



Diocesan Bulletin

Sept. 13, 2026 – 24th 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

Millennium Cross Pilgrimage: Join in prayer, reflection and community **3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 13** at the 100-foot cross, 10 kms northeast of Aberdeen on Hwy 41. See the website <https://millenniumcross.ca> for updates.

Apostolate of the Precious Blood meets Tuesdays in September from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Saint Anne Parish, 217 Lenore Drive, Saskatoon to pray the rosary, the Litany and Chaplet of The Precious Blood. All are welcome.

A Season of Creation series will be held 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. **Sept. 14, Sept. 21, Sept. 28, and Oct. 5** in the welcome area at St. Philip Neri Parish, 1902 Munroe Ave, Saskatoon. The series features a dialogue guide from the Jesuit Forum that brings to life *Laudato Si'*, the groundbreaking papal encyclical by Pope Francis about the Care of Creation. All are welcome to join in these evenings of reflection – attend any one or all sessions; there is no cost.

Corn Roast Fundraiser: Columbus Bosco Saskatoon's annual "Corn Roast Fundraiser" will be held **Thursday, Sept. 17** at the Farm School, in support of the Farm School and Family Learning Centres. Tickets are \$25; contact Ed at (306) 371-0506 or Chris at (306) 221-4686.

Awaken Adult Faith series explores the virtues: The diocesan Adult Faith office presents "Virtuous" 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. **Sept. 22, Sept. 29, Oct. 6, and Oct. 13** at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 2nd Floor, Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Rd., Saskatoon. Cost: \$40. Register at: <https://form.jotform.com/261528551203249> or for information, call Adult Faith Coordinator Astrid Alas at 306-659-5858. (*Adult faith is supported by gifts to the Bishop's Annual Appeal.*)

A Parish TRC Committee Gathering will be hosted by the diocesan Office of Justice and Peace on **Thursday, Sept. 24**, from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. To register go to <https://form.jotform.com/261958498019271> (no cost, includes supper). For more information contact Myron Rogal at (306) 659-5841 or mrogal@rcdos.ca. (*Justice and Peace is supported by the Bishop's Annual Appeal.*)

Diocesan Prayer - We pray as a diocesan family for all those who are excluded or marginalized, and that we would recognize them and offer welcome and care.

ANEW – Life After Divorce

Anew is a diocesan ministry supporting those who are separated or divorced. Based 100% on

Catholic teaching and doctrine, Anew helps participants regain hope and restore peace in their lives. Anew will be held at the

Catholic Pastoral Centre (2nd floor of Cathedral of Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon)

7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. every second Wednesday beginning **Sept. 30**. Cost: \$50.

To register, please go online to:

<https://form.jotform.com/262424300552244>

(Supported by the Bishop's Annual Appeal.)

"Put Out Into Deep Water" (Luke 5:4) - A weekend retreat presented by Sr. Marta Piano and Sr. Sol Abala will be held from **5:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25 to 11 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 27**, at Living Waters Camp north of Saskatoon. Cost is \$285; includes accommodation/ meals. Registration: <https://forms.gle/PnA1z8erqjrHU3LJ7> or for info call the Verbum Dei Sisters at (306) 659-5843.

RCIA catechists are invited to a day of prayer, reflection, and practical conversation from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. **Saturday, Sept. 26** at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 2nd Floor, Cathedral of the Holy Family, Saskatoon. Register online at: <https://www.jotform.com/262007389063255>. For info, contact: Quin Kleiboer Rural Catechesis Coordinator at: qkleiboer@rcdos.ca. (*This free event is sponsored by the Bishop's Annual Appeal.*)

Our Lady of the Rosary Candlelight Procession and Mass will be held **Saturday, Oct. 3** at St. Paul Co-Cathedral, 720 22nd St. E, Saskatoon. Fr. Penna will celebrate Mass at 5:30 p.m., followed by an outdoor candlelight procession and fellowship in Bishop Mahoney Hall. All are invited. (Please bring your own candles.)

Saskatoon Challenge is a Catholic Youth Ministry program for girls in Grades 3-12 Friday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Holy Spirit Parish, 114 Kingsmere Place, Saskatoon. The first youth leader meeting will be **Sept. 25** with the first full club meeting on **Oct. 2**. Find the link to registration at: <https://rcdos.ca/challenge-girls-club/> or contact: skchallengegirls@gmail.com.

Conquest Catholic Boys Club for boys in Grades 3-12 meets Fridays at St. Matthew School, 6:45 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. beginning on **Friday, Oct. 2**. Find registration or more information at: <https://conquestsaskatoon.com..>

Message Board

Horizons of Hope: A Toolkit for Catholic Parishes on Palliative Care is a workshop designed to help all – caregivers, the sick and dying, and family members – find support and concrete assistance. It will be presented **Saturday Sept. 19**, from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Holy Spirit Parish, 114 Kingsmere Place, Saskatoon. Contact Kelly Wormsbecker kwormsbecker@rcdos.ca or call the parish office at (306) 374-1425 to register. Everyone is welcome to this event to learn more about palliative care.

A Call to Prayer for Peace: An ecumenical and interfaith service organized by Mennonite Church Saskatchewan will be held at 7 p.m. **Sunday, Sept. 20** at Wildwood Mennonite Church, 1502 Acadia Drive, Saskatoon, to remember those who are suffering and to pray for peace in places of conflict around the world.

"From Mourning to Dawn" for Bereaved Parents is an eight-week grief support program in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon for those who are grieving the death of a child at any age – from pregnancy through to adulthood. Next session begins **Sept. 24**, held 7 pm to 8:30 pm Thursdays at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 2nd Floor, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, weekly until Nov. 12. Register at <https://form.jotform.com/262424829790264> or contact Marilyn Jackson, Director of Pastoral Ministry: mjackson@rcdos.ca or 306-659-5836. (*Grief ministry is supported by gifts to the Bishop's Annual Appeal.*)

Newman Centre 100th Anniversary - St. Thomas More (STM) College grew out of a Newman Club formed by Catholic laity and students in 1926. Anniversary events at STM, 1437 College Drive, Saskatoon include an **Oct. 1 Newman Anniversary Lecture** 7 p.m. with Dr. Michael Higgins in the Fr. O'Donnell Auditorium; an **Oct. 3 Newman-STM Homecoming** starting at 4 p.m.; and an **Oct. 4 Mass, Brunch and Book Launch**. For more information or registration (seating is limited), please see: <https://stmcollege.ca/alumni/events.php>.

Rental accommodation available: Sts. Benedict & Scholastica House has rooms for rent for Catholic young adults in a house located in the university neighbourhood of Saskatoon (it is not necessary to join the full SBS program). For information, contact Sr. Marta Piano at mpiano@rcdos.ca or Sr. Sol Abala at mabala@rcdos.ca.

STM Corporation: St. Thomas More College at the University of Saskatchewan is seeking volunteers to fill vacancies on its Corporation. More info can be found at <https://stmcollege.ca>. Submit applications by **Sept. 23**.



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Indigenous Pastoral & Lay Leader (IPL) Ministry Education "Introduction to Reconciliation"

Sept. 15 to Nov. 10

ONLINE: Tuesday evenings 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

SEE: rcdos.ca/indigenous-ministry-education

Job Opportunity: The Diocese of Saskatoon is seeking an Executive Assistant to the Bishop / Curia Coordinator who will provide confidential executive and administrative support to the Bishop, working at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon, responsible for managing schedules, meetings, events, communications, and administrative processes that support the effective functioning of the Bishop's Office and Curia. Requires professionalism, discretion, sound judgment, and strong organizational skills. See: <https://rcdos.ca/employment>. To apply, e-mail resumé to HR@rcdos.ca or for more information, call (306) 659-5835.

Casual Job Opportunity at the CWL Clothing Depot: A "Donation Sorter and Processing Worker" is required at the CWL Clothing Depot in Saskatoon. Hours of work are 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays; \$17 per hour. Drop off resumé at the CWL Clothing Depot, which is located on the lower level of The Friendship Inn building at 619-20th Street West, Saskatoon, S7M 0X8, Monday to Friday between 10 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. by ringing the bell at the back alley door, or between 12:30 p.m. and 3 p.m. at the front entrance on 20th Street West, Saskatoon.

CHAS call to serve: The Catholic Health Association of Saskatchewan invites applications for its Board of Directors, seeking those with expertise in board governance, financial management, Catholic health care, ethics, or advocacy. To learn more or apply, see <https://chassk.ca> or contact peter@chassk.ca or (306) 955-2427. Deadline: **Sept. 23**.

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