

Diocesan Bulletin

April 23 - Third Sunday of Easter

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In all things we are rooted in Christ, in His desire to bring God's love to all peoples.

Upcoming Events

CWL Annual Mass and Potluck Supper for the Feast of Our Lady of Good Counsel will be hosted this year by Saint Anne Parish CWL on Thursday, April 27 beginning at 5 p.m. with Mass, celebrated by Fr. Matthew Ramsay, at Saint Anne, 217 Lenore Drive, Saskatoon. For more info, phone or text Pat Ballantyne, (306) 292-4385 or e-mail to cwl@saintannes.ca

Columbus Bosco Homes Annual Joe Kammermayer Memorial Dinner will be held Thursday, April 27 at St. Patrick Parish Hall, 3339 Centennial Drive, Saskatoon. Doors open 5:30 p.m., dinner 6 p.m.; tickets are \$50 each. Contact: Chris Sarich (306) 221-4686 or Lorne Keller (306) 227-7576.

Teen Aid Saskatoon fund-raising supper "Created for Greatness" will be held at **5 p.m. Sunday, April 30** at Fr. Paul Donlevy Hall at Saint Anne Parish, 217 Lenore Drive, Saskatoon, with a live and silent auction and a special feature. To register for a free ticket, please call (306) 373-3645.

Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle includes adoration, the rosary, benediction, hymns and various prayers, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 4 at St. Michael Catholic Church, #18-33rd St. E., Saskatoon. A Diocesan Cenacle of Prayer will also be held at 3 pm. Wednesday, May 10 at St. Paul Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Crescent, Saskatoon. For more information about the Cenacle events, please contact Edna at (306) 382-1680.

Vocation Discernment Night for Men and Women (separate sessions) with talk, discussion, Eucharistic Adoration, and confession will follow the 7 p.m. Mass Thursday, May 4 at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, 12th St. and Wiggins Avenue, Saskatoon. For more info about the discernment night for men, please contact Fr. Daniel Yasinski at dyasinski@rcdos.ca or Fr. Colin Roy croy@rcdos.ca. For more information about vocation discernment night for women, contact Sr. April Mireau, PM, at: aprilmireau@gmail.com or (306) 531-9937 or Sr. Malou Tibayan at: mtibayan@rcdos.ca or (306) 371-7434.

Contemplative Mass led by Fr. Kevin McGee, will be held at 5 p.m. Friday, May 5 at St. Mary Parish, 211 Ave. O South, Saskatoon. The rhythm of the Contemplative Mass is a gentle, steady flow, marked by 20 minutes of silence after communion, designated to allow space for reflection and recognition of the intimate presence of Christ who comes to us through scripture and the Eucharist. You are encouraged to relax and rest in the abiding presence of God.

The Holy Spirit: A Retreat with Fr. Colin Roy

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 13

St. Paul Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Cr. East, Saskatoon

Deepen your understanding and your relationship with the Third Person of the Trinity, the Holy Spirit!

Register at https://form.jotform.com/222235815796261

(\$30/person, includes lunch)

Gregorian Chant Mass is held at 7 p.m. on the First Friday of each month, using the Missa de Angelis setting, in a reverent and prayerful atmosphere, with the next celebration **Friday, May 5** at St. Paul Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Cres. E. Saskatoon. Schedule: 6:15 p.m. doors open; 6:30 p.m. chanted evening prayer; 7 p.m. Mass begins (doors locked at 7:20 p.m. for security reasons); chanted night prayer to follow, then refreshments will be served in the welcome area. For more information, contact Hudson at (306) 220-7236.

Steak Night will be held May 7 in support of Hope Restored Canada, a non-profit charitable organization working to support women and youth who have been exploited by sex traffickers. Dinner, silent auction, raffles, and 50/50 draw in support of Hope Restored, will be held May 7 at Sports on Tap, 2606 Lorne Ave. Saskatoon, beginning with cocktails at 5 p.m. and supper at 6:30 p.m.; tickets are \$30: www.eventbrite.com/e/hope-restored-canada-steak-night-fundraiser-tickets-594861596047

The Feast of Our Lady of Fatima will be celebrated at 1 p.m. **Saturday, May 13** at St. Mary Roman Catholic Church, 211 Avenue O South, Saskatoon, followed by an outdoor procession.

Queen's House upcoming: "All Will Be Well: Julian of Norwich and Living Through a Pandemic" will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. May 4, 11, 18 and 25 with facilitator Sr. Judy Schachtel, SMS. "Soul Music Encore: A Retreat to Reclaim your Creative Power Through Music" will be held 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 6. Both events will be held at Queen's House, 601 Taylor Street West, Saskatoon. Register online at www.queenshouse.org/programs or call (306) 242-1916.

Diocesan Prayer - We pray as a diocesan family for all those dealing with mental health challenges. May we reach out in love and support to all those who are suffering.

Message Board

Women's Breakfast Talk on Feminine Genius will be held 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 17 at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. Register at https://form.jotform.com/230045691799264 or call Sr. Malou Tibayan at (306) 371-7434. (Free will donation).

A diocesan Annual Report about ministries, priorities, finances, and initiatives from 2020-2022, has been published online, available at rcdos.ca/annual-report (includes PDF). For a print version please contact the diocese communications office at (306) 659-5844.

Time Out For Moms is seeking new board members for the 2023-2024 year. Between five-to-seven committed moms are needed to be able to keep the program going and running this fall. Time Out for Moms has been in our Saskatoon diocese supporting moms of all seasons for around 25 years. It is a great place to grow in Catholic faith and build lasting friendships. For more information, check out the website at www.tofm.ca or e-mail tofmsaskatoonsk@gmail.com. New board members are asked to commit by May 14, before the May 16 Chocolate Tasting AGM.

A message for 17-to-35-year-old young adults: Discover who God created you to be at St. Therese Institute of Faith and Mission at Bruno, SK. Live and study in a student community that builds life-long friendships with other young adults who all want grow deeper in their relationship with God and in their Catholic Faith. Apply for Fall 2023 today and use RefCode "D423" to have application fees waived (\$50 value; offer expires April 30). Visit Iearnmore2023.sttherese.ca and find out more about the Faith Formation Program at St. Therese Institute in Bruno, SK.

Development and Peace - Caritas Canada Presentation "Create Hope" will be held at Queen's House, 601 Taylor St. W, Saskatoon) at 7:30 pm, Friday, May 5, to welcome via video link Micheline Lévesque, who shares her wealth of experiences as a development officer for Development and Peace in Asia and the Middle East, with a question period and social to follow. This event is free of charge and will be available online; register at bit.ly/partnersatwork. For inquiries, please e-mail mleblanc@devp.org or call (306) 205-2334.

Seeking a Clerical Assistant - St. Volodymyr Villa seniors' residence requires a part-time Office Assistant approximately two days a week, plus vacation relief. Includes reception and clerical duties; requires computer knowledge of Microsoft Word, Excel and Access, and Quickbooks. Position is temporary in nature, beginning May 1. Salary negotiable. Apply by mail, fax or e-mail by April 28 to: St. Volodymyr Villa Corporation, 3102 Louise Place, Saskatoon, SK, S7J 4X4; Fax: (306) 374-1989, e-mail: st.volodymyr@shaw.ca



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Priests' Pension and Retirement Fund

An annual diocesan appeal to support Priests' Pension and Retirement is again underway. The Diocese of Saskatoon Catholic Foundation recently sent information regarding this appeal to parishioners across the diocese. You can also access the newsletter on the Catholic Foundation website at: dscf.ca/resources or view the newsletter by scanning the QR code at the left:







SCAN TO
DONATE ONLINE

Ways to give:

- Give online at dscf.ca/priest-pension-fund or scan the QR code (above, right).
- Find donation pew cards and campaign cards with the QR code at your parish, to scan with a smart phone.
- Drop off your donation in the parish offertory collection.
- Mail your donation to: Diocese of Saskatoon Catholic Foundation, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, S7S 1H1.
- Call the Catholic Foundation to make your donation: (306) 659-5851 or (306) 659-5837.

Thank you for your generous support of our retired priests!

CWL Social Justice Award - The Saskatchewan Provincial Council of the Catholic Women's League of Canada has established a Social Justice Award for young women between the ages of 18-35 years. The \$1,000 award may be given to one candidate or divided among qualified applicants to finance participation in a reputable social justice activity, either at home or abroad. Application deadline: April 30. Contact Mary Nordick: m.nordick@sasktel.net or (306) 374-5612.

Clothing Depot AGM - The CWL Clothing Depot will hold its Annual General Meeting at 7 p.m. **Monday, May 15** at Holy Spirit Parish, Saskatoon. New board members will be selected.

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