

## **BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION**

**Full name:** Rt. Rev. Mitred Protopresbyter Fr. Nicholas Orest Rauliuk

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Resident in Winnipeg, since 2018. Lived in different Parishes across Canada since ordination

**Place of Birth:** Yorkton, Saskatchewan

**Date of Birth:** August 16, 1944

**Occupation:** Priest since December 24, 1968

**Employed by:** the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada

Semi Retired since August, 2018

**Marital status:** married

**Name of spouse:** (Dobrodiyka) Jeannette Diane Slon

**Name of father:** John Rauliuk

**Father's place of birth:** Chernivtsi Bukovina, Ukraine

**Date of birth:** June 19, 1894

**Mother's given and maiden name:** Nellie Ahafia (Gafitza) Kushniruk

**Place of birth:** Buchanan, Saskatchewan

**Date of birth:** December 22, 1907

**Attended:** Oleksince School (grade 1 to grade 7), Victoria School in Yorkton (grade 8); Yorkton Collegiate Institute (grade 9 to 12); St. Andrew's College (Faculty of Theology) at the University of Manitoba Campus. Graduating with the Licentiate in Theology in 1967.

**Ordained:** Holy Diaconate by Archbishop Boris, April 16, 1967 at the Holy Trinity Metropolitan's Cathedral, Winnipeg, Manitoba; Holy Priesthood by His Beatitude Metropolitan Ilarion on Sunday, December 24, 1967 at the Holy Trinity Metropolitan's Cathedral, Winnipeg, Manitoba

**Served in the following UOCC Parishes:**

- Roblin Parish District ( 9 Churches)
- Holy Trinity Metropolitan's Cathedral, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- St. Mary's Sobor, Ottawa, Ontario
- St. Vladimir's Parish, Hamilton, Ontario
- Holy Trinity Metropolitan's Cathedral, Winnipeg, Manitoba
- St. John's Cathedral, Edmonton, Alberta
- Holy Transfiguration Parish, Yorkton, Saskatchewan
- Roblin Parish District ( 9 Churches)
- St. Michael's Parish, Edmonton, Alberta

**Received the following awards:**

- Metropolitan's Jubilee Certificate
- Nabedrenik
- Scuffia
- Kamilavka
- Gold Cross
- Title of Archpriest
- Gold Jeweled Cross
- Jeweled Mitre with a new title of "Rt. Rev. Mitred"
- Two Jeweled Crosses
- New Title: Rt. Rev. Mitred PROTOPRESBYTER
- Retired 2018

**Choir:**

- Organized and directed Youth Choirs
- Directed Seniors Choirs
- Directed the Canadian Ukrainian Council Choir
- Directed Clergy Choirs
- Organized and directed the "Roblin & District 2000 Millennium 85 voice Choir"
- Taught and directed "Canada's National Ukrainian Festival Choir" in Dauphin from 2002 to 2009
- Taught cantoring

**Worked the following Church Youth Camps:**

- Ukrainian School Day Camp – Roblin, Manitoba
- Veselka – Winnipeg, Man.
- St. Sophia’s – Montreal, Que.
- Trident – Crystal Lake – Canora, Sask
- Bar-V-Nok, Edmonton, Alberta
- Organized Ottawa Church Camp
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**Ukrainian Self-Reliance League of Canada and Order of St Andrew:**

- 51 year member of the Ukrainian Orthodox Men’s Assoc. (as of 2018)
- Chaplain of:
  - o Ukrainian Women’s Association Locals
  - o Senior and Junior CYMK (Orthodox Youth Groups)
  - o Provincial and National CYMK
  - o The Order of St. Andrew, Yorkton & Edmonton Chapters
  - o Member of the Order of St. Andrew – 5<sup>th</sup> Degree
  - o Organized the Yorkton Order of St. Andrew Chapter
  - o Organized St. Michael’s Edmonton Seniors Society
- Held President’s position in the Saskatchewan Provincial Ukrainian Men’s Association

**UOCC Eparchy:**

- Held Executive positions in the Eastern, Central and Western Diocese (Eparchy)
- Held Executive positions in the Parish Mission Districts (Deanery)
- Was an elected Consistory Board member of the UOCC for 10 years
- Ottawa Project – Built St. Mary’s Ukrainian Orthodox Church (Sobor)
- Co-Chair of Sobor XXIV Planning Committee 2022

**Married:**

Jeannette Diane Slon, September 17, 1966

**Children:**

Taras (Tracy) Rauliuk; Nicholas Rauliuk; Nadia Rauliuk; and Tanya (Jonathan Laterveer)

**Grandchildren:**

Nicholas, Lucas, Taras Rauliuk; Larisa (Wesley Mantik), Samantha Rauliuk; Raisa (James Swanson), Anthony Skura, Joseph Skura & Markian Werbowetsky; Tatyana, Orest, Nicholai & William Laterveer

**Great-Grandchildren:**

Oliver & Ryker Swanson; Ava Mae Mantik