

Winter Program Guide 2018

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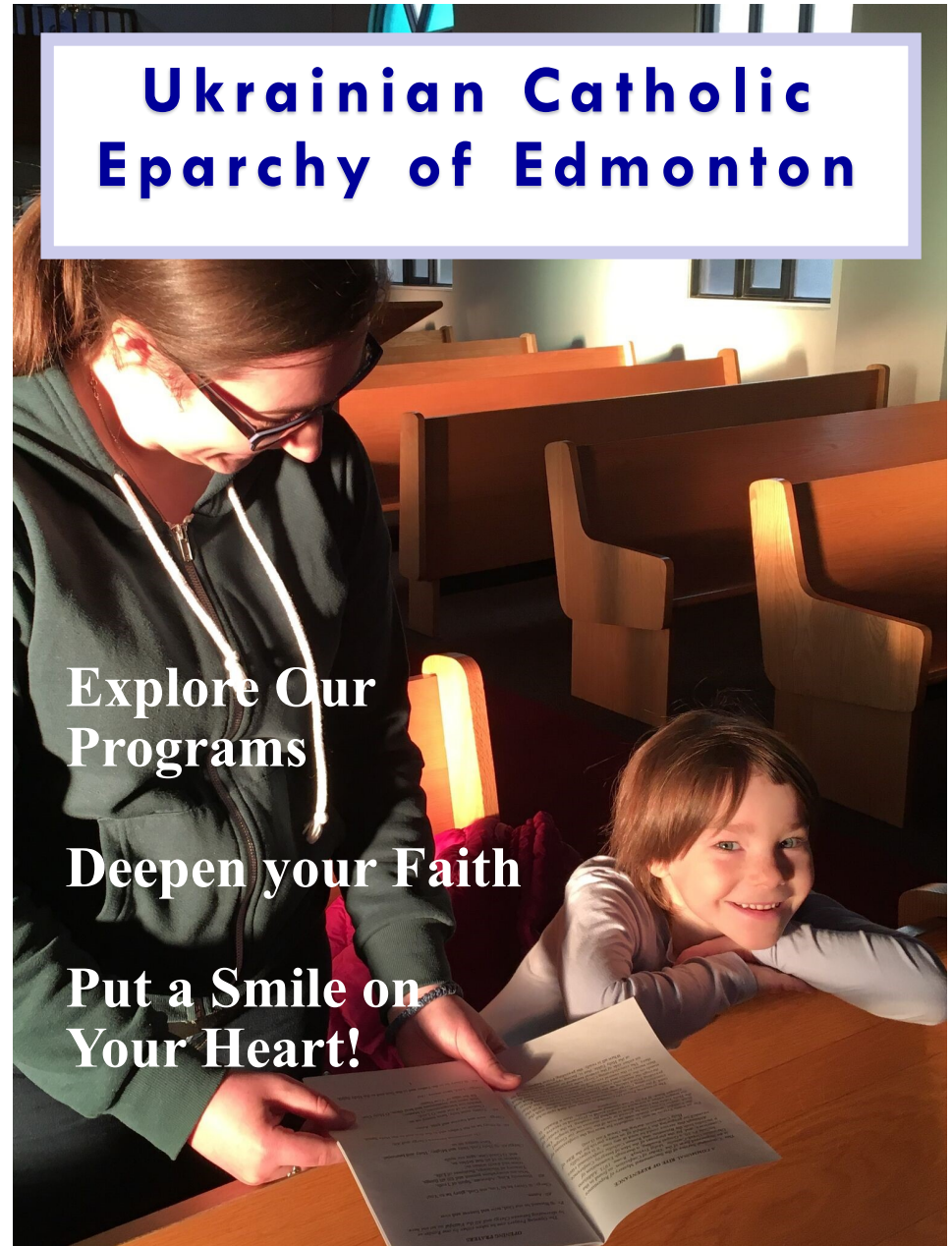
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Canons of the East – Marriage

AGE: Adults and youth with an Alberta High School Diploma (with English 30) or its equivalent

DATES: Jan 12,13, Feb 16,17, Mar,3, Mar 16,17

TIMES: Fri. 6:30-9:20 pm and Sat. 9:00am – 12 noon

LOCATION: Ukrainian Catholic Eparchial Pastoral Centre, 9645 -108 Avenue, Edmonton

CONTACT: Maria Saulnier, Registrar, 780-392-2451, registrar@newman.edu

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Professor – Bishop David Motiuk

Certificate in Catholic Studies Program

AGE: Adults and youth of all backgrounds and education levels in all countries.

DESCRIPTION: A comprehensive selection of courses on various aspects of the Catholic faith. All are offered online, so you can study from home and work around your personal schedule. Each course runs five weeks. Take individual courses, or work toward one or all of the 19 specialized Certificates in Catholic Studies.

Certificates

Certificates in Eastern Christian Traditions

Certificate in International Development (ID)

Certificates in Scripture

Certificate in Social Justice (SJ)

Certificate in Youth Evangelization (YE)

DATES: September 26, 2017 through to August 13, 2018

LOCATION: Online

CONTACT: Register at <http://www.newman.edu/CCS/CourseScheduleRegistration>



'Surma' Choir, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Calgary

AGE: Adult

DESCRIPTION: Surma is a mixed choir disciplined in learning traditional Ukrainian academic choral music for the glory of God. with an extensive repertoire for all religious holidays in the Liturgical year. All music is acapella. The director, Mrs. Iryna Kalinovich, is a graduate from the L'viv's State Music College and L'viv's National Music Academy. All are welcome!

DATES AND TIMES: We sing at Divine Liturgy every Sunday at 9:00 am and all major feast days and holidays. Rehearsals are variable but are generally on Sunday after Liturgy and during the week. Call the contact below for details.

LOCATION: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 704-6th St NE Calgary

CONTACT: Mrs. Iryna Kalinovich (403) 926- 4425

English Choir: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Calgary

AGE: Adults and Children

DESCRIPTION: A choir for all ages! We practice every Sunday before 11:00 Divine Liturgy and then we provide lunch every Sunday after 11:00 Divine Liturgy. All are welcomed.

DATES AND TIMES: We sing at Divine Liturgy every Sunday at 11:00 am. Rehearsals are every Sunday at 10:00 am in the Meeting Room

LOCATION: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, 704-6th St NE Calgary

CONTACT: English Choir Director Dr. Maria Lizak (403) 614- 4146

10:30 Liturgy Choir - St. Stephen's, Calgary

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 various Tuesday or Wednesday nights at 7:00 pm. Sept. - June. See website for dates.

TIMES: Rehearsals are at 7:00 pm except when there is a mission or holy week service. Then it will take place after.

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

CONTACT: Parish Office:, 403-249-4818, <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca/>



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Prayer and Reflection

Mothers and Fathers in Prayer, Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Edmonton

AGES: All ages

DESCRIPTION: Join other parents to pray together for the intention of our children; whether they be very young or adults. We begin with Divine Liturgy followed by special prayers.

DATES: 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month. Sept. - June

LOCATION: Protection Parish, 3635 - 116 Ave., Edmonton

CONTACT: Fr. Planchak 780 914-2573

Vespers at St. Nicholas, Edmonton

AGE: All welcome!

DESCRIPTION: Join us for Vespers, a beautiful evening service that prepares us for Sunday's Divine Liturgy. A lesson in melodies and tones is offered a half hour before for interested attendees.

DATES: Last Saturday of the month -Dec. 30, Jan. 27; Feb. 24; Mar. 24; Apr. 28; May 26

TIMES: 5:30 pm - Lesson on the tones of the week; 6:00pm - Vespers begins

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

CONTACT: Joyanne Rudiak - 780-236-2184 or stnicksyouthyeg@gmail.com

Miscarriage, Stillbirth or Newborn Death, Memorial Service and Sharing, Eparchial Program

AGE: Families (childcare will be provided for the video portion, if needed)

DESCRIPTION: We welcome all who have suffered the loss of a baby – stillborn, miscarriage or a newborn. We will offer a memorial service and share refreshments and fellowship following the service. Those who are interested may join us to watch the video "Footprints on Our Hearts." This video offers ways to cope with one's feelings that follow the loss of a baby, as it speaks words of understanding, encouragement, and hope for the future for anyone experiencing the grief from such a loss.

DATES AND TIMES: May 11, 6:00 pm. – 8:30 pm.

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist Parish, 6425 120 Ave, Edmonton

CONTACT: 780-424-5496, education@edmontoneparchy.com to RSVP



Ukrainian Choir, St. Basil the Great, Edmonton

AGE: Youth, Adult

DESCRIPTION: Directed by Elizabeth Lesoway Anderson, the choir sings the responses to the Sunday 9:00 A.M. Divine Liturgy

DATES AND TIMES: Sept. - June. Practices are held Thursday evenings at 7:30 pm.

LOCATION: St. Basil Parish Cultural Centre 10819 – 71 Ave. Edmonton

CONTACT: Phyllis Kobitowich 780-476-8265

Adult Choir - Exaltation of the Holy Cross, Edmonton

AGE: 18 and up.

DESCRIPTION: Under the direction of Odessa Nguyen. The choir sings once/twice a month at 11:00 am Divine Liturgy.

DATES AND TIMES: 1st and 3rd Mondays, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

LOCATION: Parish hall, 9003 – 153 Ave. Edmonton

CONTACT: Odessa 780-667-4032. Website: <http://www.ehcucp.ca/>

Trinity Voices Youth Choir, Holy

Trinity, Vegreville

AGE: 8-18

DESCRIPTION: Learn to sing the Divine Liturgy and Ukrainian folk songs. We will be singing at other parishes and nursing homes, as well as caroling.

DATES: Rehearsals every Friday and every 4th Friday will be a social night., 6:30-8:00 pm.

LOCATION: Holy Trinity Church Basement, Vegreville

CONTACT: Parish Office, ucveg@telusplanet.net, 780-632-3433 or Teresa 780-658-2401

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Instructors – Joyanne Rudiak and Christina Cseryanski





Ministry Training

Catechist Training Workshop, Edmonton Eparchy, Edmonton

AGE: 16+

DESCRIPTION: An evening of professional development, spiritual growth and networking with other catechists.

DATES AND TIMES: April 13, 5:00 – 9:00 pm.

LOCATION: Eparchial Pastoral office, 9645-108 Ave, Edmonton

CONTACT: 780-424-5496, education@edmontoneparchy.com

COST: \$20.00 - Chargeable to your parish

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Available for those who would like to join us online. Please contact us and we can set it up.

Choir

St. Josaphat Choir, St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: Youth, Adult

DESCRIPTION: We sing at the 11 a.m. Divine Liturgy twice a month, and the 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy once a month. Rehearsals are either prior to the 11 a.m. Divine Liturgy or at 7:00 p.m. once a month. New members are encouraged and invited to attend and join throughout the year. No previous singing experience is required. If necessary, transliteration will be provided.

DATES AND TIMES: Sundays Sept. – June. See above description.

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

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

St. Vladimir Choir, St. Vladimir, Edmonton

AGE: 7- adult

DESCRIPTION: New members are encouraged to join! We sing for the weekly Divine liturgy and special occasions.

DATES AND TIMES: Sundays, 10:00 am. before 10:30 Divine Liturgy

LOCATION: St. Vladimir Parish, 12726-119 St. Edmonton

CONTACT: Lydia 780-984-4345



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

AGE: All ages

DESCRIPTION: Spend some time in silent reflection with our Lord.

DATES AND TIMES:- Last Friday of the month, 7:00-8:00 pm.

LOCATION: Exaltation of the Holy Cross Parish , 9003 – 153 Ave.,

CONTACT: Website: <http://www.ehcucp.ca/> 780 -475-2770

Evening Prayer for Families and Children., PBVM, St. Paul, Ab.

AGE: All ages

DESCRIPTION: We pray parts of the Vesper service followed by a power point presentation on articles of faith geared toward families.

DATES AND TIMES: Sundays during great Lent at 4:30 for about 35 minutes.

CONTACT: Fr. Mark Sych, 780-646-1129, fmarksych@me.com>

Family Programming

Family Faith & Friends Parent Group, Eparchial Program

AGE: Young families

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

DATES AND TIMES: 1st and 3rd Fridays of the month. Oct. 6, - June, 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: Patty 780-945-0432

My Family - A Domestic Church, Eparchial Program, St. Vladimir, Red Deer

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

DESCRIPTION: We will explore 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 AND TIMES: Jan. 20, 5:00- 8:00 pm.

LOCATION: St. Vladimir Parish hall , 3932-46 St. Red Deer , Ab.

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

CONTACT: Oksana McIntyre 403-340-8504



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: Various dates. Check the website or call the parish office

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

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818, <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca/>

Children and Youth - Sunday Programs

Little Friends of Jesus - Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God, Edmonton

AGE: 3 - 12

DESCRIPTION: During the first part of the Divine Liturgy.. Parents of the youngest students are encouraged to attend. On some Sundays Fr. Danylo has a special homily for children.

DATES AND TIMES: : Every second Sunday Sept - June , 10:00 am.

LOCATION: Dormition Parish, 15608 – 104 Ave, Edmonton

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

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 AND TIMES; Sundays, Sept. - June, 11:00 am

LOCATION: 9003 – 153 Ave. Edmonton

CONTACT: Office:780-475-2770 or Terenia , 780-720-8991 , <http://www.ehcucp.ca/>

Sunday School – St. Josaphat Cathedral, Edmonton

AGE: Pre-school – Junior High

DESCRIPTION: Weekly catechesis for children on Sundays using the “God With Us” series, a program developed by Eastern Catholic Bishops.

DATES AND TIMES: Sundays, Sept. – April, 10:30-11:30 am.

CONTACT: Parish Office 780 422 3181 or josaphat@telus.net



Women’s 24-hour retreat, Edmonton Eparchy, Camp Oselia

Living as God’s Beloved; An Invitation to

Dance

AGE: Adult

DESCRIPTION: Join Retreat Facilitator Denise Laverdure-Sych in an atmosphere of tranquility and sacred stillness, for those seeking to create a time to rest in the Lord, away from the busyness of life. Through times of prayer, silent reflection & sharing; we come to experience the grace of being God’s Beloved, in our blessedness, our brokenness and in the gifts in which we are called to offer to others.

DATES AND TIMES: April 20, 6:30 pm –

April 21, 2018 6:30 pm.

LOCATION: Camp Oselia, 53230 Range Rd 53, Fallis, AB. on Wabamun Lake

COST: Early Bird before April 1, \$65. After April 1, \$75, meals and snacks included.

CONTACT: Pastoral office - 780-424-5496 or education@edmontoneparchy.com



Plus Fifty—St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Adults over 50

DESCRIPTION: Seniors involved in the social, spiritual and organizational life of the parish.

DATES: Last Tuesday of the Month. Sept—June

TIMES: 11:00 am

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

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818, <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca/>



Table for Two

You are My Valentine

Eparchial Program.

AGE: Adult

DATES AND TIMES:

Feb 10 - Young Adult - dating or newly married

Feb 11 - Those married at least 7 years

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 10 or Feb 11

TIMES: 5:30 pm

LOCATION: Exaltation of the Holy Cross Parish , 9003 – 153 Ave.

COST: \$75 per couple.

CONTACT: Register with payment by Feb. 2, 780-424-5496 or youth@eeparchy.com

GriefShare - Grief Recovery Support Group, Edmonton Eparchy

AGE: Adult

DESCRIPTION: A 10 - 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 8- May 24 . No session March 29.

TIMES: 6:30 - 8:30 pm.

LOCATION: Edmonton Eparchy Pastoral Centre 9645 – 108 Ave,

COST: \$20.00 to cover materials.

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



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

AGE: 3-7 yrs. (pre - Solemn Communion).

DESCRIPTION: Beginning of Divine Liturgy for about 1/2 an hour. Then the children join the Divine Liturgy .

DATES AND TIMES: Sundays Sept - May, 10:00 am. Divine Liturgy

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

CONTACT: Joyanne 780-236-2184 or stricksyouthyeg@gmail.com f

Sunday School, St. Sophia, Sherwood Park

AGE: 3 - 7yrs

DESCRIPTION: Catechism, crafts are taught to children at their level

DATES: 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Sundays of the month from Sept. 17 - June 24 The 1st Sunday of the month is Fr. Rency's children's homily.

TIMES: 10:00am during Liturgy after the Gospel reading

LOCATION: Meet in Madonna School Library, 15 Main Blvd, Sherwood Park

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

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

AGE: 3 - 8 (until they receive their Solemn Holy Communion)

DESCRIPTION: A drop in program. Children learn about faith through song, craft and prayer. English with some Ukrainian . Small snack and drink.

DATES: Every Sunday - Sept - June

TIMES: 11:00 Divine liturgy. They join their parents in church at 11:45 am.

LOCATION: 7007 109 St. Edmonton. Meet in the classroom In the rectory. North doors.

CONTACT: Linda: 780-668-8769 |website: www.stbasilschurch.com

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

TIME: 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



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, AB.

CONTACT: Denise: 780- 853-6923.

Sunday School - Dormition Parish, Grande Prairie,

AGE: 4-8

DESCRIPTION: After the Gospel the children proceed to the classroom to learn more about the Gospel. They rejoin the Divine Liturgy after the 20-minute class.

DATES AND TIMES: Every Sunday - Sept - June, 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 - 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: 10:30 Liturgy starting after Gospel

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

CONTACT: Lynsey Lowey via Parish Office (403) 249-4818

Sadochok

Sadochok - St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: 19 months to kindergarten

DESCRIPTION: An environment rich in Ukrainian language, culture, religion and fun. Bilingual and immersion classes are offered and an afternoon 4-5 yr. old program.

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

TIMES: Morning - 8:30 - 11:30 am. Afternoon - 12:30 - 3:45pm.

LOCATION: St. Matthew School 8735 – 132 Ave.

CONTACT: Patty: 780-945-0432 ,playschool@sadochok.com. , School 780-421-1769



Adult Faith Formation

The Shroud of Turin: Discover the most studied artifact in Christendom.

AGE: 10 - 110

DESCRIPTION: This presentation will feature the exposition of an official full size photographic replica on cotton cloth produced under the authority of the Archdiocese of Turin, Italy and gifted to Bishop David. Four half Shroud upright displays will also be viewed. We will examine the most amazing characteristics of the Shroud, many of which can be discerned only because of advances in science and technology. We will trace the most probable journey of the Shroud from the tomb of Christ to Turin, Italy.

These important questions will be addressed: What have we learned from science

about the authenticity of the cloth? Could it have been elsewhere other than Europe in its history? Are there connections between church prayers or art with the Shroud of Turin? Are there any other religious artifacts that shed light on the Shroud of Turin? If it is real, what does that mean for our faith?

DATES AND TIMES: Sunday, February 25, 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Come earlier to examine the displays.

LOCATION: St. Josaphat's Church, 10825 - 97 St, Edmonton

CONTACT: Ed Hecker at (780) 483-4707 or ehecker@telus.net.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Free of charge. Donations can be made to St.



Josaphat's Cathedral. Presentations for other groups can also be arranged, either in the Cathedral or in your own venue. Additional presentations may be scheduled at St. Josaphat's Cathedral during the year. Check the church or eparchial website for updates or contact Ed.



Scripture Study, Dormition, Grande Prairie

AGE: Adult

DESCRIPTION: We will be starting an introduction to the Bible with the Program “Bible Timeline” which includes a DVD and discussion.

DATES: 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month, Sept – June

TIMES: 7:00 - 8:00 pm

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

CONTACT: Fr. Roman (780)933-4468

Bible Studies, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Adults

DESCRIPTION: Our regular bible study is open to all. Although the classes do go through the scripture in consecutive order, people are welcome to join us even if they can only drop in from time to time. We are using the “Bible Adventure” program. We will be studying the Acts of the Apostles.

DATES : Mondays September 25th – April 16, 2018

TIME: 7:00 pm.

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

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818



Little Orchard Sadochok , Sherwood Park

AGE: 4 years old

DESCRIPTION: Our aim is to encourage children's development, growth and desire to learn! Our teacher provides a nurturing environment with some Ukrainian language, culture, religion and fun, all while preparing children for Kindergarten.

DATES:AND TIMES: Tuesday and Thursdays , Sept. - June, 8:45 - 11:15 am.

LOCATION: Jean Vanier Catholic School, 109 Georgian Way, Sherwood Park

CONTACT: little.orchard.sadochok@gmail.com, Facebook – Little Orchard Sadochok Preschool

Sadochok, St. Basil, Edmonton

AGE: 3 and 4 years old

DESCRIPTION: High quality education in the Byzantine faith and Ukrainian culture. 4 year olds are encouraged to attend twice per week and 3 year olds may attend once or twice per week. Contact for information regarding flexible start dates for those turning 3 after Sept.

DATES: Tuesdays and Thursdays starting September

TIMES: 9:00am-11:30 am

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

CONTACT: stbasils.sadochok@gmail.com, 780-220-2637. Facebook – St. Basil's Sadochok Pre-School





Sacramental Preparation

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: March 3rd, May 5th

TIME : 10:00am -3:00 pm

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

CONTACT: Parish Office (403) 249-4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: For those who cannot attend a baptismal prep day special classes must be arranged before a baptism may take place. Older children and youth will be prepared at special classes arranged through the parish office.

Solemn Holy Communion & First Confession, St. Basil, Edmonton

AGE: Children 7 and older who have not received their First Solemn Holy Communion (with parent participation)

DATES AND TIMES: Sundays Nov.-26- March 18., 12:20 - 1:45 pm First Confession
March 17, Solemn Holy Communion March 18

LOCATION: St. Basil's Cultural Center, 10819 71 Avenue, Edmonton

CONTACT: Parish Office, 780-434-8010

Solemn Holy Communion & First Confession, St.Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: Grade 2 or 3

DATES AND TIMES: : Saturdays, Jan. 13 - Apr. 21, 1:00-3:00 pm

CONTACT: Parish office at 780-422-3181 or josaphat@telus.net. Registration forms are available at the entrances to the church or on the website: www.stjosaphat.ab.ca

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Instructor: Lydia Doschak

Solemn Holy Communion & First Confession, St. Peter & Paul, Mundare

AGE: Children 7 & 8 with parent participation

DESCRIPTION: Classes will begin February 2018. Dates and time TBD.

CONTACT: Pat Mayko 780-764-2591



Scripture Studies

Bible Study, St. Nicholas, Edmonton

AGE: Adult

DESCRIPTION: Using the "God With Us" publication The Holy Gospel we will study Scripture , from a Byzantine perspective. We will explore the writings of the four evangelists and how this is reflected in our Ukrainian Catholic tradition and how it can be applied to our daily lives

DATES AND TIMES: Tuesdays, September 19, – June, 7:00-8:30 pm.

LOCATION: St. Nicholas Parish, 9507 Austin O'Brien Road, Edmonton

CONTACT: Jayne Buryrn, 780-998-9215, buryrnjl@shaw.ca or Fr. Julian 780-668-1127

Bible Studies, Holy Eucharist, Edmonton

AGE: Adult

DESCRIPTION: Using the "Bible Timeline" Program which consists of a DVD and discussion, Fr. Planchak will lead us as we explore how God has been reaching out to us in love throughout history.

DATE: Mondays Oct.2 - June, 6:00-7:30 pm.

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist Basement 6425 - 120 Ave, Edmonton

CONTACT: Fr. Planchak: 780 914-2573

Adult Bible Study, St. Josaphat, Edmonton

AGE: 16 and up.

DESCRIPTION: Old Testament, History of Salvation - A Timeline. In the fall, we worked through the first book of the Bible, the book of Genesis. Beginning, in January, on Wednesday nights, we will continue reading through the following books: Exodus, Numbers, Joshua, Samuel 1 and 2, Kings 1 and 2. A workbook is provided for all participants.

DATES AND TIMES: Wednesdays, Jan.10 – June, 7:00 – 8:30 pm. During the Great Fast: 7:30 - 9:00 pm (Presanctified Liturgy at 6:00 pm)

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

CONTACT: Father Peter Babej, 780-422-3181 or peterbabej@telus.net



Iconography

Iconography Retreat/Workshop - Edmonton Eparchy



AGE: Age 16 and over

DESCRIPTION: Join Fr. Bo Nahachewsky in the beauty of God's creation at this Lenten retreat style icon workshop at camp Oselia. Participants will complete a beautiful Byzantine icon of the crucifixion. You will have the opportunity to explore prayer and silent reflection on your own and with the group. There will be a choice of two icons in order to accommodate varying skill levels. What a

wonderful way to prepare ourselves for Pascha!

DATES: Feb 16-19, 2018

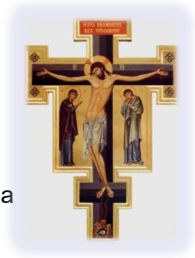
TIMES: Friday 10:00 am - Monday 3:00 pm.

LOCATION: Camp Oselia Wabamun Lake. Highway 16. South on Rge Rd 53

COST: Early Bird: \$500.00 per person before Jan. 19, After Jan. 19 \$525.00 - covers all supplies, meals and snacks.

CONTACT: 780-424-5496, education@edmontoneparchy.com

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Maximum 18 registrants. There are a limited number of private rooms so register early if you want to book one. Deadline for registrations is Feb. 2, 2018. No late registrations will be accepted.



Open Icon Studio, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Adults

DESCRIPTION: Drop in opportunity. This is not a class but rather a chance to work on your own projects while learning from others.

DATES: Most Mondays

TIMES: 10am – early afternoon

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

COST: Free – Materials not provided.

CONTACT: Parish Office: Fr. Bo via the Parish office, 403-249-4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Times subject to change with minimal notice. Contact Fr. Bo before each session.



Solemn Holy Communion & First Confession, Holy Eucharist, Edmonton

AGE: Children 7 and older who have not received their First Solemn Holy Communion

DATES AND TIMES: Preparation sessions: Thursdays, Jan. 11- April 5. Solemn Communion Reception on April 8.

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist Basement 6425 120 Ave, Edmonton

CONTACT: Fr. Planchak: 780 914-2573

Solemn Holy Communion & First Confession, St Sophia, Sherwood Park

AGE: 7+

DATES AND TIMES: Fridays, Jan 12 -March 16, 6:30-8:00pm, 1st Confession, March 17, Solemn Holy Communion March 18

LOCATION: 93 Malvern Drive, Sherwood Park, AB

CONTACT: Lisa 780-922-0201, lisagreg3@hotmail.com, Fr Rendy 780-464-4177

Solemn Holy Communion & First Confession, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Calgary

AGES: 8-12

DATES AND TIMES: Saturdays: Oct—May, 11:00 - 12:30 pm

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

CONTACT: Fr. Michael 403-230-7013; abvmadmin@shaw.ca, Facebook

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: See: www.abvmcalgary.com to confirm dates and times

Solemn Holy Communion & First Confession, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Children 7 & 8 with parent participation

DATES AND TIMES Sundays Jan. – May, 9:00-10:15 am followed by participation in 10:30 am Divine Liturgy

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

CONTACT: Parish Office (403) 249-4818



Marriage Preparation Course, St. Josaphat, Edmonton

DESCRIPTION: Open to all couples of the Edmonton Eparchy planning to be married in 2018. Over two weekends, we will explore: who we are as the image and likeness of God, God's original plan for marriage, the fall and its effects on marriage, marriage in Christ, covenant vs. contract, the celebration of marriage, finances and good stewardship, communication, sexual intimacy, and giving God first place.

DATES & TIMES: Part I - Jan. 26, 6:30-9:30 pm. and Jan. 27, 8:30 am -3:30 pm. Part II - Feb 2, 6:30-9:30 pm. Feb. 3, 8:30 am -3:30 pm.

LOCATION: St. Josaphat Cathedral (Basement), 10825 97th Street N.W. Edmonton

COST: \$195.00 per couple

CONTACT: Father Peter Babej, 780-422-3181 or peterbabej@telus.net

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Registration forms are available at: www.stjosaphat.ab.ca or email josaphat@telus.net

Marriage Preparation Weekend - St. Stephen, Calgary

DESCRIPTION: A three-day course designed to prepare engaged couples for the Holy Mystery of Marriage.

DATES: February 9-11, 2018

TIMES: TBD

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

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403 - 249 - 4818

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Couples must contact the parish at least 6 months prior to the proposed wedding date.

Beers and Qs with Fr. Julian, St. Nicholas, Edmonton

AGE: 18-35

DESCRIPTION: Join us for a young adult gathering where we chat with St. Nicholas' parish priest, Fr. Julian Bilyj, on various topics of interest over your drink of choice.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, Feb. 8, 7:00 pm

LOCATION: Fargos Restaurant and Pub, 5804 Terrace Rd NW, Edmonton

CONTACT: Joyanne Rudiak - 780-236-2184 or stnicksyouthyeg@gmail.com

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Follow St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church on Facebook to stay up to date on upcoming events.

Faith and Self Care, St. Basil, Edmonton

AGE: 18+

DESCRIPTION: We must take care of ourselves in order to live our faith in a wholesome and healthy way. Spend an evening learning about and discussing self care in relationships and faith.

DATES AND TIMES: Feb. 2, 7:00-9:30 pm.

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

CONTACT: Call or text Fr. Thomas 780-717-9504 or email Kobak_77@yahoo.ca

Recharge, St. Basil, Edmonton

AGE: 18+

DESCRIPTION: We will be staying overnight at the Basilian Father's House of Studies; a perfect place to unwind, recharge and restore, physically, emotionally and spiritually. Come find "Rest in God."

DATES AND TIMES: Feb. 27, 7:00 pm until 11:00 am. Feb. 28.

LOCATION: Basilian Fathers House of Studies 12909-113 Ave., Edmonton

CONTACT: Call or text Fr. Thomas 780-717-9504 or email Kobak_77@yahoo.ca

Young Adults, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: 18 – 35 yrs

DESCRIPTION: Gatherings of Young Adults for Spiritual, Social, Emotional, and Catechetical development. And we have lots of fun!

DATE AND TIMES: Meetings are to be determined. Check the website or call the parish office.

CONTACT: Parish Office 403-249-4818, <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca/>

Youth Group, Dormition, Grande Prairie, Ab

AGE: 12-18

DESCRIPTION: We are focused on providing youth an opportunity, in a fun and relaxed atmosphere, to grow in friendships, spiritual knowledge, faith and service.

DATES AND TIMES: 4th Friday of the month. Sept - June, 7:00-9:00 pm

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

CONTACT: Fr. Roman (780)933-4468

Kingdom Quest: The 7 Sacred Mysteries, St. Stephen,

Calgary

AGE: Elementary school age

DESCRIPTION: This is not for the feint of heart, for we shall battle dragons, cross perilous obstacles, build mighty catapults, duel knights in armour and bond ourselves in service to the greatest and true King of All.

DATES AND TIMES: Feb 7, 28, Mar. 21, April 11, 25, May 9, May 30

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

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818, <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca>

Pilgrimage of the Saints, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Teens

DESCRIPTION: A youth pilgrimage that will move you to the core

DATES: May 18-21

TIMES: TBD

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

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818, <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca>

Young Adult

Young Adult Social & Movie Night - Holy Eucharist, Edmonton

AGE: 17 to 30

DESCRIPTION: An opportunity to get to know other young adults, watch movies, take part in discussions and ask about our faith. A snack is provided.

DATES AND TIMES: 3rd Sunday of the month, Sept. - June, 6:00 pm.

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist Basement 6425 120 Ave

CONTACT: Fr. Planchak at (780) 914-2573



Altar Servers, Children of Mary, Myrrh Bearers, Sodality

Children of Mary, St. Basil, Edmonton

AGE: Girls, Grade 1 – Grade 6

DESCRIPTION: Participation in Divine Liturgy 1st Sunday of the month. Meetings for spiritual and catechetical development, socializing and fun activities, including crafts, packing backpacks for Ukraine, caroling, writing pysanky and making paska.

DATES AND TIMES: 11:00 am Divine Liturgy 1st Sunday of the month. Meetings 6:30 - 8:00 pm. 1st Friday of the month Oct.- May.

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

CONTACT: Michelle, 780-466-5827 st.basils@shawbiz.ca

Sodality, St. Basil, Edmonton

AGE: Girls, Grade 6 and Up

DESCRIPTION: Meet once a month to discuss and learn about our faith and how to keep the Virgin Mary as our primary role model. We also wear our capes and veils on the first Sunday of the month and participate in the Divine Liturgy.

DATES AND TIMES: 11:00 am. Divine Liturgy, 1st Sunday of the month. Meetings 6:30-8:00 pm. 1st Friday of the month Oct. - May

LOCATION: St. Basil Cultural Centre, 10819 71 Ave., Edmonton

CONTACT: Victoria Kostyniuk, vrkostyniuk@gmail.com

Myrrh Bearers/Altar Servers, Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God, Grande Prairie

AGE: 6-17

DESCRIPTION: We will learn about our faith, become more involved in the life of the parish, share our faith by helping others through social outreach and enjoy spending time with friends.

DATES AND TIMES: 1st and 2nd Friday of the month. Sept - June, 7:00 – 9:00 pm

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

CONTACT: Fr. Roman: 780-933-4468



Altar Servers, St. Stephen, Calgary

AGE: Children/Youth who have received their 1st.Solemn Communion

DESCRIPTION: Serving at Divine Liturgies and other services.

DATES: Serving : All liturgical services. Meeting times are TBD

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

CONTACT: Parish Office: 403-249-4818, <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca/>

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. Meeting times are TBD

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

CONTACT: Parish Office ,403-249-4818, <http://www.saintstephencalgary.ca/>

Altar Boys: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Calgary

AGE: 7 and older

DESCRIPTION: The altar boys participate in social activities such as movie night and pizza night. Parish pays 75% of the cost for parish altar boys to attend Summer Acolyte camps.

DATES: Sundays 9:00 am (Ukrainian) and 11:00 am (English) Divine Liturgy

TIMES: 9:00 am and 11:00 am; Sundays and Holy Days at 10:00 am

LOCATION: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish, 704-6th St NE Calgary

CONTACT: Rectory Office at 403-230-7013; abvmcalgary.com website; Facebook.

Youth Groups and Activities

Children's Movie Night - Holy Eucharist, Edmonton

AGE: Elementary School

DESCRIPTION: An opportunity to socialize with other children and watch faith-based children's movies. A snack is provided.

DATES AND TIMES: 4th Sunday of the month Sept. - June, 6:00 pm.

LOCATION: Holy Eucharist Basement 6425 120 Ave, Edmonton

CONTACT: Fr. Planchak: 780 914-2573



God's Word & Me, St. Nicholas, Edmonton

AGE: Gr. 3-8-12

DESCRIPTION: Join us right after Divine Liturgy to talk with youth your age about what that Sunday's readings and homily mean for you and your everyday life. Snacks provided!

DATES AND TIMES: Every Sunday, Jan. 7 - June 3 (no meeting Easter Sunday) 11:30-11:45 am.

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

CONTACT: Joyanne Rudiak – 780-236-2184 or stnickscopyouthyeg@gmail.com

"The Word" Youth Newsletter, Edmonton Eparchy

AGE: Children, teens

DESCRIPTION: "The Word" is a free newsletter just for kids and teens! Have drawings, paintings, poems, photos, or stories you'd like to share? Submissions are always accepted.

CONTACT: Joyanne Rudiak, 780-236-2184 or stnickscopyouthyeg@gmail.com for submissions or to receive a digital copy.

Youth Group, St. Vladimir, Edmonton

AGE: 5-17

DESCRIPTION: Participate in fun and dynamic activities, including catechesis, group outings, Altar Servers and Children of Mary, annual Vertep, bake sales, caroling etc.

DATES & TIMES: 2nd Sunday , Sept - June, 10:15 am before Divine Liturgy

LOCATION: St. Vladimir Church Hall, 12726-119 St.

CONTACT: Mariya, 780-988-6038 or Michelle, 780-566-1545

Youth Group, St. Sophia, Sherwood Park, Ab

AGE: 12 – 18 yrs

DESCRIPTION: St. Sophia's Youth group is looking for youth to join them throughout the year spending time gathering, getting to know one another and God, volunteering their time and building the community.

DATES & TIMES: We will meet early in the school year to set the calendar for our gatherings. Times are dependent on the youth.

LOCATION: We meet at the parish residence and in the community.

CONTACT: Orysia Huk-Richards orysiahuk@gmail.com



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 AND TIMES: Great and Holy (Good) Friday, March 30 , Meet at 2:45 pm.

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 youth@edmontoneparchy.com



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 AND TIMES: March 23 - 26: Drop-off 5 to 7pm on Friday and pick up 6pm on Sunday at Camp Oselia

LOCATION: Camp Oselia - Range Rd. 53 – Hwy 16 on Wabamun lake

COST: \$100.00

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

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Register with payment by March 17



“Sleepover with Jesus” - Lenten Children’s Retreat, Eparchial Program, Dormition of the Most Holy Mother of God, Edmonton

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 and TIMES: March 17 4:30 p.m. - March 18 1:00 pm

COST: \$20.00 per child.

LOCATION: Dormition Parish, 15608 -104 Avenue, Edmonton

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

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: We will be sleeping in Holy Dormition hall. Please provide a mat for sleeping, bedding, toiletries, and PJs.

“Sleepover with Jesus” - Lenten Children’s, Retreat, Eparchial Program, St. Vladimir, Red Deer

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 AND TIMES: March 3 4:30 pm.-March 4, 1:00 pm.

COST: \$20.00 per child.

LOCATION: St. Vladimir Parish hall , 3932-46 St. Red Deer

CONTACT: Oksana McIntyre, 403-340-8504

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: We will be sleeping in the church hall. Please provide a mat for sleeping, bedding, toiletries, and PJs.

THINKfast, St. Nicholas, Edmonton

AGE: Gr. 8-12

DESCRIPTION: Explore the role of fasting in our lives, especially during Lent. In addition to fun activities, we will be participating in a 25-hour fast to stand in solidarity with our brother and sisters in the Global South, bringing awareness to the injustices of the world and how we can right those wrongs. Hosted by Open to everyone!!

DATES: Feb. 23 - 6:30pm – Feb. 25 @ 1:00pm

LOCATION: St. Nicholas Parish, 9507 Austin O'Brien Rd NW

CONTACT: Joyanne Rudiak – 780-236-2184 or stricksyouthyeg@gmail.com

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Register by February 4, 2018.