



DIOCESE OF SASKATOON

The Anglican Church of Canada

As a diocese of Anglican Christian disciples, we seek to be lively and welcoming communities of faith who serve God and serve others. Our parishioners will be prayerful, grounded in Scripture, welcoming and attentive to the needs and aspirations of our neighbours.

JUNE , 2011

HOLD IN PRAYER

- Gwendolyn Gresham
- Jacqueline Plante
- Glen Burgomaster
- Olga Majola
- Florence Sawa

UPCOMING EVENTS

GARAGE SALE

Church Mouse Garage Sale
June 10 and 11, 2011
Endeavour Rec. Plex, Endeavour, Saskatchewan

Spring Tea & Bake Sale

Saturday, June 11th, 1 - 3 pm

St. George's Anglican Church, 624 Avenue I South, Saskatoon Come & Enjoy the Afternoon.

L'Arche and the Vision of Jean Vanier

Saturday, June 11, 7:30-8:30 pm - Rock of Ages Church (130 Kingsmere Place),

In 140 L'Arche communities around the world (29 in Canada), people with and without intellectual disabilities share life together.

All are invited to come and learn about L'Arche Saskatoon and Jean Vanier's inclusive, inspiring vision of community.



St Matthew's Anglican Church
109th Street & Egbert Avenue

SUMMER 'SALAD BAR' LUNCH **12:00 NOON**

Saturday, June 18, 2011

Featuring a large variety of salads, cold cuts,
cheese, buns and beverages

TICKETS

Adults - \$7.00

Children 6 - 12 years - \$3.00

Children under 6 - free

For tickets please call:

Elaine - 664-6389



INTEGRITY MEETING

Wednesday, June 15, 7:30 pm. St. George's Anglican Church, 624 Ave. I South.

Support group for gay and lesbian community and friends, includes Eucharist in the church, followed by GLBTT reflections and a social/refreshment hour. Child care services available on prior request.

Participate at your comfort level. All are welcome!

Contact: Tom and Rose Rogers, 373-5165, See also: www.integritysaskatoon.blogspot.com

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL- THIS SUMMER

**July 4 – 8, 2011
from 9 am to noon**

INSIDE OUT & UPSIDE DOWN on MAIN STREET

Where Jesus Makes a Difference Every Day!

The youth of St. Timothy's and Augustana will run a small Vacation Bible School program this summer, July 4-8, for ages 7 to 11. There will be a team of high school-aged leaders with adult support.

The **On Main Street** program explores five parables-stories Jesus told about everyday people in everyday situations. Each day we will discover the difference Jesus makes as we spend time at *Sidewalk Celebration, Parable Productions, Fun Factory, Brown Bag Bistro and Firehouse Fitness.*

Registration information may be obtained by emailing st.timothy@sasktel.net

**St. Timothy Anglican Congregation worshipping at Augustana Lutheran
1201 Broadway Avenue South, Saskatoon, SK S7H 2A4
Phone: 343-1332 e-mail: saint.timothy@sasktel.net**

St. Mark's Anglican Church , Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

will be celebrating it's100th Anniversary

September 3 and 4, 2011

Former parishioners, clergy, and friends are invited to join us as we share stories, food and worship and view displays of pictures & memorabilia.

If you are able to join the festivities, please **RSVP by August 12, 2011** to:

E-mail -- stmarks@sasktel.net OR Telephone -- (306) 653-4140

Please provide your name(s), e-mail address and/or telephone number as part of your RSVP.

Executive Committee, Deanery Meetings and Diocesan Council Meeting Dates

Executive Committee – Tuesday, August 9, 2011 – 1:30 pm

Diocesan Council – Saturday, September 24, 2011

Deanery Meetings will be held between August 9 and September 10, 2011

Back Church

25th September 2011



NATIONAL BACK TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Back to Church Sunday is the single largest church invitational initiative in the world.

Invite your friend(s) letting them know that your church is having a special service that they will enjoy on September 25, 2011

For more information and resources, please visit: www.backtochurch.co.uk, or contact the Diocesan Office by phone at 244-5651 or by e-mail: anglicansynod@sasktel.net

External Mission Project

The 2012 Baja Mission

How would you like to help build a house for a poor family in 10 days? How would you like to experience something of the third-world with new friends? How would you like to gain a wider and deeper vision of the family of the church? How would you like to make a profound difference in the lives of children, teens, adults and a whole community for generations to come? Did we mention that this is a wonderful opportunity to put your faith into action?

Then, you and your parish want to consider sponsoring yourself or one or more of your members of your congregation on our Diocesan mission in early June, 2012. For more information go to our diocesan website. Or book a date for someone to come to your parish or congregation to make a presentation. Contact: Rev. Ken Watts: (306)-343-1332/ <st.timothy.rector@sasktel.net>.or Bishop David: (306) 244-5651/ <bishopdavid@sasktel.net>.

Dear Colleagues,

Would you please read the reports from the Diocesan Mission/Outreach Committee and the Diocesan Gathering Committee which have been placed on the web site and ensure that the information is communicated with the members of your parish or congregation. +David

Summer Course Offering at Emmanuel and St. Chad

BE 334/434 Agrarianism and the Bible

Dates: August 15- 19

Time: 9:00 am – 12 noon, 1:00 – 4:00 pm 3 credit course - \$650 audit - \$325

Instructor: Dr. Matthew Thiessen

Agrarianism stresses the need for us to structure our lives in order that we might live in healthful relationship with everything around us: humans, animals, plants, and the land. The purpose of this course will be to read biblical passages in light of the recent agrarian thinking of writers such as Wendell Berry, Wes Jackson, and Norman Wirzba. How does the Bible portray humanity? In relationship to the earth and other living creatures? Can we find resources within scripture to help us live more peaceably and justly with all aspects of our world? The course will focus closely on questions such as these within a specifically prairie context.

For more info contact:
Colleen Walker, Registrar
306-975-1558
colleen.walker@usask.ca

Interested in writing?

St. Peter's College in Muenster is offering summer writing workshops focus on novels, poetry, short stories & creative nonfiction.
Space is limited. Reserve your seat today! For course information, fees & bookings contact:
(306) 682-7888 or spc@stpeters.sk.ca or www.stpeterscollege.ca

Good Food Junction

Below is a link to a video produced for the Good Food Junction Advent campaign.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N7QYpmzVOU>

CRCN – CiRCLe M Newsletter #11 - June 2011

Canadian Rural Church Network/Centre for Rural Community Leadership and Ministry

Link to E-Newsletter (169 KB): <http://www.circle-m.ca/newsletter>

Congratulations to **Pat Blakley** a member of St. Tim's on winning the YWCA Women of Distinction Award on May 26, 2011 in the **Health and Wellness** category. Well done, Pat!

The Prairie Centre for Ecumenism Presents



A SUMMER ECUMENICAL INSTITUTE

July 6-9th, 2011

at

Lutheran Theological Seminary
114 Seminary Crescent, Saskatoon SK

“ACTING TOGETHER: FROM DIALOGUE TO COMMON MISSION”

with workshops and a public event sponsored by the Commission on Faith & Witness
of the Canadian Council of Churches



**THE MOST REV.
MICHAEL PUTNEY**
President of Australian Council
of Churches and co-chair of the
Methodist-Roman Catholic
intergenerational dialogues

**REV. CANON ALYSON
BARNETT-COWAN**
Director for Unity, Faith
& Order for the Anglican
Communion Office,
London, England



WORSHIP LEADER

Bruce Harding, gifted United Church hymnologist and musician

REGISTRATION COST:

Early bird up to May 1: \$240
After May 2: \$265
Registration form available on our
website.

ACCOMMODATION:

Limited single rooms available at the
Seminary – must be booked through
the Canadian Light Source ([www.
lightsource.ca](http://www.lightsource.ca))

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Earthcare Connections Intentions — June 2011

June 5 — Ascension of the Lord

1. May Christ's promise to be with us to the end of time inspire us to care for the Earth in all ways we can. **We pray to the Lord.**
2. For our leaders, both civic and religious; may they recognize the need and respond with a greater awareness to the ongoing degradation of our planet. **We pray to the Lord.**

June 12 — Pentecost Sunday

1. May the Holy Spirit empower us with courageous words and actions to protect and heal the Earth and its inhabitants. **We pray to the Lord.**
2. May the Spirit of God blow over our wounded Earth, bringing about healing and renewal. **We pray to the Lord.**

June 19 — Trinity Sunday

1. The mystery of the Trinity is love; may that love impel us to care generously for one another and for our planet Earth. **We pray to the Lord.**
2. Let us honour the mystery of life as it blossoms in our care for the Earth and for one another. **We pray to the Lord.**

June 26 — Body and Blood of Christ

1. Jesus is the food and drink of our lives; let us protect the quality of our earthly food and water and not compromise it for profit. **We pray to the Lord.**
2. May all we do in our yards and fields and gardens benefit both the earth and all who live on it. **We pray to the Lord.**

Earthcare Connections Inc.
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