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## NEW ITEMS

### Archdiocesan News



#### **Our Faith Stories: Treasures to Share ([Diocesan Website Home Page](#)): On Being a Light to Others**

Some forty-five youth ministers from all over Western Canada met in Winnipeg, from January 31 to February 3<sup>rd</sup> to build connections, grow as leaders and to learn how to better reach out to youths and meet them where they are at.

Organizers and participants take a look back at the annual gathering and AGM of the Western Canadian Association of Catholic Youth Ministers (WCACYM). Read the [full story here](#) or click on the photo. [View photo gallery](#).

### Nathanael 2019-2022



#### **\*NEW\* NATHANAEL 2019-2022 – Begins in September, 2019**

**Does this sound like you?** Are you at least 18? Looking for something new in your relationship with Jesus? Challenged to be all you can be? Seeking to become an intentional disciple of Jesus? Willing to be the change the Church needs?

**Nathanael, a Lay Faith Formation Program to form missionary disciples... is for you!**

**VISIT OUR OPEN DOORS:** Blessed Sacrament Parish, 710B Roanoke Street, Winnipeg, MB Saturday, February 23, 2019 1:30-3:00 PM **AND** St. Emile Parish, 556 St. Anne's Road, Winnipeg Saturday, March 9, 2019 1:30- 3:00 PM. Testimonials of the Nathanael Graduates during the Masses at St. Anne, MB Saturday, Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7 PM Mass: Nathanael presentation by Paulette & Marie-Paul during Homily Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, presentation at 2 Masses (French & English) during Homily.

For more information, contact Deacon Stepan Bilynskyy, Coordinator of Nathanael English Group at [sbilynskyy@archsaintboniface.ca](mailto:sbilynskyy@archsaintboniface.ca) or 204-594-0276.

### Adult Faith Formation

#### **\*REMINDER\* LENTEN MISSION. - “Catholicism, The Journey to The Heart of the Faith”**

St. John Berchmans Church, Holland, MB invites you to attend the Adult Education/Faith Formation video series on **“Catholicism, The Journey To The Heart of the Faith”** by Bishop Robert Barron. Every Sunday at 7:30 PM. This is a stunning invitation to a unique way of life, discernment, discussion and time for fellowship. All are welcome to St. John Berchmans Church, in Holland. Office 204-526-2268.

#### **\*REMINDER\* NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT – Streaming to Winnipeg May 4, 2019 at the Parish of St. Bernadette**

This conference will bring together speakers who are leaders in the New Evangelization to provide inspiration, encouragement, training, practical wisdom and resources on how Catholics can effectively evangelize. All Catholics – pastors, missionaries, lay ministers, and the lay faithful – will benefit immensely from this powerful opportunity to be further equipped in the fundamental mission of the Church.

For more information and tickets please visit [newevangelization.ca](http://newevangelization.ca) or contact the parish office: 204-255-1951 or [info@st-bernadette.ca](mailto:info@st-bernadette.ca).



## Marriage, Family & Life

### **\*NEW\* Marriage Tips**

Have a home date tonight or this weekend. If you have kids, put them to bed early. Dinner can be simple but might include candlelight, soft music, wine or chocolate. After dinner, light more candles, look through your wedding album, play, and reminisce.

### **\*NEW REGISTRATION LINK\* Fertility Health Awareness Seminar – Thursday April 25, 2019**

The Marriage, Family and Life Service of the Archdiocese of Saint-Boniface is pleased to offer the Fertility Health Awareness Seminar, Thursday April 25, 2019, from 6:30 PM to 9:30 PM in the Saint Boniface Cathedral Hall. This 3-hour seminar gives couples and individuals the opportunity to discover various methods of Natural Family Planning (NFP) and to find a method that fits their needs. Attendees will receive certified teaching on one of the following four methods of NFP/Fertility Care: Serena Sympto-Thermal Method; Billings Ovulation Method; Creighton Model & NaPro Technology; and FEMM (Fertility Education & Medical Management). There is no cost to participate. Some NFP methods may require the couple to purchase materials or resources at a reasonable cost. All are welcome, although registrations are required. Register online (new registration link): [here](#). For more information, [mfl@archsaintboniface.ca](mailto:mfl@archsaintboniface.ca); 204-594-0274. To view the poster, [click here](#).



### **\*NEW\* National Week for Life and the Family: Tridiocesan Catholic Family Conference – Saturday, April 6, 2019**

This year for the National week for Life and the Family, we are pleased to offer a free, enriching Catholic family conference for families: parents, grandparents, children and youth while exploring the theme: **“Listening to the Gospel – Renewing the Family Bond”**. The conference is on **Saturday, April 6, 2019**, from 9 am-4pm at the St. Boniface Cathedral Hall, featuring dynamic guest speaker, **Leah Perrault**. There will be presentations and activities aimed at renewing the family bond while exploring faith and the Gospel today. Donations gratefully accepted. **Please register online [here](#)**. For more information: Nadine Fetherston [mfl2@archsaintboniface.ca](mailto:mfl2@archsaintboniface.ca) or (204)-594-0295. For conference schedule: [click here](#). To view the poster, [click here](#). For a

more detailed bulletin insert, [click here](#).



### **\*REMINDER\* Advance Care Planning, End-of-Life Decisions & MAID – Saturday, March 2, 2019**

The Marriage, Family and Life Service of the Archdiocese of Saint-Boniface is pleased to offer a **Free** Advance Care planning, End-of-Life Decisions & MAID workshop, Saturday, March 2, 2019, from 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM in the Saint Boniface Cathedral Hall. Presented by Katarina Lee, Clinical Ethicist at St. Boniface Hospital and Assistant Professor in Family Medicine at the University of Manitoba, this workshop will provide education, benefits and pitfalls regarding advance care planning, including the use of advance care directives and health care proxies. Discussions from a Catholic perspective of medical decisions such as

nutrition, hydration, resuscitation and ventilation will also be explored, as well as, palliative care and an overview of Medical Aid in Dying and the impact recent legislation has had on society and the practice of medicine. **Space is limited**, please **register online at: [bit.ly/careplanning1](http://bit.ly/careplanning1)**

For more information: [mfl2@archsaintboniface.ca](mailto:mfl2@archsaintboniface.ca) or 204-594-0295. To view the poster, [click here](#).



## Stewardship

### **\*NEW\* Stewardship Reflections** **February 17, 2019 - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**



*"Blessed are you when people hate you...exclude and insult you, and denounce your name...on account of the Son of Man." (Luke 6:22)*

All of us have been in situations when someone has made a negative comment or joke about God or our Catholic faith. How did you respond? Did you stay silent or pretend to go along with the crowd because you didn't want to cause waves and then, later, you felt bad? Know that God is with you all the time, the Holy Spirit will put the right words in your mouth. Pray for the strength and courage to proclaim our faith to others, especially during uncomfortable situations.

## Social Justice

### **\*NEW\* Annual Diocesan Social Justice Conference – Saturday March 2, 2019**

The Annual diocesan social justice conference will be held at St. Boniface Cathedra in the lower level meeting room, from 10 AM to 3:30 PM. Registration at 9:30 AM. Guest speakers: Kevin Gallays (Society of St. Vincent de Paul), Gordon Janzen (Canadian Food Grains), Daniel St Vincent & Charles Gagné (Action Marguerite), Sr. Lesley Sacouman (House of Peace) and Derek Pachal (Jubilee Fund Inc.). Admission is free. Information: Claude Courchaine ([courchaine1@gmail.com](mailto:courchaine1@gmail.com)), Tina Montemayor ([monte-falcon@live.com](mailto:monte-falcon@live.com) or 431-334-9908) or Louis Balcaen ([ljalcaen@gmail.com](mailto:ljalcaen@gmail.com), 204-424-5434 or 204-392-7267). To view poster, [click here](#).

## Development & Peace



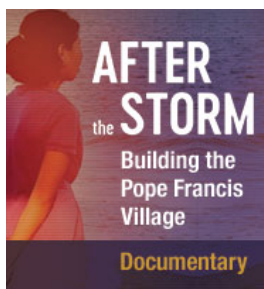
### **\*NEW\* Development and Peace's THINKfast – Registration is open!**

We encourage you to [register your group](#) online for THINKfast. You'll automatically be set up with a fundraising page to collect and track donations, and receive two (2) FREE *Rethink the World* t-shirts to wear or distribute as prizes!

Take a look at our fully-redesigned [THINKfast Organizer Toolkit](#). We've created easier-to-read Donation Forms, added icons and revamped the

entire text so that you and your team can find what you need quickly and intuitively! Our 12- and 25-hour sample schedules focus on forced migration this year, and we look forward to sharing a host of migration-related prayers and activities on our [Activities database](#).

Wish to know more about THINKfast? Contact the Manitoba Animator, Janelle Delorme, [jdelorme@devp.org](mailto:jdelorme@devp.org), 204-231-2848.



### **\*NEW\* « After the Storm » Screening – Friday, March 8, 2019**

You are cordially invited to the screening of « After the Storm », D&P's documentary about the reconstruction project in Tacloban after typhoon Haiyan hit the Philippines. The screening will be held at Mary, Mother of the Church (85 Kirkridge Dr), on Friday March 8<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. The evening will begin with a D&P Way of the Cross, followed by the screening and question period. Thank you to YOMMOC (Youth of Mary, Mother of the Church) for hosting this evening. All are welcome!

If you wish to host a screening in your parish or school, please contact MB Animator, Janelle Delorme, [jdelorme@devp.org](mailto:jdelorme@devp.org), 204-231-2848.



## Parish Events

### **\*NEW\* Bingo nights at Christ the King School Gymnasium – Tuesday and Friday evenings**

Every Tuesday and Friday evening. Doors open at 5:30 PM. Warm up games begin at 6:45 PM. Regular games at 7:30 PM. 100 % of the proceeds support the school. To view poster, [click here](#).

## Catholic Schools

### **\*REMINDER\* Christ the King School Open House – February 28, 2019**

Come see Christ the King School, on February 28 at 7PM! We welcome students from Junior Kindergarten to Grade 8, and offer before and after care (7AM-6PM), private bus service, private music lessons, inservice childcare, competitive sports programs and smart classrooms. Christ the King School is located at 12 Lennox Ave (at St. Mary's) in Winnipeg. Information: [office@ctkschool.ca](mailto:office@ctkschool.ca) or 204-257-0027.

To view poster, [click here](#).

### **\*REMINDER\* St. Boniface Diocesan High School – A Place to Grow**

SBDHS is now accepting applications for the 2019/2020 school year! We welcome students from grade 9 to 12 in an English, Catholic, Co-Educational environment. At SBDHS, students are offered an array of opportunities from University Courses, music and arts programs, competitive athletics and a place to genuinely express and deepen their faith.

All of our admission information is available on our [website](#) or call us at 204-987-1560.

## Employment Opportunity

### **\*New\* Employment Opportunity with St. Mary's Academy – Closing date is February 21, 2019**

Social Studies and Physical & Health Education Teacher. Start date is March 20, 2019.

Position is full-time, term concluding on June 28, 2019 with possibility of extension. [Click here](#) for full position description.

Closing date for applications is February 21, 2019.

**REPEATED ITEMS**

## Archdiocesan News

### **Archbishop's Schedule**

To view Archbishop LeGatt's schedule for February, 2019, [click here](#).



### **Our Faith Stories: Treasures to Share ([Diocesan Website Home Page](#)): A Sense of God's Presence, in Silence, Song and Unity**

A simple, yet contemplative and profound experience, Taizé prayer is a time to rest in God. Short chants, short scripture readings and silence are the key ingredients of these ecumenical gatherings, where Christians of many traditions can meet to praise God together.

To read about persons of faith who have experienced the grace of Taizé prayer [click here](#).

Multilingual Taizé prayer services will take place from 7:00 to 8:00 PM on February 15, March 15, April 12, May 17 and June 21 at the 17 Wing Community Chapel, 2235 Silver Ave,

Winnipeg. General Information: 204-833-2500, ext. 6800. For information poster, [click here](#).



**Our Faith Stories: Treasures to Share ([Diocesan Website Home Page](#)):**

**A Tribute to Our Religious**

Celebrated on February 2<sup>nd</sup>, World Day for Consecrated Life is an opportunity for the Church to give thanks for the gift of religious life.

In St. Boniface, the day was celebrated with a Taizé prayer service held at the St. Boniface Cathedral. The service acknowledged the particular contribution of the Sisters of Charity of Montreal (Grey Nuns).

During the service, Raymond Lafond, former general manager of the Catholic Health Corporation of Manitoba, gave this [bilingual testimonial](#).



**Our Faith Stories: Treasures to Share ([Diocesan Website Home Page](#)):**

**Archbishop's Residence Now a Heritage Building**

The City of Winnipeg's Standing Policy Committee on Property and Development, Heritage and Downtown Development has added the Archbishop's Residence to its List of Historical Resources at its February 4<sup>th</sup> meeting. The new listing will protect the elements of the three-storey building from any modifications that would alter its historical features. To read the full story, [click here](#). To read a brief history of the Archbishop's Residence, [click here](#).

## Adult Faith Formation



**New Evangelization Summit – May 4, 2019**

Joins us live in Ottawa on May 4<sup>th</sup>! Registration began February 1<sup>st</sup> at [newevangelization.ca](#). Registration is FREE for everyone. Don't miss your chance to be present at North America's premier conference on the New Evangelization. To see a video on the Summit, [click here](#).

## Marriage, Family & Life



**Rachel's Vineyard Retreat - May 24-26, 2019**

A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat weekend offers a beautiful opportunity for healing to any woman or man who has struggled with the emotional and spiritual pain of an abortion. This could be your time to begin healing through a supportive and non-judgmental process. Please contact Chris if you would like information: 204-772-1923 or [loss@pregnancy.ca](mailto:loss@pregnancy.ca)

**CANA - Sessions for Couples**

CANA is a six-day retreat for couples to strengthen their marriage and deepen their spiritual life, offered by the Chemin Neuf Community. The live-in session includes talks, prayer, time together as a couple, relaxation and celebration. In 2019 CANA will be offered in two formats:

**One-week in the summer**, July 7-13, 2019. Couples bring their children who follow their own program.

**1,2,3. . .Cana!** For those who find taking a week in the summer difficult we are offering Cana over three weekends. Childcare will not be provided, and couples must commit for all three weekends: January 19-20 (Saturday 3 PM to Sunday 5 PM); February 16-18 (Saturday 10 AM to Monday 5 PM); March 23-24 (Saturday 10 AM to Sunday 5 PM).

CANA will be held in Winnipeg at the St. Charles Retreat Centre, 323 St. Charles St., Winnipeg. For more details: [chemin-neuf.ca website \(Couples & Families\)](#). [View pamphlet](#).



### **Campaign Life Coalition Annual Fundraising Banquet – May 11, 2019**

Are parental rights in danger of becoming extinct? Guest speaker Tanya Granic Allen, who recently opposed the Kathleen Wynne radical sex-ed agenda in Ontario, will share her thoughts on the debate surrounding radical gender issues. The banquet will be held on May 11, 2019 at the Canad Inns Destination Centre Fort Garry. Tickets: \$55 (students \$45). Please RSVP by May 6, 2019 at 204-452-2429. To view poster, [click here](#).

## **Youth & Young Adult Ministry**

### **\*REMINDER\* Conference on Young People, the Faith and Vocational Discernment - Saturday, March 30th, 2019**

Be a part of this one of a kind opportunity to hear first-hand about the results of the current Synod of Bishops in Rome! Our conference speakers, Bishop Lionel Gendron (Synod Father and President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops), and Miss Emilie Callan (Synod Auditor), will share from their own experience as members of the Synod of Bishops. They will journey with us to see how this Synod of Bishops invites our Church in Manitoba to grow in our work and ministry with young people.

This day-long conference will offer a time for reflection, prayer, and small group discussions, inviting participants to network and discern together where God is calling local initiatives to grow and continue to serve young people. This exciting conference is open to everyone, especially those involved in youth ministry, catechetics, vocation ministry, spiritual accompaniment, Catholic schools, and parish leadership. Investment is \$30 per participant, including all conference materials, and food and snacks throughout the day. The conference will take place at St. John XXIII Parish in Winnipeg. To register: [events.catholicway.net](http://events.catholicway.net). Information: Kevin Prada, [kevin@catholicway.net](mailto:kevin@catholicway.net). 204-347-5396, [www.catholicway.net](http://www.catholicway.net). Presented by the Catholic School of Evangelization, and sponsored by the Archdioceses of Winnipeg and Saint-Boniface. [View poster](#).

## **Interchurch & Interfaith Learning (Ecumenism)**

### **SAVE THE DATE Congregation Shaarey Zedek Winnipeg – Tuesday, March 26, 2019**

Winnipeg Bat Kol Tri-Diocesan Committee invites you to join us with Rabbi Matthew Leibl and Rabbi Anibal Mass to join us on this journey as we explore the timeless link between Jewish spirituality, prayer, and music. Details will follow in February 2019. For a Save the Date Poster, [click here](#).

## **Parish Events**

### **Life in the Spirit seminar – March 2, 2019**

A Life in the Spirit seminar will be held at Blessed Sacrament Parish (710 Roanoke Street, Winnipeg) on Saturday March 2, 2019 from 9 AM to 6 PM. Lunch is included. There is no cost to the day other than a free will offering basket at the door. The day will consist of talks, praise and worship and prayer while walking with others through a recognition of how the Holy Spirit can move in your life. To view poster, [click here](#).

## **Retreats**

### **WINTER RETREAT – Saturday, February 23, 2019**

Come learn about the gifts that you have been given by God, and the gift that YOU are. The retreat's theme, *Blessed With a Treasure*, will be developed by Sister Cathy Laviolette. The retreat will take place from 9:30 AM to 3:15 PM at St. Charles Parish Hall, 320 St Charles St, Winnipeg. Cost: \$ 20 (includes lunch and snacks). Please register by February 21 by calling Anna at 204 895 2420. To view poster, [click here](#).



## Spiritual Growth



### Taizé Prayer Services at 17 Wing Community Chapel

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### \*REMINDER\* Chemin Neuf Community [Weekly Prayer Group](#) – Each Monday of each month -

Chemin Neuf community has a Weekly Prayer Group, each Monday of each month, 7 PM - 8:15 PM, St. Charles Retreat Centre, 323 St. Charles St., Winnipeg. The evening includes praise &



worship, silence, and listening, sometimes a brief teaching or testimony. All are welcome. No need to register. For more information: [Chemin Neuf, Winnipeg website](#).

## Community News



### Become a Special Friend to someone at L'Arche Winnipeg

Chat over coffee, play a board game, go to a movie and watch a friendship grow. As we become more aware of people in the community, we are enriched by new relationships that often become lasting and special friendships. This opportunity is for weekly dates or as arranged with your friend.

Or join our team and help welcome guests to the L'Arche Tova Café with a menu and a warm smile, while providing support to adults with developmental disabilities in the community. This opportunity is for 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM on alternate Mondays at this time. Contact: [liz@larchewinnipeg.org](mailto:liz@larchewinnipeg.org) or 204-237-0300 ext. 20. On-line submission forms: [www.larchewinnipeg.org](http://www.larchewinnipeg.org)

## Monthly Prayer Intentions of Pope Francis

### Prayer Intention for February, 2019

*Human Trafficking:* For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.

Visit our **French website:** <http://www.archsaintboniface.ca/index.html?lang=fr> to read the French bulletin, *Nouvelles hebdomadaires*, for announcements and activities that appear only in French.

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