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This is the first undertaking of this nature by the Archdiocese of Regina. It is subject to change, to updates and to improvements regarding its meaningful application in our parishes. Our intent is to make it as user friendly as possible.

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