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# Sights and Sounds

October 3, 2018

*For the Month of October*



<u><i>Birthdays</i></u>		<u><i>First Vows</i></u>	
October 1	Christine Taylor	October 1	Fr. Richard Doll (61)
October 2	Fr. Albert Lalonde	October 11	Fr. Syl Lewans (65)
October 6	Fr. Glen Zimmer		<u><i>Ordination</i></u>
October 13	Fr. Ron Rolheiser	October 3	Br. Oscar Delanghe (65)
October 13	Janice Lamoureux	October 7	Fr. Lester Kaufman (64)
October 19	Mark Lich	October 9	Fr. Joseph Jacek (51)
	<u><i>Anniversary</i></u>	October 16	Fr. Glenn Zimmer (47)
October 12	JoAnne Chrones & Brian Zimmer (21)	October 17	Fr. Nestor Gregoire (48)
		October 18	Fr. George Gruher (61)



## Community Days

- Thursday, October 18 – Queen's House Board, SDC Leadership and OMI Core Team Only (evening meeting)
  - Friday, October 19<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup>
- Hope to see you there!!*

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### **Treasurer's Office:**

- The Treasurer's Office is asking for all 3rd Quarter Financial Reports to be sent in no later than October 15, 2018.
- Please continue to send in your GST receipts in a timely manner.
- Please note that the 2019 Saskatchewan District Budgets are due no later than Friday October 19, 2018. This will give the SDC Office time to review and forward budgets to Head Office for review and recommendation for approval.

*Thank you,  
Corrine Pambrun and Fr. Paul Fachet*



### **Trinity Manor**

We are meeting for coffee on Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm. Please join us!!

### **Leadership Discernment with Fr. Warren Brown, OMI**

*Fr. Warren Brown, OMI will be coming to Queen's House December 11-13, 2018 to meet with Oblates who want to speak to him about the upcoming Provincial and Council Leadership. Anyone who needs to speak to Fr. Warren please let Fr. Bill or Fr. Paul know so we can book appointment times.*

*For the Residents of Trinity Manor, please make your appointment with Fr. Paul for December 12, 2018. Appointment times will be made between 1:30 – 4:30.*

*Thank you,  
~~~Fr. Bill Stang/Fr. Paul Fachet~~~*



**Queen's House News – Brendan Bitz**

We are pleased and excited to be planning for our Annual Gala Dinner scheduled for Wednesday, November 21, 2018. This is a special time for Queen's House as we are celebrating our 60<sup>th</sup> year of ministry and the gathering of our community at this year's Gala will allow us to highlight and celebrate this wonderful and blessed occasion.

**Wednesday, November 21, 2018**

**5:30 p.m. Cocktails, Appetizers & Silent Auction**

**6:45 p.m. Dinner and Program**

**9:00 p.m. Greystone Singers**

Tickets are \$125 per person (this includes a **\$75** charitable receipt and a raffle ticket). Tables of 8 and 10 are available. This year's raffle prize will be a commuter package for 2 people to attend the annual Fr. Ron Rolheiser, OMI retreat at Queen's House this summer - value of **\$430**. (Date of retreat: July 15-18, 2019.)

**For tickets or to become a sponsor, please contact Queen's House at 306-242-1916.**

**Seating is limited to 132 people.**

**Sponsorship Opportunities**

|                                   |               |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>Platinum</b>                   | \$1000 plus   |
| <b>Gold</b>                       | \$500 - \$999 |
| <b>Silver</b>                     | \$250 - \$499 |
| <b>Bronze</b>                     | \$100 - \$249 |
| <b>Meal Sponsorship</b>           | \$2500        |
| <b>Hors d'oeuvres</b>             | \$500         |
| <b>Entertainment</b>              | \$500         |
| <b>Wine Sponsorship</b>           | \$500         |
| <b>Table Centers/Raffle Prize</b> | \$400         |
| <b>Silent Auction Items</b>       | As donated    |



To discuss sponsorship of any kind, please contact our Executive Director, Brendan Bitz, 306-242-1916 or [director@queenshouse.org](mailto:director@queenshouse.org). Thank you for considering this invitation to attend and/or sponsor this very important event, which supports the ministry and mission of Queen's House Retreat and Renewal Centre, our spiritual oasis centered in the heart of the prairies.

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## *Prayer of Thanksgiving*



*God of abundance, as we celebrate this season of  
Thanksgiving*

*We give thanks for the blessings of food,  
provision and nourishment.*

*Please grow in us a harvest for the world.*

*Come sow a seed of hope within our souls Lord, that we might yield  
goodness, patience and kindness in abundance.*

*Sow a seed of peace in our lives Lord, that we might bear the fruits of  
forgiveness, compassion and righteousness.*

*Come sow a seed of love in our hearts Lord, that others would reap the  
blessings of family, friendship and community.*

*May each seed of hope, peace and love grow within us into a harvest that can  
be feasted on by all.*

*We ask this through Christ Our Lord,*

*Amen*

*OMI Lacombe Canada Website: [www.omilacombe.ca](http://www.omilacombe.ca)  
Qu'Appelle House of Prayer Website: [www.qhpstillness.ca](http://www.qhpstillness.ca)  
Queen's House Website at: [www.queenshouse.org](http://www.queenshouse.org)*