



## **DIOCESAN AND PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**July 17, 2023**

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**Summer Hours start June 16th and end on September 1st  
The pastoral centre will be open Monday to Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
And Friday by appointment only.**

### **EPISCOPAL**



The new clergy appointments from Bishop Stephen Hero for the 2023-2024 year for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Prince Albert are available at the following link:

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

## **CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS**



### **THE THIRD WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY**

The third **World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly** will be celebrated this year on **Sunday, 23 July 2023**. Pope Francis inaugurated this World Day to be celebrated by the universal Church each July, either on or near the liturgical Memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, grandparents of Jesus, to help “treasure the spiritual and human wealth that has been handed down from generation to generation”.

Pope Francis’ chosen theme for this year’s World Day is ***“His mercy is from age to age”*** (Lk 1:50), raising the relational interconnection between the old and the young. The theme is especially fitting in light of the upcoming World Youth Day (WYD) in Lisbon, which will take place from 1-6 August 2023. To showcase this theme, the **CCCB Standing Committee for Family and Life, in tandem with its Office**, produced a [30 second video](#) which captures a group of high school students visiting the elderly at a retirement home. The heartwarming interaction of old and young wonderfully represents this year’s World Day theme and inspires us to find concrete and creative ways to draw near to the elderly.

You are invited to share the video and supporting resources in your diocese/eparchy, especially encouraging family, life and youth initiatives to promote the video, especially with groups organizing WYD events.

#### **YouTube CCCB Promo Video**

- [English](#)
- [French](#)

#### **CCCB Website - Resources Page**

- [English](#)
- [French](#)

#### **Google Drive - Social Media Guidelines**

- [English](#)
- [French](#)



### **THE HOLY SEE**

[Link to Vatican News](#)

### **LATEST IN VATICAN NEWS**

### **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’

## **DIOCESAN EVENTS**

### **CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING GUIDE**

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

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

### **ECUMENISM**

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

### **EVANGELIZATION AND CATECHESIS (OEC)**

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

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

## **INDIGENOUS PEOPLES**

<https://www.padiocese.ca/indigenous-relations>

## **LITURGY**

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

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

## **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](#)

The liturgy updates for May and June are available at <https://www.padiocese.ca/liturgy-commission>.

## **MARRIAGE PREPARATION**

[Information on Marriage Preparation](#)

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

Go to <https://www.padiocese.ca/marriage-and-family-life> to read the World Ovulation Method Billings (WOOMB) International Congress April 2023 Rome report.

## **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 Sunday at 10:00 a.m. <https://www.facebook.com/Catholic-Church-Meadow-Lake-100614168252431/>

***St. Lucy Parish, Arborfield*** – Fr. Gerard Legaspi - Mass is live-streamed on Saturday at 7:00 p.m.  
<https://youtube.com/channel/UCULbzGDtU1RfaQkheZsYbpw>

***Canadian Martyrs Parish - Carrot River*** – Fr. Gerard Legaspi - Mass is live-streamed Sunday at 9:00 a.m.  
<https://youtube.com/channel/UCULbzGDtU1RfaQkheZsYbpw>

***Paroisse Notre Dame de la Nativité, Zenon Park*** – Fr. Gerard Legaspi - Mass is livestreamed Saturday at 11:00 a.m.  
<https://youtube.com/channel/UCULbzGDtU1RfaQkheZsYbpw>

***St. Theresa Parish, Wakaw*** – Fr. Matthew Nguyen – Mass will be live-streamed Sunday July 23 & 30 @ 11:00 a.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>

## **PASTORAL CARE**

The Diocesan webpage for PASTORAL CARE has been updated! Please check it out at <https://www.padiocese.ca/pastoral-care>

## **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.

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

### **Resource and gift store**

[closed July 12th to July 30th, 2023.](#)

We will reopen August 1st, 2023.

## **SOCIAL JUSTICE**

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

### Pray for peace in Ukraine

Thanks to the generosity and prayers of Canadian donors, the Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA Canada) and its partners on the ground continue to offer emergency services and humanitarian and pastoral support to Ukrainians of all backgrounds, providing displaced people, the elderly and the sick with care, medical supplies, food, clothing and shelter, as well as educational programs and support for local priests.

## **DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE**



### Offer Hope in the Light of Christ

For current updates, please go to <https://padiocese.ca/development-and-peace>

## **VOCATIONS**

### **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 A.** These can be found at the above link.

The Vocations Spring Newsletter 2023 can be read at the following

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

**YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY**

**PRINCE ALBERT DIOCESE, YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY**

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

Thank you to all who supported the youth and young adult ministry this past year. Please keep up the good work. The Youth and Young Adult office is going on a summer hiatus effective immediately. We look forward to future youth activities.

For further information, please contact the Assistant Office and Programs Manager @ [officeprogramsmgr@padiocese.ca](mailto:officeprogramsmgr@padiocese.ca)

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL/CAT CHAT 2023**

The poster has an orange background. At the top, the words 'faith', 'music', 'crafts', 'games', 'shacks', 'fun', and 'prizes' are written in a casual, hand-drawn font. In the center, the 'CAT CHAT' logo is prominent, with 'CAT CHAT' in large, bold, red letters and 'Vacation Bible School' in smaller red letters below it. A banner with a blue background and yellow border reads 'CATHLETICS!' in large yellow letters, with 'TRAINING TO BE CHAMPIONS FOR CHRIST' in white letters below it. Below the banner are four black silhouettes of people: one with arms raised holding musical notes, one kneeling, one running, and one kicking a ball. At the bottom right, there are three circular icons: a yellow cross, a yellow church building, and a yellow cross inside a circle. In the bottom right corner, there is an illustration of a soccer ball and a football.

Who: Kids ages 4 to 12  
Where: St. Joseph Parish Hall, North Battleford  
When: August 21<sup>st</sup> to August 25<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 9:00am to 12:00pm Noon  
Cost: FREE  
Contact: Crystal at [c.wandler@locbsd.ca](mailto:c.wandler@locbsd.ca)  
Registration Deadline: Friday, August 11<sup>th</sup>

**2023 YOUTH RALLY**

**3<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL YOUTH RALLY 2023**

**SUMMER YOUTH (& PARENTS') PROGRAM**

**ORGANIZED BY MSP/ AMSP CANADA MISSION**

**NO COST—FREE**

(In cooperation with the Diocese of Prince Albert)

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 11<sup>TH</sup> (OVERNIGHT OPTION) 6:00PM-10:30PM**

**&**

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 12<sup>TH</sup> 9:00AM -4:00PM**

**OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH, ST. WALBURG, Sask.**

<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>
Registration/Bbq supper	Breakfast/ registration
Adoration	Games
Praise & Worship	Speakers / Group talks
Reconciliation	Lunch
Campfire ,Marshmallows, and song	Talent show
	Mass

**SLEEPING ARRANGEMENTS FOR FRIDAY ATTENDEES WILL BE  
AVAILABLE IN CHURCH/HALL**

**ALL YOUTH STAYING OVERNIGHT, MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A  
PARENT OR GUARDIAN**

***(Programs will also be available for  
younger family members who attend with siblings)***

**For more information and/or to register:**

**Fr. Peter Nnanga, MSP 306-344-7867**

**Germaine Vany, AMSP 306-398-7601**

## **WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023**



Information video for World Youth Day 2023 in Lisbon: [https://youtu.be/JQZ\\_VAPZ2ow](https://youtu.be/JQZ_VAPZ2ow)  
Please see our website for more information at <https://www.padiocese.ca/world-youth-day-2023>

### **PARISH, SCHOOL, AND GROUP EVENTS**

#### **CHRIST THE KING CAMP RENTAL**

Christ the King Camp @ Marean Lake would like to invite parishes to avail themselves of camp facilities for their parish celebrations and activities at a 25% reduced rate for this season's available rental dates.

Rental dates available:

July 31

August 1,2, 4-8, 27-31 & September 1

Please view our webpage @ <https://www.christthekingcamp.com> for more information.

Phone 306 322-2291 or 322-7694 (cell) if you are interested in any of these dates. Thank you.

#### **OTHER EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

##### **SAINT PHILOMENA WALKING PILGRIMAGE**

The Saint Philomena Walking Pilgrimage, sponsored by the Archdiocese of Regina, will be happening again this year. We start on August 11th in Yorkton and finish on August 14th at Rama. This is a guided pilgrimage with rest stops, meals, support vehicles, and a trailer carrying tents and sleeping gear to each overnight stop. Pilgrims are invited to join us for all or part of the walk. For more information see our website at [stphilomena.ca](http://stphilomena.ca) or phone 306 728 5525.

##### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

New Year 2023 Information for the Knights of Columbus can be found at <https://www.padiocese.ca/knights-of-columbus>

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

601 Taylor Street W, Saskatoon, SK S7M 0C9

**Phone:** 306-242-1916 • **Email:** [programming@queenshouse.org](mailto:programming@queenshouse.org) •

**Website:** [www.queenshouse.org](http://www.queenshouse.org)

For current updates, please go to <https://padiocese.ca/queen-s-house-retreat-renewal-centr>

## **CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES**

Check out our [WEBSITE](#)

A list of the Fall programs are now up on our website.

## **RACHEL'S VINEYARD**

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

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.

## **COMMUNICATIONS**

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

Besides the web page <https://www.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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