



Roman Catholic Diocese of Calgary

Announcements from the Catholic Pastoral Centre
For June 17, 2018 | 11th Sunday of Ordinary Time

HOST A YARD/GARAGE SALE FOR ELIZABETH HOUSE

Looking for available backyard and some helping hands! Please help Elizabeth House host their Spring Cleaning rummage sale, either at your parish or your backyard, sometime in **August or September**. All revenue from the backyard sale will be matched up to 50% by AltaLink's Birdies for Kids Grant with all proceeds going to Elizabeth House to help vulnerable mothers and their babies. To find out how you or your ministry can help, contact Michelle Haywood at 403-228-9723 | michelle.haywood@calgarydiocese.ca

28TH ANNUAL BISHOP'S GOLF TOURNAMENT

Golf with us on **Monday, August 27, 2018** and help support our unsponsored dinners at Feed the Hungry. The tournament will be held at the Silvertip Resort, Canmore. For more information, contact Sartre at 403-218-5522 | ftgolf@calgarydiocese.ca | golf.feedthehungrycalgary.ca

PRISON MINISTRY WORKSHOP

Save the date: The next Prison Ministry Education Workshop will be held on **August 14, 16 and 21 at 7 - 9 PM**, at the Catholic Pastoral Centre (120 - 17 Ave SW, Calgary). The workshop is open to current volunteers or anyone interested in prison ministry. To register or for more information, please contact Marilou at 403-218-5519 | marilou.legeyt@calgarydiocese.ca

MIKE MACDONALD SHARES ABOUT MISSION MEXICO

Mike MacDonald (Mission Mexico representative) will be in Calgary soon and he will share with you about the mission works in La Montaña, on the good work that you are doing through the support you offer to Mission Mexico! He will be at Corpus Christi Parish on **June 23 & 24**. He will also be speaking at St. Bonaventure on **Thursday, June 21 at 7 PM**. For more information, contact Sr. Rita Kim at 403-218-5513.

SENIOR'S GET-TOGETHER

June is Senior's Month! The Diocesan Office of Religious Education invites you to join in a special Pot-Luck Luncheon with Bishop Emeritus Henry at St. Joseph Parish (640 - 19 Ave NW, Calgary) on **Wednesday, June 20, from 11:30 AM to 2:00 PM**. Come enjoy the company of fellow seniors and be enriched with a special talk by Bishop Emeritus Henry. Desserts will be provided - just bring your potluck dish to share with all. For more information or to register, call Norline or Nibal at 403-218-5501 | events.calgarydiocese.ca

CHOOSE TO REFUSE SINGLE-USE PLASTIC

Summer is a time of rest and a time to spend outdoors appreciating and experiencing this beautiful environment we live in. Let us continue to take care of our common home by living more simply and reducing waste. One way to do this is to avoid single use plastic. Take the 4-week challenge - Live without plastic: bags, bottles, takeaway coffee cups and straws - for a month! For more information, visit: <https://plasticfreeyyc.com/> (Get Involved / Take the 4-Week Challenge)

JOIN THE SUMMER 2018 LAUDATO SI' ANIMATOR'S PROGRAM

Become Laudato Si' animators and be champions of creation care in your local communities/parishes. You are invited to join online webinars and be grounded in the science and Catholic teachings of Laudato Si. Everyone's talents and involvement are needed! To register, contact 403-218-5519 | marilou.legeyt@calgarydiocese.ca

ONE ROCK 2.0 (SEP 29) WITH PATRICK COFFIN, LIZZIE REEZAY AND BRIAN HOLDSWORTH - PREREGISTER

One Rock 2.0 is excited to announce that Patrick Coffin, Lizzie Reezay, and Brian Holdsworth will be joining us! Catholic young adults in the Diocese of Calgary (ages 18-35) are invited to pre-register: www.onerock.ca

ORDINATION OF DEACON DEREK REMUS TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Bishop William McGrattan is pleased to announce that he has called Rev. Mr. Derek Remus to be ordained to the priesthood on **Friday, June 29 at 7 PM** in St. Mary's Cathedral. All are welcome! First Masses schedule: Saturday, **June 30 at 9 AM**, at St. Bonaventure Parish (1600 Acadia Dr. SE, Calgary) and **Sunday, July 1 at 9 AM**, at St. Ambrose Parish (1513 23rd Ave, Coaldale).

DEVELOPMENT & PEACE MEMBERS APPRECIATION AND ANNUAL AGM

We invite all to join us as we recognize our D&P members and honour those who have made special contributions through the years. We will have our AGM, followed by member appreciation and lunch. The celebration happens on **June 23, 10 AM** at St. John's Convent 409 10A St. NW. On-street parking available. Please RSVP by June 20 to Marilou at 403-218-5519 | marilou.legeyt@calgarydiocese.ca

PROJECT RACHEL POST ABORTION COUNSELLING

The ministry offers a journey of healing and reconciliation for women and men who are suffering from a past abortion experience. Clients will be referred to a professional counselor who specializes in dealing with the trauma associated with this grief. For more information, call Project Rachel at 403-218-5506 or toll free at 1-877-597-3223, or e-mail info@projectrachelsa.ca | www.projectrachelsa.ca

SPONSOR A TABLE FOR GRADE 12 STUDENTS

The Annual Calgary Leadership Prayer Breakfast is celebrating their 50th year! Every year, business owners, managers, and those serving in their community are invited to attend this Leadership Breakfast, and to bring neighbours, family, staff, and customers. They are keenly focused on inviting the "leaders of tomorrow" this year, and they need your help. Please consider sponsoring a table for Grade 12 students from the Catholic High Schools. For more information, contact Joy Humphrey at 403-836-1551 | CalgaryPrayerBreakfast.com

ROSE PRINCE LEJAC PILGRIMAGE IN BC

The Diocese of Prince George is hosting its Rose Prince Lejac Annual Pilgrimage on **July 6 - 8** at Lejac, BC. For more information, contact Fr. Vincent James at 250-699-6593 | www.pgdiocese.bc.ca

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

- Catholic Family Services: **July 20 - 22** at St. Joseph Parish (640 – 19 Ave NW). Cost: \$225/couple. For more information, contact CFS at 403-233-2360 | www.cfs-ab.org
- Life & Family Resource Centre: **August 27** (followed by Sep 14-15), or **September 24** (followed by Oct 12-13). For more dates, registration or information, contact 403-218-5505 or email lifeandfamily@calgarydiocese.ca | events.calgarydiocese.ca

YOUNG WOMEN'S RETREAT: COME TO ME AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST (MT. 11:28)

Single, Catholic women, ages 18 to 35, are invited to a weekend of reflection to ponder these questions: Who is God calling me to be? What is God calling me to do that takes me beyond what I am doing now? When: **Friday, August 17 (starts at 5 PM) to Sunday, August 19 (ends at 2 PM)**. This is a retreat with overnight accommodation in local convents. Please bring a bible and journal or notebook. Registration Fee: \$25/ further donations gratefully accepted. This event is sponsored by the Assembly of Women Religious. For more information or to register, contact Sr. Terry Smith, FCJ at 403-228-3623, ext. 258 | tksmithfcj@yahoo.ca

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER INFORMATION SESSION

Save the date! Secular Franciscans are a community of practicing Catholic adults who strive to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ more profoundly in their daily lives, as St. Francis of Assisi did. You are invited to join their information session on Sunday, **September 16 at Noon**, at Canadian Martyrs Parish (835 Northmount Drive N.W., Calgary). For more information, contact: Lynn Spicer at 403-719-5852 | www.ofscalgary.com