



Diocesan Bulletin

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Sunday, April 14, 2019 - Palm / Passion Sunday

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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

An annual Holocaust Memorial, Yom Hashoah Service, will be held at 1:30 p.m. **Sunday, April 14** at the Sanctuary, Jewish Community Centre of Congregation Agudas Israel, 715 McKinnon Ave. Saskatoon. Keynote speaker is Holocaust survivor Max Eisen. During the service, Saskatoon Bishop Mark Hagemoen will light a candle, and Regina Archbishop Don Bolen will be given the Miklos Kanitz Holocaust and Human Rights Education Award. All are welcome to attend.

Bruno Way of the Cross: St. Therese Institute will lead a walking Stations of the Cross around the perimeter of Bruno, praying for the community on **Good Friday morning April 19**, beginning 10 a.m. at the front gate of St. Therese. The walk is expected to take 1.5 to 2 hours – all are welcome to join in.

Saskatoon Good Friday Outdoor Way of the Cross will be held in Saskatoon, beginning at 9:45 a.m. **Friday, April 19** at the courthouse across from the Vimy Memorial on Spadina Crescent, and concluding at St. Paul's Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Cr. E., with a soup lunch. Join fellow Christians in following the cross, giving witness, praying, singing and reflecting on Christ's passion and death in light of suffering in our world today. The outdoor prayer walk takes about 1.5 hours,

Tenebrae: Office of Shadows will be held 8 p.m. **Good Friday, April 19** at St. Augustine Parish, 602 Boychuk Drive, Saskatoon. The Office of Tenebrae (meaning 'darkness' or 'shadow') is a Holy Week devotion dating back to the seventh century, with every word of the Tenebrae from the scriptures. Following the opening prayer, the service is divided into three nocturne or parts. Each nocturne includes three Psalms, the Lord's Prayer, and three Sacred Scripture Readings. For more information, please call St. Augustine parish office, 306-373-3543. (incense will be used.) **A Tenebrae service** will also be celebrated 7:30 p.m. **Good Friday, April 19** at St. Paul's Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Cr., Saskatoon.

The Divine Office of the Tenebrae will be celebrated at 8:30 p.m. **Good Friday, April 19** at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Vanscoy, SK. This is an evening of sung prayer led by "Ecumenia" (Ecumenical Choir of Saskatoon) with choral works by Sebastian De Vivanco, Tomas Luis De Victoria, Aristotle Esguerra, Giovanni Palestrina and sung Psalms, canticles, and lessons. All are welcome to attend this prayerful service.

24 Hours of Eucharistic Adoration will be held from 12 noon **Monday, April 22** to 12 noon **Tuesday, April 23**, at Queen's House, 601 Taylor St. W., Saskatoon. Spend time in prayer with Jesus! For info, contact Sally at (306) 373-2621.

CHRISM MASS

7:00 p.m. Monday, April 15

All are invited to join Bishop Mark Hagemoen in this diocesan celebration at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, as he blesses the sacred oils that will be used in sacramental anointings at parishes across the diocese in the year ahead:

- **Oil of Catechumens (OC)** used to strengthen those who are to be baptized.
- **Oil of the Sick (OS)** used for the sacramental anointing of the sick.
- **Oil of Sacred Chrism (SC)** used in the celebration of baptism, confirmation, the ordination of priests and bishops, and for the dedication of churches and altars.

Priestly service is also a focus of the diocesan Chrism Mass, as our priests renew their sacred commitment.

A reception will follow the annual diocesan celebration.

Self Care for the Caregiver - Jeanne Beaudoin, a social worker from the Saskatchewan Health Authority, will speak at Holy Spirit parish, 114 Kingsmere Pl., Saskatoon, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. **Wednesday, April 24**. She will address stresses of caregiving and discuss available resources. All those interested are welcome. Contact Charlene or Kelly, Holy Spirit Parish Ministry of Care, at (306) 374-1425 for more information.

Solving The Brain Puzzle - A Complete Layperson's Guide to Achieving Brain Health, a lecture by Dr. Bill Code, M.D. will be held 7 p.m. **Friday, April 26**, at Bishop Mahoney Hall, St. Paul's Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Cres East, Saskatoon. Refreshments served. Free-will offering. Everyone welcome. Volunteers are needed, please call Maylane at (306) 262-5728.

CWL celebration - All members of the Catholic Women's League are invited to Our Lady of Good Counsel / Our Lady of Grace Saskatoon region Mass at 6 p.m. **Friday, April 26** at St. John Bosco Parish, 1202 Ave. O S., Saskatoon, followed by a potluck meal and entertainment. All CWL members welcome.

Pure Witness YEP: presents "Love Take Me Over": The last YEP of the year, for Grades 7 & up, will be held 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. **Saturday, April 27** at Our Lady of Lourdes, 12th St. East and Wiggins Ave., Saskatoon. Mass, confession, praise and worship, food and fellowship!. Cost: \$30 for YEP and formal dinner, followed by a Family Dance at 7:30 p.m. For info, call: (306) 717-7868 or see <https://purewitness.com>

Divine Mercy Sunday with Bishop Mark Hagemoen will be held at 3 p.m., **Sunday, April 28** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Rd, Saskatoon. (*This is not a Mass.*)

Message Board

Catholic Saskatoon News – As part of a recent re-design of the diocesan website, a **news portal** has been launched at: <https://news.rcdos.ca>. You are also invited to follow the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon on **Facebook** at www.facebook.com/saskatoonrcdiocese and/or on **Twitter** @saskatooncath or **Pinterest**: www.pinterest.ca/rcatholic. For more information, contact Communications Coordinator Kiply Lukan Yaworski at (306) 659-5844 or kyaworski@rcdos.ca or see the diocesan website at <https://rcdos.ca>

Employment opportunities: Saint Anne's Catholic Church, 217 Lenore Drive, Saskatoon, is seeking a full-time Coordinator of Youth Ministry and a part time (15 hours/week) Coordinator of Volunteers/Sunday Experience. **Application deadline for both is April 15**, with flexible start dates for late May. For more info and to apply, please visit www.saintannes.ca/careers

Rachel's Vineyard Ministry - 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 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. **The next retreat in Saskatchewan will be held April 26-28**. To register, contact Elaine at 1-306-480-8911 or email: r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net

Knights of Columbus Super Supper Fundraiser will be held **Saturday, April 27** at St. Alphonse Catholic Church, Viscount, SK (prime rib, Mediterranean chicken, baked potato). Tickets are \$35, available from Viscount Stop and Shop or from any St. Alphonse Knights of Columbus member.

"Come To Me All" is a unique event to be held 6:30 p.m. **Thursday, May 2**, in support of the Church in the city of Sambir, Ukraine. Come to enjoy a fashion show, a short video explaining the need, a skit performed by youth from Ukraine; as well as tea, coffee, cakes and handmade souvenirs for purchase; held in the church auditorium of St. George's Cathedral, 210 Ave M South, Saskatoon. Admission is by donation. RSVP to vitamarko77@gmail.com or (306) 914-0355 by April 29.

The 2019 New Evangelization Summit will be broadcast to two locations in our diocese May 4 – the Cathedral of the Holy Family in Saskatoon and St. Mary's Parish in Macklin. The Summit features world-class Catholic speakers such as Michael Dopp, Fr. James Mallon, Cardinal Gerald Lacroix, Michelle Moran, and others, all bringing a message about how ordinary Catholics can become effective missionary disciples. This is a FREE event, running from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **Saturday, May 4**. Register online at www.newevangelization.ca or contact Marilyn Jackson at (306) 659-5836. *Come and be inspired and equipped to share Jesus Christ with others!*

Dying Healed Program - Learn more about end-of-life issues, the power of human presence and the meaning of human suffering at this powerful workshop to be held from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **Saturday, May 4** at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, **Outlook, SK**. Cost is \$15 (workbook included); lunch and refreshments will be provided (free will offering for lunch). To register, contact Jacqueline Saretsky at (306) 292-5531 or email: jsaretsky@rcdos.ca



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The 2019 Bishop's Dinner will be held at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon **Friday, May 10** featuring fine dining, inspiring words from Bishop Mark Hagemoen, and dancing to the sounds of "No Hurry". Tickets \$135 each, available at www.dscf.ca or contact Cathy Gilje at (306) 659-5851. Proceeds will go to ministry in our diocese.

Help support and strengthen palliative care and build Saskatoon's first residential hospice: St. Paul's Hospital Foundation has now launched the Close to Home campaign. Find out more about how your donation will support those at end-of-life: www.CloseToHome.fund or call (306) 655-5821.

James P. Mahoney Institute of the Family provides grants to registered charities with initiatives and programs intended to strengthen and support the family in rural and urban communities within the geographic area of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon. Deadline for applications is May 15 at: www.saskatooncommunityfoundation.ca/posts/fund/james-p-mahoney-institute-of-the-family

Seven-Day Silent Guided Retreat with Dianne Mantyka and Bishop Gerry Wiesner OMI will be held from **May 10 to May 16** at Queen's House, 601 Taylor St. W., Saskatoon. Cost: \$995 live-in. To register, please call: (306) 242-1916.

Engaged Encounter Weekend for couples preparing for marriage will be held **April 26-28** at scenic St. Peter's Abbey in Muenster. Register at www.ceewest.com

Diocesan Prayer - We pray as a diocesan family for all preparing to celebrate Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist at Easter.

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