

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Fifth Sunday of Lent – Mar. 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026

1. As you heard, today is Solidarity Sunday, which is Development and Peace – Caritas Canada’s annual fundraising Share Lent Campaign. The brown envelopes you see in the pews and in the entrance can be used for your donations, if you do not already have a yellow one that came in the mail. If you write a cheque to Notre Dame Church, we will receipt you when we give our annual receipts, in February. If you make your cheque to Development and Peace, it will be sent directly to them, and they will send you a receipt.
2. Included in your bulletin today is a pamphlet created through the Catholic Health Association of Saskatchewan and approved by the Bishops of Saskatchewan. The hope of CHAS is to assist Catholic faithful when encountering difficult conversations about death and dying by preparing them to accompany family, friends, and neighbours by recognizing, listening, and supporting them during their end-of-life journey.
3. Please join us for the Stations of the Cross at 7:00 pm, Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup>. The prayers will be led by Development and Peace.
4. Friday, March 27<sup>th</sup> is also the date of the Tri-Parish Youth Night, held at St. Joseph Parish this month from 7-9 pm. All youth are welcome.
5. A date has been announced so that you can plan ahead for youth aged 12 and up to attend the PA Diocese Youth Rally entitled “Love is a Verb”. This event is happening at Ecole St. Mary High School in Prince Albert on Saturday, April 25, from 9:30 am to 7:00 pm. Earlybird registration fees are \$25, if paid before April 10.
6. The Battlefords Right to Life Banquet will be held on Sunday, April 26, at St. Joseph Calasactius Parish Hall at 6:00 pm. The guest speaker is Father Stefano Penna. Tickets are \$35.00 each, and can be purchased by contacting the people on the poster. Notre Dame CWL members who would like to attend, may submit their name to Rose Balfour before April 15, to have a chance to win a draw for one of two tickets for the event, on behalf of CWL.
7. Now, please follow along in your bulletin, or on the screen, as we pray together the Prayer for a New Bishop.

### **For Sunday at 11:00 am Mass only:**

Everyone is welcome downstairs after Mass for refreshments. This is a good way to meet people, renew acquaintances and enjoy a coffee or tea together. Please join us.