

Our Mission Statement

*Inspired by the Holy Spirit we are a Eucharistic community called by God
To share the love of Jesus Christ and create a welcoming parish of renewal and mission.*



August 27, 2023 | Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 22:19-23 | Rom 11:33-36 | Mt 16:13-20

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

God is not looking for perfection when it comes to his leaders, he is looking for true and loving hearts. In the first reading, God is not impressed with the master of the palace as a father for the people of Jerusalem. Eliakim the servant has the heart God desires. God will give Eliakim whatever he needs to guide his people – the right clothes, authority, and a place of honor. And we learn in the Gospel that Peter has the heart of love Jesus knows is necessary to guide his followers after he is gone. There are more learned and powerful men, but they lack Peter's faith. Jesus knows Peter is not perfect and he has much to learn, but Peter has the right foundation for the Church. We don't need to be the smartest people or have money and influence to be God's leaders. We need hearts of love and faith, and God will give us the tools we need to do the work.

ACT Look over the bulletin this week and reflect on where your talents could make a difference in your parish. Ask the Holy Spirit to give you the wisdom and guidance you need to find where God wants you to be and what he wants you to do. Extend an invitation to one person to join you in participating in a church ministry.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

There is much to be done in our parishes and God needs our hearts and faith to get to work. How can we use our gifts and talents to help make the parish a welcoming place? For some it might be liturgical ministry, but every church needs people to work behind the scenes. Dusting and cleaning the church is not a glamorous job, but caring for the house of God is a blessing in itself. Helping the parish office with special mailings or weekly tasks is welcome to the staff who have so many responsibilities. Why not use the eyes of the Father to look in our hearts and see how we can make our parish a foundation of faith for all our family? We can also use God's sight to look for people at Mass who need an invitation to be more active in the parish, sharing the reminder none of us have to be perfect people to participate. We just need hearts of love.

COMING UP IN SEPTEMBER 'SAVE THE DATES'

CHILDREN'S CHOIR

- Sept. 13, 4-pm - 5pm - resumes again every Wednesday

ADORATION

- Sept. 13, 7pm - 9pm Wednesdays resumes again all are welcome!

CWL QUILTERS

- Sept. 18 Quilting mornings resume

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

- Sept. 23, following the Saturday 5:00 pm Mass @ Holy Spirit Parish, the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated, all are welcome.

SENIORS CARDS

- Sept. 28, Senior's cards resumes again every second Thursday @ 1:30pm

As we move into the regular calendar more programs and events will begin. We'll keep you posted!

"As we gather here today, we acknowledge we are on Treaty 6 Territory and the Homeland of the Métis. We pay our respect to the First Nations and Métis ancestors of this place and reaffirm our relationship with one another."

MASS TIMES

Saturday 5 pm
Sunday 10 am, 12 noon, 7 pm
Weekdays, Tues. - Fri. 8:30 am

ADORATION

Wednesdays 7pm beginning Sept. 13
Fridays, 9 am - 12 pm
Sundays, 1 - 4 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 11 am - 12 noon
or by appointment.

WE PLEDGE 5%

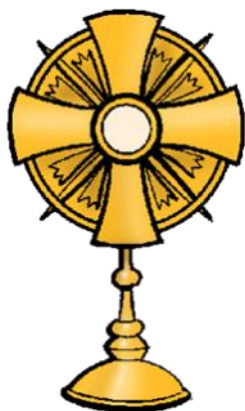
Holy Spirit parish contributes 5% of the Sunday collection to charities within our community.

One of these charities is St. Mary's Weekday Hampers.

St. Mary's Parish is called upon six days a week to provide hampers to families. They provide approximately 20 hampers a week to families. These hampers contain canned goods and providing there are enough funds they also include fresh meat, potatoes, vegetables, fruit, eggs and milk. The money goes towards purchases of these foods for the hampers. St. Mary's Parish is looking for volunteers Monday, Wednesday and Fridays to help organize hampers. Please call 306-242-2983 to volunteer. Thank you for

LOST!

A very important **gold wedding band** was left in our church washroom on Friday (Aug. 4) morning. If you found it or find it please put it in an envelope and drop it in the mail slot at the office, in a collection basket, or give it to one of our Hospitality Ministers, thank you!



ADORATION SIGN IN

To better insure that there is always someone praying before the Blessed Sacrament during our Friday and Sunday times of Adoration, we are asking people to sign in and leave a contact number and the time you attended. It is always a goal to have at least 2 people present at all times.

By signing in hopefully we will be able to see if there are certain times that need to have more people in attendance. Thank you for your assistance with this!

LET US PRAY

- For the sick and all those that care for them, today we pray for: Miriam Yalbir, Tsejay Michael, Bev Kirilenko, Father Bernard De Margerie, Veronica Lange, Riel Larocque, Leon Hartman, Betty Anne Tomney, Bob Kudel, Quinn Gorman, Lorna Stainger, we pray to the Lord.
- For all those who have died, today we remember: Bill Mills, Elaine Holinaty, Doris Fanner, Armand Jutras,
- And on the anniversary of death, Duane Weiman, Chinh Vu, Thu Vu, Anna Nguyen, we pray to the Lord.



Be sure to pick up your prayer card in the place of Welcome!

Please Note: Additional parking is available on Sundays in the mall parking lots north and east of the church.



Holy Spirit Parish
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Holy Spirit Parish Finance Committee August 2023 Financial Report

This report provides an update with respect to the financial position of the parish up to the end of July 31, 2023.

With respect to contributions, they have increased marginally compared to last year, but are still less than the average which existed prior to the COVID pandemic.

We note that loose cash contributions have increased substantially on a year over year basis. Please try to take advantage of envelopes or pre-authorized payment for your collections so that you can receive a tax receipt at the end of the year for your contributions. If you require envelopes, please contact the office to make this request.

As a finance committee, we endeavour to budget on a break-even basis, however it is becoming apparent that contributions will have to increase over the coming years to upkeep and maintain our church property. Over the course of 2023, the finance committee has undertaken a number of projects with respect to the upkeep and maintenance of our property such as rectory renovations, roof repairs, paving repairs and outside yard maintenance. Further, we have established a Building Sub-Committee of finance, including representatives from the finance committee, as well as parishioner members-at-large. This committee is currently preparing a plan and budget with respect to the long-term repairs, replacement equipment, maintenance and upkeep for the church to ensure that we will have the financial ability to undertake major repair and maintenance projects as they become necessary. A report specific to this work will be provided separately in due course.

Parishioners should note that our current savings, along with annual break-even budgets, will likely be insufficient to cover all building maintenance and upkeep requirements of the church on a long-term basis. As such, it is anticipated that separate major fundraising campaigns may be required in the coming years. Please keep this in mind when planning for your own financial giving in the coming years.

Thank you for your ongoing financial stewardship of the parish.

Financials to July 31, 2023	Year to Date
Envelopes	\$159,554.31
PAD	\$176,330.31
Loose	\$59,696.31
Other collections	\$47,566.50
Other Income	\$98,546.75
Total Income	\$541,694.18
Expenses	\$526,912.33
Surplus/(Shortfall)	\$14,781.85

2023 INFANT BAPTISM 2023 Baptism Schedule Sharon 306-374-1425 or spowell@rcdos.ca

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN Sharon at spowell@rcdos.ca or 306-374-1425

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Please visit holyspiritsaskatoon.ca for more information about faith formation.

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If you need prayer, support, a visit (with the Eucharist or otherwise), Anointing of the Sick, or assistance with funeral planning, Ministry of Care is just a phone call or email away.

Please contact **Kelly Wormsbecker** Pastoral Associate- Ministry of Care

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 8905

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WAYS TO DONATE TO HOLY SPIRIT PARISH

- 1. Sign up for Pre-Authorized Giving** Registration [forms](#) are available at the church office, online on our parish website, or via email. Donate using debit or credit card.
- 2. Interac e-Transfer using online banking:** send e-transfer to finance@holyspiritsaskatoon.ca (it is directly deposited, no password needed). Please put your full name and envelope number in the message box along with any special offering designation.
- 3. Parish Offertory:** <https://dscf.ca/parish-offertory/>
- 4. Mail envelopes to the church:** 114 Kingsmere Place, Saskatoon, SK, S7J 3V7
- 5. Drop envelopes off at church:** Put envelopes into the office door mail slot.
- 6. Place envelopes in the offertory basket at Mass**



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parish online:

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The cost to you is absolutely free: our parish has a subscription for the entire year.

Are you new to the parish? Has your information changed?

Fill out this [form](#) online

Or contact the office (306) 374-3190 or info@holyspiritsaskatoon.ca

Sunday, Sep 03, 2023

It's a wonderful life

Our days are engulfed in chaos, conflict, and dispiriting news. Then along comes a director like Frank Capra (1897-1991), churning out what have been called "fantasies of good will," imposing order with his ragged little messiahs who take meaningful stands against king-sized injustices. A self-described "Christmas Catholic," Capra fought his moral battles on the silver screen. He believed each person is "essentially good, a living atom of divinity.... Films must be made to say these things, to counteract the violence and the meanness, to buy time to demobilize the hatreds." Take your stand. Tell a story of hope.

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

TODAY'S READINGS: Jeremiah 20:7-9; Romans 12:1-2; Matthew 16:21-27 (124). *"Do not conform yourselves to this age but be transformed by the renewal of your mind."*

Monday, Sep 04, 2023

Come aside and rest awhile

In a Prayer for Labor Day, the U.S. bishops invite us to ask God: "Make a place in our hearts for compassion to the men and women who labor tirelessly for basic necessities." Labor has always held a place of dignity within our faith. Scripture tells us that the laborer is worthy of his hire (1 Tim. 5:18), and many a church document, including *Rerum Novarum*, outline the value of workers and their work: "Justice, therefore, demands that the interests of the working classes should be carefully watched over, so that they who contribute so largely to the advantage of the community may themselves share in the benefits which they create." And, today, in honor of our labor, it's time to take a break.

TODAY'S READINGS: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Luke 4:16-30 (431). *"Is this not the son of Joseph?"*

Tuesday, Sep 05, 2023

The first daughter of charity

It's not every day that a Catholic saint is honored with a United Nations resolution. But then, Mother Teresa is hardly an everyday saint. The U.N. honored the famous nun from Kolkata, known the world over for her hands-on care of the poor, with a resolution in 2013. It declared that on the September 5th anniversary of Mother Teresa's death each year, the world would now observe an International Day of Charity. Let's take her at her word: "Love is not patronizing and charity isn't about pity, it is about love. Charity and love are the same—with charity you give love, so don't just give money but reach out your hand instead."

TODAY'S READINGS: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6, 9-11; Luke 4:31-37 (432). *"All of you are children of the light and children of the day. We are not of the night or of darkness."*

Wednesday, Sep 06, 2023

Pray for the persecuted and forgotten

On this day, many Christians of the Eastern tradition celebrate the feast of Saint Donatian and his companions, a group of lesser-known fifth-century martyrs driven out of North Africa by the Arian King Huneric, who persecuted a great many Trinitarians for their faith. Though we may not today face death for our confession, many of our brothers and sisters around the world do, and it is for them that we must pray with the help of Donatian and all who died

for the name of Christ. Even more, we are tasked to help them materially if we can, since—as the Lord says—whatsoever we do for the least of his siblings, we do for him.

TODAY'S READINGS: Colossians 1:1-8; Luke 4:38-44 (433). *"We have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and the love that you have for all the holy ones because of the hope reserved for you in heaven."*

Thursday, Sep 07, 2023

School days, Golden Rule days

It's back-to-school season. Learning is foundational to our democracy and also to informed faith. In 2,000 years' time, Christianity has overcome countless heresies (a type of twisting of the belief) and accumulated many saints, martyrs, stories, and traditions. With school back in session, consider sending yourself to "school" to learn more about your own religion. Check out study materials from the U.S. Catholic bishops and formed.org, a program both individuals and parishes can use for faith formation. Make a choice to grow in wisdom and understanding.

TODAY'S READINGS: Colossians 1:9-14; Luke 5:1-11 (434). *"Put out into deep water and lower your nets for a catch."*

Friday, Sep 08, 2023

A nativity set for the ages

The church officially celebrates three Nativities: the Nativity of Jesus, the Son of God (Christmas); the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist (24 June); and the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary (8 September). These events tell us everything we need to know about God, faith, and the path to salvation. Through Jesus' Incarnation, we learn that God is with us—always and everywhere. Through John's witness we come to understand that we are not God—not even close—and we must prepare ourselves to welcome God's great goodness into our lives. And through Mary, we are shown the meaning of true discipleship—how to answer God's call and follow Christ through the joyful, sorrowful, and luminous mysteries of our lives in faith. Celebrate this dynamic trio by living in their light.

FEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

TODAY'S READINGS: Micah 5:1-4a or Romans 8:28-30; Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23 (636). *"They shall name him Emmanuel, which means 'God is with us.'"*

Saturday, Sep 09, 2023

Give us this day some peace

"Racism has been part of the social fabric of America since its European colonization. Whether it be the tragic past of Native Americans, Mexicans, Puerto Ricans, or Blacks, the story is one of slavery, peonage, economic exploitation, brutal repression, and cultural neglect." This observation from the 1979 bishops' pastoral *Brothers and Sisters to Us* is why the church in the United States has established today as a "Day of Prayer for Peace in Our Communities" to promote healing of the racial divides of our nation. Make an honest examination of conscience regarding your thoughts, words, and deeds toward people of other ethnic and racial backgrounds.

MEMORIAL OF PETER CLAVER, PRIEST

TODAY'S READINGS: Colossians 1:21-23; Luke 6:1-5 (436). *"You once were alienated and hostile in mind because of evil deeds."*

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time



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Bringing Home the Word

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

September 3, 2023

The Cost of Discipleship

Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

In 1937, *The Cost of Discipleship* by a German Lutheran pastor, Dietrich Bonhoeffer, was published. The book reflected on the Sermon on the Mount, and the demands it outlined led to Bonhoeffer's arrest and eventual death at the hands of the Nazis. It can be very dangerous to be faithful to Jesus' way of life. This shouldn't surprise us. Jesus' teaching cost Jesus his life.

Though the Gospel reading does not provide us with a program of action, it repeats Jesus' charge to take up our cross and follow him. This cross is different for each of us; it makes very personal

demands. We are called to lose our life for his sake. This was true at the time of Jesus; it is true today.

This was true at the time of the prophet Jeremiah as well. He was called to proclaim God's word to his own people. They would not listen. Instead, "I am an object of laughter; / everyone mocks me" (Jeremiah 20:7). The prophet wants relief from his prophetic responsibility. Who wouldn't? What follows is quite moving. He makes up his mind that he will stop talking about God—but he can't. "It [the word of God] is as if fire is burning in my heart... / I grow weary holding back" (Jeremiah 20:9). That is the cost Jeremiah had to pay. The cross was the cost Jesus paid. And what of us? †

A Word from Pope Francis

Let us make sure that the cross hanging on the wall at home, or that little one that we wear around our neck, is a sign of our wish to be united with Christ in lovingly serving our brothers and sisters, especially the littlest and most fragile. The cross is the holy sign of God's Love.

ANGELUS, ROME, AUGUST 30, 2020



Sunday Readings

Jeremiah 20:7–9

All day long I am an object of laughter; / everyone mocks me.

Romans 12:1–2

Be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may discern what is the will of God.

Matthew 16:21–27

[Jesus said,] "Get behind me, Satan! You are an obstacle to me. You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do."

*The cross every person
has to take up is different
for each one of us.*



REFLECTION QUESTIONS



- What is the cost of discipleship for you?
- What in your life might be the cross you are being asked to bear?

A Balanced Perspective

Kathleen Basi

We live in a world where science reveals wonders as distant as the far reaches of the universe and as intimate as the center of our own DNA. We prize knowledge and revere those who help us reach greater understanding of the world and ourselves.

It's good to seek wisdom, but focusing too much on intellect makes it easy to get jaded about the things that defy scientific testing. We think we should be able to pull apart the strands of the universe and reduce everything to its components. When we can't, we start worrying that we're being "taken for a ride."

Yet mystery surrounds us. For instance, after decades of research, scientists still uncover new components to human breast milk. In every age, humans have looked to the night sky with wonder and awe, marveling at the size of the universe and our own tiny place within it. And who contemplates



the death of a child without asking, *Why?*

Mystery is part of the human experience. It can inspire awe; it can deepen grief; it can challenge our faith. As we long to understand the earth, so we long to understand the One who made us. Yet some things will always remain unfathomable. The tension between these two opposing realities will not be resolved on this side of eternity.

The deeper we dig, the more we will understand about God. Yet the more we understand, the more layers of mystery are revealed.

Frustrating, as it may seem, that's a good thing. Greater understanding allows us to exercise control over our surroundings. Yet the more control we impose, the easier it is to forget that every breath is a gift from God. Contemplating all that cannot be understood offers a much-needed balancing perspective—namely, that there is a bright center of the universe, and *I am not it*.

As hard as it may be, living the faith means accepting—even embracing the reality that not all things can be known and understood. At least, not right now. The poet Rainer Maria Rilke said it beautifully, in his *Letters to a Young Poet*, when he spoke of being patient toward the unknown, embracing the questions within, and living in the moment to uncover the answers. †

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Living Our Passages Well

Death is a passage to new life. That sounds very beautiful, but few of us desire to make this passage. It might be helpful to realize that our final passage is preceded by many earlier passages. When we are born, we make a passage from life in the womb to life in the family. When we go to school, we make a passage from life in the family to life in the larger community. When we get married, we make a passage from a life with many options to a life committed to one person. When we retire, we make a passage from a life of clearly defined work to a life asking for new creativity and wisdom. Each of these passages is a death leading to new life. When we live these passages well, we are becoming more prepared for our final passage.

Fr. Henri Nouwen, *Bread for the Journey*, IMOH



Gracious God, as we celebrate Labor Day, we pray, encourage us in our work, calm us in our rest, and inspire us in our prayer. Amen.

The Redemptorists

WEEKDAY READINGS

September 4–9

Monday, Weekday:

1 Thes 4:13–18 / Lk 4:16–30

Tuesday, Weekday:

1 Thes 5:1–6, 9–11 / Lk 4:31–37

Wednesday, Weekday:

Col 1:1–8 / Lk 4:38–44

Thursday, Weekday: Col 1:9–14 / Lk 5:1–11

Friday, Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary:

Mi 5:1–4a or Rom 8:28–30 /

Mt 1:1–16, 18–23 or 1:18–23

Saturday, St. Peter Claver:

Col 1:21–23 / Lk 6:1–5

Let Justice and Peace Flow: Season of Creation 2023

Prophet Amos cries out: *"But let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream!"* (Amos 5: 24) and so we are called to join the river of justice and peace, to take up climate and ecological justice, and to speak out with and for communities most impacted by climate injustice and the loss of biodiversity.



Let Justice and Peace Flow Season of Creation 2023

As the people of God, we must work together on behalf of all Creation, as part of that mighty river of peace and justice.

The Season of Creation begins on September 1, the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, and culminates on October 4, the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, patron of ecology and animals. This Season offers a holy moment in the midst of our day-to-day lives to contemplate the fabric of life into which we are woven, to rejoice in the good gift of Creation, and to reflect on how we can better respect it.

Parishes and congregations can participate in myriad ways. Resources are available at <https://seasonofcreation.org> and through denominational websites.

- [Opening Prayer Service](#) (worldwide online event), Sept. 1 at 7am in Saskatchewan
- [Closing Prayer Service](#) (ecumenical service in Rome), Oct. 4 at 7am in Saskatchewan
- [Preaching for God's World](#). Preaching notes on the Revised Common Lectionary
- Toolkit from the World Council of Churches: [Climate Justice with and for Children and Youth in Churches—Get Informed, Get Inspired, Take Action](#)

Self-Care in Nature

Through the Season of Creation, watch the [KAIROS Regina Facebook page](#) for a tour of soul-feeding places around our city. Laura Stewart will share her reflections on special spots where we can receive the gifts of creation in abundance, and be renewed to "let peace and justice flow" through us. Send her your suggestions for parks or other beautiful places to visit: arcolaura@gmail.com or text (306) 535-1839.

An Introit for the Season of Creation: *Under Your Living Tree*

Laura Stewart from KAIROS Regina and a member of Broadway United Church has composed an introit, "Under Your Living Tree," that is free to use in your worship services through the Season of Creation. Sheet music can be downloaded at <https://bit.ly/UnderYourLivingTree>

*Your morning sun wakes us to tend your garden,
Where your rain grows food for every creature.
Your rainbow arches for all to see,*

SERENA SASK

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BOTH OPTIONS

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(Search: Run for the Family or Serena)

	Early Bird	Deadline to register
	Mon. Aug.28	Wed. Sept.6

1km =	\$10	\$15
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3km =	\$25	\$30
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5km =	\$40	\$45
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Family =	\$100	\$125
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+ Eventbrite minimal processing fee

***Medals:** Once we have results from both options, medal winners will be revealed via email and our Facebook page. They can be picked up or mailed. If there are no remote runners, medals will be awarded once all have crossed the finish line.

***Package pick-up:** 1929 Easthill on Thursday Sept.7th, 10-1 or 5-7. Call/text 306-291-3288 if alternate time is needed. Pick-up for others too.

***Prizes** to the first 3 families who register will be given at package pick-up on Thursday.

***How can I help?** Make a donation for goodie bags or snacks. Be a volunteer on race day. Make or collect pledges (prize = 20% of collection; email us for a pledge form).

***For more info,** contact Serena SK at sask@serena.ca or text 306-291-3288.

OPTION 1: LIVE

SAT. SEPT.9, 2023, 9-11AM

*Meewasin Park North in Saskatoon

*Bathrooms on site

*Begin between 9:00-10:30am;
runners sent off at 10 min. intervals to
prevent congestion at start/finish line

*All runners timed

*Snacks and beverages available

*Volunteers at start/finish line

*Volunteers at turn-around points

*Photographer at the event

*Strollers welcome

OPTION 2: REMOTE

THUR.- SUN. SEPT. 7-10, 2023

*Run /walk trail, day, and time of your
choice from Thurs. to Sun.

*To be eligible for a medal
(gold/silver/bronze in each event),

use a running app
(ie. Runkeeper) to submit your name,
date and length of run
(1km/3km/5km), and your time.

*Email results to sask@serena.ca
by Monday, Sept.11.

*Post pictures on the Serena SK
Facebook page.

*Thank you for supporting Natural
Family Planning in Saskatchewan!!

*And at evening we'll rest by the river,
Under
your
living
tree.*



Creating for Creation
Together for the Love of Creation



Creating for Creation: Fold Yourself into a Commitment for the Earth

This year, the For the Love of Creation Youth Climate Strike Advisory Team calls on all people of faith across Canada to “fold up” their commitment and send it to decision makers.

Write your commitments to change and your calls to governments and corporations about climate justice on a square of paper and fold it into a simple or more complex shape, representing one of the many species that are endangered by climate change and related harms to the earth. Climate change affects us all. Let's see every person with a climate concern create a folded creature to carry their concerns to the decision makers.

Further information is available at <https://fortheLoveofcreation.ca/creating-for-creation/>

Creation Care in Our Places of Prayer

KAIROS Regina invites you on a journey of faith, one that challenges our comfortable lives and changes the very buildings we worship in. On October 15, 2022, they hosted a workshop called, “Creation Care in Our Places of Prayer: Energy Retrofits and other Faith-based Climate Action.”

This booklet contains six articles that KAIROS

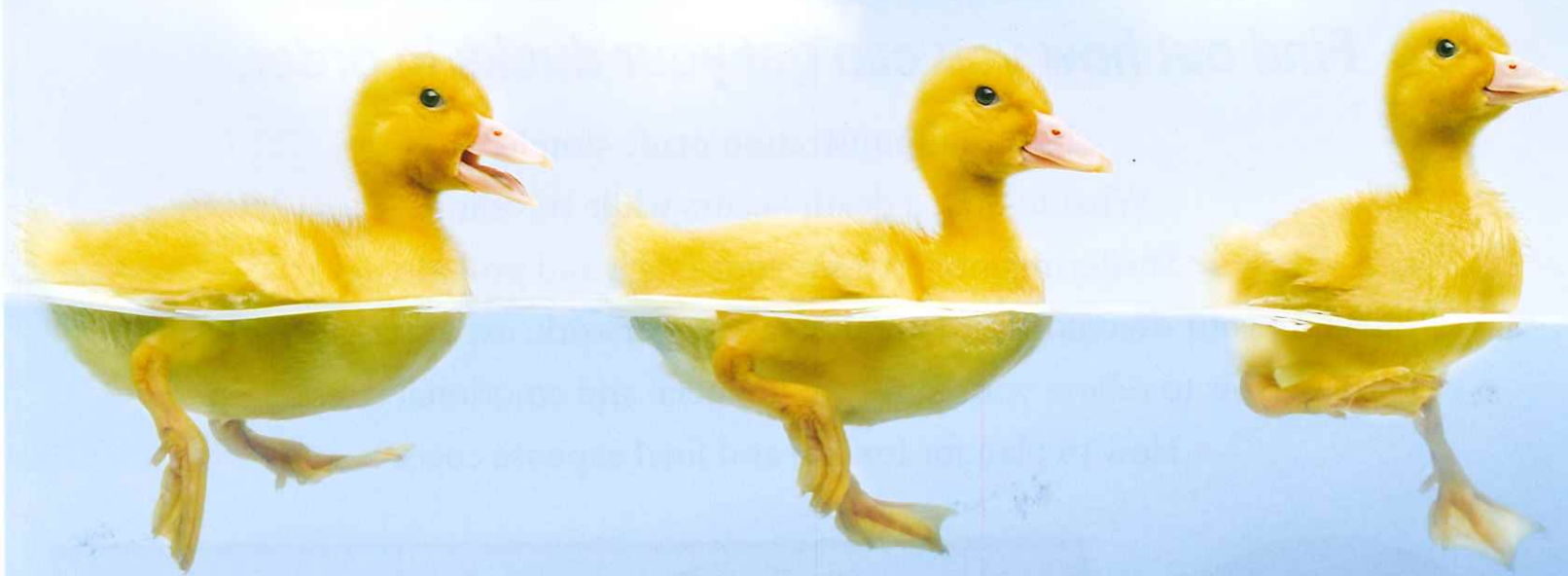
Regina released in the lead up to that event to prepare hearts and minds for the deep transformation that is needed. Written by members of the Climate Justice Working Group of KAIROS Regina.

Creation Care in Our Places of Prayer

*A series of reflections to prepare our hearts and minds
for deep transformation*

Booklet available for download at <https://bit.ly/CreationCareinOurPlacesofPrayer>

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- Protecting your executor from unnecessary paperwork, expenses, and pressure.
- How to relieve your family of financial and emotional stress.
- How to plan for funeral and final expense costs.

**2 Free
Seminars**

Tuesday Sept. 19th

10:00 a.m. or 7:00 p.m.

At the Nutana Legion Hall

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