

# Winter Program Guide 2017

Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Edmonton



See what the Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Edmonton has to offer this winter for faith seekers of all ages!

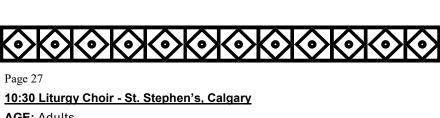
### Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Edmonton

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AGE: Adults

**DESCRIPTION:** This choir sings primarily at the 10:30 am Divine Liturgy, and occasions such as carol festivals, banquets, weddings, baptisms, etc... DATES: Sundays at 10:30 am Liturgies. Practices on many Wednesday

nights at 6:00 pm. Sept. - June

LOCATION: St. Stephen Protomartyr Church 4903 - 45 St., SW, Calgary

### **Newman Theological College**

### **Certificate in Eastern Christian Traditions.**

PROFESSOR: Sr. Dr. Zoe Bernatsky SSMI

This certificate includes six 5 week courses:

The Theology of Eastern Christianity Part I (2016)

- The Theology of Eastern Christianity Part II (2016)
- Worship & Spirituality of Eastern Catholic Churches Jan. 9 Feb. 12, 2017
- Praying with Icons Feb. 20 March 26, 2017
- The Holy Mysteries: An Introduction April 3 May 7, 2017
- Scripture May 15 June 18, 2017

**AUDIENCE:** General Interest in your personal faith formation, Volunteer catechists, Catholic school teachers, Pastoral Assistants and others whose ministry would be enriched by formal certification in this field

COST: \$85.00 per course

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: The Certificate in Catholic Studies Online Faith Formation Program (C.C.S.) offers a comprehensive selection of courses on various aspects of the Catholic faith. All courses are offered online, so you can study from the comfort of home and work around your personal schedule. The courses can be taken in any order so students are welcome to register at any time throughout the cycle. Each course requires approximately 25 hours of work over a five week period and will involve the completion of readings, assignments, and participation in online discussions. Students may register online at: http://www.newman.edu/



St. Josaphat Choir - St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: Adults, Youth

**DESCRIPTION:** New members are encouraged and invited to join our parish choir singing at 11:00 am Divine Liturgy. No previous singing experience is required. Transliteration is provided.

DATES: Sundays Sept. - June

**TIMES:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm

LOCATION: St. Josaphat Cathedral, 10825 - 97th St.N.W. Edmonton

CONTACT: Melanie: melanie.turgeon@kingsu.ca or 780 - 243 - 6208

Youth Kryllos - Edmonton St. Josaphat, Edmonton

**AGE:** 14 - 35

**DESCRIPTION:** We invite youth and young adults to join our youth kryllos "Barvinok." This year, the kryllos will learn to sing the Divine Liturgy, Vespers, Moleben, Presanctified Liturgy and various church hymns. Also, the group will be taking part in various church events.

**DATES:** To be determined **TIMES:** To be determined

**LOCATION:** St. Josaphat Cathedral, 10825 - 97th St.N.W. Edmonton **CONTACT:** Solomia Babak: 780-457-7071 or bsolomia@gmail.com

Adult Choir - Exaltation of the Holy Cross, Edmonton

AGE: 18 and up.

**DESCRIPTION:** Director: Odesa Nguyen. We sing once or twice a month at

11:00 am Divine Liturgy.

**DATES:** Mondays, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

LOCATION: Parish Hall, 9003 - 153 Ave. Edmonton

CONTACT: Odesa 780 - 667 - 4032. Website: http://www.ehcucp.ca/

5pm Liturgy Choir - St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Youth and Young Adults

**DESCRIPTION:** This choir sings parts of the 5pm Sunday Divine Liturgy

**DATES:** Sundays at 5pm Liturgies.

**LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr Church 4903 – 45 St., SW, Calgary,

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818

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## **Family Programming**

#### My Family - A Domestic Church, Eparchial Program

**AGE:** Young Families. This program is geared toward families with children age 12 and younger

**DESCRIPTION:** This first in a series of workshops focusing on families will look at how parents can bring faith into their homes and build their own "Domestic church". Families will have fun learning and working together to create a vision for themselves as a family of faith.

**DATES:** March 11

TIMES: 5:00 - 8:30 PM. Bring PJs and the kids can get ready for bed before

heading home! **LOCATION:** TBD

COST: \$20.00 per family. Supplies and supper included

CONTACT: Register or for more information: 780-424-5496 or email

education@edmontoneparchy.com .

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Registration and fee deadline is March 3

#### Family Faith & Friends Parent Group, Eparchial Program

AGE: Young families

**DESCRIPTION:** Come meet with other parents over a cup of coffee and friendship to share faith and parenting tips. Childcare is provided.

DATES: Alternating Mondays and Fridays - Jan. 20, Feb. 6, Feb. 24, Mar. 6,

Mar. 24, April 3, April 21, May 1, May 26,

June 5

**TIMES:** 9:00 – 11:00 am

**LOCATION:** St. Nicholas Parish, 9507 – Austin O'Brien Rd., Edmonton

COST: \$2.00 per child, for childcare per

session

**CONTACT:** Christine: 780-686-0648





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#### The Social Mission of the Church Leadership Retreat, Edmonton Eparchy

AGE: Adult

**DESCRIPTION:** This weekend workshop is recommended for Catechists, Clergy, Parish Council members, UCWLC, Brotherhood, Knights Youth ministers; Youth and young adult leaders. Directed by a team from Development and Peace and the Edmonton Eparchy, participants will receive faith formation and professional development on Global Social Justice Issues, informed by Catholic Social Teaching. They will leave the workshop with an understanding of how faith calls them to engage with, and respond to global social justice issues. They will be equipped and inspired to lead others to do so.

DATES: Friday April 28, 5:00 pm - Sunday April 30, 1:00 pm.

LOCATION: Camp Oselia 53230 RR 53 Fallis, AB

**COST:** \$70.00

**CONTACT:** Bernadette: 780-424-5496 or education@edmontoneparchy.com

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Register with payment by April 21.

## **Choir**

#### Children's Choir - St. Josaphat, Edmonton

**AGES:** 5 to 14 yrs.

**DESCRIPTION:** New members are invited to join "Little Angels." This bilingual program will include catechesis, singing, preparation for various events throughout the year, and children's games. The choir will sing the 11 am Divine Liturgy on the last Sunday of each month.

**DATES:** Sundays, 10:00 - 11:00 am, Sept - June

**LOCATION:** St. Josaphat Cathedral, 10825 - 97th Street N.W. Edmonton **CONTACT:** Solomia Babiak: 780 - 457-7071 or bsolomia@gmail.com



Group Study for "Certificate in Eastern Christian Traditions, St. Stephen,

<u>Calgary</u>

AGE: Adults

**DESCRIPTION:** A group study for those taking courses from Newman

Theological College's "Certificate in Eastern Christian Traditions"

**DATES:** Tuesdays Sept - May

**TIMES:** 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

**LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr Church 4903 – 45 St., SW, Calgary, **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** You must be enrolled in class(es) at Newman Theological College. St. Stephen Parish volunteers may "apply" to have their tuition refunded by the parish. You may take the entire certificate program or any

select courses. See page 27 or go to www.newman.edu

**CONTACT:** Parish Office: 403 - 249 - 4818

## **Ministry Training**

Western Canadian Association of Catholic Youth Ministers Annual Gathering, Edmonton Eparchy

AGE: Adult

**DESCRIPTION:** WCACYM's Annual Gathering is a time to build connections, vision and dream for organization, and grow as leaders through professional development. We'll talk about Church Teachings and Hot Button topics, and how it's not always about being right http://www.wcacym.ca/annual-gathering.html

DATES: January 12 - 15

TIMES: Thursday 7pm to Sunday noon.

LOCATION: Providence Renewal Centre, 3005-119 St., Edmonton, AB.

COST: \$250.00

CONTACT: Millie @ 780-446-1061 to register with payment

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Deadline for Registration is Jan. 9



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#### Family Winter Spectacular, Camp Oselia

AGE: All ages

**DESCRIPTION:** Surround yourself in God's creation! Winter activities for children include: skating, curling, snow fort building, snow painting and snowshoeing. Parents will enjoy a warm and cozy atmosphere as they gain resources and explore the trials and triumphs of living in a faith-centred home.

**DATES**: February 25, 2017

**TIMES:** 9 am - 5 pm

**LOCATION:** Camp Oselia 53230 RR 53 Fallis, AB **COST:** \$30.00 per family meals and snack included

CONTACT: Damian Rudiak, Camp Director oselia@edmontoneparchy.com

780-424-5496

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Registration and fee must be submitted by

February 17, 2017. NO LATE REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED.

#### Living Laudato Si at home, Camp Oselia

AGE: Families of all ages

**DESCRIPTION:** Explore how your family can be enriched by living Pope Francis' encyclical "Laudato Si" (Care for Our Common Home) at home. The practical, spiritual and economic principles at the heart of Pope Francis' call to action will help us rekindle our role as stewards of God's creation. Interactive sessions for children will explore the beauty of nature and ways to take care of the environment, while parents will acquire practical tools to make living "Laudato Si" affordable, practical and fun.

DATES: April 21-22

**TIMES:** 6:00 pm April 21 – 4:00 pm April 22

LOCATION: Camp Oselia 53230 RR 53 Fallis, AB

**CONTACT**: Damian Rudiak, Camp Director: oselia@edmontoneparchy.com or 780-424-5496

COST: TBD

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Registration and fee payment deadline

April 13. NO LATE REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED.



Faith Fridays - St Stephen, Calgary

**AGE:** Cradle to Grave (via Breakout sessions)

**DESCRIPTION:** A multi-Byzantine intergenerational program with food. A

group session is followed by age appropriate breakout sessions.

**DATES:** Fridays, Jan 20, Jan 27, Feb 10, Feb 24, Mar 10, Mar 24, April 7, April

28, May 12, May 26, June 9

**TIMES:** 6:00pm meal; 7pm – 9pm Catechesis

**LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr, 4903 – 45 Street, SW, Calgary

**COST:** Free or by donation. Some meals are pot-luck.

CONTACT: Parish Office 403-249-4818

#### Mothers And Fathers In Action (M.A.F.I.A.) - St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Parents with young children

**DESCRIPTION:** Fun gatherings of young families for spiritual, social, emotional, and catechetical development of both the children and the parents.

DATES: Many Saturdays and all "Faith Fridays" (see above) and other

occasional events.

**TIMES:** Fri. 6:00 - 8:00 pm.,

LOCATION: St. Stephen Protomartyr Church, 4903 – 45 Street, SW, Calgary

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818

#### Prayer and Reflection Nights - Exaltation of the Holy Cross, Edmonton

AGE: All ages

**DESCRIPTION** Come spend some time in silent reflection with our Lord.

**DATES:** - Last Friday of the month

**TIMES:** 7:00 - 8:00 pm.

**LOCATION:** Exaltation of the Holy Cross, 9003 – 153 Ave., **CONTACT:** Website: http://www.ehcucp.ca/ 780 -475-2770



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#### Table for Two – You are My Valentine

AGE: Adult

Feb 11 - Those married at least 7 years

Feb 12 - Young Adult - dating or newly married

**DESCRIPTION:** A romantic candlelit dinner for couples married or dating, "Table for Two" provides the ideal opportunity to focus only on each other. Each of the four courses is served up with discussion starters which invite couples to explore and deepen their relationship with each other and with God. A guest speaker will give a short presentation on a topic related to sacramental marriage.

DATES: Feb 11 or Feb 12

**TIMES:** 5:30 pm

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist Parish, 6425 - 120 Ave., Edmonton

COST: \$75 per couple.

**CONTACT:** Register with payment by Feb. 9, 780-424-5496 or

#### Shroud of Turin Presentation - St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: Adults

**DESCRIPTION:** The two-hour presentation on the Shroud includes an in-depth slide presentation, a documentary film, and time for prayerful meditation on the digital full-size reproduction of the Shroud of Turin.

**DATES:** Last Sunday of each month

**TIMES:** 2:00 – 4:00 pm

LOCATION: St. Josaphat Cathedral, 10825 97th St. N.W. Edmonton

**CONTACT:** Ed Hecker at 780 - 483 - 4707

#### Plus Fifty - St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Adults over 50

**DESCRIPTION:** An active organization for seniors involved in the social,

spiritual and organizational life of the parish.

DATES: Last Tuesday of the Month. Sept - June

TIMES: 11 am

**LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr Church 4903 – 45 St., SW, Calgary

**CONTACT:** Parish Office: 403 - 249 - 4818



Catechism - "Christ Our Pascha - Teaching series,

**Edmonton Eparchy** 

**AGE**: Adult

**DESCRIPTION:** After a number of years in the making

an English translation of the Catechism of the Ukrainian Greco Catholic Church has been published! This Catechism deals with:

OUR PASCH

<u>PART ONE: THE FAITH OF THE CHURCH</u> What do we, as Eastern Catholics, believe? On what is our Church teaching based?

<u>PART TWO: THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH</u> What is the purpose of prayer? How do we pray as a Church, as families, and as individuals?

<u>PART THREE: THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH</u> What does the Church teach us about how to live a Christian life within today's culture?

We will continue our series of presentations that began in the fall. You may attend any or all of the sessions whether or not you have attended the others.

**PRESENTER:** Fr. Stephen Wojcichowsky **DATE:** Jan. 20/17 - 6:30 -8:30 pm. - Part II

LOCATION: St. Josaphat Cathedral, 10825 97th St. N.W., Ed.

**DATE:** Feb. 3/17 - 6:30 - 8:30 pm. - Part III

**LOCATION:** Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God, 15608 – 104 Ave. Ed.

**DATE:** Feb. 24/17 - 6:30 -8:30 pm. - Part III

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist Parish, 6425 - 120 Ave., Edmonton

**CONTACT:** Bernadette: 780-424-5496, education@edmontoneparchy.com for more information or if you would like to hold a livestreamed session at your parish

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Copies of "Christ our Pascha" will be available for purchase for \$20.00 + GST at each of the sessions or at the chancery office. Childcare will be made available for those needing it. Please call ahead.

**NOTE:** These sessions will be livestreamed to designated locations. Check the website for more information http://www.eeparchy.com/.



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### **Children and Youth - Sunday Programs**

<u>Little Friends of Jesus - Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God,</u>

**Edmonton** 

**AGE**: 3 - 10

**DESCRIPTION:** A drop-in program every second Sunday during the first part of the 10:00 Divine Liturgy. The program centres on the Sunday gospels, feast days, Eastern Catholic tradition and liturgical seasons. Parents of the youngest students are encouraged to attend with their children.

DATES: Every second Sunday Sept - May

TIMES: 10:00 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God, 15608 – 104 Ave

**CONTACT:** Christine: 780-438-2625 or Tanya: 780-437-5205

#### Bozhi Dity (God's Children) - St. Nicholas, Edmonton

AGE: 3-7 year olds (until they receive Solemn Communion).

**DESCRIPTION:** Meet at the beginning of Divine Liturgy for a catechism lesson and related craft for about 1/2 an hour. Then the children join the Divine Liturgy.

DATES: Every Sunday Oct. - May

TIMES: 10:00 Divine Liturgy

LOCATION: 9507 Austin O'Brien Rd. N.W.

CONTACT: Call or text Brittany: 780-293-1343.

#### Bozhi Dity (God's Children )- St. Basil, Edmonton

**AGE:** 3 - 8 (must be toilet-trained)

**DESCRIPTION:** Children learn about faith through song, craft and prayer.

**DATES**: Every Sunday Sept - May.

TIMES:11:00 am Divine Liturgy. Drop off child(ren) at 11 am .They join their

parents at 11:45.

**LOCATION:** 7007 109 St. Edmonton. Meet in the classroom located in the rectory. Enter through north facing doors closest to parking lot (there is signage).

CONTACT: Linda: lindajohnson@ualberta.net

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Children enjoy a small snack and drink.



#### Sunday School - Exaltation of the Holy Cross, Edmonton

AGE: 3-8 with older children as helpers

**DESCRIPTION:** During 11:00 am Divine Liturgy. Children learn about God,

Jesus, Mary and our Church with the help of teachers/catechists.

DATES: Sundays, Sept. - June

**TIMES:** 11:00 am

LOCATION: 9003 - 153 Ave. Edmonton

CONTACT: Office:780-475-2770 or Candice: 780-278-0438

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Website: http://www.ehcucp.ca/

#### Sunday School- St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: Kindergarten - Grade 5

**DESCRIPTION:** We provide Catechism using the "God With Us" series; a

program developed by Eastern Catholic Bishops.

**DATES:** Sundays, Sept, - May

**TIMES:** 10:30 – 11:30 am

LOCATION: 10825 97th St, N.W. Edmonton

**CONTACT:** Parish office at 780-422-3181 or josaphat@telus.net

#### Sunday School - St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Children ages 3 to 7

**DESCRIPTION:** Bible Stories and crafts

DATES: Most Sundays (not long weekends, or school long weekends)

**TIMES:** During the 10:30 Liturgy starting after Gospel

**LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr Church 4903 – 45 Street, SW, Calgary

CONTACT: Parish Office (403) 249-4818

#### Sunday School - Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Paul, AB.

AGE: Children 2-10 years

**DESCRIPTION:** Catechism lessons including prayer, instruction & activity

**DATE:** Every second Sunday Sept. - June. Subject to change **TIMES:** Beginning of Divine Liturgy until after the homily. **LOCATION:** P.B.V.M. Church, 5201 - 51 St., St.Paul, AB.

CONTACT: Corinne Pashko: 780-645-0504



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### <u>The Bible and the Virgin Mary: A Journey Through Scripture - Assumption</u> of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Calgary

AGE: Adult

**DESCRIPTION:** The Bible and the Virgin Mary unveils the mystery of Our Lady that is woven into the fabric of Sacred Scripture. In this beautiful and aweinspiring series based on Dr. Scott Hahn's book *Hail, Holy Queen*, watch the Mary of doctrine and devotion come alive in a powerful, new way!

**DATES:** Tuesdays

**TIMES:** 7:00 pm. to 9:00 pm.

LOCATION: Church Hall, ABVM, 704 – 6<sup>th</sup> St. NE

Calgary

CONTACT: Rectory Office, Tues., Wed., Thurs.,

10:00 am -5:00 pm., 403 - 230 - 7013;

abvmadmin@shaw.ca

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Please check website calendar at www.abvmcalgary.com to

confirm dates and times.



### **Adult Faith Formation**

#### GriefShare - Grief Recovery Support Group, Edmonton Eparchy

AGE: Adult

**DESCRIPTION:** An 11 - week program for those searching for support in their grief over the loss of a loved one. Each session will include a video and group discussion. Our goal is to build community with others who have experienced loss, gain a better understanding of what we are experiencing, and give and receive support and encouragement while journeying through mourning.

DATES: Thursdays, March 16 - June 1

**TIMES:** 6:30 - 8:30 pm.

**LOCATION:** Edmonton Eparchy Pastoral Centre 9645 – 108 Ave,

COST: \$20.00 to cover materials.

**CONTACT:** Bernie: education@edmontoneparchy.com or 780–424-5496.



### **Scripture Studies**

#### Scripture Study - St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: Adults

**DESCRIPTION:** Topic for 2016-2017: ``The Great Adventure BibleTimeline.`` This is an opportunity to read through the major books and events of the Old and New Testaments to get a good overview of the history of salvation.

DATES: Tuesdays, Sept - June

**TIMES:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm

**LOCATION:** St. Josaphat Cathedral, 10825 97th St, N.W. Edmonton

**CONTACT:** Don Hucal: 780-424-3477

#### Scripture Study - Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God, Grande Prairie

AGE: Adult

**DESCRIPTION**: We will be starting an introduction to the Bible with the Program

"Bible Timeline".

**DATES:** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday evenings - Sept - June. New participants are

welcome

**TIMES:** 7:00 - 8:00 pm.

LOCATION: Dormition Parish, 10315-114 Ave, Grande Prairie, AB

**CONTACT:** Fr. Roman: 780-933-4468

#### Scripture Study - St. Stephen, Calgary

**AGE**: Adult

**DESCRIPTION:** Studying Scripture through the "The Great Adventure Bible Study" Series with Jeff Cavins. This year we shall conclude studying the Gospel of Matthew, and then look at the book of Acts. All are welcome. Feel free to drop in (regular attendance is encouraged, but not required).

DATES: Mondays, Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> - June

TIMES: 7pm

LOCATION: St. Stephen Protomartyr Church 4903 – 45 St., SW, Calgary

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818



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#### Sunday School - St Sophia, Sherwood Park

**AGE:** 3-7

**DESCRIPTION:** Runs the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month with the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month being the children's homily by Fr Rendy. Children meet in the library during Divine Liturgy after the Gospel reading for a brief lesson and craft. We then return back to the Liturgy before Communion.

**DATES:** 2,3,4 Sundays of the month Sept through June

TIMES: 10:00AM after the Gospel

**LOCATION:** Madonna school, 15 Main Blvd, Sherwood Park **CONTACT:** Lisa at 780-922-0201 or <a href="mailto:lisagreg3@hotmail.com">lisagreg3@hotmail.com</a>

#### Sunday School - Dormition, Grande Prairie, AB.

**AGE:** 4-8

**DESCRIPTION:** After the Gospel there is a lesson, crafts and stories to help the children learn about the Gospel in a more meaningful way. They rejoin the Divine Liturgy after the 20-minute class.

DATES: Every Sunday, Sept - June

**TIMES:** After the Gospel reading at the 10:00 am. Divine Liturgy **LOCATION:** Dormition Parish, 10315 - 114 Ave, Grande Prairie, AB **CONTACT:** Lynda lyndaatamanchuk@shaw.ca or 780-978-8133

#### Sunday School Program - St. Olga, Vermilion, AB.

**AGE**: 6-12

**DESCRIPTION:** During the 8:30 am. Divine Liturgy. The children leave at the homily and return just before Eucharist (about 1/2 hour).

DATES: 1st. and 3rd. Sundays of the month, Sept - May

LOCATION: Children's room, St. Olga Parish, 6052 - 52 Ave, Vermilion

**TIMES:** 8:30 am

**CONTACT:** Denise: 780-853-6923.



### **Children and Youth - Catechism**

#### Children of Light Program - Holy Trinity, Vegreville, AB.

AGE: 3 to 13. Over the age of 13 are to be helpers.

**DESCRIPTION:** The program follows the Catholic and Public School calendars in Vegreville. Along with catechism classes, crafts, singing and pizza, we also participate in special events throughout the year:

**DATES:** Friday's 4 pm - 5pm (except when there is no school)

LOCATION: 5705 - 51 St., Vegreville

**CONTACT:** Teresa 780-658-2401, Christine 780-636-1466

#### Sadochok - St. Basil, Edmonton

AGE: 3 and 4 years old

**DESCRIPTION:** A pre-school program offering education in the Ukrainian Catholic faith and culture. Accepting new registrants throughout the year.

DATES: Wed. - 3 yrs old, Tues/Thurs - 4 yrs old

**TIMES:** 9:00am-11:30 am

LOCATION: St. Basil's Cultural Centre, 10819 71 Ave.

CONTACT: stbasilssadochok@gmail.com, Amy 780-220-2637

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Contact regarding flexible start dates to

accommodate children turning 3 years of age after Sept. 13.

#### Sadochok - St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: 19 months to kindergarten

**DESCRIPTION:** Children participate in an environment rich in Ukrainian language, culture, religion and fun. Bilingual and immersion classes are offered. An afternoon 4-5 yr. old program is also available. Accepting new registrants throughout the year.

DATES: Bilingual - Tues, Thurs. Immersion - Mon. Wed, Fri. 4-5 yr. - Mon - Fri.

**TIMES:** Morning - 8:30 - 1130 am. Afternoon - 12:30 - 3:45pm.

LOCATION: St. Matthew School 8735 - 132 Ave.

CONTACT: Nadia: 780-472-6946 Patty: 780-945-0432

playschool@sadochok.com.



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#### Icon Workshops, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Adults

**DESCRIPTION:** A series of Icon workshops during a 10 day period for all levels of iconographers including those who have never painted/written an icon before.

DATES: March 3 - 13

TIMES: TBD

**LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr Church, 4903 – 45 St, SW, Calgary

COST: TBD

**CONTACT:** Parish Office, 403 - 249 - 4818

#### Open Icon Studio, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Adults

**DESCRIPTION:** Open Icon Studio is an opportunity for Iconographers in Calgary to work and learn together. This is not a class. Iconographers work on their own projects.

**DATES:** Most Mondays **TIMES:** 10am – 1pm

**LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr Church, 4903 – 45 St, SW, Calgary

**COST:** Free – Materials not provided.

**CONTACT:** Parish Office: 403 - 249 - 4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Times subject to change with minimal

notice. Contact Fr. Bo before each session.





Teen Spring Retreat, Edmonton Eparchy

**AGE:** 13 to 17

**DESCRIPTION:** Start your Spring Break right! Unwind, recharge, and share some prayers and fun at this year's Eparchial Spring Break Retreat. Bring a friend and spread the word! Transportation will be available if needed.

**DATES:** March 24 - 27

**TIMES:** Drop-off 5 to 7pm on Friday March 24<sup>th</sup> and pick up 6pm March 27th

LOCATION: Camp Oselia - Range Rd. 53 - Hwy 16

**COST:** \$75.00

**CONTACT:** Millie: youth@eeparchy.com. or 780-424-5496, or 780-446-1061

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Register with payment by March 17

### **Iconography**

#### **Iconography Workshop - Edmonton Eparchy**

AGE: Age 16 and over

**DESCRIPTION:** Instructor: Fr. Bohdan Nahachewsky All levels are welcome.

This is a wonderful spiritual opportunity! Over two weekends participants will

complete a Byzantine icon in this intensive, prayerful workshop.

**DATES & TIMES:** 

May 4-6:00-9:00 pm.

May 5 - 6:00 - 9:00 pm.

May 6 - 9:00 am. - 7:00 pm.

May 11 - 6:00 - 9:00 pm

May 12 - 6:00 - 9:00 pm.

May 13 - 9:00 am. - 7:00 pm

**LOCATION:** Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God Parish hall

15608 - 104 Ave

**COST:** \$385.00 per person, covers all supplies, meals and snacks.

**CONTACT:** To register with payment call: 780-424-5496, or mail cheque to:

Edmonton Eparchy 9645-108 Ave. Edmonton, T5H 1A3. For more information

email: education@edmontoneparchy.com or call Fr. Bo: 403-999-9560

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Register early space is limited



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### **Sacramental Preparation**

#### Marriage Preparation Weekend - St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Adult

**DESCRIPTION:** A three-day course designed to prepare engaged couples for

the Holy Mystery of Marriage.

**DATES:** February 10 – 12, 2017

TIMES: TBD

LOCATION: St. Stephen Protomartyr Church, 4903 – 45 Street, SW, Calgary

**CONTACT:** Parish Office: 403 - 249 - 4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Couples need to contact the parish at least 6

months prior to the proposed wedding date.

#### Marriage Preparation St. Josaphat Cathedral, Edmonton

**AGE:** Adults wishing to be married.

**DESCRIPTION:** Couples learn ten essential skills for a healthy marriage

and hear testimonials that will prepare them for their journey together.

DATES: PART 1: Friday, February 3 to Saturday, February 4

PART 2: Friday, March 10 to Saturday, March 11

LOCATION: St. Josaphat Cathedral Basement, 10825 - 97th St. Edmonton

CONTACT: www.stjosaphat.ab.ca or 780-422-3181.

COST: \$195.00 per couple (course, supplies, and meals are included).

Completed registration form & cheque to:

St. Josaphat/ Marriage Preparation Course 10825 - 97th Street,

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Registration Deadline: Jan.16.

#### **Solemn Holy Communion & First Confession Preparation**

#### St.Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: Grade 2 or 3

**DESCRIPTION:** Weekly on Saturdays

**DATES**: Saturdays, Jan. 14 - Apr. 30, 2017

**TIMES**: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

**LOCATION:** St. Josaphat Basement

CONTACT: Parish office at 780-422-3181 or josaphat@telus.net



#### **Holy Eucharist, Edmonton**

DATE: Saturdays: Jan 14 - April 22

Jan. 14, 21, 28, Feb. 4, 11, 25, Mar. 4, 11, 18, Apr. 1, 22

**TIME:** 10:30 am to 12 pm

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist 6425 - 120 Ave

**CONTACT:** Fr. Planchak 780 - 914 - 2573 or Oksana 780 - 719 - 2272

#### St. Basil, Edmonton

AGE: 7 years (grade two) and older

**DESCRIPTION:** Weekly Lessons to prepare the children **DATES:** TBD – beginning early in the new year (January) **TIMES:** A parent meeting will determine times and dates.

**LOCATION:** St. Basil's Parish

**CONTACT:** People can register with the parish office or with Elizabeth

Dokken @ 780 - 430 -1870, Beverly Kostyniuk @ 780 - 434 - 2967

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Celebration of Solemn Communion - April 2.

#### St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Children 7 & 8 with parent participation

**DESCRIPTION:** Children & their families learn together

**DATES:** Sundays - January - May

**TIMES:** 9:30 am – 11:30 am (includes participation in 10:30 Liturgy with family) **LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr Church 4903 – 45 Street, SW, Calgary

CONTACT: Parish Office (403) 249-4818

#### Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Calgary

**DATES:** Saturdays: Oct - May

TIMES: 1:00—2:30pm.

**LOCATION:** Church Hall, ABVM 704 – 6th St. NE Calgary

CONTACT: Rectory Office, Tues., Wed., Thurs., 10:00 am -5:00 pm.,

403-230-7013; abvmadmin@shaw.ca

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Please check website calendar at

www.abvmcalgary.com to confirm dates and times.



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Art Night: Artistic Expression and Spirituality - Holy Eucharist, Edmonton

**AGE:** 14 & Up

**DESCRIPTION:** An evening of music, art making, snacks and a

presentation on Christian art.

**DATE:** February 10

TIME: 6 pm

**LOCATION**: Holy Eucharist 6425 - 120 Ave

CONTACT: Oksana 780 - 719 - 2272

#### "Sleepover with Jesus" - Lenten Children's Retreat, Holy Eucharist,

AGE: Grades 1 to 6

**DESCRIPTION:** Make new friends! See friends from summer or previous

camps at this overnight retreat.! All snacks and meals will be provided.

DATES: March 3 - 4,

**TIMES:** March 3 5:30 p.m. - March 4 1:00 pm

COST: \$15.00 per child.

**LOCATION:** Holy Eucharist 6425 – 120 Ave., Edmonton AB

CONTACT: Millie: youth@eeparchy.com or 780-424-5496 or Oksana:

780 -719 -2272

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: We will be sleeping in Holy Eucharist

basement/hall. Please provide a mat for sleeping, bedding, toiletries, and PJs.

#### Plashchanytsia Hop, Edmonton Eparchy

AGE: Youth & Young Adults age 13 - 35

**DESCRIPTION:** We will pray and share our faith and spend time together in prayer and veneration of the Holy Shroud. Lenten snacks will be provided. Bring your friends!

DATES: Great and Holy (Good) Friday, April 14

TIMES: Meet at 2:45 p.m.

**LOCATION:** Meet at St Josaphat Cathedral, 10825 97th St, N.W. Edmonton, to carpool to various parishes throughout Edmonton. If you are not able to join us for all 9 churches feel free to drop in at any point along the way.

CONTACT: Call Millie 780 - 446 - 1061 or Beth 780 - 999 - 8631



**Lenten Bible Movie Night - Holy Eucharist, Edmonton** 

**AGE**: 15 to 30

DATE: Wednesdays: Mar. 1, Apr. 5

TIME: 7 pm

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist, 6425 120 Ave

CONTACT: Fr. Planchak 780 - 914.-573 or Oksana 780 -719 -2272

Young Adult Social Movie Night & Pizza - Holy Eucharist, Edmonton

**AGE**: 15 to 30

**DESCRIPTION**: Get to know other young adults, watch movies and take

part in discussions.

**DATE**: 3rd Sunday of each month

**TIME**: 6:00 pm

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist 6425 - 120 Ave

**CONTACT**: Fr. Planchak 780 - 914 - 2573 or Oksana 780 - 719 - 2272

Young Adults Group, St. George, Edmonton

**AGE:** 15 - 35

**DESCRIPTION:** Social for youth and young adults. Pizza and drinks will be

provided.

DATE: Saturday, February 4, Saturday, March 4

TIME: 6pm Vespers, 7pm Social

**LOCATION:** St. George's Parish, 11305 – 95A Street, Edmonton

CONTACT: Taras Tymkevytch 587 - 597 - 7200, tarastmk@gmail.com

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Join our Group on Facebook

Young Adults, St. Stephen - Calgary

**AGE:** 18 – 35

**DESCRIPTION:** Gatherings of Young Adults for Spiritual, Social, Emotional,

and Catechetical development. And we have lots of fun!

**DATES:** During "Faith Fridays" and occasional special events.

**TIMES:** 6:00 - 9:00 pm.

**LOCATION:** St. Stephen Protomartyr Church, 4903 – 45 St., SW, Calgary

**CONTACT:** Parish Office: 403 - 249 - 4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: See "Faith Fridays" pg. 6



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St. Sophia, Sherwood Park, AB.

**AGE:** 7+

**DESCRIPTION:** Eight weekly Friday evening classes from Jan - March Celebration of 1<sup>st</sup> Confession is, Mar 18, and Solemn Communion is, Mar 19

DATES: Friday, January 13, Friday Mar 17

TIMES: 6:30-8:00pm

LOCATION: 93 Malvern Drive, Sherwood Park

CONTACT: Lisa 780 - 922 - 0201 or lisagreg3@hotmail.com

Baptismal Prep. (Infants & Young Children) - St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Those wanting infants and young children to be baptized.

**DESCRIPTION:** A one-day course designed to prepare parents and God-parents

for the baptism of their child. Child care is available.

DATES: Choose 1: Jan. 21, or March 25

**TIMES:** 10 am – 4 pm

LOCATION: St. Stephen Protomartyr Church, 4903 – 45 St., SW, Calgary

**CONTACT:** Parish Office (403) 249 - 4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: If you cannot attend a baptismal prep

Saturday, special classes must be arranged before a baptism may take place.

Older children and youth will be prepared at specially arranged classes.

**Youth Groups & Activities** 

Altar Servers - St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: Boys ages 7 and up

**DESCRIPTION:** Altar servers assist at the 9:30 am and 11:00 am Divine Liturgies on Sundays. Meetings take place on a monthly or bi-monthly basis.

**DATES:** We generally meet on Fridays. Contact Fr. Mike or Fr. Peter to find out which Fridays.

**LOCATION:** St. Josaphat Cathedral, 10825 97th St.N.W., Edmonton

CONTACT: Fr. Mike or Fr. Peter 780-422-3181



#### Altar Servers, St. Stephen, Calgary

**AGE:** Children/Youth who have received their First.Solemn Communion **DESCRIPTION:** Serving at the altar during Divine Liturgies and other services.

**DATES:** Serving: At all liturgical services. Classes: During "Faith Fridays" and occasional special classes

**TIMES:** 6:00 - 9:00 pm

LOCATION: St. Stephen Protomartyr Church4903 – 45 St., SW, Calgary

**CONTACT:** Parish Office: 403 - 249 - 4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: See "Faith Fridays" pg. 6

#### Children of Mary, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Children/Youth who have received their First Solemn Communion

**DESCRIPTION:** Participation in Divine Liturgies and other services.

**DATES:** Liturgical participation at all liturgical services. Classes: During

"Faith Fridays" and occasional special classes

**TIMES:** 6:00—9:00 pm.

LOCATION: St. Stephen Protomartyr Church, 4903 - 45 St., SW, Calgary

CONTACT: Parish Office (403) 249-4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: See "Faith Fridays" pg. 6

#### Youth - St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Students in Junior and Senior High School

 $\textbf{DESCRIPTION:} \ \ \text{Gatherings of teens for spiritual, social, emotional, and}$ 

catechetical development. And we have lots of fun!!!

**DATES:** During "Faith Fridays" and occasional special events.

TIMES: 6:00—9:00 pm.

LOCATION: St. Stephen Protomartyr Church, 4903 – 45 Street, SW, Calgary

CONTACT: Parish Office (403) 249-4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: See "Faith Fridays" pg.6



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Myrrh Bearers/Altar Servers - Dormition, Grande Prairie, AB.

**AGE**: 6 -17

**DESCRIPTION:** We will be learning about our faith, becoming more involved in the life of the parish, sharing our faith by helping others through social outreach and enjoying spending time with friends.

DATES: 1st and 2nd Friday of the month. Sept - June

**TIMES:** 7:00 - 9:00 pm

LOCATION: Dormition Parish, 10315-114 Ave, Grande Prairie, AB

**CONTACT:** Fr. Roman: 780 - 933-4468

#### Y-Disciple - St. Josaphat, Edmonton

**DESCRIPTION:**Y-Disciple is a tool for small group discipleship with teens in any parish. Featuring engaging video material, Y-Disciple reaches out and forms teenagers in a unique and powerful way.

**DATES:** Fridays

**TIMES:** 5:00 – 6:00 pm

**LOCATION**: St. Josaphat's Parish Office 10825 - 97th St.N.W.Edmonton **CONTACT**: Donna Babej: 780 - 423 - 9077 or donna.babej@gmail.com

#### Children's Movie Night & Pizza - Holy Eucharist, Edmonton

AGE: Elementary School

**DESCRIPTION**: An opportunity to get to know other children, socialize and

faith-based children's movies.

DATE: 4th Sunday of each month

**TIME**: 6:00 pm

**LOCATION**: Holy Eucharist Basement 6425 120 Ave

**CONTACT**: Fr. Planchak: 780 - 914 - 2573 or Oksana 780 - 719 - 2272

#### Youth Group, St. Sophia, Sherwood Park, AB.

**AGE**: 12 – 18

**DESCRIPTION:** We are beginning a new youth group! We will be meeting throughout the year. Our first meeting with be on December 18th, 2016 and the youth will discuss the direction they would like the youth group to go in.

CONTACT: Orysia Huk-Richards 780-231-0804, Orysia.Huk-richards@ecsd.net