



As Archbishop of St. Boniface, I am still in discussions with the Indigenous parishioners of our faith communities in the northern part of our diocese. As well, I am in discussion with the chiefs and members of the band councils of these communities.

These discussions are about how, specifically, they would want assistance in any way from the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of St. Boniface.

As a fruit of these ongoing discussions begun quite some time ago, I am already asking the faithful of the diocese, parish by parish, to organize ways in which they can become more informed about the Indian Residential Schools and the many elements of their tragic legacy.

As well, I am encouraging the faithful to support lay initiated and lay led popular movements within the Catholic Church in Canada, such as Catholics for Truth and Reconciliation in their several efforts.

- Albert LeGatt