



**Українська Католицька Парафія
Покров Пресвятої Богородиці**

**Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Ukrainian Catholic Parish**

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*“Today the Virgin stands before us in the temple,
And together with the choirs of saints prays to God for us.”*

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Служби Божі/Divine Liturgies

Неділя/Sunday: 8:30 am English
10:30 am Ukrainian

У Свята/Holy Day of Obligation

10:00 am

Щодня/Daily (Mon-Sat)

7:30 am in Chapel

Сповідь/Confessions

Before both Sunday Divine Liturgies
By appointment during the week

Baptism by appointment

**Anointing of the Sick/Hospital Visits/
Eucharist for the sick** - any time

Marriages - the arrangements with the priest
must be made at least 8 months before the
marriage

Funerals - by arrangement

Basilian Fathers serving the Parish

Fr. Joseph Pidskalny, OSBM - Administrator

М'ясопущна Неділя



Meat-Fare Sunday

1 Corinthians 8:8 - 9:2
Matthew 25:31-46

Welcome! The Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish welcomes everyone to our Sunday Divine Liturgy. Thank you for worshipping with us today. Your presence is a blessing to us.

Coffee and sweets following the 10:30 am Divine Liturgy. Please join us.

Hymns at the 10:30 am Divine Liturgy

Opening: Basilan chant: На Вавилонських риках; Na Vavylons'kykh rikakh

Communion: page 140: Прийде година; Pryide hodyna

Closing: page 134: Вже можеш, Боже; Vzhe mzhesh, Bozhe

Candles that were blessed on the Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord (February 2) are available at the side altar of Our Lord (south side).

Wednesday, February 11: 10:00 am: Parish Council meeting in the Fellowship Room.

Thursday, February 12: 10:00 am: Parish Centennial Committee meeting in the Boardroom.

Sunday, February 15: Pancake Breakfast in the Parish Auditorium following both morning Divine Liturgies. Please see poster for details.

GREAT LENT begins on Monday, February 16. During Great Lent we will celebrate:

- **Stations of the Cross** on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm in chapel.
- **Divine Liturgy and Sorokousty Service** (praying for our deceased family members and friends) on Fridays at 7:00 pm in church.

You may submit new names for the Sorokousty Service by using the Sorokousty envelopes that are found in the church vestibule.

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for February 2026

For children with incurable diseases. Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

"Alcohol Free January" Cancer Society Fundraiser - Team Results

The St. Mary's Cancer Fundraising team would like to thank all parishioners and friends who supported our month-long challenge. We were a small but enthusiastic team that more than reached our goal of \$5,000. **We raised \$7,513.** The hotdog and beverage sale was a resounding success. Your continued support will certainly contribute funds for on-going research that links colorectal and breast cancer to regular alcohol consumption. **Thanks again from the team.**

Frozen Pyrohy (Perogies)

Frozen pyrohy (perogies) will be available for purchase after both Sunday Divine Liturgies in the Fellowship Room kitchen. \$10/dozen.



Easter Paska - Our UCWLC, together with ladies from the parish, will be making Paska to be ready for Easter. Bread will be ready for pickup on Sunday, March 29 (Palm Sunday). Order forms will be available in church. There will be no sales on the day of pickup. Please take a form and place your order early.

Thank you for your support.

Marlayne Andrijaszyn, President



St. Mary's Parish Lenten Mission

Missionary: Fr. Dmytro Dnistrian, C.Ss.R.

Associate Pastor - Sts. Peter & Paul
Ukrainian Catholic Church, Saskatoon, SK

"Our Lenten Journey in the Modern World"

Friday, March 6: 10:00 am - Divine Liturgy,
Panachyda & Mission Homily

Saturday, March 7: 10:00 am - Divine Liturgy &
Mission Homily

Sunday, March 8: Mission Homily at 8:30 am &
10:30 am Divine Liturgies

Opportunity for the Sacrament of Confession at each Divine Liturgy

Meat-Fare Sunday

Reflection from the Lenten Triodion - Vespers

When the thrones are set up and the books are opened, and God will sit in judgment, what fear shall I feel at that moment! When the angels shall tremble at His side and a river of fire will rise up, what shall we sinners then do? When we shall hear the blessed of His Father called to the kingdom of heaven and the sinners to eternal punishment, who will be able to endure His dreadful condemnation? But you, O my Saviour, hasten to convert me before the end, and, O King of the ages, have mercy on me.

Коли поставлять престולי та розгорнуть книги і Бог на суді сяде, а біля нього з острахом стоятимуть ангели, і ріка вогняна потече перед ним, - який же тоді жах буде! Що вчинимо тоді ми, люди винуваті в багатьох гріхах? Як почуємо, що він покличе благословенних до Отцевого царства, а грішників відішле на прокляття, то хто перенесе його страшний вирок? Але ти, єдиний і чоловіколюбний Спасе і Царю віків, перше ніж прийде кінець, наверни нас покаяттям і помилуй.



PANCAKE BREAKFAST

SPONSORED BY THE
UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE
St. Mary's Parish – Vancouver Branch

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2026

Parish Auditorium

9:30 (following 8:30 Divine Liturgy)
12:00 (following 10:30 Divine Liturgy)

Adults / Seniors / Youth 13+	\$15
Children 4-12	pay by age
Children 3 and under	Free

