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Sights and Sounds

June 12, 2019

For the Month of June

	Happy		Liniversary * Celebration
g 10	<i>Birthdays</i> Fr. Mike Dechant	g 20	<u>First Vows</u>
June 10 June 21	Fr. Nure Decnant Fr. Mark Blom	June 28	Fr. John Zunti (35)
June 25	+Gerry Wiesner		<u>Ordination</u>
June 28	Fr. Doug Jeffrey	June 3	Fr. Doug Jeffrey (36)
		June 11	Fr. Anthony Schmidt (66)
			<u> Perpetual Vows</u>
		June 6	Br. Don Claerhout (48)



Gil Bellavance - 4th Anniversary of Ordination as Deacon – June 29th Brad Taylor - 4th Anniversary of Ordination as Deacon – June 29th

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On Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, Pauline, Elaine and I surprised Rita with a birthday lunch out at Kisavos. We shared stories, laughs and a great meal too!! Rita said we made her birthday extra special and we told her we appreciate all she does for our Oblate Community.

Submitted by Corrine Pambrun

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Treasurer's Office:

• The Treasurer's Office is asking that all 2nd Quarter Reports be sent in as soon as June passes with receipts attached for GST remittance.

Thank you, Corrine Pambrun and Fr. Paul Fachet

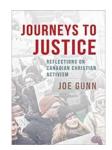
There will be NO Coffee gathering in the month of June due to MAMI's – GOF June 11 and Oblate Community Days June 20th- 21st, 2019.



Community Days - June 20 & June 21, 2019

• Registration and the Agenda for Community Days have been sent out. To date, we have received several Registrations. Please continue to send in your Registration by email or phone by June 17th. Thank you and look forward to seeing you there!

Joe Gunn will be speaking at our Community Days. His latest book – "Journeys to Justice" will be available for purchase for \$15.00. If you are interested in purchasing it, the SDC Treasurer's Office will be happy to take your payment. Please let Corrine or Rita know if you are interested.



Queen's House News - Brendan Bitz

Thank you SDC for your generous sponsorship of our 2019 Oblate Scramble Golf Tournament scheduled for Sunday, June 23. Lunch with the golfers will be back here at Queen's House beginning at about 2:30 pm – please join us as part of our welcoming committee. Let reception know if you plan to attend – receptionist@queenshouse.org or at 306-242-1916.



Our Queen's House Advisory Council has almost completed our Mission and Visioning work with Rachelle Brockman. Our draft as it currently stands reads as follows:

- Values: Rooted in the Oblate Charism, we are a sacred, welcoming space.
- Vision: To be a sacred place where minds are nourished and spirits are nurtured.
- **Mission:** As a retreat & renewal centre, we offer sacred space for self-reflection, encounter with others and spiritual exploration.
- **Tag:** Nourish your mind. Nurture your spirit. (Under our Queen's House banner)

We are continuing with a number of facility improvements through the strategic application of paint, bed and window coverings and a bit of furniture. The results are very appealing.

Our IT initiatives continue to roll out in the form of a completed computer server renewal for MAMI, SDC, Retreat Manager and Queen's House as well as other applications that will assist us with registrations, donations and communications. With all of this innovation, the most delightful IT addition has been the installation of Fr. Louis's old phone now repurposed in our staff room. Thank you Bro. Walter!!

Fr. Ron Rolheiser's Summer Stillness Retreat will unfold from July 8 to 11. Please consider registering for this featured presentation. Please refer to our website and brochure information for details. We would love to see you here for this event.



From all of us here at Queen's House ... God Bless Us All!

OMI Lacombe Canada Website: www.omilacombe.ca
Qu'Appelle House of Prayer Website: www.qhpstillness.ca
Queen's House Website at: www.queenshouse.org

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