October 28, 2018



Archbishop's Appeal

In today's gospel, we learn an incredible lesson about what happens when we act out in faith, even amidst opposing people.

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The blind man (Bartimaeus) called out to Jesus, because he knew that Christ could heal Him. and He believed that Christ would. He had faith. And even when people around him tried to hush him, the man was not deterred. He continued to cry out with courage and conviction. In turn, Jesus gave the man his sight back, and the gospel tells us that the man then followed Jesus "on the way."

Christian discipleship begins with a faith response to Jesus. He has called us to Himself, and we must choose how we will respond. We must take ownership of the faith He has blessed us with and choose to live in faith, to live for Him - even when we face opposition. We give Jesus our lives. We live boldly and courageously, giving our time, talents and treasure to serve Him, in the myriads of opportunities God gives us every day because, like Bartimaeus, we believe! One of the myriads of opportunities the Lord gives us to boldly and courageously live our faith is by giving to the Archdiocesan Appeal in as many ways as we can, monetarily, or by spiritual contribution, offering time to pray our devotional prayers every day for the 8 weeks of campaign. With our gifts, we are investing in the continuous building of God's Kingdom in our part of the world for our generation and for the next. By generously giving of yourself you follow the Lord as boldly and courageously as Bartimaeus whose boldness of faith in Jesus led to the healing of his blindness, and by his clear sight he followed the Lord to Jerusalem and beyond.

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Archbishop's Appeal Intercessory Prayer

Let us pray for the healing of all material and spiritual blindness in us, and for the outpouring of grace to express boldly our faith in Jesus by our generous contribution to the Archdiocesan Appeal that supports the pastoral programs of the Archdiocese catering to those who ardently seek to know the Lord more and to commit themselves to serve the gospel in their lives. Let us pray to the Lord.



Archbishop's Appeal **DONATE NOW** http://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/3509

TF110: Reverence For Life Month - The Elderly, Sick and Dying with Tashia Toupin

Social Justice Coordinator, Tashia Toupin is in studio one more time as we complete our Reverence for Life Month series. We'll discuss those particular life issues surrounding care for the elderly, the sick and the dying with a focus on our common call to create a culture of encounter, in the midst of a culture that seeks to avoid or end suffering at all costs. We're choosing a life of care, compassion, and accompaniment this week on Thinking Faith!

http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/tf110-reverence-for-life-month-theelderly-sick-and-dying-with-tashia-toupin



"AS ONE WHO SERVES"

Holy Orders is a sacrament and the deacon is a sacramental icon of Christ the servant. This is shown by the deacon's role in the liturgy, by his service in the community, and by the relationship between liturgy and service that the deacon lives out: worship leads to service and service leads to worship. The deacon's liturgical role on the Mass is most prominent at those points where the Mass points beyond itself to our Christian engagement with the world. For instance, the deacon is responsible for the prayers of the faithful, where we pray for the Church and the world, and for the dismissal, where we are told to go forth serving by our lives. In the Archdiocese of Regina, a deacon's assignment is designed to capture this relationship. Each deacon is assigned to a parish, where he serves in our weekly worship as deacon of the Mass, and to a service ministry, where he is with those who are marginalized in some way. The form of such service can be very flexible, but it always tries to match the gifts and calling of a particular deacon with a need in the community.

Do you know someone who should consider whether they are called to be a permanent deacon? Pray for him! And tell him to contact; Dr. Brett Salkeld, Archdiocesan Theologian bretzky@hotmail.com 306-352-1651 ext. 214

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"And Jesus said to him, 'Go your way; your faith has made you well.' And immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way." Mark 10:52

Faith is believing in something even though you may not be able to see it. Many people think that miracles don't happen anymore. But, if you focus on the positive, not the negative, focus on your blessings instead of your hardships, miracles will seem common and you will see God's active presence in your daily life.

Reclaiming the Sacred

Please join us November 24th, 10am - 4pm , 445 Broad St. N. for Reclaiming the Sacred: Helping youth thrive in a hyper-sexualized culture. Presenter Leah Perrault will break open the state of our current culture, and how we can reclaim for ourselves and our children the sacredness of human sexuality. Cost \$10 - includes lunch.

Holy Child Parish will host a presentation on Domestic Violence

On Sunday, October 28 at 2:00 p.m. It will be presented by a staff member of the Domestic Violence Unit of Family Service Regina. Perhaps you or someone you know are the victim of domestic violence. Abuse can be physical, verbal, emotional, sexual or more. You are invited to come and learn more about the different kinds of abuse and what you can do to help yourself or someone you know, whether that is a family member, a friend, co-worker or a neighbour. Limited childcare will be available. For more information please call the parish office at 306-789-8276.

Parish Mission - St. Peter's Parish

Sunday November 4 to Wednesday November 7th, 7:00 p.m. daily. Redemptorist Fr. Eugene O'Reilly will preach a Parish Mission at St. Peter Parish (100 Argyle St., Regina). Themes include intimacy with God, living the reign of God, reconciliation, and discipleship. Sessions are expected to last an hour or so. The mission includes one Mass, at the end on Wednesday. Each night, there will be opportunities for questions and discussions afterwards. All Catholics, especially the young, are warmly invited, whether they are active or inactive, happy or feeling "beyond help," etc. Come and join us for this mission, no need to register in advance.

MADE FOR GREATNESS' - A Catholic Men's Retreat Register now and Save the Date!

Thursday, November 22, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Friday, November 23, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and Saturday, November 24, 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Ends with 5:00 p.m. Mass & BBQ. \$75 on or before November 8 \$100 on or after November 9 at Holy Family Parish, 1021 McCarthy Blvd. N. Regina. For more information & registration please contact Terry at 306-539-2809.

2018-2019 MARRIAGE PREP PROGRAM

For Dating, Engaged or Newly-married couples "COUPLES CONNECT" Dec 16th, 2018 – March 24th, 2019 at RESURRECTION PARISH.

8 sessions in total, every two weeks - with dynamic, knowledgeable speakers who will share with couples what is needed to have a mutually fulfilling relationship. Held on Sunday afternoons from 3:00 to 6:30. Includes 2 - 30 min presentations. o register or for more information please contact Linda at bmueller@sasktel.net 306-533-8355 or Rose at rtrehas@sasktel.net 306-530-5544.

Little Flower CWL Craft and Bake Sale

Little Flower C.W.L., is hosting a craft and bake sale on Saturday, November 17, 2018 from 10 am to 4:30 pm. Table rentals are \$25 each, to book your table, please contact Tracy at 306-209-1566 or email tracyedes2012@gmail.com

Fall Supper – St. Joseph's Parish Canora

St. Joseph's Parish, 201 - 4th Ave. E. in Canora, Sk will hold its annual Fall Supper on Sunday, October 28th from 4:00 - 6:30 pm. Turkey, cabbage rolls and all the trimmings will be served. EVERYONE is invited to attend. Cost is \$15 adults, \$7 ages 6-11, 5 & under free.

Holy Child CWL Parish Bazaar & Bake Sale

Sunday, November 4, 10 am to 3 pm Free Admission Raffles, Bake table, Penny Parade, Silent Auction, Crafts, Vendors and Food Hamper. Canteen Lunch. All draws to be made starting at 2 pm

Holy Child Bus Trip to Briercrest

Holy Child Bus Trip to Briercrest on Saturday, Dec. 1 Join Sr. Anna Aulie as we travel to Briercrest for the performance "The Heart of Christmas." Bus will depart from Holy Child at 12 Noon, Performance at 2:30 pm and Turkey Supper to follow at 5:30 pm. Bus will return after the supper. If anyone is interested in going, please call Sr. Anna at Holy Child Parish at 306-789-8276. Cost is \$65.

Employment Opportunities

Caretaker is required for Holy Rosary Cathedral

The successful candidate for this position will report to the Rector, Holy Rosary Cathedral, and to the Chair of Pastoral Council. Duties and responsibilities: Performs routine and extensive preventative maintenance and minor repair procedures on parish buildings, mechanical equipment and utility systems. In addition, performs outside duties, such as grass cutting and snow removal, and/ or supervision of outside contractor hired for such duties. This position requires someone who is able to work independently and have good people skills. Interested parties please submit a resume to Holy Rosary Cathedral Parish Office, 2104 Garnet Street, Regina, S4T 6Y5, holyrosary@myaccess.ca or telephone 306-565-0909. Salary dependent upon qualifications and experience. Only qualified individuals will be contacted.

Holy Family Parish - Regina Office Administrator

Holy Family is seeking a dynamic and service orientated individual to fill the full-time position of Office Administrator. The hours are Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (6.5 per day) for an average of 140 hours per month.for details). Salary TBD based on experience, with a six (6) month probationary period. For a detailed job description please contact office@holyfamilyregina.com or 306-949-7678.

For more details on these and other employment opportunities please visit our employment opportunity page on our website: <u>https://archregina.sk.ca/employment</u>

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