



ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS August 2017

UPCOMING AUGUST PILGRIMAGES

Saturday August 12 & Sunday August 13 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine

St. Peter's Colony, Kronau, SK
(24 km. SE of Regina on Hwy 33, 10 km. East of Kronau)
100th Pilgrimage Memory Lane of Timeless Moments: Take a heart stirring "100th Year Anniversary Journey" through cherished ancestral legacy displays in the Rastadt School House.

There is a bus coming from Holy Cross - Meals for sale or bring your own - Wheelchair accessible - Bring Umbrella

For more information visit our website www.stpeterskronau.ca, "like" us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/stpetersheritagekronau> or call Leroy or Judy (306)781-2842

Contact: grotto100years@outlook.com St. Joseph Parish, Balgonie (306) 771-2387

To find out more about the history of St. Peter's Colony visit the Kronau museum web site www.stpeterskronau.ca

Monday August 14th & 15th 76th Annual Pilgrimage Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes-Rama

Rama is 45 km. Northwest of Canora next to St. Anthony's Church on Highway #5

Beginning at 6:00 p.m. on August 14th and 8:00 a.m. on August 15th.

For more info, contact Mary@ 306-593-6120 or email maryjoe@sasktel.net

In 2017, we are celebrating the centennial of the Apparitions of the Virgin Mary at Fatima, in Portugal, the most well-known and important Apparition in the history of mankind.

Sunday, August 20- 5th Annual Mass for the Unborn

12:15 p.m. Mass at the grotto with rosary lead by the K of C For more info, contact Mary@ 306-593-6120 or email maryjoe@sasktel.net

Sunday, August 20th Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, Kaposvar Kaposvar is five kilometers south of Esterhazy, near the Manitoba border.

Contact Bea Twardzik 306 745-6374, Eola Stevenson 306-740-6095, or Our Lady of Victories Parish in Esterhazy – 306-745-3315 for more information

THINKING FAITH AUGUST PODCASTS

August 1, 2017

TF46: Hospitality and Transforming Truth

This week Eric and Brett discuss the relationship between Hospitality and the Transforming Truth of the Gospel.

<http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/tf46-hospitality-and-transforming-truth>

August 8, 2017

TF47: Science And Creation - Can't They Just Get Along?

This week Eric and Brett take a look at the relationship between science, evolution and 'creationism'.

<http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/tf47-science-and-creation-cant-they-just-get-along>

The Archdiocese of Regina Lay Formation Program

Mission-Discipleship-Service-Faith

"I see how graduates from the program have become more involved in the life of the parish: be it on pastoral council or one of the committees such as liturgy or social justice, etc. I have witnessed their faith grow from before they entered to the time of their graduation and how they become more in tune with their faith. In many ways you can see how they have fallen in love with the Lord and with his Church." - Fr. Stephen Bill

One weekend per month from October until June, Catholics who want to know, love and serve Christ more deeply come together at Campion College in Regina. Are you ready to fall more deeply in love with Jesus Christ and his Church? We are currently accepting applications for the Fall intake of this three-year program. For more information or to register, please contact our Program Coordinator, Eric Gurash at 306.325.1651 ext 211 or email him at egurash@archregina.sk.ca

Stewardship Bulletin Bits for August

August 6, 2017 - The Transfiguration of the Lord

"And he was transfigured before them; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light." - Matthew 17:2

Just as the moon reflects the light of the sun, we should reflect Christ's light to the world. When we receive the Eucharist, the body and blood of Jesus, we are called to be supernatural to reflect His love, mercy and forgiveness to others. When we are grateful for all that God has given us, generosity flows through us because we are made in God's image.

August 13, 2017 - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"He said, "Come". Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus." - Matthew 14:29

When you hear Jesus calling, do you responded immediately and trust that He knows what He's doing? If so, you are walking on water! When we say "yes" to Jesus, we feel the power of his presence in our lives. We can feel the freedom it gives us! Listen how Jesus is calling you to live the extraordinary life He has in mind for you.

August 20, 2017 - 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable." - Romans 11:29

God has a special mission in mind for each of us. He has given us the gifts we need to accomplish that mission. We are called to be good stewards by using those gifts to do the work that He has planned for each of us. If we deny our gifts or fail to use them as God calls us to use them, then some part of His work will be left undone.

August 27, 2017 - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Or who has given the Lord anything that he may be repaid?" - Romans 11:35

St. Paul reminds us of a central fact of stewardship. We cannot give the Lord anything, because God already owns it all. God made everything. All that we can do is return a portion of God's many gifts back to Him. Sincere gratitude for our gifts opens our hearts to joyful generosity!

BULLETIN BOARD

Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions for August Universal Prayer Intention:

"That sports may be an opportunity for friendly encounters between peoples and may contribute to peace in the world".

Evangelization Prayer Intention:

"That Christians may live the Gospel, giving witness to faith, honesty, and love of neighbour".

Spanish Mass

Spanish Mass is usually held once a month on the second Sunday of the month at 6:00 p.m. at St. Cecilia Parish, 5020 - 7th Ave. There is a change for August. Mass will be August 20. All are welcome!

Are you called to visit the sick, elderly or

homebound? "Ministry of Care Training" (sponsored by the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Regina) is open to all faith communities. This one-day program is an introduction to those who would like to know more about being a Spiritual Care Visitor within a health care facility but also valuable for parish/church home and nursing home ministry. The workshop will be held at Christ the King Parish (3239 Garnet Street), Saturday, September 9, 2017 (registration 8:00 a.m. until about 4:00 p.m.). Cost \$25 (includes lunch). Please contact Karen Ziegler at 306-766-5991 or Susan Askin at 639-625-7092 for further information or for a registration form.

OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH GRAND OPENING

Our Lady of Peace Parish, 425 Broad Street North, Regina invites YOU to the Grand Opening of our new worship space and hall. Sunday, August 27, 2017 Mass at 10:30 a.m. with Archbishop Donald Bolen presiding –Blessing of the building and Installation of Father James Owolagba. Old Fashioned Church Picnic – Noon to 3:00 p.m. Visiting, Food, Games, memorabilia, family activities

Compassionate Healers Mass

The 11th annual Compassionate Healers Mass is being held on Thursday September 14th at 7:00 p.m., Christ the King Parish, 3239 Garnet St., Regina. Refreshments to follow. Coming together as one community this special invitation is extended to: Medical Personnel, Spiritual Care, Volunteers, Parish Nurses, Men and Women Religious in Health Care Ministry, Ministry of Care Volunteers in Parishes and Health Care Facilities and Family Caregivers, Medical & Healthcare Students. The Eucharist will re-energize us in our professions and in our faith. Bound by common beliefs, we share in the healing ministry of Jesus Christ throughout the diocese.

St. Peter's CWL Musical Events

To glorify God, spread joy, and raise money for St. Peter's CWL and its charities, St. Peter Parish at 100 Argyle St. will host an Accordion Fest on Sunday, August 20 at 2:00 p.m. (\$10 admission, door prize) and a Country Gospel Sing-Along with Free Spirit the following Sunday, August 27 at 2:00 p.m. (free will offering), both in the Parish Hall downstairs. For both events, there will be refreshments and a 50/50 draw. There is parking behind the church in the south parking lot. Please use the south side entrance (with wheelchair accessible elevator). For more information, please call Pat at 306-924-0418.

Divorce Care

Divorce Care is a video seminar series featuring some of the nation's foremost Christian experts on divorce and recovery topics as seen from the biblical perspective. The program is structured so a person can join in at any time. If you have missed a few sessions, you can pick them up during the next session. Sessions are held on Monday Evenings from 7:00 – 8:15 p.m. beginning September 11 at Resurrection Parish, 3155 Windsor Park Road, Regina, SK. Please call Deborah at 306-789-2378 for information and to register.

Registration for Fall 2017 Holy Yoga

Holy Yoga classes will be offered at various days and times at two Regina church locations. Classes will start the week of September 12/2017. Holy Yoga is exercise, stretching, relaxation, Christian scripture and prayer all in one enjoyable class. For further info and registration go to www.bigfishyoga.ca. You may also phone Connie at 306-551-6933 or email mokerw@sasktel.net.

SAVE THE DATE

Mark your parish calendars: The World Day of the Poor—to be marked each year on the 33rd Sunday of Ordinary time—will be celebrated on Nov. 19 this year and will focus on the Apostle John's call to love "not with words, but with deeds."

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them...
Matthew 17:1-2...



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