТОС РОЖДАЄТЬСЯ! СЛАВІМО ЙОГО!

SUNDAY OF ZACCHEUS

Tropar (Tone 8): You came down from on high, O Merciful One, and accepted three days of burial to free us from our sufferings. O Lord, our life and our resurrection, glory be to 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 You rose from the tomb, You also raised the dead and resurrected Adam. Eve exults in Your resurrection, and the ends of the world celebrate Your rising from the dead, O most merciful One.

PROKIMEN (Tone 8): Pray and give praise to the Lord our God.

Verse: In Judea God is known; His name is great in Israel.

EPISTLE: A reading from the Letter of the Holy Apostle Paul to Timothy (4: 9-15)

Timothy my son! You can depend on this as worthy of complete acceptance. This explains why we work and struggle as we do; our hopes are fixed on the living God who is the savior of all men, but especially of those who believe. Such are the things you must urge and teach. Let no one look down on you because of your youth, but be a continuing example of love, faith, and purity to believers. Until I arrive, devote yourself to the reading of Scripture, to preaching and teaching. Do not neglect the gift you received when, as a result of prophecy, the presbyters laid their hands on you. Attend to your duties; let them absorb you, so that everyone may see your progress.

ALLELUIA VERSES: *Come, let us rejoice in the Lord; let us acclaim God our Savior.
Let us come before His countenance with praise and acclaim Him with psalms.*

GOSPEL: Luke (19: 1-10)

At that time Jesus was passing through Jericho. There was a man there named Zaccheus, the chief tax collector and a wealthy man. He was trying to see what Jesus was like, but being small of stature, was unable to do so because of the crowd. He first ran on in front, then climbed a sycamore tree which was along Jesus' route, in order to see him. When Jesus came to the spot he looked up and said, "Zaccheus, hurry down. I mean to stay at your house today." He quickly descended, and welcomed him with delight. When this was observed, everyone began to murmur, "He has gone to a sinner's house as a guest." Zaccheus stood his ground and said to the Lord: "I give half my belongings, Lord, to the poor. If I have defrauded anyone in the least, I pay him back four-fold." Jesus said to him: "Today salvation has come to this house, for this is what it means to be a son of Abraham. The Son of Man has come to search out and save what was lost.

COMMUNION HYMN: Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JANUARY: *For Educators.* We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

JANUARY FOOD BANK ITEM – RICE

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE January 23 – January 29, 2023

Monday, January 23, 2023 - The Holy Priest-Martyr Clement, Bishop of Ancyra; Passing into Eternal Life (1952) of Blessed Olimpia Bida, Superior of the Sisters of St. Joseph, and Martyr [1 Peter 2:21-3:9; Mark 12:13-17.](#)

6:30 p.m. Divine Liturgy and Catechism (*DL intention* for +Mary Dedio and +Jayne Paluck, requested by Paluck Family)

Tuesday, January 24, 2023 - Our Venerable Mother Xenia the Roman [1 Peter 3:10-22; Mark 12:18-27.](#)

No service scheduled

Wednesday, January 25, 2023 - Our Holy Father Gregory the Theologian, Archbishop of Constantinople (390) [1 Corinthians 12:7-11; John 10:9-16.](#)

6:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy for health of UCBC members, requested by Nataliia Boychuk, followed by Panakhyda for +Wally Hook

7:00 p.m. UCBC Meeting

Thursday, January 26, 2023 - Our Venerable Father Xenophon and his wife Maria [1 Peter 4:12-5:5; Mark 12:38-44.](#)

6:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy for the deceased and Panakhyda for Christmas Tree families

7:00 p.m. Parish Council Meeting

Friday, January 27, 2023 - The Transfer of the Precious Relics (438) of Our Father among the Saints John Chrysostom. [Hebrews 7:26-8:2; John 10:9-16.](#)

6:30 p.m. Divine Liturgy for health of Yaroslava, requested by Nataliya Karpiak

Youth Lock in retreat at St. Basil Parish

Saturday, January 28, 2023 - Our Venerable Father Ephrem the Syrian (373) [2 Timothy 2:11-19; Luke 18:2-8.](#)

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Sunday, January 29, 2023 - Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee; [2 Timothy 3:10-15; Luke 18:10-14.](#)

9:10 a.m.- Rosary - *livestream*

9:30 a.m.- Divine Liturgy - *livestream*

NOTICE: Although though there are no restrictions on numbers who can attend church services, some people are not comfortable in group settings, therefore we continue our livestreaming of services. Our parish expenses continue and it would be very much appreciated if you could continue to support 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.

January 15 Donations: 46 Regular envelopes - \$1324; 1 Building Fund envelope - \$20; 6 Initial Offering envelopes - \$115; 2 Visitor envelopes - \$40; 2 Memorial Tree envelopes - \$120; Loose Change - \$105.

E-Transfer Donations: 5 donations - \$165; 1 Memorial Tree donation - \$20.



SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES are extended to Bernice and Eugene Bzdell and family, on the death of her sister Theresa Hall, who passed away on Friday, January 13th, 2023. Funeral service was held on Friday, January 20th, at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Wynyard SK. Вічна Пам'ять – Vichnaya Pamyat! Eternal Memory!



Parish Council Update:

ST. ATHANASIUS PARISH's ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held immediately following Divine Liturgy on Sunday, March 19, in the parish auditorium.

The current Parish Council have agreed to stay on for 2023 with one notable exception.

Linda Korchynski has completed 2 terms as Secretary and will be leaving the Parish Council. If you are interested in joining Parish Council as Secretary, please contact Fr. Vasyl at 306-519-9030 or Kevin Korchinski at 306-539-3935. If you wish to nominate someone for any of these positions, please contact either Fr. Vasyl at 306-519-9030 or Kevin Korchinski at 306-539 – 3935.

CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL TREE: Once again the memorial tree is set up in the front foyer.



Christmas is a time to spend with loved ones, family and friends, and to remember those who are no longer with us in person but are with us in spirit. If you wish to donate, you may do so by placing your money and family names in the marked envelopes at the back of the church and then placed in the Sunday collection basket. E-Transfers are accepted, please indicate in the message field the names of the deceased member/members for whom you are donating. Fr.

Vasyl will have the Panakhyda for all those departed family and friends on Thursday, January 26, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. All funds received will be directed to purchase icons for the church.

2023 SUNDAY DONATION ENVELOPES are available for pick up during scheduled Divine Liturgy services or during office hours, Tuesday – Thursday, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Please phone 306-543-8008 during office hours to arrange for pick up of your donation envelopes. If there is an error or if you did not receive a set of envelopes, please contact the office. Although you may make your donations through e-transfers or are set up on pre authorized givings, **the designated box of envelopes belong to you and we would like them picked up at your earliest convenience.** Also, we would appreciate if you could include your e-mail address and any changes to your current address on your first donation envelope.

Ultimate A & B Youth Presents. . . A Youth “Lock-In” Retreat!

Are you in grades 7-12 and are looking to attend a 24-hour Lock-in Retreat?

Well now's your chance!

This year's lock-in takes place Friday, January 27, 2023 @7pm to Saturday, January 28, 2023 @ 6pm at St. Basil's Parish Centre (1717 Toronto Street, Regina).

This year's theme will be “Refocus”. Activities for the two days include: team building activities, bowling, spiritual sessions, guest speakers, and so much more.

The cost for the event will be \$40. This will cover all the meals and activities.

The registration deadline is Sunday, January 22, 2023. Upon registration, participants will receive a registration package that will include the following documents: registration form, waiver, media release, and a detailed schedule.

If you are interested in attending or would like more please contact Lesia Lazurko (Ultimate A & B Youth Coordinator) at ultimateaandb@hotmail.com



2023 BLESSING OF HOMES: The blessing of homes begins in January after the Feast of Holy Theophany and is carried out until February 1st. By His Baptism in the River Jordan, Christ sanctified the waters. It is at this time of year that sanctification is brought to our homes, to us and to our loved ones. We keep this tradition of having our homes blessed by our Parish Priest every year in faith that God blesses all of us during this New Year with health and salvation. Sign up sheets are located in the foyer for the blessing of homes.



PEROGIES FOR SALE: The parish has raw perogies for sale at a cost of \$12/2 dozen. Please contact Rosanne at 306-543-5773 to arrange for pick-up. The parish would like to keep a supply on hand for sale, so more perogy bees may be arranged.

A reminder to all UCBC members that your 2023 membership fees are due.

FRIENDLY REMINDER: St. Athanasius is a scent and perfume free parish. **PLEASE** refrain from using scented products that may impose a risk to people who encounter health issues and allergies. *Thank you for your co-operation.*

ДРУЖНЕ НАГАДУВАННЯ: Ласкаво просимо утриматися від використання парфумів у нашій парафії, які можуть становити ризик для людей, які мають проблеми зі здоров'ям та алергію. Дякую за співпрацю.



PUSCHENNIA: DINNER & DANCE
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2023
ST. BASILS PARISH CENTRE
1717 TORONTO ST. REGINA SK

DANCE TO: HALF NA PIV

COCKTAILS 5:30 P.M. DINNER 6:30 P.M.
ADULTS: \$50 CHILDREN 5-12: \$20
5 AND UNDER FREE

Ticket deadline is February 5

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THE NICHOLAS SLAP

Heresies about Christ and the Trinity: Then and Now

A presentation series by Ivan Simko, Eparchial seminarian-intern.

All sessions are on Thursdays from 6:45-7:45pm:

- Jan 12th (Arianism - is Christ really God or is he a demi-god?)
- Jan 19th (Apollinarianism - is Christ really human?)
- Feb 9th (Nestorianism - is Christ schizophrenic?)
- Feb 16th (Monophysitism - does Christ have two natures or just one?)
- Mar 16th (Trinity - what in heaven is that?)

Location: St. Basil's
Ukrainian Catholic Church
(1747 Toronto Street, Regina, SK)

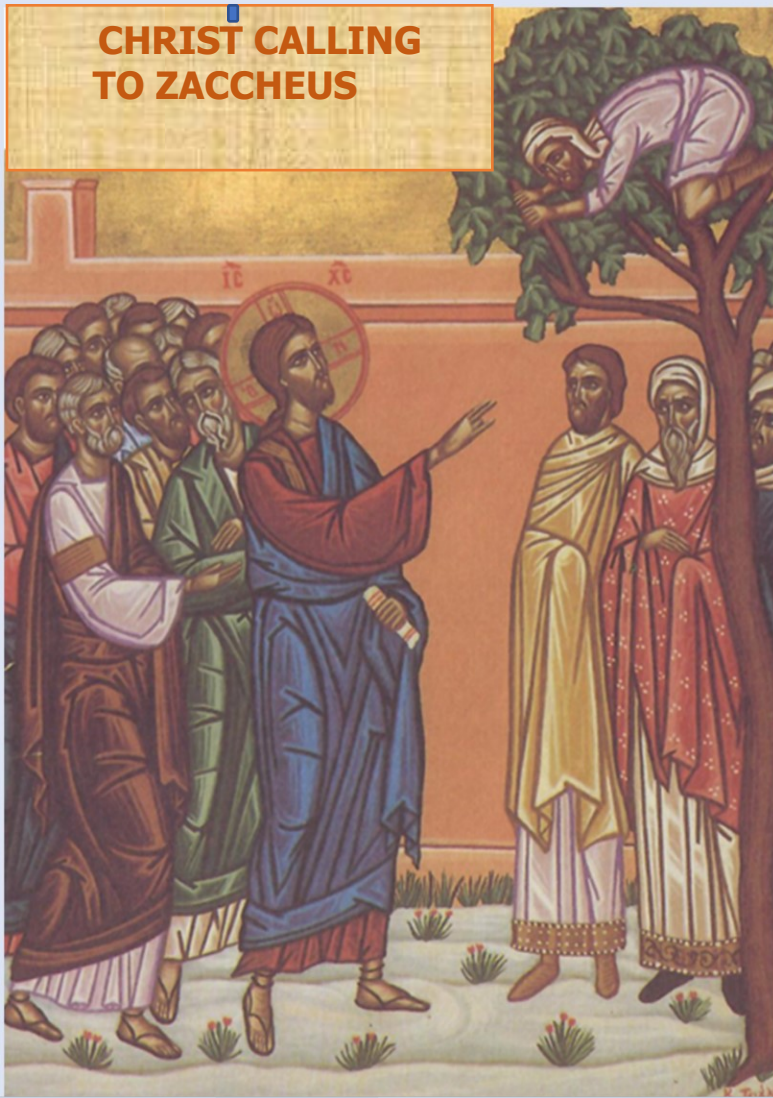
Come with your questions and a friend.



"GET ON BOARD!"

St. Michael's at Madge is looking for more board members and a board chair. We are seeking enthusiastic individuals that want to be a part of the growth of St. Michael's. Email us at camp@stmichaelscamp.com with your inquiry.

**CHRIST CALLING
TO ZACCHEUS**



Icon of the Sunday of Zaccheus

There is in each of us a human hunger for the divine dignity God intended for us as His children. We are made to His image and likeness. We are designed to love: love God, one another and ourselves. Some people suffer from a poor self-image, low self-worth, inner insecurity, and a sense of unworthiness. These must look to God to correct this attitude. They must see in God a personal, loving and forgiving God who loves them and considers each of them to be of infinite value and importance.

St. Paul tells us, "I can do all things through Christ, who strengthens me" (Philippians 4:13). We need the power and strength of Christ which is available to each of us. We must remember the "Church is a hospital for sinners and not a museum for saints." Everyone of us hungers for human dignity. We want to be loveable; we want to love and be loved. These deep needs can be ours through Christ.

We are God's crown of creation; we are His temples; our human nature has been dignified by the Lord. He wants His followers to

love themselves as equal children of his and to treat each other with respect for what each is in the sight of God. "God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, that everyone who believes in Him may not die but have eternal life. It was not to judge the world that God sent His Son into the world, but that through Him the world might be saved" (John 3:16, 17).

Therefore, we should accept ourselves. This then moves us on to accept others with their imperfections. We were made to soar heavenward with the dignity of children of God.