



# Archdiocese of Regina Bulletin

September 10, 2023

23rd Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

## ARCH REGINA CONGRESS DETAILS

See Page 2 for full breakout session details and information and how to register!

## Go Make Disciples

An investment in your faith and leadership: the Archdiocese of Regina's Lay Formation Program! Our program features solid teaching on theology, ethics, and social justice, as well as opportunities to develop leadership skills for parish and community service. We are currently accepting applications for our fall intake. For more information on how to register, contact Deacon Eric Gurash at 306-352-1651 ext 6724 or email him at [egurash@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:egurash@archregina.sk.ca)

## LESSON TWENTY-EIGHT

Why did God become Man?

**Watch Videos:** [archregina.sk.ca/group/catechetical-support-parishes/](http://archregina.sk.ca/group/catechetical-support-parishes/)

**Catechism Text:** CCC nos. 457 & 460 (nos. 465-468, heresies that resulted in the doctrine of the Incarnation)

**Sacred Scripture:** Philippians 2.5-8, Hebrews 10.5-7, 1 John 4.2, 1 Timothy 3.16

Saint Athanasius of Alexandria: Christ was made man that we might be made God

**FAQ:** Can the Catechism be effectively used by "the faithful"? People search for a positive, coherent and contemporary statement of what the Church believes and teaches. The Catechism provides such a statement. Reading the Catechism is encouraged. Some prefer private study, but guided and organized discussion groups or study circles provide the most benefit. Faith can be deepened by growing in the knowledge of the faith; therefore, the Catechism can be used by the faithful as an instrument for the holistic maturation of their faith.

## Hold the date: Oct. 1, "Together - Gathering of the People of God"

An ecumenical prayer service will be held in Regina in spiritual communion with Christians around the world and with the Together 2023 ecumenical prayer vigil in Rome in the presence of Pope Francis and representatives of different Churches, to unite us in praise and silence, in listening to the Word.

### Sunday, October 1, 2023

3 PM at Blessed Sacrament Parish, 2049 Scarth Street, Regina. Further details will be announced in September. Contact Nicholas Jesson, [njesson@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:njesson@archregina.sk.ca) Information about the prayer vigil in Rome is available at <https://together2023.net>

## Camp Monahan Harvest Dinner

Camp Monahan would like to invite you to join us in celebrating the successful completion of our 78th season of camping at our Harvest Dinner. Come out to camp to take in the beautiful fall colours and enjoy a delicious turkey dinner, September 16th at 5:00 PM. All proceeds from the evening go to support our ongoing renovations to the dining hall. To purchase tickets or make a donation visit us at [campmonahan.ca](http://campmonahan.ca) or by contacting our office 306-522-1047 or [campmonahan@sasktel.net](mailto:campmonahan@sasktel.net).

## Catholic Health Association of Saskatchewan (CHAS) 80th Convention

Save the date!! Thursday, Oct. 26 to Friday, Oct. 27. Title: Holistic Care: Healing Through Stories, Spirit and Song. See [chassk.ca/](http://chassk.ca/) for details, schedule and registration.

We are mobilizing with local partners to help defend their right to clean drinking water! Join us for a conversation with Elvin Hernández, human rights investigator for ERIC-Radio Progreso, and Juana Zúniga, defender of Guapinol and member of the Committee for the Defence of the Common and Public Goods of Tocoa, Colón. Register at [us02web.zoom.us/join/register/tZMrdOqupjwrHteJ4VKrNOi6Li6WGcmcsZ73#/registration](https://us02web.zoom.us/join/register/tZMrdOqupjwrHteJ4VKrNOi6Li6WGcmcsZ73#/registration)

## Stewardship Bulletin Bit

*"You, son of man, I have appointed watchman for the house of Israel..."-Ezekiel 33:7*

Many of us are generous with our gifts. However, many of us are not generous in proportion to the gifts we have been given. How often do we give at the minimum level required? Remember, the Lord calls us to nurture and develop our gifts and to give back with increase. He calls us to be generous with all the gifts, especially the one that means the most to us.

*The Archdiocese of Regina is located on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional lands of the Nêhiyawak, Nahkawé, and Nakota, and homeland of the Dakota, Lakota, and Métis peoples.*



## ARCH REGINA CONGRESS 2023

### AND ARCHBISHOP'S APPEAL KICKOFF SEPTEMBER 16, 2023

#### ARCH REGINA CONGRESS 2023 and Archbishop's Appeal Kickoff

*"Abundant Trust: Embracing God's Generosity"*

*A gathering for priests, parish staff members, any member of pastoral or finance councils, Archbishop's Appeal volunteers, ministry volunteers, and anyone who is interested in the life of the church.*

**8:30 AM: Mass – Holy Child Parish**

**9:15 AM: Registration – Holy Child Parish**

**10:00 AM – 3:00 PM: Arch Regina Congress – Holy Child Parish**

**Keynote Speaker: (Virtual) Lisa Canning "The Possibility Mom" – [lisacanning.ca](http://lisacanning.ca)**

#### **Breakout Sessions:**

##### **Appeal Training: *Parish Manual and Parish Kit***

The Appeal breakout session will take a look at the contents of the Parish Manual and Parish Kit to help you move through the Archbishop's Appeal with confidence and a clear understanding of its goals.

During our session, we will review items such as donation processing and the purpose of parish lists. We hope to answer your "why" and "how" questions, such as "Why is this important?" and "How can I complete this task well?". Lastly, we will close our time with a Q and A session. If you have any questions or concerns, please come prepared to share!

##### **Youth Ministry: *Young people and Faith: What can I do?***

Join Braden and Michelle from the office of youth and Young adult ministry, along with a panel of young people who will speak to you about their faith; their journey to get there, and about what was instrumental in building their faith. We will also spend some time looking at what individuals and parishes can do to build up the young church.

##### **Ecumenism: *So, I met my neighbour. What next?***

In this short workshop, Nick Jesson will outline Catholic teaching on the work for Christian unity, where we are today, and what you can contribute "so that all may be one" (Jn. 17:21). The workshop will include a discussion of projects underway in our diocese and how your parish can be part of this movement. What is the role of the "parish ecumenical representative"? How do you work with your neighbours? What happens next? How can we help you?

##### **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd: *Religious formation for Children, Integrating the Heart, Mind, and Hand***

CGS is based on the education principles of Maria Montessori. Come and see how scripture and liturgy are proclaimed to the smallest among us and learn more about this hands-on approach to Catechesis.

**To Register:** Email: [mgurash@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:mgurash@archregina.sk.ca) or call 306-352-1651 ext. 6734 by Tuesday, September 12

Hosted at the following Locations:  
Holy Child Parish and St. Theresa School  
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