

RESURRECTION ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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Office Hours: Monday to Friday, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

MAR 1

Welcome

March 1, 2020 - 1st Sunday of Lent

"It is written: The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve." (Matthew 4: 10)

Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from worldly power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. Lent is our time to prune ourselves of earthly things. Ask God how he is calling you to serve.



First SUNDAY IN LENT



Today's Readings

Genesis 2.7-9, 16-18, 25; 3.1-7
Psalms 51.1-2, 3-4, 10-11, 12+15
Romans 5.12, 17-19
Matthew 4.1-11

Weekday Mass Schedule

Tue 5:00 pm - 7:00pm Adoration
7:00 pm k Wendy Moroz

by Resurrection CWL

Wed 9:30 am k Father Joe Firkola

by Betty Szeles & family

Thu 8:15 am k Carinna Selinger

by Rose Tymura

Fri 8:15 am k Pat Stoffel

by E Zurowski family

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Mass Intentions can be requested at the Parish Office or at the Welcome Desk. Due to the number of requests, some Masses may be sent to other parishes to be celebrated.

INFORMATION

RECONCILIATION

Offered prior to all Mass times or by appointment by calling the Priest

ANOINTING OF THE SICK / MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Please call the Parish Office to arrange for anointing for someone who is seriously ill, preparing for surgery or home-bound. We can visit upon request

MARRIAGE

Please contact the Priest to make arrangements *at least nine months in advance*

SACRAMENTS

- Baptism
- Confirmation/First Eucharist (Grade 2+)
- First Reconciliation (Grade 4+)
- Rite Of Christian Initiation For Adults
- Rite Of Christian Initiation For Children

Contact: sacraments@resurrectionparish.ca

FUNERALS

Our staff are able to assist you during this difficult time. Once you have contacted the funeral home, please call the Parish Office to plan the funeral Mass and other arrangements

PARISH REGISTRATION

Registration forms are available on the Resurrection website, at the parish office or at the Welcome Desk. Please notify the Parish Office of any address changes.

HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS

Hospital chaplains visit patients and their families to address any spiritual needs, to pray, to provide a friendly face and comforting presence, to talk about people's fears and concerns, to bring Communion, and to contact a priest for anointing of the sick.

Pasqua Hospital: 306-519-1380
Wascana Rehabilitation Centre: 306-530-6511
General Hospital: 306-519-1405

Resurrection Parish

MASSTIMES

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Pastoral Team

Father Rick Krofchek (306-352-0988)

Deacon Joe Lang - Seminarian Chris Lindenbach



Lenten resources are now for sale in the gathering space

There are also some great Lenten resources available on **FORMED** THE CATHOLIC FAITH. ON DEMAND. formed.org. Use the Parish code **e58314** to access the materials.



Come and join us on **Friday evenings starting at 6:15pm** during Lent for meatless soup and a bun (free will offering to be donated to the Social Justice Senior project), followed by a reflection from our seminarian which will lead into the Stations of the Cross. The reflections will use Saint John Paul II's Theology of the Body, looking at the ministry of Jesus and how that helps us understand our own bodies and our relationship with God and others. This is a time to slow down in preparation for Easter, and to pray with the Stations of the Cross to help us grow closer to Christ.



Tuesdays during Lent - March 3, 10, 24, 31 & April 7

Adoration 5:00pm – 7:00pm

Mass 7:00pm

Praise and Worship Night - March 5

7:00pm

Adoration for Life - March 17

12:00pm – 7:00pm

Mass 7:00pm

Reflections & Stations of the Cross

Fridays during Lent, Soup Supper 6:15pm - 7:00pm

Reflections & Stations of the Cross 7:00pm

Parish Reconciliation - Sunday March 29

2:00pm

Palm Sunday - April 4 & April 5

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & *11:30* am



Last year Resurrection Parish hosted 7 wedding receptions, 25 Parish partner events (retreats etc.) and about 20 funerals. All these events utilized our facilities kitchen and helped raise funds for our Parish.

If you'd like to volunteer to help out in the kitchen every now and then, please email Tom Kuntz at

facilities@resurrectionparish.ca

K nights' Corner

Upcoming Events sponsored by the Resurrection Knights of Columbus Council #13214

- Camp Monahan Fundraiser - Mar. 7/8 & 14/15
- Ongoing - Mass Ministries, Wascana Rehab Portering Patients to Mass, Coat Check fundraisers, Bulletin advertising, K of C Insurance, Football Pool Tickets
- Donations have recently been made to St Michael's Community School \$1,000, Couples Connect Program \$500
- Any K of C Council member, spouse or family member who is ill or hospitalized can request a visitation from a K of C member or father Rick, and can request a K of C Honour Guard for a funeral mass.

For further information e-mail kofc-13214@myaccess.ca





Join the Resurrection Parish FlockNote system
Text our parish online to 514-900-0130



Kids Alive (K-Gr. 5) - Sunday Mar. 22 2:00 pm

Jump (Grade 6-8) - Monday Mar. 9 7:00 pm

Higher (Grade 9-12) - Monday Mar. 2 7:00 pm

Source Grade 9 - University **MyGen Youth Rally**

March 28 - 29, Archbishop M.C. O'Neill Catholic High School
Register at www.mygenrally.ca

Resurrection Youth



ST. MARGUERITE BOURGEOYS School is looking for vendors for our "Mustang Flea Market". It will be held May 2, 2020 from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Garage Sale items, bedding plants, baking, trade show items etc. If you need a venue to sell it, contact us. \$10.00 per 8 ft space, you bring the table. Please contact MUSTANGMARKET@OUTLOOK.COM



Dr. Martin LeBoldus Catholic High School

Information Meeting for Parents of students entering into GRADES 10, 11 & 12 FALL 2020

Thursday, March 5, 2020 - LeBoldus Theatre – 7:00 PM

NIGHT OF WORSHIP



Night of Worship with local band City Silence "Rise up, O Lord, in all Your power. With music and singing we will celebrate Your mighty acts." Psalm 21:13 Join us for a night of worship through music, for people from all walks of faith.

Thursday, March 5, 2020 from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. , Resurrection Parish, All ages welcome

Contact nightofworshipsk@gmail.com for any questions or further information

RCIACORNER



It's Not Too Late!!!

On March 1st, we are celebrating the Rites of Calling, Sending and Election. These rites mark the next step in our discernment process as we journey toward the celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil.

It's not too late to join us and show your support. See you at:
11:00 Mass at Resurrection – Rite of Calling, Rite of Sending
3:00 at the Cathedral – Rite of Election

Get Ready!

Stay tuned to RCIA Corner during Lent and hear from each Candidate as they share how they have changed since their journey started, the highlights so far and what they are most looking forward to after the Easter Vigil.

Take some time to reflect on your journey and perhaps you'll see God's presence along the way.

Questions? Contact: rcia@resurrectionparish.ca or Danica Love @ (306)789-7628

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World Day of Prayer 2020

Friday March 6th

Holy Child Church - 2636 7th Ave. E

2:00pm



All are welcome!

Bishop Robert Barron is an author, speaker, theologian, and founder of **Word on Fire**, a global media ministry. Word on Fire reaches millions of people by utilizing the tools of new media to draw people into or back to the Catholic Faith. Bishop Barron's website, WordOnFire.org, reaches millions of people each year, and he is one of the world's most followed Catholics on social media.



To sign up to receive the Word on Fire resources via the Resurrection Parish FlockNote service **text "WordOnFire" to 514-900-0130** or use the form located on the front page of our web-site to sign up.



40 HOURS FOR LIFE

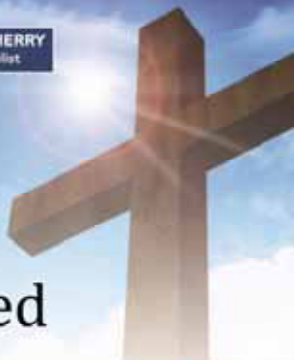
Feb 26 - April 5, 2020, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Join us outside the Regina General Hospital - 14th Ave. This lent come, even for just one day, and pray to end abortion. Nothing is more important than protecting the most vulnerable in society.



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2020 LENTEN PARISH MISSION

March 2nd, 3rd, 4th

Christ The King Church

3239 Garnet Street, Regina
306-537-7192

7pm Each Evening

Fathers Funnies



I'm reading a horror book in braille.

Something terrible is about to happen.

I can feel it

The Myriam Family house Family Activities - MARCH 2020

Bible activities for children:

Sunday March 8* from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
for 2 different groups:
(K to grade 2) Myriam Little Praise Challenge,
(grades 3 to 5) Myriam Light Challenge.

Bible activities for youth, (Myriam Youth Challenge)

Saturday March 7, (Grades 6 to 12) from 7p.m.-9 p.m.
Supper together at the Myriam Family house.

Adoration, Tuesday to Friday: 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.

(before the Blessed Sacrament)

5-9 Mini retreat: Need a little time of retreat?

You are welcome for a 5 p.m.-9 p.m. Mini retreat : Mass, a pot-luck supper, songs, short talk and prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.
March 12-26



Camp Monahan is conducting its annual Shamrock drive. This is a fundraiser with all proceeds going towards updating their facilities and offsetting the cost of camp. On behalf of Camp Monahan, the Knights of Columbus will be handing out shamrocks and accepting donations for Camp Monahan after all the masses on the weekends of March 7 – 8 and March 14 - 15.



Friends & Faith Open House - Friday, Feb 28

You are invited to attend an Open House at the Regina Islamic Centre and Mosque at 3273 Montague St. (at Argyle) on Friday, February 28 at 7pm. Come for a tour, food, and friendly faces. Imam Mohamed will greet guests and answer questions. You are invited to observe the evening prayer at 8:00pm.

Etiquette: modesty of dress. Please consider bringing a scarf.

This visit is part of the Muslim-Christian dialogue sponsored by the Islamic Association of Saskatchewan (Regina) and the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Regina. A further visitation project to other places of worship is planned by the Regina Multifaith Forum. Watch for further advertising. Contact Nick Jesson: njesson@archregina.sk.ca or 306-352-1651.



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Consult the Mini-magazine to learn more about Development and Peace's work:
devp.org/lent/resources.



Did you know that you can send your weekly tithes and offerings now by e-transfer Send them to finance@resurrectionparish.ca and they will be included with your annual tax receipt. Thank you again for your generosity in doing the Lord's work in our Parish, our community, our city, and beyond.

OUR PARISH HAS AN ACTIVE PRAYER MINISTRY CONSISTING OF 50+ MINISTERS. IF YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST OR WISH TO PRAY FOR OTHERS: ** NOTE CHANGE OF CONTACT INFORMATION**

PLEASE CONTACT NANCY BARKS 306-789-7196

email: nbarks@sasktel.net





Archdiocese of Regina *Bulletin*

March 1, 2020
1st Sunday of Lent



My Gen Youth Rally – 'Into the Deep'

Attention all students in grades 8 -12! You are invited to be a part of something special; something bigger than any one person. You are invited to be a part of the My Generation Youth Rally. (My Gen) Join us March 28-29 at Archbishop M.C. O'Neill Catholic High School in Regina as hundreds of young people from across Southern Saskatchewan gather to celebrate their Catholic faith and to grow in community with one another! Come enjoy music, art, service projects, games, sports and "escape rooms" as well as prayer, new friendships and opportunities to learn about God and faith. For more info or to register, please see www.mygenrally.ca

Archdiocesan Resource Centre Lenten Materials

Are you looking for something special to help you on your Lenten journey this year? We have a number of books and DVD's From the Resource Centre. Please feel free to stop by or call Melissa Gurash at 306-352-1651 ext. 237. You can also book your resources on-line at www.archregina.sk.ca.

Night of Worship with local band City Silence

"Rise up, o Lord, in all Your power. With music and singing we will celebrate Your might acts." Psalm 21:13. Join us for a night of worship through music, for people from all walks of faith.

When: Thursday, March 5, 2020 from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Where: Resurrection Parish

Who: All ages welcome

Contact nightofworshipsk@gmail.com for any questions or further information

Taizé Prayer Around the Cross

Taizé Prayer around the Cross is a candlelit prayer service where we meet God in song, the Word, and silent wonder. We meet each Thursday during Lent at 7:00 p.m., Blessed Sacrament Church, 2049 Scarth Street, Regina.



TF180: Mary, Authority, and Mystery: Faith and Reason - Part 3

This week on the Thinking Faith Catholic Podcast, Deacon Eric and Dr. Brett finish up their three-part series on faith and reason with a look at Mary as the model of the Christian approach, look at the role authority plays in belief and get

pretty excited about the great mystery that is faith in Jesus Christ.

Snippet from the Show

"The real gift is that we not only get to spend our whole lives here engaged in this exciting process...but we get to spend eternity delving into the mysteries of God, the mystery of the life of the Trinity, the mystery of the Incarnation knowing that we will never exhaust it!"

<http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/mary-authority-and-mystery-faith-and-reason-part-3>

Knights Rock V - Annual Campion College K. of C. Fundraiser

Knights Rock V, the annual fundraiser held by the Campion College Knights of Columbus Council, is set for Saturday, March 7, 2020.

Multipurpose Room, U of R campus

Doors open: 7:00 p.m.

Live Music: 7:30 p.m.

Live music by Sed Contra and special guests

Tickets (only \$10!) available at Campion College, the Archdiocese of Regina, from any member of the Campion Knights of Columbus or Brad Lulik at 306-520-8584.

Come out to support our college council and have a great time!

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"It is written: The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve." (Matthew 4:10)

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BULLETIN BOARD

Made for Greatness

"Made for Greatness" is a monthly event for men in the Regina area. This month, we will have a special format for Lent. Adoration begins at 6 pm, followed by mass and stations of the cross. We will end the evening with a time of fellowship. The next event will be held on Friday, March 6 at Resurrection Parish (3155 Windsor Park Rd.). For lent we will not be having a meal. We invite all men to join us for a time of worship and fellowship. For more information, please contact Deacon Kevin at 306-537-7192.

Women at the Well

A Catholic Women's Event for women thirsting for an encounter with Jesus. **Join other women for a short reflection, discussion, time of silence, prayer** and fellowship. Saturday, March 14 at Marian Centre 1835 Halifax St. 2:00-3:00 p.m. Please ring the bell at the blue door on the south side. Parking is available in the lot north of the building.

13 Tuesday Devotions in Honour of St. Anthony

Saint Anthony's Roman Catholic Parish (2275 Atkinson Street) invites you to the Thirteen Tuesday Devotions in Honour of Saint Anthony, beginning March 17th at 7:00 p.m. These devotions were started in 1933 by Monsignor Gocki, our parish founder. Each year, many faithful from around the city seek the **intercession of our patron saint. The final celebration will be held June 13th, the feast day of Saint Anthony.**

Estevan Ministerial Association Lenten Service and Lunches

This year the theme is

"Fruits of the Spirit in the Passion of Christ"

Friday, February 28 at St. Giles Anglican Church - Gentleness

Friday, March 6 at St. Paul's United Church - Patience

Friday, March 13 at Trinity Lutheran Church - Faithfulness

Friday, March 20 at St. Peter's Lutheran Church - Goodness

Friday, March 27 at St. Joseph's Hospital Chapel - Self Control

Friday, April 3 at St. John the Baptist Roman Catholic Parish Peace

Each service begins at 12:10 p.m., and is followed by lunch. A free will offering will be accepted for the lunch and all proceeds will go the Estevan Ministerial Association for the community groups that they support.

Camp Monahan Shamrock Drive

Camp Monahan's annual Shamrock Drive will be taking place March 8th and 15th. A silver collection will be collected to help us update our facilities and to offset our campers' fees. Your generosity and support is greatly appreciated!

From Darkness into Light

With special guest speaker and author Shawna Arnold. Tuesday, March 10th, 2020, at 7:00 PM, at St. Martin De Porres Parish, Regina. Shawna will be **sharing her story on abuse, abortion, addiction and finally, healing, with God's Grace and Mercy.** Join us to hear this powerful testimony.



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Bulletin announcements can be sent to:
communications@archregina.sk.ca

First Friday Adoration

The First Friday/First Saturday vigil in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary will be held March 6/7 at St. Mary's Church in Regina. Priests will be available for confession before and after mass. Mass is at 7:30 p.m., followed by the all-night vigil, ending with mass at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday morning.

URGENT! Retrouvaille helps hurting marriages!

Retrouvaille helps hurting marriages! When couples experience difficulties in their marriage, they often feel alone; like there is no one who can help them. Retrouvaille cares about your marriage. Please consider registering for the Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vie) program before you consider divorce. For **confidential information about or to register for the weekend in Saskatoon April 3-5, 2020** call (306) 652-7155 or email: retrouvaille@sasktel.net

Lenten Prayer Lunches

Our Lady of Peace Parish, 425 Broad St. N., will be hosting Lenten Prayer Lunches during Lent on Fridays at 12:15 p.m. starting February 28. Come and join in a short prayer service followed by a soup lunch.

Lenten Parish Mission - Beloved Chosen Anointed

Christ the King Parish, 3239 Garnet St, Regina SK

March 2 - 4, 2020 - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Monday March 2 - Praise & Worship, Talk, Adoration & Benediction

Tuesday March 3 - Praise & Worship, Talk, Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday March 4 - Celebration of the Holy Eucharist, Homily, Prayer Ministry following the Mass

See www.christtheking.ca for additional information

CWL Diocesan Convention

The 2020 Diocesan convention will be held in Estevan, Sunday - Monday, May 3-4, 2020. For more information contact Lynn at n.rogers@sasktel.net or 642 7803. The tentative schedule will be posted on the bulletin board under the CWL notices. If you are interested in attending please inform her by Apr 1, 2020. The guest speaker will be focusing on mental health.

St. Peter School Spring Splash Craft & Craft Show

Please join us at St. Peter School located at 150 Argyle Street on March 20 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. and March 21 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. for our craft and trade show. We expect our trade show to be a sellout again! We will also have **delicious food and baking for sale AND a great raffle prize to be won!** Admission is FREE! (Please use the back entrance of the school). Interested vendors can contact Darlene Simic at simicd@accesscomm.ca or Brigitte Olsen at 306-551-9373 for table rental information.

Employment Opportunity

St. Martin de Porres Parish Seeking a Part-Time Pastoral Assistant

Who is a practicing Catholic familiar with sacraments and liturgy. The successful candidate will be directly responsible to the Pastor for the religious faith formation of our parish family and where appropriate, the St. Matthew School community. The position involves collaboration with the Pastor, Pastoral Team and parish groups. A full job description can be found on St. Martin's website: www.stmartindeporresregina.com. Preference will be given to those with a background in religious studies or lay ministries. If you're interested, please send your resume to stmartinpersonnelcommittee@gmail.com, or mail it to St. Martin de Porres, 4720 Castle Rd, Regina SK, S4S 4X1. Attention: Lynda and Lisa. The closing date for application submissions is Friday, March 13, 2020. Thank you for your interest, only applicants selected for interviews will be contacted.

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~ March 2020 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
9a Mass	9:30a Mondays for Moms	10a Birthright Regina Meeting	9:30a Mass	8:15a Mass	8:15a Mass	5p Mass
11a Mass	6p Jr. Youth Choir	5p Adoration	7p RCIA	7p Praise & Worship Night	6:15p Soup Supper	
3p Couples Connect	7p Higher Senior Youth	7p Mass	7:30p Choir - Denise		7p Reflection and Stations of the Cross	
	7p Sr. Youth Choir	7:30p CWL General Meeting				
		7:30p Choir - Lisa				
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
9a Mass	9:30a Mondays for Moms	8:30a RCSD Training	8:30a RCSD Training	8:15a Mass	8:15a Mass	9a Confirmation / First Eucharist Retreat
11a Mass	6p Jr. Youth Choir	5p Adoration	9:30a Mass	8:30a RCSD Training	8:30a RCSD Training	5p Mass
3p Couples Connect	7p Jump Junior Youth	6:30p Knights Exec. Mtg.	7:30p Choir - Denise	11a Mass at Green Falls	6:15p Soup Supper	
	7p Sr. Youth Choir	7p Mass		7p Choir - Elaine	7p Reflection and Stations of the Cross	
	8p Higher Youth Group - Lenten retreat - Adoration	7:30p Choir - Lisa				
		7:30p Knights General Meeting				
		7:30p RCIC				
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
9a Mass	9:30a Mondays for Moms	St. Patricks Day	9:30a Mass	8:15a Mass	8:15a Mass	9a Baptism Prep
11a Mass	6p Jr. Youth Choir	12p Adoration for Life	7p RCIA - RCIC Liturgy	10:30a Mass at Victoria Park	6:15p Soup Supper	5p Mass
3p Couples Connect	7p Higher Senior Youth	7p Mass	7p Social Justice Meeting	7p Choir - Elaine	7p Reflection and Stations of the Cross	
	7p Sr. Youth Choir	7:30p Choir - Lisa	7:30p Choir - Denise			
		7:30p Finance Council				
		7:30p Men's Faith Night				
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
9a Mass	9:30a Mondays for Moms	5p Adoration	9:30a Mass	8:15a Mass	8:15a Mass	9:30a Women's Faith Study
11a Mass	6p Jr. Youth Choir	7p Mass	7p RCIA with Stations of the Cross	11a Mass at Green Falls	6:15p Soup Supper	5p Mass
2p Kids alive	7p Jump Junior Youth	7:30p Choir - Lisa	7:30p Choir - Denise	7p CWL Executive Meeting	7p Reflection and Stations of the Cross	
	7p Sr. Youth Choir	7:30p RCIC		7p Choir - Elaine		
29	30	31				
9a Mass	9:30a Mondays for Moms	5p Adoration				
11a Mass	3p Chrism Mass (Holy Rosary Cathedral)	7p Mass				
12p Annual General Meeting	6p Jr. Youth Choir	7:30p Choir - Lisa				
2p Parish Reconciliation	7p Higher Senior Youth	7:30p RCIA Sponsor Meeting				
	7p Sr. Youth Choir					

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The theme of this year's Share Lent campaign is *For Our Common Home*. This campaign, inspired by Pope Francis' encyclical *Laudato Si'* and the 2019 Pan-Amazonian Synod of Bishops, tells us that the Earth is our common home and that we need to care for it. The protection of the natural environment is a fundamental vocation of humanity founded in scripture. In the story of creation in Genesis 2, God asks the first human beings to 'guard' and 'cultivate' the terrestrial garden. This responsibility for God's creation means that human beings, endowed with intelligence, must respect the laws of nature and the delicate balance existing between the creatures of the world, for "he commanded and they were created; and he established them for ever and ever; he fixed their bounds and he set a law which cannot pass away" (Ps 148:5b-6). The Bible's ethical teaching focuses on relations, not only with God and among humans, but also with other living beings and with the whole created world.

In this campaign *For Our Common Home*, Development and Peace amplifies Pope Francis' message that today, our relationship with God's creation is wounded and that our common planetary home is falling into ruin due to human destruction. We are on the brink of an unprecedented global challenge regarding sustainability of our common home, which places a question mark on the very future of human civilization. Pope Francis calls this rupture of the relationship between humankind and God's creation "ecological sin." The destruction of our common planetary home is a sin against God, humanity, and the world. It ruptures the bonds of divine, human, and cosmic fellowship.

The Campaign *For Our Common Home* reminds all of us that, although we are all affected by effects of ecological imbalances, communities of vulnerable and poor people, especially those in the Global South, suffer greater effects. As Pope Francis stresses, "the poor live in areas particularly affected by phenomena related to warming, and their means of subsistence are largely dependent on natural reserves and ecosystemic services such as agriculture, fishing, and forestry. They have no other financial activities or resources which can enable them to adapt to climate change or to face natural disasters, and their access to social services and protection is very limited." During the Fall Campaign, Development and Peace members throughout Canada collected over 25,000 signatures for a Solidarity Letter addressed to two Brazilian communities battling to protect their God-given natural environments. Thank you all for your prayerful support and your solidarity through those signatures to the Seringueiro and Mura communities.

This Lent, we can support the *For Our Common Home* campaign by holding in our hearts and prayers the Seringueiros, Mura, and other Amazonian vulnerable communities who suffer threats to their livelihoods due to ecological sin. During Lent, the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops designates the Fifth Sunday as Solidarity Sunday when our annual Share Lent collection will be taken up. On that Sunday, March 29th, I ask you to please be generous in donating to Development and Peace so that the courage of those who defend *Our Common Home* is strengthened by our solidarity with them. In our sharing we are joining with our sisters and brothers in the Amazonian Rainforest and around the world in the defense of our common home.

Grace and peace,

✠ Donald J. Bolen
Archbishop of Regina

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RESURRECTION PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH 12:00 noon

(following the 11:00 Mass – there will be a light lunch served)

Please join us at the 2020 Annual General Meeting. As stated in our parish regulations the purpose of the annual meeting is to report the activities of the pastoral council and finance council and their respective committees during the past year, provide an income statement and balance sheet for the year, and elect members to the pastoral council and finance council. The meeting is open to all parishioners of Resurrection Parish.

The positions listed below are up for election at our March 29, 2020 Annual General Meeting. The Stewardship Chair serves on both councils. Two individuals as co-chairs may fill any position. With our Pastoral Council, there is less concern with filling chairperson positions than asking people to have their voice heard on their pastoral council. Please pray about how you might see yourself as part of the leadership of Resurrection Parish.

If you or someone you know has an interest to serve on either council – **in any capacity**, listed below or not, please contact: Marjorie Ingjaldson at mingjald@sasktel.net or Shelley Thiel at gsthie1@sasktel.net or the parish office at office@resurrectionparish.ca or 306-352-0800.

<p style="text-align: center;">Pastoral Council</p> <p>The Parish pastoral council is entrusted with an advisory or consulting role as to the spiritual and temporal care and development of the Parish. If you have a vested interest in strengthening the parish as a whole, please talk to Marjorie or Victoria in how your voice is important to Pastoral Council.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Finance Council</p> <p>The Finance Council is entrusted to advise the Parish Priest with respect to the Parish goods and property (temporal goods). If you have a background in finance or accounting and feel you could share your talents for the good of the parish, please speak to Shelley or Victoria.</p>
<p>Positions Eligible for Election:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Pastoral Chair (1 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vice-Chairperson (2 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hospitality (1 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ecumenism (2 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Liturgy (2 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Social Justice (1 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Youth (2 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Stewardship (2 year term) (1 Position for both councils)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Members at Large To help set vision and direction of the Parish</p>	<p>Positions eligible for Election:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Finance Council Chair (2 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Finance Council Vice-Chair (2 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Financial Administration (2 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hall & Catering (2 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fundraising (1 year term)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Members at Large To help set vision and direction of the Parish</p>

Pastoral and Finance Councils

"How can we make this big parish feel small?" Over 7,000 people - part of over 2300 families belong to Resurrection Parish. Our Mission is to grow in our own faith, deepen our roots in our faith, and deepen the relationship that each one of us has with Christ and with each other in Christ. As well, we want to reach beyond the walls of our church and our current parishioners, into our community, to share and spread God's love, joy and Word to our neighbors and community.

Pastoral Council

Pastoral Chair is responsible for keeping parishioners informed and developing and maintaining good relations between parishioners and the parish organizations, and other parishes and the public. The chair of this committee shall work with fundraising committee and/or the Finance Council as required.

Vice Chair is responsible to assist the Pastoral Chair with pastoral council duties and temporarily assume these duties when the Chair is absent. This includes keeping parishioners informed and developing and maintaining good relations between parishioners and the parish organizations, and other parishes and the public.

Hospitality is responsible for distributing welcome kits to new parishioners, coordinate social events throughout year like a parish/community barbeque, pancake breakfasts, Harvest Supper, Bingo, Halloween party etc.

Ecumenism is responsible for the education of the Parish on ecumenical issues. This committee shall act as a liaison with other Christian churches and other faith groups in the area and in the development of inter-church activities. Help coordinate and promote Praise in the Park, World Day of Prayer.

Liturgy works with the priest and/or pastoral assistant(s) to oversee and provide for meaningful liturgical celebrations including weekend ministry scheduling, training new ministers, music, and décor.

Social Justice is responsible for the development of programs, on-going education (Church's biblical and social teachings) and involvement within justice and service issues at the local, national and international level.

Youth works with the priest and/or pastoral assistant to foster the spiritual, social, and personal growth of the youth in the parish. Works with the coordinators of the Youth programs - Kids Alive, Jump, Higher, VBS (Vacation Bible School) and Source Adoration for support, resources, promotions and team.

Stewardship is responsible for creating awareness in all parishioners that everything we have comes from God: our life, our talents, our abilities, our intellectual gifts, our resources, and our holiness. There is only one chair who serves on both Pastoral and Finance Councils.

Finance Council

Finance Council Chair leads the advisory body responsible for safeguarding the finances and assets of Resurrection Parish and ensuring financial data is communicated to pastor, pastoral council and sub-committees and all other affected parties. Key priorities of Finance Council are: Finance Administration, Buildings & Grounds, Hall and Catering, Fundraising and Stewardship. A business background, especially financial and accountings skills, is valuable.

Finance Council Vice Chair assists the Finance Chair with leading the advisory body responsible for safeguarding the finances and assets of Resurrection Parish and ensuring financial data is communicated to pastor, pastoral council and sub-committees and all other affected parties. A business background, especially financial and accountings skills, is valuable.

Financial Administration is responsible for maintaining an inventory of temporal goods, develop collection counter procedures, help establish parish budget, monitor parish revenue flow, and ensure prompt payment of parish accounts.

Hall and Catering works with the parish event coordinator and oversees the upkeep, needs and operations of the parish hall and kitchen.

Fundraising develops and coordinates fundraising activities to raise funds to augment financial needs of the parish.