




Diocesan Bulletin

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May 21, 2017 - Sixth Sunday of Easter
Catholic Education Week May 23-26

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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

Crack That Catechism! with Andy Korvemaker will be held at 7 p.m. on three Thursday evenings: **May 25, June 1, and June 8** at St. Michael's Church, 18 - 33rd St. East, Saskatoon. Attend one, two or all three diocesan Foundations: *Exploring Our Faith Together* sessions. By donation.

Station 20 West Celebrates: A festive evening will be held 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. **Friday, May 26** at Station 20 West, 1120 - 20th Street West, Saskatoon, with musical entertainment by local artists; wine and beer cash bar; local foods prepared by the Boxcar Café. Tickets: \$15 general; \$10 low income; available at www.eventbrite.ca or (306) 343-9378 or at door.

Oremus is a time for young adults (over 19 years) to be still, pray and intercede for the needs of each other, our community and the world, followed by social time (beer, wine, refreshments, cards, board games) 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. **Friday, May 26** at the Holy Family Cathedral, 123 Nelson Road. Info: youthmin@saskatoonrcdiocese.com or (306) 659-5843.

Giant Indoor Garage Sale - St. Patrick Parish, 3339 Centennial Drive, Saskatoon, is holding a garage sale on **Thursday, May 25** and **Friday, May 26** from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m., and **Saturday May 27** from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.. Find more details at www.facebook.com/StPatrickParishSaskatoon

Treaty Elder Series hosted by Saints-Martyrs- Canadiens Francophone Catholic parish will be held **Sunday, May 28** after the 10 a.m. Mass at 1011 Windsor Street, Saskatoon. In response to the Calls to Action of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, the event offers an opportunity to simply listen to the richness of Indigenous spirituality and culture. Elder Agnes Desjarlais will speak, along with Lyndon Linklater of the Office of the Treaty Commissioner. (Presentations will be in English.) All are welcome; concludes 12:30 p.m. with lunch. Info: Myron Rogal (306) 659-5841 or justpeace@saskatoonrcdiocese.com

Eucharistic Adoration - Please note the change of date for 24 hours of Adoration: this monthly event will be held from **noon Monday, May 29 until noon Tuesday, May 30** at Queen's House, 601 Taylor Street, Saskatoon. Come and spend an hour with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. For more info contact Sally Danchak at (306) 373-2621.

Diocesan Prayer - We pray as a diocesan family in thanksgiving to God for the gift of Catholic education. Lord Jesus Christ, bless students, families, teachers, staff and all those involved in Catholic education at every level. May all who share knowledge with others follow Jesus the Teacher in loving service, grounded in truth and love of God.

The Gift of Catholic Education Catholic Education Week May 23-26 World Catholic Education Day May 25

Join some 40,000 students in Saskatchewan – including 17,000-plus at Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools (GSCS) – in celebrating the gift of Catholic faith-based education!

With its distinctive, faith-based program, GSCS is *Rooted in Faith, Growing in Knowledge, and Reaching Out to Transform the World.*

The Catholic faith is living and growing in our Catholic schools. Staff and students seek spiritual growth in many ways, through prayer, scripture study, liturgical celebrations, retreats and faith instruction. Students see and learn about God not only in religion class, but throughout every school day. Students pursue academic excellence, based on their God-given talents, with concern about the successful development of the whole child.

Students learn they have the skills, talents and responsibility to reach out and make a difference in the world – to transform it by their actions!

Learn more about Catholic education and GSCS at www.gscs.ca or call (306) 659-7000. Registration is underway for Fall 2017.

The theme of this year's Catholic Education Week is **"Finding Sabbath Moments – Growing Together as a Family."** Live your faith 24-7, anytime anywhere! Ideas and resources for families about acts of kindness, table talk, prayer and family fun can be found online at: www.gscs.ca/faith24-7

Come and Celebrate Our Oblate Family June 18 - *"What we cease to celebrate, we cease to cherish."* For the past 200 years throughout the world, for the past 175 years in Canada, for the past 75 years in Saskatchewan and Western Canada, the Oblates of Mary Immaculate have celebrated and cherished the friendships and relationships of many people. All are invited to an Oblate family celebration **Sunday, June 18**, beginning at 2 p.m. at Queen's House, 601 Taylor St. West, Saskatoon (bring your own lawn chairs), with Eucharist celebrated at 4 p.m., followed by supper. Cost: by donation. **RSVP prior to June 1**, All Oblates are asked to register with Gaetane at slcsec@sasktel.net or (306) 653-6454; all others (friends and family) are asked to register with Pauline at bookings@queenshouse.org or (306) 242-1925.

Message Board



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Blumenfeld Pilgrimage: The annual pilgrimage to the historic site of Sts. Peter and Paul Church and Our Lady of Sorrows Grotto will be held **Sunday, June 11**, beginning at 3 p.m. with outdoor celebration of the rosary and Mass, followed by supper. The site is located 10 miles south and four miles east of Leader, Sk. Bring chairs, umbrella and bug spray.

Contemplative Mass led by Fr. Kevin McGee will be held at 7 p.m. **Friday, June 2** at St. Augustine Church, 602 Boychuk Drive, Saskatoon. The rhythm of the Contemplative Mass is a gentle, steady flow, marked by 20 minutes of silence after communion to allow space for reflection and recognition of the intimate presence of Christ who comes to us through scripture and the Eucharist. This will be the last Contemplative Mass until September. Fellowship will be held in the foyer after Mass. (Please bring a small dish of crackers, cheese, veggies or fruit to share. A glass of wine will be provided.)

Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle - all are invited to this cenacle holy hour, which consists of adoration, the rosary, benediction, hymns and various prayers, 8 p.m. **Thursday, June 1** at St. Michael's Catholic parish, 18-33rd St. E., Saskatoon. A diocesan Cenacle of Prayer will also be held at 3 pm. **Wednesday, June 14** at St. Paul's Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Crescent, Saskatoon. Info: Edna (306) 382-1680.

St. Therese Institute of Faith and Mission is seeking a Development Officer to cultivate and solicit support to achieve annual fundraising goals. Deadline to apply with CV, references and wage expectations is June 3, 2017. Apply to vserblowski@sttherese.ca or for more info, contact Vicky Serblowski, Executive Director, at (306) 369.2555, ext. 111.

Employment Opportunities

www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/employment

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon is seeking a full-time Lay Formation Coordinator to walk with adult Catholics as they facilitate their personal faith formation in a live-in program held one weekend a month over two years. For a detailed position overview and/or to apply, contact Patrick Clarke at hr@saskatoonrcdiocese.com or (306) 659-5835. To apply, submit a cover letter, application form, pastoral reference and resume to by midnight, **Thursday, June 15**. (Start date Aug. 14).

St. Michael and St. Peter the Apostle parishes in Saskatoon are seeking a full-time Youth Minister to provide ministry to youth and families of both parish communities. Applicants must have Certificate in Youth Ministry (or equivalent or be currently pursuing it) along with 3-5 years experience. Submit application form, cover letter, resume and pastoral reference by e-mail to: st.pta@sasktel.net **by June 16**. (Detailed position overview and application form available online.)

St. Augustine parish in Saskatoon is seeking a full-time Parish Life Director responsible for the administration of parish operations, finances and staffing. Those with employment experience in a parish, theological formation, and/or a background in business/financial/personnel management are encouraged to apply. Submit application form, cover letter, resume and pastoral reference by e-mail to: Patrick Clarke at hr@saskatoonrcdiocese.com or e-mail or call (306) 659-5835 for more information. **Deadline: Monday, May 22**.

Momentum Youth Rally

Great Things • Grades 6-8 •

9 am to 9 pm Saturday, May 27

E.D. Feehan Catholic High School,
411 Ave. M North, Saskatoon

\$35 per person; Family rate: \$75 for 3+ siblings
(includes lunch & supper)

To register contact your school or parish leader!

For more information contact Colm Leyne:
youthmin@saskatoonrcdiocese.com or (306) 659-5843.

Faith-based community experience for 19-35 year old single Catholic women: Discernment House offers affordable rent, an experience of community, spiritual growth and more. The Sisters of the Presentation offer this "home away from home" at 851 University Drive, Saskatoon, a 15-minute walk from University of Saskatchewan. Register now for September 2017. Contact Sr. Lucie Hamel (306) 244-0726; cell: (306) 260-045; or sk.dhouse@gmail.com or find more information on the website: www.presentationofmary.ca

Program for Ecumenical Studies and Formation will take place **June 20-23** at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Saskatoon, with visiting scholars Natasha Klukach and Fr. Tom Ryan. Information at: www.pcecumenism.ca or call (306) 653-1633 or e-mail: programs@pcecumenism.ca

Awaken, Enrich, Deepen Your Faith! The Lay Formation Program is about shaping and transforming the laity and enriching our faith lives. This diocesan program is grounded on three pillars: **learning** more about Catholic teachings and scripture, building Christian **community**, and deepening **prayer** and spiritual growth. Lay Formation is a live-in program that runs one weekend a month from September to June over two years. Applications are now being taken for September 2017. See: www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/layformation or call Mona Goodman at (306) 659-5846.

Apply to join the Justice and Outreach Year (JOY) of Formation program beginning September 2017. Broaden your understanding of social justice issues, develop skills to engage in outreach and respond in service by reaching out to people within our community in a way that respects the dignity of each person. Explore and practice our Catholic Social Teaching! **Application deadline is May 31, 2017**. Visit www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/joy or call (306) 659-5847.

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