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# Sights and Sounds

February 15, 2019

# For the Month of February





<u> Birthdays</u>		<u> First Vows</u>	
February 1	Brad Taylor	February 8	Fr. Heinner Paucar (24)
February 23	Fr. Albert Ulrich		
		<u>Ordination</u>	
<u>Anniversary</u>		February 23	Fr. Richard Doll (55)
February 12	Brad & Christine Taylor (25)	February 12	Fr. Heinner Paucar (19)
-		February 23	B. Gerald Wiesner (56)



## **Trinity Manor**

Valentine's Day Coffee was a wonderful gathering at Trinity where we were joined by Jim and Adele Longstaff. We enjoyed a delicious Blueberry Cheesecake compliments of Jean and Jadwiga, and lots of chocolates too. We sang 'Happy Birthday' to Fr. Albert Ulrich and we all wished Jean a belated 'Happy Birthday'.

Submitted by Pauline and Rita

Please join us for our next coffee gathering on Thursday, February 28, 2019 at 3:00 pm. See you there!!



#### MARIAN PRAYER - OUR LADY HELP OF PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

From February 14 to 17 our parish will host the new Marian image sponsored by the Knights of Columbus known as "Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians".

Parishioners and their families are invited to join St. Philip Neri Knights and their families on Sunday, February 17, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. for a Marian prayer service with the Our Lady Help of Persecuted Christians icon.

The prayer service is intended to raise awareness of the plight of Christians persecuted for their faith and to stand in prayerful solidarity with them. It will last for about 1 hour.

For further information please contact me, Art Evoy at 306-220-0630 or Ron Denis at 306-280-9863.

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### Community Days - February 7 & 8, 2019 Report - by Fr. Paul Fachet

Our numbers attending for the two days were down due to the intense cold weather and road conditions.

After the report from Qu'Appelle House of Prayer was read in the afternoon of Thursday, February 7, a time of personal sharing by the Community that were present followed.

On Friday, February 8, Darcie Lich's presentation on "The Church and the LGBTQ Community: Let's Talk" was excellent and very much appreciated by all. The Eucharist, (including the homily) presided by Fr. Mark Blom was also very well received.

#### Treasurer's Office:

- Please send in your 2018 GST receipts as soon as possible.
- Corrine will be away on February 25<sup>th.</sup>
  - $\circ$  SDC audit dates are March 4 8.
- Just a reminder for SDC Oblates to call and book an appointment with Rita to come and look at their legal documents. Her scheduled work days are as follows:
  - o February 19, 20 (morning only on the 20th), 28, March 1, 4, 5, 6, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 28, 29. Hours of work are 8:30 4:30.
  - o If changes to your legal documents are requested, the SDC office will assist you in making an appointment with McKercher law firm.

Thank you, Corrine Pambrun and Fr. Paul Fachet

# **Cell Phones and Passwords:**

During our last Provincial Council Video-Conference, it was suggest that Oblates with cell phones give their passwords to the SDC Secretary (Rita). Any important information stored on their phones would then be accessible to the Superior in the event of that Oblate's death. These passwords will be kept in confidence and on file in the SDC office.

Please do this as soon as possible.

Thank you, Fr. Bill Stang

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#### Greetings from Queen's House!



I am very pleased to be moving into the role of the Programming Director, and to share with you some of the exciting programs that we have planned in March and April. I am hoping that one or more of these programs will peak your interest, and that you will be able to join us – our invitation to you is to come to Queen's House to "Nurture Your Mind – Nourish Your Spirit."

Sr. Judy Schachtel SMS will be offering a four part series on Tuesday evenings in March entitled, "Discovering Our Sacred Relationship

with the Living Earth." On Saturday March 9 Fr. Kevin McGee will be offering a daylong workshop on the Christian Contemplative Tradition, "Exploring Our Mystical **Roots.**" During the season of Lent we are inviting the Christian community to gather for two Saturday mornings, March 23 and April 13, for a special Lenten series, "Living Lent: **Bishops** Four Reflect the **Invitations** of this Season." on Holv Bishop Bryan Bayda CSsR and Bishop Sid Haugen will be speaking on Saturday March 23 (seating is limited to 60 people – register early for this session) and Bishop Chris Harper and Bishop Mark Hagemoen will be speaking on Saturday April 13. On Saturday April 13 Sr. Teresita Kambeitz OSU will also be offering a full day workshop entitled, "Faith Stages on the Spiritual Journey".

For further information visit website: and to register, please our http://www.queenshouse.org/?page\_id=4399 and our Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/Queens-House-Retreat-and-Renewal-Centre-117429838340575/ or call our receptionist at 306-242-1916.

We look forward to welcoming you back to Queen's House – your home away from home!

Peace be with you,

Sarah Donnelly Programming Director, Queen's House Retreat and Renewal Centre

OMI Lacombe Canada Website: <a href="www.omilacombe.ca">www.omilacombe.ca</a>
Qu'Appelle House of Prayer Website: <a href="www.qhpstillness.ca">www.qhpstillness.ca</a>
Queen's House Website at: <a href="www.queenshouse.org">www.queenshouse.org</a>

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