



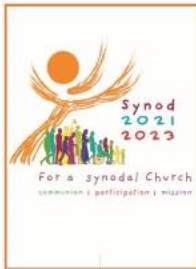
## **DIOCESAN AND PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS** **November 30, 2021**

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\*\* If you would like to receive the weekly Diocesan and Parish Announcements by email, please call Nicole at 306-922-4747, ext. 228, or email her at [ecassistant@padiocese.ca](mailto:ecassistant@padiocese.ca) to subscribe.

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### **EPISCOPAL**



Synod 2021-2023: To follow the diocesan Synod plans please go to the diocesan website at <https://www.padiocese.ca/synod2023> where you can currently view Bishop Hero's presentation about the Synod given on October 30 and the opening Mass for the diocesan synodal journey on November 8, 2020. This page will be updated as more of the diocesan plans unfold.



### **BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

[2021 Bishop's Annual Appeal Video](#)

To view the Most Rev. Stephen Hero's video in both English and French, please follow the above link.

### **CLERGY APPOINTMENT UPDATES**

[Link to October 19, 2021 Letter in English](#)

[Link to October 19, 2021 Letter in French](#)

To view the Most Rev. Stephen Hero's Clergy Appointment Updates, please follow the above link.

### **VACCINES AND LETTER EXEMPTION TO THE PEOPLE OF GOD**

[Link to October 7, 2021 Letter in English](#)

[Link to October 7, 2021 Letter in French](#)

To view the Most Rev. Stephen Hero's letter on Vaccines and Letter Exemption to the People of God, please follow the above link.

### **NEW PUBLIC HEALTH ORDERS**

[Letter of September 16, 2021](#)

[Letter of September 17, 2021 \(Clarification\)](#)

Most Rev. Stephen Hero's letter regarding the new public health orders for places of worship.

## **TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION UPDATES**

### **UPDATE FROM THE MOST REV. STEPHEN HERO**

To read the most recent update from the Most Rev. Bishop Stephen Hero for the Diocese of Prince Albert on the Saskatchewan Bishops' Catholic TRC Healing Response Appeal, please click on one of the links below.

[Link to October 1, 2021 Letter in English](#)

[Link to October 1, 2021 Letter in French](#)



### **THE HOLY SEE**

[Link to Vatican News](#)

### **LATEST IN VATICAN NEWS**

To follow the latest in Vatican News, please go to the above link.

### **JOIN POPE FRANCIS IN PRAYER EVERY DAY**

[Link to Pray with Pope Francis Daily](#)

If you would like to join Pope Francis in prayer every day, there is an app to make it easy: 'Click to Pray'



### **CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS**

[Link to the latest news from the CCCB](#)

To follow CCCB and the latest news, please go to the above link.

## **DIOCESAN EVENTS**

### **DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATION TO CONCLUDE THE YEAR OF ST JOSEPH**



Please join Bishop Stephen Hero  
on Wednesday December 8, 2021  
at St. Joseph Parish in Prince Albert  
(260 25<sup>th</sup> Street East)  
Mass will begin at 7pm

\*\*For those not able to attend in person the celebration can be found live on the Diocesan Facebook page.

\*\*For priests planning to concelebrate 'in person' please pre-register by December 6<sup>th</sup> to St. Joseph Parish at (306) 764-4942 or email at [stjosephschurchpa@sasktel.net](mailto:stjosephschurchpa@sasktel.net) or [revdelapena1869@icloud.com](mailto:revdelapena1869@icloud.com)

### **BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

The theme for the 2021 Bishop's Annual Appeal is "To Serve and Give His Life". Bishop Stephen Hero started the campaign with the video which can be viewed at the following link <https://www.padiocese.ca/bishops-appeal> .

The goal, again this year is \$450,000. As of November 30, 2021 the amount pledged is **\$257,242.15** with 806 donors.

**Have you received your envelope in the mail yet?** If you didn't receive an envelope ask at your parish, they have extras or email [bishopsappeal@padiocese.ca](mailto:bishopsappeal@padiocese.ca) or [baadirector@padiocese.ca](mailto:baadirector@padiocese.ca). You can call Andrea Langlois – Director of Bishop's Annual Appeal 306-922-4747 Ext. 234 or Louis Hradecki, Data Administrator 306-922-4747 Ext. 233.

### **ONLINE MASS TIMES**

**Live Streamed Masses around the Roman Catholic Diocese of Prince Albert for Sundays until further notice:**

**Our Lady of Peace Parish, Meadow Lake** – Fr. Doug Jeffrey, OMI – Mass is live-streamed 10:00 a.m. Sundays – Catholic Church Meadow Lake.

<https://www.facebook.com/Catholic-Church-Meadow-Lake-100614168252431/>

### **Advent/Christmas Schedule**

Friday, December 24 - at 10:00 pm in Meadow Lake (Live-streamed Facebook)

Saturday, December 25 - at 10:00 am in Meadow Lake (Live-streamed Facebook)

December 26 - at 10:00 am Parish Church Meadow Lake (Live-streamed Facebook)

January 2 - at 10:00 am Parish Church Meadow Lake (Live-streamed Facebook)

### **During the week after Christmas**

Tuesday, December 28, 6:30 pm in Meadow Lake Church (Live-streamed Facebook)

Wednesday, December 29, 6:30 pm in Meadow Lake Church (Live-streamed Facebook)

Thursday, December 30, 6:30 pm in Meadow Lake Church (Live-streamed Facebook)

Friday, December 31, 6:30 pm in Meadow Lake Church (Live-streamed Facebook)

Saturday, January 1, 10:00 am in Meadow Lake Church (Live-streamed Facebook)

**St. Lucy Parish, Arborfield** – Fr. Travis Myrheim – Mass is live-streamed on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. for October.

<https://www.facebook.com/LiveMassFrTravis>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCULbzGDtU1RfaQkheZsYbpw>

**Canadian Martyrs Parish** - Carrot River – Fr. Travis Myrheim – Mass is live-streamed at 11:00 a.m. Sundays for October.

<https://www.facebook.com/LiveMassFrTravis>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCULbzGDtU1RfaQkheZsYbpw>

**Paroisse Notre Dame de la Nativité, Zenon Park** – Fr. Travis Myrheim – Mass is live-streamed at 7:30 pm Saturdays for October.

<https://www.facebook.com/LiveMassFrTravis>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCULbzGDtU1RfaQkheZsYbpw>

**St. Theresa Parish, Wakaw** – Fr. Matthew Nguyen - Mass will be live-streamed on November 21 & 28, 2021 @ 11:00 a.m.

December 5, 12, 19 & 26 @ 9:00 a.m. / December 24, 2021 @ 5:00 p.m.

[https://www.youtube.com/results?search\\_query=st.+theresa+parish+wakaw](https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=st.+theresa+parish+wakaw)

<https://www.sttheresaparishwakaw.com/home>

## **ECUMENISM**

<https://www.padiocese.ca/ecumenical-commission>

## **EVANGELIZATION AND CATECHESIS**

### **Children, Youth & Adult Faith Formation**

[catechetics@padiocese.ca](mailto:catechetics@padiocese.ca)

## **FALL EVENTS 2021**

The Office of Evangelization and Catechesis is offering an adult faith opportunity to deepen our faith experience of the Advent and Christmas Seasons. Please see below for the description and time of the virtual event.



This event is possible due to the generosity of the Bishop's Annual Appeal supporters. A huge bouquet of thanks to all who donate.

The following virtual event contains a registration link. If this is appearing in your bulletin and you would like to register for this event, you can do so by going to the Evangelization and Catechesis webpage on the Prince Albert Diocese website at <https://www.padiocese.ca/evangelization-and-catechesis> where the live registration link can be found. You can also email or call Nicole, the Evangelization and Catechesis assistant, [ecassistant@padiocese.ca](mailto:ecassistant@padiocese.ca) or 306-922-4747 extension 228 and she will assist.

## **ADULT FAITH:**



### **November 24 to December 22 from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

**5-Week Advent Virtual Bible Study.** This bible study will begin the week following the presentation by Fr. Richard Leonard, SJ. The bible study content will be the Advent Sunday and Christmas Eve Gospels using Lectio Divina and small group sharing. Lectio Divina (Latin for "Divine Reading") is a traditional monastic practice of scriptural reading,

meditation, and prayer intended to promote communion with God and to increase the knowledge of God's word. Click on the following link to [REGISTER](#)

## **LITURGY**

[liturgy@padiocese.ca](mailto:liturgy@padiocese.ca)

A reminder of Copyrights, live-streaming, and technology in Churches is now available at [Copyright Guidelines](#)

## **YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH**

**Dec 8, 2020-Dec. 8, 2021**

Prayer for the year of St. Joseph can be found at the link below.

[Information on the Year of St. Joseph](#)

## **CONFIRMATION AND FIRST EUCHARIST**

[Information on Confirmation and First Eucharist](#)

Please contact the Liturgy Office if you need a copy of the Order of Service or Congregational Booklets.

## **LITURGICAL RESOURCES**

[Liturgy Resources Found Here](#)

## **MARRIAGE PREPARATION**

[Information on Marriage Preparation](#)

Please take a moment and check out the new options at the above link.

## PASTORAL CARE

### **CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING GUIDE**

<https://www.padiocese.ca/>

For information on Catholic Estate Planning, please follow the above link.

### **RESOURCE CENTRE - Library & Gift Shop**

website: <https://www.padiocese.ca/resource-centre>

email: [resources@padiocese.ca](mailto:resources@padiocese.ca)



Christmas Cards, Advent candles and wreaths.  
Come and check out our Christmas decor  
and gift ideas for everyone on you Christmas list.



**The Resource Centre Library and Gift Shop are open to the public.**

The Resource Centre is open Monday to Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Please call 306-922-4747 ext. 229 or email at [resources@padiocese.ca](mailto:resources@padiocese.ca)  
and I can assist you in finding resources from the Library and  
I can be your personal shopper in the Gift Shop.

On the Diocesan website <https://www.padiocese.ca/resource-centre> you can  
see some of the  
beautiful gifts we have to offer.

## RESTORATIVE JUSTICE

**"DOING TOGETHER WHAT WE CANNOT DO ALONE"**

### **SOCIAL JUSTICE**

<https://www.padiocese.ca/social-justice>

### **THE LAUDATO SI ACTION PLATFORM**

The **Laudato Si Action Platform** will be launched on November 14th. It allows Catholic parishes, schools, families to take tangible steps so that their actions reduce their impact on God's Creation, our common home. Each group will create a 7-year plan. The platform is easy to use, allowing you to obtain a certificate later.

<https://laudatosiactionplatform.org/>

This project is very close to my heart since I have been a member of the Laudato Si Platform for Action working group (led by the Vatican) since last March. Interacting with Catholics from all around the globe has been a rewarding experience that will soon bear fruit.

I also take this opportunity to announce that the **Green Churches Network** is the official partner of the Laudato Si Platform for Action in Canada. For 15 years now, this charity has been helping churches to care for our common home through concrete actions and a spirituality based on integral ecology.

<https://greenchurches.ca/>

***All of these links can also be found on our Website under Social Justice.***

<https://www.padiocese.ca/social-justice>

## **VOCATIONS**

### **VOCATIONS COMMISSION NEWSLETTER**

The Vocations Commission Spring Newsletter 2021 is available at  
<https://www.padiocese.ca/vocations-commission>

### **THE VOCATIONS COMMISSION**

<https://www.padiocese.ca/vocations-commission>

The Vocations Commission would like parishes to promote vocations by putting a Vocation Corner in your weekly bulletin.

**Year B.** These can be found at the above link.

### **PERMANENT DIACONATE PROGRAM**

[permanentdiaconate@padiocese.ca](mailto:permanentdiaconate@padiocese.ca)

Together let us place our petitions for the fruitfulness of the Permanent Diaconate in the Diocese of Prince Albert in the maternal hands of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary, asking her to watch over the candidates for this ministry who will proclaim the Word faithfully, serve the liturgy reverently, and care for the needs of the poor joyfully.

## **YOUTH MINISTRY**

### **PRINCE ALBERT DIOCESE, YOUTH MINISTRY**

[youthcoordinator@padiocese.ca](mailto:youthcoordinator@padiocese.ca)

**Contact Information for Youth Ministry Team:**

**Co-ordinator – Adele Craswell - 306-960-0882**

**Retreat Leaders – Brian Bauche - 306-220-0025**

### **YOUTH MINISTRY TRAINING MANUAL**

The link for the new Youth Ministry Training Manual can be found at the link below:

<https://www.padiocese.ca/youth-ministry-training-resources>.

## **WORLD YOUTH DAY**

The *Dicastery for the Laity, Family, and Life* has informed the CCCB General Secretariat that **Pope Francis' Message for the XXXVI World Youth Day** was published, Monday, 27 September 2021.

This year's World Youth Day will be held at the diocesan level on the Solemnity of Christ the King (21 November) with the theme: "*Stand up. I appoint you as a witness of what you have seen*" (cf. Acts 26:16).

The Message is available in various languages at the following websites:

Vatican:

[https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/youth/documents/papa-francesco\\_20210914\\_messaggio-giovani\\_2021.html](https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/youth/documents/papa-francesco_20210914_messaggio-giovani_2021.html)

Dicastery for the Laity, Family, and

Life: <http://www.laityfamilylife.va/content/laityfamilylife/en/GMGMESSAGE2021.html>

## PARISH, SCHOOL, AND GROUP EVENTS

## OTHER EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### BRIDGE OF ROSES

Come see the Greatest Story Never Told and Enroll in the Confraternity



**Who: Our Lady of the Cape/ Notre Dame du Cap**

**What:** We invite you to come and view the Movie "Bridge of Roses "

**When: December 12, 2021 at 2 pm**

**Where:** At The Sisters Of the Presentation auditorium  
at 1405 Bishop Paschal Place

+ Silver collection at the door for the use of the auditorium +

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

**WANTED: A Director of Administration and Finance for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon**

We are looking for a highly motivated, organized and detail-oriented individual who has their CPA designation and is interested in working in a faith-based Roman Catholic organization.

***About The Position:***

The Director of Administration and Finance has a key leadership role, reporting directly to the Bishop and responsible for providing overall management and administrative oversight of seven (7) key functional service areas of:

- Financial Services;
- Human Resources;
- Communications;
- Information Technology;
- Building and Maintenance;
- Safeguarding; and
- Migration Services.

The position oversees 6 direct reports (approximately 12 employees) and manages a budget for the organization of approximately \$5 million annually. The Director of Administration and Finance is a visible representative of the diocesan Church and the Bishop of Saskatoon; therefore, it is required that the incumbent be a practising Catholic, registered in a Catholic parish, and is personally committed to the identity and mission of the Roman Catholic Diocese.

***How to Apply:***

To apply, please submit a cover letter and resume to Vicki Towriss at [vtowriss@rcdos.ca](mailto:vtowriss@rcdos.ca) by 4:30 p.m. Friday, December 3, 2021



### **Sisters of the Presentation of Mary**

#### ***A announcement from Sr. April Marie Mireau, Sisters of the Presentation of Mary***

I'd like to take this opportunity to share with you this short video that was made for the occasion of my vows and our 225th anniversary. Feel free to share it on your website and Facebook page and I thought it would be good to put this video in the vocation section of your website.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P24MKVONTuk>

In the spirit of thanksgiving, I also want to thank you for your support and your help in making the occasion of my final vows a beautiful celebration!

Thank you so much and be assured of our prayers during our novena leading up to the Feast of the Presentation of Mary on Nov 21st.

### **St. James Church in Albertville**

St. James Church in Albertville was blessed by Bishop Prud'homme on Aug 13, 1922. This means there have been 100 years of celebrations. This milestone cannot be overlooked and for this we must celebrate. St. James Parish is inviting all parishioners and past parishioners to attend. Please reserve the dates July 29, 30, 31 and August 1, 2022 for this momentous occasion. For more information go to the St. James, Albertville Parish Facebook page.

### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

<https://www.padiocese.ca/knights-of-columbus>

***Please follow the above link to print off a Poster for your Parishes.***



What do Vince Lombardi, Babe Ruth, and President John F. Kennedy all have in common? They were all men of faith. They were all legendary not only for their extraordinary achievements but also for the many ways they gave of themselves in service to others. They were all Knights of Columbus.

For more than 130 years, Knights have been leaders in their communities. Rooted in faith and supported by a global fraternity of ~2 million brother Knights, you can be more and do more. When you join us, you're joining the company of heroic men, and answering a higher call to become what God wants you to be!

Meet other extraordinary Knights who are part of your local council. See what being a Knight can do for you.

With no Strings attached go to: [www.kofc.org/joinus](http://www.kofc.org/joinus)

Between July 1<sup>st</sup> – December 31, 2021

Membership is free if you use the code: **MCGIVNEY2020**

***Men, we promise that after a year you can subscribe or simply unsubscribe. But because it has value not only to you but your family too, we think you will want more! So Join today.***

[www.kofc.org/joinus](http://www.kofc.org/joinus) code: **MCGIVNEY2020**

### **INDIGENOUS PEOPLES**

The following trailers are of Georgiana's movies if you want to view them.

<http://georginalightning.com/video/older-than-america-extended-dvd-trailer/>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i0KDWfVgGLU>



## **QUEEN'S HOUSE RETREAT & RENEWAL CENTRE**

### **Latest Programs Offered**

There are always programs being offered. For Information on any upcoming programs, follow the above link.

Thank you for supporting the programming being offered at Queen's House. We welcome your suggestions for additional topics and events. Queen's House is committed to serving the ecumenical Christian community in Saskatchewan and beyond by offering a quiet, nourishing space where people can come to be renewed. In addition to a wide variety of programs Queen's House offers meeting space that is ideal for parish council/vestry/church board meetings, days away, and congregational/parish retreats. Please contact us at 306-242-1916 or [bookings@queenshouse.org](mailto:bookings@queenshouse.org) for further information.

## **CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES**

Check out our [WEBSITE](#)

### **STRENGTHENING FAMILIES**

#### **Parent & Child Programs for this Fall**

Go to their website, or click on the above link, and check out not only the ongoing programs provided but exciting new ones, or email [strengtheningfamilies.cfspa@sasktel.net](mailto:strengtheningfamilies.cfspa@sasktel.net).

## **COUNSELLING SERVICES**

In response to Covid-19 and until further notice, counselling services will continue to be available by PHONE or VIDEO CONFERENCING only. To make an appointment to speak with a Counsellor. Please call (306) 922-3202. Mon- Fri.- 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

## **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA**

The information for the Saskatchewan Provincial Council of the Catholic Women's League of Canada annual award to help young women engage In social justice work is available at <https://www.padiocese.ca/catholic-women-s-league>.

## **RACHEL'S VINEYARD**

[r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net](mailto:r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net)

### **RACHEL'S VINEYARD MINISTRY OF SK 2021 RETREAT**

Are you hurting because of an abortion? Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild, and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats offer you a supportive, confidential, and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, release and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of restoration, renewal, and healing.



## **COLUMBIAN CENTRE APARTMENTS**

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Prince Albert

- Seniors Only Building (60+)
- Across from Gateway Mall and Humpty's Restaurant
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*Affordable rental units include heat, power, water, cable, appliances, laundry on every floor, elevator, security systems, and front door bus*

*service.*

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**Check out our new website at [columbiancentre.com](http://columbiancentre.com)**

## **COMMUNICATIONS**

### **DIOCESAN FACEBOOK PAGE AND TWITTER ACCOUNTS**

Besides the web page [ecassistant@padiocese.ca](mailto:ecassistant@padiocese.ca), the Diocese has both a Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/padiocese/> and Twitter account <https://twitter.com/padiocese>.

In these accounts, we publish pictures, articles, and upcoming events.

To view Upcoming Diocesan Events follow the link, <https://www.padiocese.ca/events-calendar>.

Thank you so much for sharing these events with your parishioners, teachers and students to help set their hearts on fire. God bless.

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