



In Our Prayers

Fr. Jesus Susai, OMI is requesting prayers for his mother, who's health condition has been deteriorating. Susai left for India last Friday to be with her.

April Anniversaries



Birthday

April 22 – Bishop Sylvain Lavoie

Anniversary of First Vows

April 18 – Fr. Susai Jesu (23 years)

Community Dinner

Last week, the residents of Foyer Lacombe, along with a few local Oblates, gathered for a lovely dinner at Foyer Lacombe; it was the perfect setting for birthday cake to celebrate Fr. Alfred Groleau's birthday from earlier this month.



Basic Oblate Community Reunions

Star BOC: Thursday, April 25th at 7 pm at Star of the North Retreat House.

Gareth BOC: Wednesday, April 24th at 6:30 pm at Gareth Place.

All are welcome to attend.

Assembly

Br. Anthony District will hold an assembly on May 28 and 29th at Star of the North. As details are still being worked out, information on this assembly will be sent to all Oblates and Associates in the next week.

Called to Protect

The Edmonton Archdiocese will be animating a “Called to Protect” session at Our Lady of Mercy Parish in Enoch on Thursday, May 2nd at 6 pm. Fr. Les Kwiatkowski, OMI is inviting anyone who is interested to come out for this session. It is a free program for all church employees, volunteers and others in a position of trust with children and vulnerable persons to ensure a safe environment for all. ***All are invited.***

Retreat

The annual Brother Anthony District Retreat for Oblates and Associates will take place at Star of the North Retreat Centre from September 30th to October 3rd, 2019. Father Richard Sudlik, OMI from the US Province, will animate this retreat. More information to follow in coming issues of Happenings.

Lac Ste Anne Pilgrimage

The annual Lac Ste Anne Pilgrimage will take place at Lac Ste Anne from Saturday, July 20th to Thursday, July 25th, 2019. For more information, please visit the official pilgrimage website: <https://lacsteannepilgrimage.ca>

Pilgrimage to Mexico and Our Lady of Guadeloupe

Archbishop Emeritus Sylvain Lavoie et Fr. Susai Jesus will be the spiritual directors of this pilgrimage which will take place from November 9 to 14, 2019. Please see attached documents for more details.

GST Receipts

As we near the end of the first quarter, Oblates are reminded to submit their 2019 January to March GST receipts to the office.

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