



# Diocesan Bulletin

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Sept. 3, 2017 - Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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

**Feast of the Birth of Mary** will be celebrated on **Friday, Sept. 8** at Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, St. Laurent, SK. The evening begins at 6 p.m. with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Marian prayer and Rosary, followed at 7 p.m. by celebration of Eucharist, candlelight procession, and ending with birthday cake and coffee. You are invited to bring a live long stemmed rose or purchase one on site. For more info, see: [www.padiocese.ca/stlaurentshrine](http://www.padiocese.ca/stlaurentshrine)

**Concert for a Late-Summer Evening** will be held at 7:30 p.m. **Friday Sept. 8** at St. John's Anglican Cathedral, 816 Spadina Cres. E., Saskatoon. International soprano Eve Daniell joins pianist Gregory Schulte for a recital of classical favorites from Strauss, Coultard, Puccini, Gershwin and more. Free parking behind St. John's Cathedral. Tickets \$20 advance; \$25 at the door; \$10 students. Advance tickets available at McNally Robinson and the Anglican Cathedral office (306) 242-5146, as well as at the door. Proceeds will go to the St. John's Anglican Cathedral Organ Restoration Fund.

**Serena Run for the Family** will be held **Sept. 9** beginning at 10 a.m. in Saskatoon. Run or walk 1-km, 3-km, or 5-km (strollers welcome). Whether you are running or not, pledges can be collected in support of Serena; prizes will be awarded. To register, visit [www.runningroom.com](http://www.runningroom.com) (races – province SK – click date). Receive registration goodie bags, post-race treats, door prizes, and medals for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place in each event. **Register by Sept. 7**; a family rate available. For more information, contact [sask@serena.ca](mailto:sask@serena.ca) or call (306) 934-8223.

**Couples for Christ presents the Christian Life Program**, building the church of the home, building the church of the poor. CLP is an integrated course leading to a renewed understanding of God's call to us as Christians. There are eight Saturday sessions from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., beginning **Saturday, Sept. 9** at St. Patrick Parish Hall, 3339 Centennial Drive, Saskatoon. Contact Arnel at (306) 260-5249 for info.

**Yoga for Refugees Fundraiser** will be held **Saturday, Sept. 9** at 9:30 a.m. at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, with a gentle all levels yoga class followed by refreshments and door prizes. Charitable tax receipts will be issued for donations for sponsoring the parish's expected refugee family. For more information or to register, call Diane Waldbillig 306-370-6682 or email: [dianew@holyyoga.net](mailto:dianew@holyyoga.net)

**40th Anniversary of St. Augustine Parish, Saskatoon** will be celebrated **Sept. 10**. Activities include ball games, bingo, cards, etc. Catered perogy supper \$10; children between ages 5 and 8 years, \$5; children under 5, free. Call (306) 373-3453.

## Farewell celebration for Mona Goodman

*who has served as a Lay Formation  
coordinator in our diocese since 2008*

**Thursday, Sept. 7**

*7 p.m. Mass / 8 p.m. Wine and Cheese Reception*

Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road,  
Saskatoon. *Everyone is welcome!*

An RSVP would be appreciated, but is not necessary.

Contact Rita at (306) 659-5831 or e-mail:

[logistics@saskatoonrcdiocese.com](mailto:logistics@saskatoonrcdiocese.com)

**Columbus Bosco Homes Annual Corn Roast** fundraiser 5:30 p.m. **Thursday, Sept. 14** will help support at-risk youth in an educational/farm setting. Tickets \$20; call: Chris Sarich (306) 343-5640; Lorne Keller (306) 374-6134; Ernest Boyko (306) 374-2492 or Morris Smysnuik (306) 249-2871.

**Raising the Internet Generation** - One More Soul presents Matt Fradd, founder of the Porn Effect, speaking to parents, grandparents, pastors, teachers, youth workers, and all those concerned about children, youth and families in an era of easily-accessible pornography at **4:00 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14** at Holy Family Cathedral, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. See: [www.omsoul.ca](http://www.omsoul.ca) for information and tickets (\$20 in advance or available at the door).

**Priest Prophet King (PPK) Catholic men's group** presents internationally renowned speaker Matt Fradd speaking on the epidemic of pornography at 7 p.m., **Thursday, Sept. 14** at Holy Family Cathedral, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. This event is open to all men - bring a friend for food, drinks, and an engaging talk. By donation. See [www.priestprophetking.org](http://www.priestprophetking.org)

**E.D. Feehan Catholic High School turns 50** with celebrations **Sept. 30** including school tours, dinner, and entertainment: see [www.picatic.com/event14936667228739](http://www.picatic.com/event14936667228739) or call the school at (306) 659-7550 for tickets. E. D. Feehan is located at 411 Avenue M North, Saskatoon.

**12th annual Compassionate Healers Mass** will be held 7 p.m. **Oct. 4** at Holy Spirit Parish, 114 Kingsmere Place, Saskatoon for all those involved in health care in any way.

**Retrouvaille** is a lifeline of hope and healing for struggling marriages. The next Retrouvaille weekend in Saskatoon will be held **Sept. 29-Oct. 1**. To learn more or to register, call (306) 652-7155 or email [retrouvaille@sasktel.net](mailto:retrouvaille@sasktel.net). or see the website at: [www.restoremarriage.ca](http://www.restoremarriage.ca)

# Message Board



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**“Reformation 500” Commemoration:** Join together with our Christian brothers and sisters from around the city to commemorate the 500th anniversary of the beginning of the Reformation with an ecumenical worship service and reception at 3:00 p.m. **Sunday, Oct. 29** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. Archbishop Donald Bolen of Regina (formerly Bishop of Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon) and Bishop Sid Haugen of the Saskatchewan Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada (ELCIC) will be co-preaching. For more info about this event or other events being planned to commemorate this anniversary, see: [www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/ecumenism-reformation-500](http://www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/ecumenism-reformation-500)

**Together in Christ “Reformation 500” Series** with facilitator Rev. Marie-Louise Ternier begins 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. **Wednesday, Sept. 20** at Zion Lutheran Church, 323-4th Ave. S. Saskatoon, followed by four Saturday sessions held 9:30 a.m. to noon **Sept. 23 and 30, Oct. 14, and 21** at Queen’s House, 601 Taylor St. W. Saskatoon. Cost: \$25/ session or \$100 /series (optional lunch on Saturdays for \$12 each). To register call: (306) 242-1916 or e-mail: [receptionist@queenshouse.org](mailto:receptionist@queenshouse.org)

**Transitions:** Have you experienced the painful experience of divorce and/or separation? You are not alone. The diocese of Saskatoon offers Transitions, a 12-week rebuilding program twice a year. The evenings are facilitated by those who have already journeyed through this experience and have found healing. The fall session begins **Wednesday, Sept. 20**, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 2nd floor of the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. For more information or to register, contact Sharon at (306) 374-1425 or e-mail: [foundations@saskatoonrcdiocese.com](mailto:foundations@saskatoonrcdiocese.com)

**Choose Catholic Education – School starts Sept. 5.** For over a century, Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools have offered Catholic education for all who choose that for their children. Catholic education in Saskatchewan has never simply been schools for Catholics. A recent court decision (and subsequent appeals) has created some uncertainty for many families. We can be certain of two things: we will continue to be a welcoming community nurturing intellectual, physical, emotional and spiritual growth of our students; and provincial funding for both Catholic and non-Catholic students will be in place for the foreseeable future. For info see [www.gscs.ca](http://www.gscs.ca)

**Donations for the Catholic education court appeal:** The eight Catholic school boards in the province are appealing a Theodore court case ruling that would remove funding for non-Catholic students in Catholic schools. The eight boards are asking for donations to help cover the cost of the appeal. See: [www.catholicedspirit.ca](http://www.catholicedspirit.ca) and click on “click here to help” or call the local Catholic school division at (306) 659-7000 for more information.

**Diocesan Prayer** - We pray as a diocesan family for all those involved in education in our schools, our homes, and our parishes. May our Loving God bless all students, parents and families, as well as the teachers, catechists, mentors, and support staff that will journey with them in the coming year.

## Employment Opportunities

### Office of Migration (refugee sponsorship)

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon is seeking a full-time **Coordinator for the Office of Migration**. Applicants of all faiths are welcome to apply. **Deadline: midnight, Sept. 13, 2017.** Responsibilities include providing administrative support and formation to parishes sponsoring refugees and resettling individuals and families; monitoring parishes and constituent groups to ensure the diocese meets its responsibilities as a refugee Sponsorship Agreement Holder; promoting and encouraging awareness about refugee sponsorship. Qualifications include demonstrated experience and awareness of issues around refugees and migration; the ability to work with individuals and groups of varied backgrounds; experience in public speaking and adult education; demonstrated organizational skills with attention to detail; willingness to complete the Refugee Sponsorship Training Program. Salary is in accordance with the Pastoral Salary Grid of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon; with benefits (health and dental), and a pension plan (employer matched defined contribution). To apply, send a cover letter and resume to: Patrick Clarke, Human Resources Manager, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, SK S7S 1H1, or [hr@saskatoonrcdiocese.com](mailto:hr@saskatoonrcdiocese.com)

Find more information online at:

[www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/employment](http://www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/employment)

or contact Patrick Clarke at (306) 659-5835

or by e-mail at: [hr@saskatoonrcdiocese.com](mailto:hr@saskatoonrcdiocese.com)

**STM course** - St. Thomas More College will offer Introduction to Catholicism as a web-based course this fall. CTST 200.3 provides a brief introduction to the academic study of Catholicism from antiquity to the present. A variety of texts are used to illustrate how Catholic faith and theology have played a role in science, philosophy, and the arts. Prerequisite(s): 15 credit units of University study. Open to all U of S students. Register through PAWS. For more info contact: (306) 966-8900.

**Job posting for Administrator/Registrar** - St. Therese Institute of Faith and Mission at Bruno, SK is seeking an Administrator/Registrar. E-mail resume including references to [vserblowski@sttherese.ca](mailto:vserblowski@sttherese.ca) or for information call Vicky at (306) 369-2555, ext. 111. **Deadline to apply is Sept. 5.**

**Are you hurting because of an abortion?** Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild and redeem hearts broken by abortion, offering a supportive, confidential and non-judgmental environment to begin the process of restoration, renewal and healing. The next retreat is **Oct. 13-15, 2017.** Contact Elaine at (306) 480-8911 or [r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net](mailto:r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net)

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