

Sunday, August 17, 2025

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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 <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. 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.

St. John Paul II Syro-Malabar Parish – Fr. Jerlin Francis Phone:1 (825) 333-7890

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Welcome to all visitors and parishioners who are celebrating the Liturgy with us today.

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://st-athanasius.ca/ or on Facebook: https://st-athanasius.ca/ or on Facebook:

August Greeters		August Ushers & Tabulators
August 17	Mark & Karen Woitas	Karen Woitas & John Dmterko
August 24	Carl & Linda Korchynski	Linda Korchynski & Kevin Korchinski
August 31	Maggie Stephen & Bernice Bzdell	Carl Korchynski & Walter Brigidear

August Rosary			August Readers	
August 1	Bernice Bzdell/Natalia Osob L7 <i>Byzantine</i> Luminous Myster		Karen Woitas	
August 2	Karen Woitas/Iryna Baran 24 Glorious Mysteries		Stephanie Royal	
August 3	Joe Hladky/Svitlana Zeleny Joyful Mysteries	ri e	Joe Hladky	

ALTAR SERVER/		ALTAR SERVER/	COMMUNION
COMMUNION MINISTER		COMMUNION MINISTER	MINISTER
August 17 – Sunday	Tyler Woloshyn	Mark Woitas	
(9:30am)	2 nd Chalice	3 rd Chalice	
August 24 – Sunday	Evan Derow	Mark Woitas	
(9:30am)	2 nd Chalice	3 rd Chalice	
August 31 – Sunday	Tyler Woloshyn	Walter Wilchowy	
(9:30am)	2 nd Chalice	3 rd Chalice	

СЛАВА ІСУСУ ХРИСТУ! СЛАВА НА ВІКИ! Glory be to Jesus Christ! Glory be Forever!

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Post-feast of the Dormition of the Mother of God

TROPAR (Tone 1): Though the stone was sealed by the Jews and soldiers guarded Your most pure body, You arose, O Savior, on the third day, and gave life to the world. And so the heavenly powers cried out to You, O Giver of life: Glory to Your resurrection, O Christ! Glory to Your kingdom! Glory to Your saving plan, O only Lover of Mankind.

FESTIVE TROPAR (Tone 1): O Mother of God, in giving birth you still preserved virginity; and in your falling asleep you did not forsake the world. You are the Mother of Life and have been transferred to life, and through your prayers have delivered our souls from death.

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

KONDAK (Tone 1): You arose in glory from the tomb and with Yourself You raised the world. All humanity acclaims You as God, and death has vanished. Adam exults, O Master, and Eve, redeemed now from bondage, cries out for joy: "You are the One, O Christ, Who offer resurrection to all."

PROKIMEN (Tone 1): Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, as we have hoped in You.

Verse: Rejoice in the Lord, O you just; praise befits the righteous.

EPISTLE: A reading from the First Letter of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Corinthians. (4: 9-16)

Brothers and Sisters! God has put us apostles at the end of the line, like men doomed to die in the arena. We have become a spectacle to the universe, to angels and men alike. We are fools on Christ's account. Ah, but in Christ you are wise! We are the weak ones, you the strong! They honor you, while they sneer at us! Up to this very hour we go hungry and thirsty, poorly clad, roughly treated, wandering about homeless. We work hard at manual labor. When we are insulted we respond with a blessing. Persecution comes our way; we bear it patiently. We are slandered, and we try conciliation. We have become the world's refuse, the scum of all; that is the present state of affairs. I am writing you in this way not to shame you but to admonish you as my beloved children. Granted you have ten thousand guardians in Christ, you have only one father. It was I who begot you in Christ Jesus through my preaching of the gospel. I beg you, then, be imitators of me.

ALLELUIA VERSES: God gives me vindication, and has subdued peoples under me.

Making great the salvation of the king, and showing mercy to His anointed, to David, and to His posterity for ever

GOSPEL: Matthew (17: 14-23)

At that time a man come up to Jesus and knelt before him. "Lord," he said, "take pity on my son, who is demented and in a serious condition. For example, he often falls into the fire and frequently into the water. I have brought him to your disciples but they could not cure him." In reply Jesus said: "What an unbelieving and perverse lot you are! How long must I remain with you? How long can I endure you? Bring him here to me!" Then Jesus reprimanded him, and the demon came out of him. That very moment the boy was cured. The disciples approached Jesus at that point and asked him privately, "Why could we not expel it?" "Because you have so little trust," he told them. "I assure you, if you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you would be able to say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it would move. Nothing would be impossible for you. This kind does not leave but by prayer and fasting." When they met again in Galilee, Jesus said to them, "The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men who will put him to death, and he will be raised up on the third day."

INSTEAD OF "It Is Truly Right..." Seeing the Dormition of the Most Pure One, the angels were filled with awe at how the Virgin went from earth to heaven. In you, O pure Virgin, the laws of nature were overcome: in giving birth you remained a virgin, and in your death, heralded life. You remained a virgin after giving birth and remained alive after

death, always saving your descendants, O Mother of God.

COMMUNION HYMN: Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. I will take the chalice of salvation; and I will call upon the name of the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE: AUGUST 18 - AUGUST 124, 2025

Monday, August 18, 2025 - The Commemoration of the Consecration of the Holy Resurrection Patriarchal Sobor; The Holy Martyrs Florus and Laurus. Post-feast of the Dormition. *Hebrews 3:1-4; Matthew 13:16-18.*

4:00 p.m. Private Service

7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy for +Edward Romanow – 14-year memorial, requested by Darlene Romanow and family

Tuesday, August 19, 2025 - The Holy Martyr Andrew and those with him. Post-feast of the Dormition. 2 Corinthians 2:14-3:3; Matthew 23:23-28.

7:00 p.m. Divine Liturgy for + Tony Woloshyn, requested by Tyler Woloshyn

Wednesday, August 20, 2025 - The Holy Prophet Samuel. Post-feast of the Dormition. 2 Corinthians 3:4-11; Matthew 23:29-39.

No service scheduled

Thursday, August 21, 2025 - The Holy Apostle Thaddeus. Post-feast of the Dormition. <u>2</u> Corinthians 4:1-6; Matthew 24:13-28.

10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy for +Walter Karapita 40-day memorial, requested by UCWLC

Friday, August 22, 2025 - The Holy Martyr Agathonicus and those with him; Blessed Hieromartyr Symeon Lukach, Bishop and Confessor. Post-feast of the Dormition. 2 Corinthians 4:13-18; Matthew 24:27-33, 42-51.

No service scheduled

Saturday, August 23, 2025 - The Holy Martyr Luppus; Leave-taking of the Dormition. <u>1</u> Corinthians 1:3-9; Matthew 19:3-12.

No service scheduled

Sunday, August 24, 2025 - Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost; <u>Tone 2; 1 Corinthians 9:2-12; Matthew 18:23-35.</u>

9:10 a.m. Rosary – *Livestream*

9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy - Livestream

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. Non-parishioner sending an e-transfer must complete the message field with your name, and mailing address for income tax receipts. WHEN MAKING AN E-TRANSFER DONATION, PLEASE COMPLETE THE MESSAGE FIELD INCLUDING YOUR ENVELOPE NUMBER and DO NOT USE ALIAS NAMES WHEN SENDING AN E-TRANSFER DONATION.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR AUGUST. FOR MUTUAL COEXISTENCE. Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

AUGUST FOOD BANK ITEM – JUICE

The facility at Saint Athanasius needs much maintenance, the greatest being stripping/waxing of the floors, cleaning and painting. Occasionally help may be needed to prepare and serve lunch for the volunteers. To help keep costs down it is hoped that we can rely on our parishioners to volunteer their time to do these tasks. It is understood that not everyone will have the time, skill or physical ability to do some, or even any, of these tasks. This will be done over several months and will begin with areas of priority, starting with the hall and exterior areas.

If you feel that you may be able to help in any way, please put your name and email address

on the sign-up sheet in the vestibule. Emails will be sent out periodically to all who sign-up describing what we will be doing as well as dates and times so that those who are able can show up and help.

Mark Woitas – Building and Ground



DUE TO THE AUDITORIUM GETTING A NEW LOOK, COFFEE IS CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. There are repairs being done to the floor, cleaning, painting and various stages of stripping, cleaning and waxing the floor. We will keep you up to date when Sunday coffee will

resume.

CANCELLED DUE TO CONSTRUCTION

Saskatchewan Knights of Columbus Annual Charity Appeal



Support local Saskatchewan charities by purchasing raffle tickets.

\$10.00 per book or \$1.00 each

Bishop Budka Council #5914 will be actively selling tickets through the coming months

\$10,000 Grand Prize!

\$25,000 in total prize draws!

Limited ticket allocation - buy yours today! Draw date - November 8th, 2025

UCWLC Notes!



Thank you to Marie B., Karen W., Svitlana Z., Marianne S. and Lorraine W. and the members from UCBC, Parish Council, K of C and the Parish namely, Mark W., Roseanne and Terry M., Kevin K., Tyler W., Terry Z., Ihor Z., Joe H., Ted N., Walter B., and Henry S. for washing tables, chairs, prepping fruit sticks and a lunch, moving cabinets, tables and so many other things during the auditorium clean-up on Saturday, August 9.

Mark's initiative and leadership during the rejuvenation has been remarkable!! Thank you so much!!

The group's efforts, laughter and comradery made the tasks move along smoothly!



Cabbage Pick-up

--The cabbage is arriving Monday, August 18 at 7:30 am. For those who ordered cabbage please be at the church parking lot at 7:30 am for pick up!

Cabbage Blanching and Trimming

-- These dates and times have been set for cabbage blanching and trimming:

*Monday, August 18—8:00 am -1:00 pm

*Tuesday, August 19—6:00 pm to 8:30 pm

*Wednesday, August 20—8:30 am-1:00 pm

Anyone who is available to help, please come! Please contact Lorraine W. (306-585-3411) or Connie B.



Regina Catholic Schools

To: Elementary School Principals

From: Tammie Milo, Coordinator Catholic Education Services

Date: June 2025

Subject: UKRAINIAN INSTRUCTION PROGRAM: 2025-2026

The Ukrainian Program will continue with its delivery of the program in the evenings. RCSD does not pay for the transportation costs. The Ukrainian Program will continue to be held at St. Matthew School.

The program will have a two-prong approach to delivery, online instruction and information as well as face-to-face instruction. The program will run on Wednesday and Thursday evenings at St. Matthew School. The Ukrainian program will begin on September 10 & 11, 2025.

Wednesday -4:30 - 6:30 p.m. Thursday -6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

We are allowing parents to bring their children on either of those evenings. Grades 1-4 will be with Mrs. Kohuch and grades 5-8 will be with Mrs. Zwarych. We will no longer be using the day system since that no longer applies, as our classes will be after school. Therefore, parents can bring their students on either of those days when it works best for their schedule. We are trying to be as flexible as we can with our delivery model.

Please contact Mrs. Kohuch at s.kohuch@rcsd.ca for further information or at 306-530-5786. We thank you for your continued support with this valued program.

Please collect and forward the registration forms directly to Susan Kohuch (s.kohuch@rcsd.ca) on or before Tuesday September 2, 2025.

Thank you for your continued support. /attach

c. Elementary Vice-Principals
Elementary Office Managers
Susan Kohuch
Oksanna Zwarych

Regina Catholic Schools Ukrainian Program Registration Form and Student Information Sheet 2025-26

(Please email your completed forms to Susan Kohuch at s.kohuch@rcsd.ca

Student Name:		
Home Address:	Postal Code:	
Home Phone: (306)	Cell#: (306)	
School:		
	Age: Birthday:	
Allergies:		
Mother's Phone: Mother's Email:		
Father's Name:		
Father's Phone:	Father's Email:	
	Emergency Phone:	
	Wednesday (4:30-6:30 p.m.)Thursday (6-8 p.m.)	
CONSENT	DESCRIPTION	
Regina Catholic Schools/Media	I consent to my child appearing in motion pictures or still photographs being made of my child's/ward's likeness, acts, appearances; and sounds records made of child's/ward's voice, by photographers or other personnel employed by or hired by Regina Catholic Schools for educational, advertising or other such purposes as deemed appropriate by Regina Catholic School Division. I also consent to my child being photographed and video/audio recorded and interviewed by members of the media including newspaper, television, and radio. (please circle one) Yes No	
Signature of Parent/G	Guardian: Date:	

Invitation to the

23rd Annual Millennium Cross Pilgrimage

Join Us for a Day of Prayer, Reflection, and Community

You are warmly invited to the 23rd Annual Millennium Cross Pilgrimage, taking place on September 14, 2025, at 3:00 pm.

The Pilgrimage Cross, a beloved local landmark that has lit up the night sky for the past 25 years, stands as a 50-foot beacon of hope and faith. Located 10 km North-East of Aberdeen, SK, on Highway 41, this sacred site proudly acknowledges its place on Treaty 6 territory generously donated by the Bayda family and serves as a place of prayer and healing for all.

This year's pilgrimage will commence with a Living Rosary, offered with the intention of building a culture of life and promoting the sanctity of human life at every stage. Following this special time of prayer, we are honored to welcome Bishop Bryan Bayda, Bishop of the Eparchy of Toronto, who will deliver the keynote address.

After the program, all are invited to stay for a time of fellowship and a light lunch, providing an opportunity to connect and share in the spirit of community.

In this Jubilee Year, Bishop Michal Smolinski of the Eparchy of Saskatoon has officially designated the Cross as a pilgrimage site. We hope to welcome individuals, groups, and representatives from many organizations to join us in this meaningful celebration.

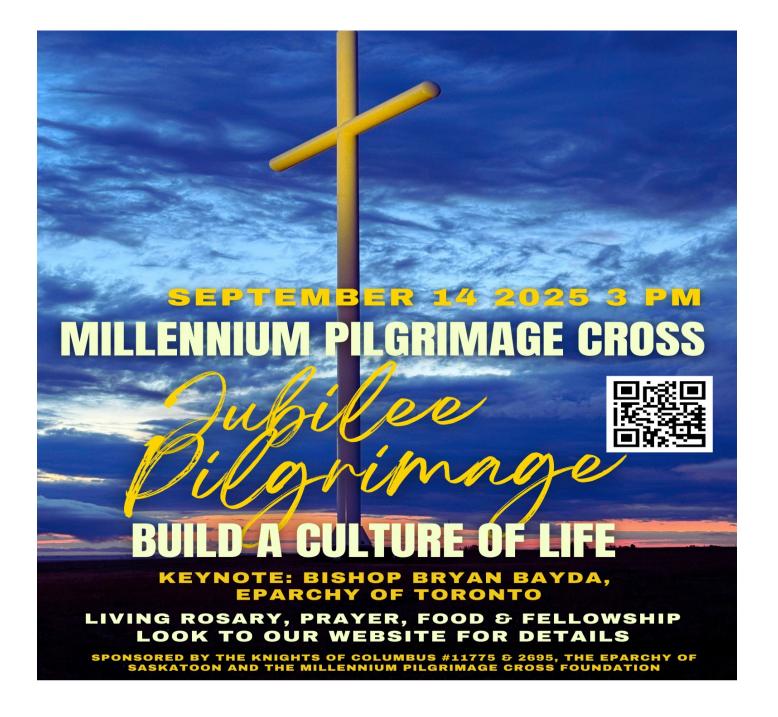
Let us gather at the Millennium Cross for prayer, reflection, and unity, as we continue to shine the light of hope to build a culture of life through prayer for generations to come.

Please check our Facebook page and website for contingencies in case of inclement weather.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Don Larmour

Pres. of the Millennium Pilgrimage Cross Foundation Inc.





SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES extended to the families and friends in the passing of Katie (Kay) Molesky, passed away on Saturday, August 9th. A private funeral service will be held with close family in attendance.





OUR PARKING LOT IS BROKEN!!!

We are sure you have all noticed, our parking lot is falling apart and in desperate need of repair. After a lot of searching for a contractor to come and have a look at it, we received a quote from only one contractor who was interested in such a small job. Parish Council has approved proceeding with this contractor to repair the parking lot in the spring of 2025 at a cost of between \$70,000 and \$75,000, depending on prices in the spring. This includes removal of the existing pavement and cement, and replacement of any base material as required, and in the installation of speed bumps to slow down any through traffic to Huda School.

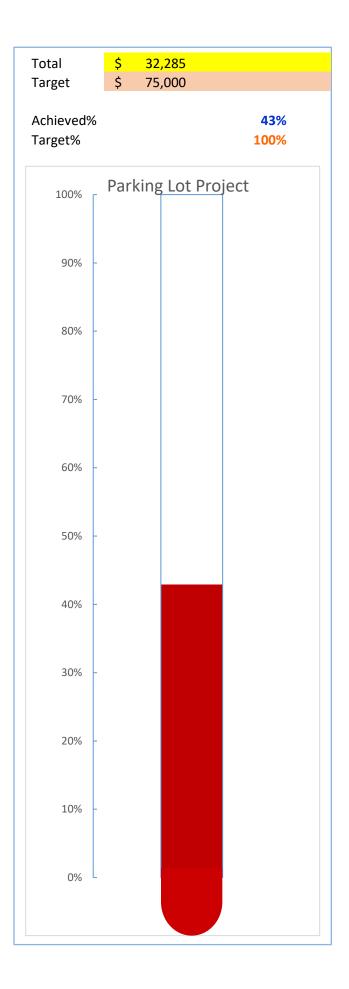
We are asking you, our Parishioners, to help fund this significant cost through our Building Fund donations. The parking lot is approximately 1000 square metres and we are suggesting a donation of \$100 for each square metre of the parking lot that you wish to fund. Of course, any donation to the Building Fund would be welcomed and appreciated. We hope you can assist us in this much needed repair.

Parish Council

OPEN YOUR HEART AND CONTRIBUTE TO THE BUILDING FUND!

TOGETHER WE CAN ACHIEVE THE GOAL REQUIRED FOR A NEW PARKING LOT!





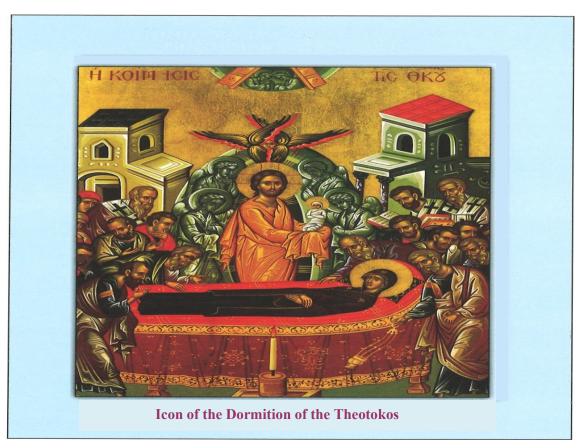


UCC Regina Special Fundraising Campaign



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EXPLANATION TO THE EMPEROR

There is nothing in the holy, inspired Scripture about the death of Mary, the holy Mother of God. But we know from ancient and wholly reliable tradition that at the time she so gloriously fell asleep, all the holy Apostles, who were traveling the world for the salvation of the peoples, were lifted up in a single instant of time and were gathered at Jerusalem; and as they stood by her, they saw a vision of angels, and heard the divine chanting of the higher powers ... Her body, which had been God's dwelling place, was brought for burial amidst the singing of the angels and the Apostles, and laid to rest in a coffin in Gethsemane; and the angelic dancing and singing continued without pause in that place for three days. But after three days, the song of the angels ceased; the Apostles were there, and since one of

them, Thomas, had not been present (for her burial and came at the end of three days) and wished to reverence that body which had housed God, they opened the coffin. And they could not find her body, which had been the object of such praise; all that they found were her burial wrappings. And being overcome by the ineffable fragrance that came out of the wrappings, they closed the coffin again. Amazed by this miraculous discovery, they could only draw a single conclusion: the one Who had deigned to become flesh in her own person, and to take His humanity from her, the one Who willed to be born in human flesh as God the Word, the Lord of glory, and Who had preserved her virginity intact even after childbirth, now chose, after her departure from this world, to honor her immaculate and pure body with the gift of incorruptibility, and with a change of state even before the common, universal resurrection.

St. Juvenal, Patriarch of Jerusalem