



Sunday, January 14, 2024

**ST. ATHANASIUS UKRAINIAN
CATHOLIC CHURCH
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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.

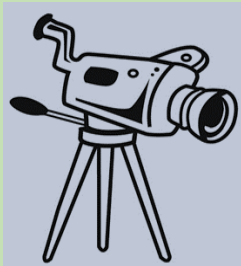
Please contact Fr. Vasyl if you know of any parishioner who is sick and wants to be visited.

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Welcome to all visitors and parishioners who are celebrating the Liturgy with us today. Everyone is welcome to the auditorium for coffee, juice, cookies and socializing.



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 the 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 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 Greeters | | January Ushers & Tabulators |
|------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Jan. 14 | Carl & Linda Korchynski | Linda Korchynski & John Dmyterko |
| Jan. 21 | Kevin Korchinski & Len Markewich | Kevin Korchinski & Walter Brigidear |
| Jan. 28 | Bernice Bzdell & Maggie Stephen | Art Wytrykush & Walter Brigidear |

| JANUARY ROSARY | | JANUARY READERS |
|----------------|--|-----------------------|
| Jan. 14 | Benice Bzdell & Iryna Baran – <i>Joyful Mysteries</i> | Terelyne Vadeboncoeur |
| Jan. 21 | Louise Makuch & Natalia Osoba – <i>Byzantine Glorious Mysteries</i> | Louise Makuch |
| Jan. 28 | Joe Hladky & Svitlana Zelenyi – <i>Glorious Mysteries</i> | Joe Hladky |

**CHRIST IS BORN!
ХРИСТОС РОЖДАЄТЬСЯ!**

**LET US GLORIFY HIM!
СЛАВІМО ЙОГО!**

**THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
- 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 forever 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 First 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.

GOSPELS: (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!

INSTEAD OF ‘Blessed is He who comes...’: “We have seen the true light...”; and, “Blessed be the name....” -

#127 Vozveselimsja Vsi Kupno Nyni / Today We Gather In Celebrations (alternating Ukr/Eng - no repeat of chorus)

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE January 15 – January 21, 2024

Monday, January 15, 2024 - Our Venerable Fathers Paul and John, [1 Peter 2:21-3:9. Mark 12:13-17.](#)

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for the 5 year anniversary of the death of William and Anna Koszman, requested by Rosanne and Terry Miller

Tuesday, January 16, 2024 - The Veneration of the Precious Chains of the Holy Apostle Peter. [1 Peter 3:10-22. Mark 12:18-27.](#)

No service scheduled

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 - Our Venerable and God-bearing Father Anthony the Great (356). Polyeleos Feast. [Hebrews 13: 17-21. Luke 6: 17-23.](#)

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for God Blessing upon Alla Tymishak

Thursday, January 18, 2024 - Our Holy Fathers and Archbishops of Alexandria Athanasius (373) and Cyril (444).

No service scheduled

Friday, January 19, 2024 - Our Venerable Father Macarius of Egypt (c. 390).

No service scheduled

Saturday, January 20, 2024 - Our Venerable and God-bearing Father Euthemius the Great (473)

No service scheduled

Sunday, January 21, 2024 - Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee. Octoechos Tone 1. Our Venerable Father Maximus the Confessor (662). Holy Martyr Neophytus (284-305). Holy Martyrs Eugene, Candidus, Valerian, and Aquilas. [2 Timothy 3:10-15. Luke 18:10-14.](#)

11:30 a.m.- Rosary livestream

12:00 p.m.- Noon Divine Liturgy at St. Athanasius (by Fr.Warren) livestream

PLEASE NOTE: Sunday, January 21, 2024 – Rosary at 11:30 a.m. with Divine Liturgy to follow at 12:00 p.m. at St. Athanasius (by Fr. Warren). Father Vasyl will be in Saskatoon attending Bishop's consecration and installation.



BLESSING OF HOMES: *The blessing of homes begins in January after the Feast of Holy Theophany and is carried out until February 2nd. 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.

If you would like your home blessed please, fill in the schedule form on the table in the foyer, the date and time that works best for you.



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 envelopes at the back of the church where it is stated "Specify Donation" and print "**Memorial Tree**" and then place 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 25, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. All funds received will be directed to "St. Athanasius Aide to Ukraine Fund" to help our new families enjoy their first Christmas in Regina.



2024 Gregorian Calendars are available at the parish. We have a limited amount of calendars therefore we encourage one calendar per family. If you know of someone who is in a care home or is not comfortable to attend church but would like a calendar, please do not hesitate to take a calendar for them.

NOTICE: Our parish expenses continue, so please continue to support the parish. Your donations are very much appreciated. 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.

December 31: 2 Regular Envelopes - \$1000.

January 7: 50 Regular Envelopes - \$1430; 1 Building Fund Envelope - \$20; 1 Memorial Tree Envelope - \$20; 3 Visitor Envelopes - \$140; 20 Initial Offering Envelopes - \$240 Loose Change - \$135.50.

E-Transfers: 3 general donations - \$550.

10 Pre-authorized Givings - \$1605.

2024 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 greatly appreciate them picked up at your earliest convenience.** Also, we would appreciate it, if you could include your e-mail address and any changes to your current address on your first donation envelope.



NEW COFFEE SIGN UP SCHEDULE: Please, if you can sign up for a Sunday to serve coffee, juice and cookies. This would be very much appreciated. Coffee schedule sign up sheets are located in the front foyer desk and on the kitchen table. If no one signs up for serving this would be an indicator no one is interested in having coffee after Sunday Divine Liturgy and will be discontinued. Please, help out when you can.

POPE's PRAYER INTENTION FOR JANUARY: *For The Gift Of Diversity In The Church* –We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.

JANUARY FOOD BANK ITEM – RICE

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 26, 2024 @7pm to Saturday, January 27, 2024 @ 6pm** at **St. Basil's Parish Centre (1717 Toronto Street, Regina).**

This year's theme will be “Journey”. Activities for the two days include: team building activities, bowling, spiritual sessions, and so much more. More information will be available in January 2024.

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

The registration deadline is **Sunday, January 21, 2024.**

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



UCWLC Notes



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Upcoming Branch Activities – Mark Your Calendars!

* January Branch Meeting*

Our next Branch meeting is Saturday, January 27, following 9:30 liturgy which will be offered for (+) Stella Bzdel.

* Branch AGM: Saturday, Feb. 17, 2024.

* 2024 Membership Dues are Due!

2024 Membership dues and updated member profile forms are due by January 31, 2024. Please provide \$30 Membership fee to Connie B. or Marie B., and if not already done, the Member Profile Form. Thank you!

Our next Soup Sunday Luncheon is January 28/24
following 9:30am liturgy!

Please let Holly know if you can help!

A group of dancers in traditional Ukrainian folk costumes performing on stage. The costumes are colorful, featuring green, red, and white with intricate embroidery. The dancers are wearing floral headbands and are captured in a dynamic pose, suggesting a lively dance performance.

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UKRAINIAN NEW YEAR

JANUARY 27 2024

REGINA PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE

TICKETS AVAILABLE ONLINE
WWW.TAVRIA.ORG

\$70

PERFORMANCE BY
TAVRIA SCHOOL OF
UKRAINIAN DANCE

LIVE MUSIC BY
SCOTT HEATCOAT & THE
ENTERTAINERS



Livestreams for Nomination, Consecration and Installation of
Bishop Michael Smolinski, C.Ss.R.
January 19, 20 and 21, 2024
Available here:

<https://www.youtube.com/@skeparchy/streams>

«МОЛИТВА ЗА МИР В УКРАЇНІ» ЗУСТРІЧ БЛАЖЕННІШОГО СВЯТОСЛАВА З НОВОПРИБУЛИМИ УКРАЇНЦЯМИ

**21 СІЧНЯ 2024 Р.
о 19:00**

Катедра Св. Юрія
210 Avenue M South
Saskatoon, SK
St. George Cathedral

7:00pm

January 21, 2024

ALL WELCOME!



**Encounter of
Patriarch Sviatoslav with
newly arrived Ukrainians**



UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC EPARCHY OF SASKATOON
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January 10, 2024

ANNOUNCEMENT

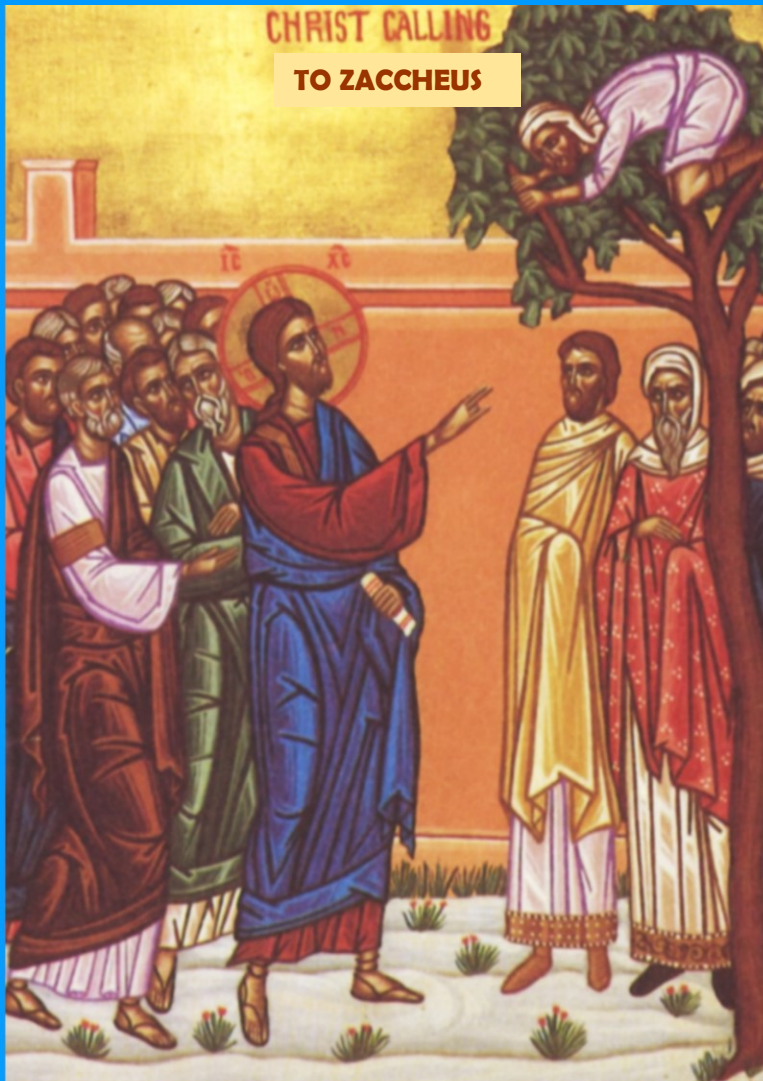
VISIT OF PATRIARCH SVIATOSLAV SHEVCHUK TO SASKATOON, SK

The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Saskatoon is pleased to announce that the Father and Head of the world-wide Ukrainian Greek-Catholic Church, His Beatitude, the Most Rev. Sviatoslav Shevchuk, Patriarch of Kyiv-Halych, will be coming to Saskatoon, Saskatchewan to lead our church community in the services of nominating, consecrating, and installing the Very Rev. Michael Smolinski, C.Ss.R., as our sixth Eparchial Bishop.

The Co-consecrators will be His Grace, the Most Rev. Lawrence Huculak, O.S.B.M., Archbishop of Winnipeg and Metropolitan of Canada and His Excellency, the Most Rev. Bryan Bayda, C.Ss.R., Eparchial Bishop of Toronto and Eastern Canada, and former Eparchial Bishop of Saskatoon. Msgr. Antons Prikulis, First Secretary of the Apostolic Nunciature will be present to represent the Nuncio to Canada, His Excellency, the Most Rev. Ivan Jurkovič. His Excellency, the Most Rev. Mark Hagemoen, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon as well as many other bishops, priests and dignitaries will be in attendance for this momentous occasion.

Further to these services, the Patriarch has already accepted a full itinerary of activities. These include an encounter with newly arrived Ukrainians on January 21, 2024, at 7:00pm at the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral of St. George, and a meeting with staff and students and tour of Bishop Filevich Ukrainian Bilingual School on January 23, 2024.

SUNDAY OF ZACCHEUS



Icon of the Sunday of Zaccheus

DIVINE DIGNITY

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.