

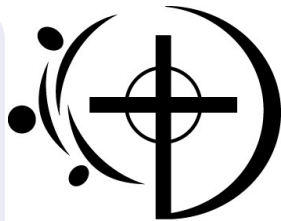
## Eucharistic Celebrations

### Sundays

9:00am, 11:30am & 6:30pm

### Weekdays

See "Week at a Glance"



# CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY

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**4th Sunday in Ordinary Time - January 31st, 2016**

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## LENTEN RECONCILIATION TIMES



Saturday, February 13th - 11 am to Noon  
Saturday, February 20th - 11 am to Noon  
Thursday, February 25th - 1:15 pm to 2:30 pm  
Saturday, February 27th - 11 am to Noon  
Friday, March 4th - 1:15 pm to 2:30 pm  
Saturday, March 5th - 10 am to Noon  
Sunday, March 6th - 7:30 pm to 9 pm  
Saturday, March 12th - 10 am to Noon  
Sunday, March 13th - 7:30 pm to 9 pm  
Tuesday, March 15th - 11 am to Noon  
Saturday, March 19th - 10 am to Noon  
Tuesday, March 22nd - 7 pm to 9 pm

## ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES—February 10th

10:30 am - St. Joseph High School

12:15 pm - Parish Mass

7:00 pm - Parish Mass

### The Cup of Our Life by Joyce Rupp

**Dates:** Wednesdays, February 10, 17, & 24, March 2, 9, & 16.

**Time:** 1:00 – 2:15 pm @ Holy Family Cathedral (after Mass from 12:15 – 12:50)

Come and journey with **Mona Goodman** as we open ourselves to God's grace.

Please purchase The Cup of Our Life by Joyce Rupp prior to the sessions. Amazon has both editions and Westgate Books might have some used copies.



Bring a cup that symbolises your spiritual journey at this time in your life, along with a notebook. Like a cup, our spiritual lives are always in process of filling and emptying, giving and receiving, accepting and letting go.

**Register:** layform2@saskatoonrcdiocese.com or call 306.659.5846

### The Year of Mercy - Faith Study

Looking for a way to grow more "merciful like the Father"? This Lent and Easter, enter into a more meaningful and fruitful experience of God's mercy through Scripture and reflections by Pope Francis. Guided by our pastoral intern, **Michael Yaremko**, we are planning to meet 4 times during Lent and 4 times during Easter.

**When:** Wednesdays from 7:00 – 8:30 pm

**Dates:** Feb 24; Mar 2, 9, & 16; Apr 6 & 27; May 4 & 11.

There will be a fee of \$20 to cover supplies.

If you are at least 18 years of age and would like to participate or learn more, please **RSVP** to michael@holyfamilycathedral.ca or call 306-659-5815.



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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS:** Our next meeting is on Monday, February 1st at 7:30pm.



**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:** Called to Holiness through service to the people of God. Big thank you to all who supported the fundraiser for Kayden Kot, especially all of you who baked desserts. It was a great success. There will be a Diocesan Executive meeting at St. Patrick's Parish on Feb. 6th at 7:30 pm. All members are invited to attend. **Our next meeting will be on Feb. 10 (Ash Wednesday) following the 7:00 pm service.** Hope to see many of you there. Our prayer sisters will be revealed at this time and new ones assigned. **Did you know:** Our membership has grown to 150—isn't it great to belong to an organization of strong faith filled women? **Please pray for:** Kayden and Sylvie Fournier-Kot who are travelling to California for Kayden's treatment, may they have good results; all those that are suffering from mental illness issues, may they all receive the care that they require; the LaLoche community at this sad time.

**HOLY FAMILY CRAFT GUILD:** meet on Thursdays at 9:30am. New members are most welcome to join in the fun, fellowship and opportunity to teach and learn together. The Craft Guild's objective is to raise money for our parish as well as for charity by producing a variety of crafts mostly from donated or recycled materials. Donations of fabric, quilt batting, old jeans, yarn, etc... can be left at the front office marked for the Craft Guild. Please contact Anna Hartman at (306) 249-0071 or Teresa Field at (306) 249-3764 for more information.

**HOLY YOGA:** a unique Christ-Centered prayer form, helps us understand how we can use our minds, bodies and spirits to relax and become more receptive to God in our lives. Winter session is on: Gentle All Levels classes at the Cathedral of Holy Family: Tuesdays at 9:30 am, Thursdays at 7:00 pm and Saturdays at 9:30 am. Drop in punch pass now available and first class is always free. For info or to register: dianew@holyyoga.net.

**SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY PRAYER:** Meets Thursdays at 10:00 am to break open the Sunday readings and share our journey. Call Diane at (306) 668-1085 or feel free to drop in. All are welcome!

**ALPHA - Just the beginning!** The Alpha program is being offered at the Cathedral of the Holy Family beginning February 23, 2016 to. We begin with a meal, video, and then conversation. Some comments from past participants are: Strengthened my faith, feel more at peace, made new friends, feel more love/loved, discovered a relationship with God through Jesus, and found new purpose in life. Join us and ask anything about God - starting Tuesday, February 23rd, 6:30pm-9:00pm. (We are a volunteer led program and are always looking for volunteers to help serve others) Register online at [www.bit.ly/hf-alpha](http://www.bit.ly/hf-alpha) or contact Jocelyne (306) 659-5849 or [jhamoline@dscatholicfoundation.ca](mailto:jhamoline@dscatholicfoundation.ca)

**CHARITABLE GIVING:** by Deacon James Whittaker February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2016—7:00 pm, Cathedral of the Holy Family In today's society we see a lot of living for today, some planning for tomorrow, but not necessarily understanding how this plays into our faith lives. Deacon James Whittaker has worked in the financial services industry over the past 16 years and is considered one of Canada's leading insurance specialist. Deacon James will talk to us about charitable giving, how it fits into our faith lives and can benefit our family, community, and church. Jim was ordained a Permanent Deacon in 1992 and is currently serving in the Diocese of Hamilton Ontario. Register by calling Jocelyne Hamoline (306) 659-5849 or [jhamoline@dscatholicfoundation.ca](mailto:jhamoline@dscatholicfoundation.ca)

**GOLDEN AGE CLUB:** Meets every Thursday at 1:30 pm for an enjoyable card game of Whist. All are welcome. Contact Len Breckner (306) 477-0518 or Alice Molle (306) 373-0450.

**EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION:** On behalf of the Kot family, we would like to thank the Holy Family Cathedral community for their support in making 'Kisses and Cuddles for Kayden' a huge success. Special thanks to the Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League for their involvement, we could not have done it without you.

**LOST & FOUND ITEMS AT OUR RECEPTION DESK:** The following items can be claimed at our Reception Desk during the week (M—F 9:00am to 4:30pm): Jewelry, watches, a purse, calculator, Bible, leather notebook, glasses, sunglasses, eyewear cases, keys, cellphones and cameras. If you can describe your lost item it will be released to you.

### PARISH PILGRIMAGE 2016

Explore the great waterways of Europe by joining Holy Family pilgrims on a stunning 14 day river cruise pilgrimage. Countries visited will be Hungary, Slovakia, Austria, Germany and Holland all aboard the elegant Leuftner Cruises river ships of Innsbruck, Austria. We are delighted to let you know that additional spaces and berths have been opened up for this tour. Lower, middle and upper cabins are available as well as suite cabins. Join Fr. David as we explore cities such as Budapest, Bratislava, Vienna, Wurzburg, Koblenz, Cologne and Amsterdam to name a few. Package rates include round trip airfare as well as ALL meals (with the exception of one lunch). Costs are: Lower outside Cabin \$7,159 (per person based on double occupancy); Middle outside Cabin \$7,684 (pp); Upper outside Cabin \$8,089 (pp); Suite Cabin \$9,714 (pp). This incredible tour will depart Saskatoon on October 12, 2016 returning on October 27. Don't miss this great travel opportunity. Brochures are available at the Parish Office front desk. Bookings can be made through D & D Travel at (306) 955-1414.

**The Cathedral of the Holy Family** in Saskatoon, SK is seeking an outgoing and engaging part-time (24 hours per week) Administrative Assistant to become part of our parish ministry team. The Administrative Assistant will manage the front office reception area, receive parishioners/visitors on behalf of the Cathedral, enter data and assist parish staff in the carrying out of administrative duties.

Applicants who possess a secretarial/business college certificate/diploma are encouraged to apply. A working knowledge of Microsoft Office is an asset. Salary and benefits are in accordance with the Administrative Assistant & Bookkeeper Salary Grid of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon.

For a complete position overview and/or to apply, please submit a cover letter and resume to Patrick Clarke, Cathedral Administrator at [pat@holyfamilycathedral.ca](mailto:pat@holyfamilycathedral.ca) by **Midnight, Monday, February 1st, 2016**. Please note that all applicants are required to complete an application form in addition to submitting a cover letter and resume. Position overview and application forms will be emailed to applicants upon request. The position start date is March 1st, 2016.



**MOM'S MORNING OUT (MMO):** Tuesday, Feb 2nd (9:30am-11:30) Visit, share snacks while our little ones play!

**SPRINGS OF LIVING WATER:** A Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group that meets every Wednesday at 7:30 pm in the small conference room across from the coffee bar. Contact info: (306) 374-4766 or [donlalonde@sasktel.net](mailto:donlalonde@sasktel.net)

**STAYING ON YOUR FEET:** program on Mondays at 10:00 am, is **now full** with 40 people attending. If you are still interested, a waiting list is started for another session. **Forever in Motion** exercise classes continue on Thursdays at 10:00 am in Holy Family's Hall and all are welcome. For more information call: Sally, (306) 249-2029, Diane (306) 668-1085, or Rosalie, (306) 652-5028.

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** 12:15pm and 7:00pm Masses, February 10th, Liturgical Ministries are needed: There are sign-up sheets on a flip chart by the concierge desk. Please put your name down for a Ministry. Your service is greatly appreciated.

**THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:** is offered at anytime for those who are dealing with illness, imminent death, suffering or advanced age. The anointing can be arranged by calling the Parish Office and requesting a priest. For those residents at Sherbrooke Centre the Sacrament of Anointing is offered every three to four months at a regularly scheduled Mass. Please note that if the individual is in one of the city hospitals there are assigned Chaplains on duty at all time who will be able to anoint those who are hospitalized. In fairness, if death is imminent we ask that you contact the Chaplain as soon as possible to insure that the anointing can happen before death. Remember too that requests for a Chaplain in the middle of the night will require additional time for the Chaplain to be present. The best is to request a Chaplain during the day as often times they are already making rounds at the hospital.

**ST JOSEPH HIGH SCHOOL GR. 9 REGISTRATION INFORMATION MEETING:** Monday, February 8, at 7:00 p.m. at St. Joseph High School. The purpose of this evening is to provide parents and students with an overview of the registration process for Grade 8 students who are interested in attending St. Joseph High School in 2016-2017. Grade 8 students, from neighbouring schools, will be attending St. Joseph on February 9, at 12:30 p.m. for an Open House. Grade 8 students from other schools are welcome to join. Please call (306) 659-7650 for more information.

### YOUTH MINISTRY UPDATE

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**Help is needed!** Please prayerfully consider volunteering with the youth group programs at the parish. Volunteers are needed for the Grades 3-5 (Tuesday night) youth groups and the Grades 6-8 (Thursday night) youth groups. Training, fellowship, and prayer will be provided. Anyone in grade nine and up can join the volunteer team. Please contact Amanda Hertz, parish Youth Minister, for more information.

**2016 Summer Mission Project in Peru** – Information packages and applications are still available! Please contact Amanda Hertz as soon as possible. Packages will be available at the parish office or via email until Monday, February 1st. **Follow Amanda!** Amanda Hertz will be travelling with the Misma Luna organization this month to begin mission work in Lima, Peru from February 3-11. Find out about what is going on and how the Cathedral of the Holy Family is getting involved by following her on Instagram @HFYoucath.

**Youth group schedules:** Schedules for the youth group gatherings for the spring semester are available at the front office or on the parish website. Contact Amanda to

**Contact Amanda Hertz, parish Youth Minister, at:**

HFYoucath or Holy Family Youth Group

HFYoucath

[amanda@holyfamilycathedral.ca](mailto:amanda@holyfamilycathedral.ca)

W: 306-659-5804

Amanda Hertz



## WEEK AT A GLANCE

<b>Mon Feb 1st</b>	Staying on your Feet Christian Initiation (RCIA) Knights of Columbus	10:00am 7:00pm 7:30pm
<b>Tue Feb 2nd</b>	Holy Yoga Mom's Morning Out Mass (+Lenore Mann) Charitable Giving	9:30am 9:30am 12:15pm 7:00pm
<b>Wed Feb 3rd</b>	Mass (+Rod Taillon) Springs of Living Water	12:15pm 7:00pm
<b>Thurs Feb 4th</b>	Craft Guild Forever in Motion Small Christian Community Prayer Mass (+Diane Brisebois Peterson) Golden Age Club Holy Yoga Eucharistic Adoration	9:00am 10:00am 10:00am 12:15pm 1:30pm 7:00pm 7:00pm
<b>Fri Feb 5th</b>	Sherbrooke (+Vantia Williams) Mass (Twyla Gertner & children) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	10:00am 12:15pm 1:00pm
<b>Sat Feb 6th</b>	Reconciliation	11:00am

### MINISTRY SCHEDULE – FEBRUARY 7TH, 2016

MINISTRY	9:00 AM	11:30 AM	6:30 PM
<b>Coordinator</b>	Ron O	Doreen C	Della & Leo R
<b>Greeters</b>	Ivone H    Shirley O Ken M      Marc M		Charmielaine P Cathy S
<b>Ushers</b>	Marina P    Cecilia G Denis S      Michelle M		Doug S Greg M
<b>Concierge Desk Minister</b>	Heather F	Avis H	Greg M
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Justin E Clara L Halle I	<b>Multicultural Ministries</b>	Gerard O Gabrielle D Claire S Isabella D
<b>Commentator</b>	Gailene K		Mike C
<b>Lectors</b>	Laurette K Wayne K		Janine F Jillian T
<b>Extra Ordinary Ministers of Communion</b>	Joan O      Don K Carl S      Celine S Noreen R    Phil R Nicole R     Bernie R Anita P      Doris S Agnes P      Maria M Diego M      Cliff L Delaine L    Blair O	Karen C    Aline F Heather D   Alicia Z Julianne M   Mike M Tracy H      Brian R Arielle P     Connie M	Gerard O Lynn O Shelley M Mary-Sue M Lee O Theresa R Connie T Tammy S
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	Jody B      Alyssa C Anna M	Jena B      Jillian R	Paige C Mackenzie C

### Year to Date Cash Flow - November 30th, 2015

Sunday Collections (Pre-Authorized Giving Included)	\$ 680,720
Loose Collections	68,028
Other Revenue	422,518
Less: Expenses	1,056,347
Less: Mortgage Payments (Principal & Interest)	\$ 128,602
Deficit	(\$ 13,683)

Remaining Debt as of November 30th, 2015: \$3,211,520

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**Baptism (Infants):** Please contact Andy Korvemaker.

**Christian Initiation (RCIA):** Please contact Andy Korvemaker.

**Confirmation and First Eucharist:** Contact Andy Korvemaker.

**Marriage:** Contact Father David at least one year prior to the anticipated date of marriage.

**Marriage Preparation:** March 4th/5th, 2016 Call Patrick at (306) 659-5805.

**Reconciliation:** 11:00am - 11:30am on Saturdays or by appointment.

**Communion to Homebound & Elderly:** Contact Garth Horn.

**To add people to the prayer list:** please contact the Parish Office during the week at (306) 659-5800

### The Sick

Emery Hirsch	Francis Bourgeois
Tony Carreiro	Al Molle
Delores Wolfe	Nash Jacobi
Valerie Dychko	David Pitka
Margaret Gartner	Rose Boechler
Filomena Santoro	Owen Stephens
Monique Stevens	Nolan Barnes
Tim Dychko	Margaret Afseth
Kate Gardner	Dale White
Mary Martinez	Pat Albers
Allan Ecker	Kayden Kot
Karen German	Megan Lester
Cheryl Crofford	Jim Kozmyk
Bill Carreiro	Preston Dyck
Ron Ecker	Lambert Schneider
Carl Schlosser	Fr. Les Paquin
David Casavant	Bernice Ewachow

### Recently Deceased

#### Stewardship Corner

*Jeremiah declares that the Lord knew him before he was born, and dedicated and appointed him to his role as prophet even before he drew breath. We, too, are known and sent by the Lord. What deeds of love and service are mine to perform?*

#### Follow us on Twitter

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**Bishop Don** @BishopDonBolen

**Fr. David** @FrDavid1

**Pat Clarke** @PatrickJClarke1

**Andy Korvemaker** @akorvemaker





# Diocesan Bulletin

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Jan. 31, 2016 Fourth Sunday of 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

**Charitable Giving - A Strategy to fulfill God's call to respond joyfully to his grace**, presented by Deacon James Whittaker 7 p.m. **Tuesday, Feb. 2** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. In today's society many are living for today, some are planning for tomorrow, but how does this fit into faith? Guest speaker Deacon James Whittaker of Hamilton, Ont. has worked in the financial services industry for 16 years. Register by calling Jocelyne Hamoline of the Diocese of Saskatoon Catholic Foundation at (306) 659-5849 or e-mail Jocelyne at: [jhamoline@dscatholicfoundation.ca](mailto:jhamoline@dscatholicfoundation.ca)

**Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre is seeking volunteers** - A seven-week training session is being held to prepare volunteers for this ministry: **beginning Feb. 3** from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and continuing Wednesday, **Feb. 10, Feb. 24, and March 2, 9, 16, 23**. Saskatoon Pregnancy Options Centre is located at #23, 1006-8th Street East in Saskatoon. Call Tracy at (306) 665-7550 to register.

**"Bob Ogle: The People's Priest and Politician"** will be presented 7 p.m. **Wednesday, Feb. 3** at the cafeteria at St. Thomas More College (STM), 1437 College Drive, Saskatoon. Panelists Dennis Gruending, Lorne Calvert and Caitlin Ward will speak about the late Fr. Bob Ogle and his legacy, followed by a lecture by Bill Blaikie entitled *"Prophetic Obedience – Reflections on the Life and Work of Bob Ogle."*

**"What can Catholics Learn from Evangelicals?"** is a public lecture with Dr. Robert Stackpole 7 p.m. **Thursday, Feb. 4** at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 812 Preston Ave., presented by the Evangelical-Catholic Dialogue of Saskatoon as a follow up to the April 2015 lecture *"What can Evangelicals learn from Catholics?"*

**Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle** - A Holy Hour consists of adoration, rosary, benediction, hymns and various prayers, 8 p.m. **Thursday, Feb. 4** at St. Michael Parish #18-33rd St. E., and also at 3 pm. **Ash Wednesday, Feb. 10** at St. Paul Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Crescent, Saskatoon. For more information contact Edna at: (306) 382-1680.

**Contemplative Mass** led by Fr. Kevin McGee will be held 7 p.m., **Friday, Feb. 5** at St. Augustine, 602 Boychuk Drive, Saskatoon. The rhythm of the Contemplative Mass is a gentle, steady flow, marked by 20 minutes of silence after communion.

**Faith in Action at Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools: Did You Know?** Over 2,000 GSCS students participate in programs working with/serving seniors.

## Reaching out to La Loche

Our prayers are with the community of La Loche after the recent shooting at the community school. Donations to the community and families of La Loche can be made through your parish and the funds will be sent to Archbishop Murray Chatlain who will distribute them through the Archdiocese of Keewatin-Le Pas. If you have any questions please contact the financial office at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 306-242-1500.

**"Recovering from our addiction to stuff"** 12:30-4 p.m. **Saturday, Feb. 6** at St. Martin's United Church, 2617 Clarence Ave, Saskatoon, sponsored by Churches for Environmental Action (CEA), including video *The Story of Stuff*.

**Serena Sask. "Birds and Bees" social** will be held in Saskatoon **Feb. 6**. Tickets \$25 each; e-mail: [sask@serena.ca](mailto:sask@serena.ca) or call/text: 306-934-8223.

**"Take Time to Forgive"** is a Foundations: *Exploring Our Faith Together* program being held 2 p.m. **Monday, Feb. 8** at Columbian Manor, 2940 Louise St., Saskatoon. Facilitator Sr. Teresita Kambeitz, OSU, will explore how the process of forgiveness can teach us about ourselves, our relationships and God. She will discuss the stages of forgiveness, the lessons at each stage and various styles of forgiveness. Pre-register by calling Sophie at: (306) 373-8160, extension 0; Cost: \$5.

**Lenten Conference** at St. Therese Institute, Bruno, SK. **Feb. 12-14** features theologian and teacher Scott Powell and a message of discipleship and mercy. Cost: \$245 for the full conference (early-bird ends Jan 31), or \$145 for commuter rate. (Bruno is 50 minutes east of Saskatoon) For more information contact St. Therese Institute of Faith and Mission in Bruno, SK. at (306) 369-2555 or see: [www.sttherese.ca](http://www.sttherese.ca)

**Chastity Project** - One More Soul presents Jason Evert who is bringing a powerful message to youth, parents and families, 7 p.m. **Thursday, Feb. 25** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. Early bird rates before Feb. 19: \$45/family; \$15/adult; or \$10/student. Call 1-866-966-7685 or register online at [www.omsoul.ca](http://www.omsoul.ca)

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# Message Board



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**Mercy is the theme** of three reflective and prayerful sessions in Lent, to be held 2 p.m. Sunday afternoons at the Cathedral of the Holy Family with Bishop Donald Bolen **Feb. 21**, Bishop Gerry Wiesner **Feb. 28**, and Leah Perrault **March 6**. All are welcome to this diocesan Lenten series, presented by Foundations: *Exploring Our Faith Together*.

**A book study on "The Return of the Prodigal Son"** by Henri Nouwen will be led by Sr. Peter Mary at 7 p.m. Mondays during Lent, beginning **Feb. 15**, held at St. Paul's Co-Cathedral, 720 Spadina Cres., Saskatoon. Having a copy of this book is encouraged: it can be purchased online or through Universal Church Supplies, 437-2nd Ave N., (306) 384-1924.

**Pure Witness Youth Retreat** - It's not too late to register for the Pure Witness Youth Retreat at the parish in Vonda on **Saturday, Feb. 6** beginning at 9 a.m. (registration), with retreat from 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. All youth grades 6-12 are encouraged to take part in this fun-filled day of music, drama, talks, and more. Cost is \$20/youth which includes snacks and lunch. To register call Deanna Florizone at (306) 258-2054 or e-mail: brianflorizone@hotmail.com

**Ministry of Care Blessing to mark the World Day of the Sick 2016** will be given to all employees working in health care as well as to all unpaid health care providers and volunteers during Sunday mass celebrations across the diocese on the weekend of **Feb. 6-7**, as a way of honouring World Day of the Sick. This blessing is offered for the benefit of highlighting the health care community – paid and non-paid – who share in the healing ministry of Jesus Christ throughout the diocese. The World Day of the Sick is held each year on Feb. 11, the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes.

**Queen's House: Silent Directed Retreat** Jan 29-Jan.31 with Bishop Gerry Wiesner, OMI, and Dianne Mantyka (live-in only, \$345) / **Exploring Ecological Spirituality** 7 p.m. Tuesdays **Feb. 2-23** with Sr. Judy Schachtel, SMS, (\$10 a session or \$30 for series). / **Knights of Columbus Brothers Keeper Breakfast** 7-8 a.m. **Feb. 9**, followed by breakfast and fellowship. / **Love Languages** 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. **Saturday, Feb. 13** with Sarah Donnelly, (\$35 includes registration, refreshments and lunch). Programs are held at Queen's House 601 Taylor St. W., Saskatoon; pre-register at (306) 242-1916 or find more information at: [www.queenshouse.org](http://www.queenshouse.org)

## Year of Consecrated Life

This year's World Day for Consecrated Life **Feb. 2** marks the conclusion of the Year of reflection and thanksgiving for the gift of Consecrated Life, declared by Pope Francis to "wake up the world!"

The purpose of the World Day is "to help the entire Church to esteem ever more greatly the witness of those persons who have chosen to follow Christ by means of the practice of the evangelical counsels" of chastity, poverty and obedience as well as to provide an occasion "for consecrated persons to renew their commitment and rekindle the fervour which inspires their offering of themselves to the Lord." - Pope John Paul II

For more information visit our website at:  
[www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/year-consecrated-life](http://www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/year-consecrated-life)

## Employment Opportunities

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**Cathedral of the Holy Family is seeking a Part-Time Administrative Assistant** (24 hrs per week) to manage the front office reception area, to enter data and assist parish staff with administrative duties. **Deadline to apply is Feb. 1.** For details, contact Patrick Clarke at [pat@holycathedral.ca](mailto:pat@holycathedral.ca)

**Clinical Care Coordinator for St. Angela Merici Residence**, 125 Cree Crescent, Saskatoon (24 hrs per week, permanent position). Registration with SRNA is required. St. Angela Merici Residence provides care for Urusline Sisters who are elderly or infirm, recovery for those who need convalescing, and a centre of welcome for guests. Interested RNs are invited to send a resume to Theresa Winterhalt, 125 Cree Crescent, before the **Feb. 15 deadline**. For more details about this position see: [www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/employment](http://www.saskatoonrcdiocese.com/employment)

**Diocesan Prayer** - We pray in gratitude as a diocesan family for all those in Consecrated Life - may these religious sisters, brothers and priests experience joy in following Christ, witnessing to the gospel and serving the poor with zeal.

## Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy

Proclaimed by Pope Francis from Dec. 8, 2015 to Nov. 20, 2016

### Corporal & Spiritual Works of Mercy

- feed the hungry
- give drink to the thirsty
- clothe the naked
- shelter the homeless
- comfort the sick
- visit the imprisoned
- bury the dead
- mentor the seeker
- teach the beginner
- share the faith
- protect the vulnerable
- forgive willingly
- love unconditionally
- pray for the living and the dead

"**Mercy**: the word reveals the very mystery of the Most Holy Trinity. **Mercy**: the ultimate and supreme act by which God comes to meet us. **Mercy**: the fundamental law that dwells in the heart of every person who looks sincerely into the eyes of his brothers and sisters on the path of life."

- Pope Francis, *Misericordiae Vultus*.

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