



# Roman Catholic Diocese of Calgary

Announcements from the Catholic Pastoral Centre

For June 11th, 2017 | Trinity Sunday

## **CONSECRATION OF CANADA TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

As part of the celebrations marking the 150th anniversary of Confederation the Bishops of Canada will be consecrating our country to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Bishop McGrattan will consecrate the Diocese of Calgary on 1 July, 2017. All are invited to St. Mary's Cathedral at 10am for a service of Adoration, Scripture, rosary, and the consecration followed by a BBQ. The regular daily Mass at St. Mary's remains at 9 am followed by exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. For more information contact the parish office at 403-228-4170.

## **CELEBRATING WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES**

The Church has been celebrating World Day of Migrants and Refugees since 1914. This year, join us on June 29, the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul, for a special Mass to celebrate World Day of Migrants. This is an opportunity for the faith community to reflect upon the role migration has played in our history and tradition, pray for migrants and refugees around the world, and raise awareness about the causes, challenges, and opportunities involved with migration. Join Bishop William McGrattan on June 29, 7:00 p.m. at St. Mary's Cathedral to celebrate World Day of Migrants and live the words of Pope Benedict: "The Church is God's family on earth" [Deus Caritas Est]. For more information, contact Marilou at 403-218-5519.

## **ONE ROCK**

Come join the One Rock team! We need volunteers to help in preparation for and during the One Rock Festival in various capacities including: parish promotions, childcare, gate admissions, choir, photography, etc. To sign up and for more information go to: [www.onerock.ca/Join](http://www.onerock.ca/Join)

## **DAYS OF PRAYER ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF LAUDATO SI**

In commemoration of the second anniversary of Laudato Si', we are invited to pray the Prayer for our Earth from Laudato Si. Starting on Saturday June 10 and concluding on June 18, we are invited to reflect on a verse from Laudato Si. Visit [www.mercyworld.org](http://www.mercyworld.org) for each day's reflection and to view the accompanying video.

## **ENTRUSTED IN THE HEART OF MARY WORKSHOP WITH FR. JOHN KOHLER**

In conjunction with the consecrating of Canada to the Immaculate Heart of Blessed Virgin Mary, Fr. John Kohler is offering a workshop about our Blessed Mother through the Scriptures. Choose a location (at 7 to 9pm): Thursday, July 6 at St. Mary's Cathedral, Calgary; Wednesday, July 12 at All Saints Parish, Lethbridge; Thursday July 13 at Holy Family, Medicine Hat. If you have any questions, please email [john.kohler@calgarydiocese.ca](mailto:john.kohler@calgarydiocese.ca)

## **PLANNED GIVING SEMINAR INVITATION**

You are invited to learn how to maximize your family's net worth. Join our upcoming Planting a Future Seminar at the Catholic Pastoral Centre 120 - 17 Ave SW Wednesday June 14 – Registration 9:30am, Presentation 10:00am - 11:30am. Limited seating; registration required. Contact Doreen 403-218-5522 or [charities@calgarydiocese.ca](mailto:charities@calgarydiocese.ca) to register.

## **MARRIAGE PREPARATION "FOR BETTER & FOR EVER"**

"For Better & For Ever..." Marriage Preparation, accepts all couples preparing for marriage. Due to the small group setting it allows us to focus on couples in one or more of the following circumstances: living together, previously married, beginning marriage with children, couples 45+, or those who wish to have their marriage blessed in the Church. Upcoming Dates: June 23-24, July 10/28-29. For more dates, registration or information, contact 403-218-5505 or email: [lifeandfamily@calgarydiocese.ca](mailto:lifeandfamily@calgarydiocese.ca).

## **27TH ANNUAL BISHOP'S GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Golf with us! August 14, 2017 – 27th Annual Bishop's Golf Tournament in support of Feed the Hungry at Silvertip Resort, Canmore. More information at [golf.feedthehungrycalgary.ca](http://golf.feedthehungrycalgary.ca) or contact [feedthehungry@calgarydiocese.ca](mailto:feedthehungry@calgarydiocese.ca) or call 403-218-5522.

## **PROJECT RACHEL POST ABORTION COUNSELLING**

The ministry offers a journey of healing and reconciliation for women and men who are suffering distress from a past abortion experience. Clients will be referred to a professional counselor who specializes in dealing with the trauma associated with this experience. For more information call Project Rachel at 403-218-5506 or toll free at 1-877-597-3223. You may also e-mail [info@projectrachel.ca](mailto:info@projectrachel.ca).

## **TEMPLE BUILT OF LIVING STONE**

Interested in Catholic Worship and Sacred Liturgical Space? Join us at the National Catholic Liturgical Conference with Fr. Michael McGourty as he reflects on our rich identity as members of the Body of Christ visibly evident in our sacred space and liturgical symbols. November 6 & 7, 2017. More information & registration at <https://wclcanada.wordpress.com/>

## **CATHOLIC SPEED DATING EVENT**

Are you looking for a good Catholic man or woman? Register for the year end retreat which will be held on Saturday, June 17th, 11:00 am - 5:30 pm at Mount St. Francis Retreat Centre in Cochrane. Age Range: (Women: 24 to 32 & Men: 27 to 35) and (Women: 33 to 41 & Men: 36 to 44). Events include Mass, lunch, talks, mix and mingle speed-dating and evening prayer. Visit [www.CatholicSpeedDating.ca](http://www.CatholicSpeedDating.ca) or call Rose at 587-333-1099 to register.

## **MARRIAGE PREPARATION - CFS**

Marriage Preparation Weekend: Catholic Family Service will be offering a Marriage Preparation weekend at St Joseph's Parish on Friday, July 14 to Sunday, July 16. Please contact CFS at 403-233-2360 to register, or Deacon Stephen Robinson at 587-896-2891 for information.

## **WHITE MASS**

Annual White Mass: Celebration of the feast day of St. Luke, patron saint of physicians, will be held 7:00 pm on Wednesday, October 18, 2017 at St. Anthony's Church, 5340 - 4 St. SW, Calgary. All are welcome, especially those working in medicine and health care. Reception will follow the Mass.

## **FIRESIDE PRAYER AT THE FCJ CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTRE, CALGARY**

Fireside Prayer with Sisters of the Diocese, 8 - 9:30 pm, Fri., June 23 and Fri., July 28. An opportunity for young, single women interested in meeting religious to share prayer as well as to have fun roasting marshmallows. On grounds of FCJ Christian Life Centre, 219-19 Avenue SW. For more information call 403-228-3623.

## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY – MUSIC DIRECTOR**

Holy Spirit Parish located in SW Calgary invites applications for a Music Director for Sunday Masses at 9:00 am and 11:00 am. If you are interested in leading and being part of a vibrant music ministry please apply. For more information about these positions, qualifications and application details see the Diocesan website at <http://www.calgarydiocese.ca/articles/employment-opportunities.html>. **Competition closes on June 15, 2017.**

## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY- YOUTH MINISTRY COORDINATOR (FULL TIME) – ALL SAINTS ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH AND ST. MARTHA'S PARISH, LETHBRIDGE, AB**

All Saints Roman Catholic Parish and St. Martha's Parish located in Lethbridge, AB invites applications for a Catholic Youth Ministry Coordinator to provide accuracy and attention to detail. Please forward your application and resume along with 2 references to [pastorallsaints@shaw.ca](mailto:pastorallsaints@shaw.ca) or [padresalvador@stmarthasparish.ca](mailto:padresalvador@stmarthasparish.ca). For more information about this position, qualifications and application details see the Diocesan website at <http://www.calgarydiocese.ca/articles/employment-opportunities.html>. **Competition closes on June 15, 2017.**

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