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October 19, 2025

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time



This year's ArchRegina Congress will be held on **Saturday, November 1, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** at Holy Child Parish, 2636 7th Ave E.

The day will begin with an optional Mass at 8:30 a.m. This gathering is for priests, parish staff members, members of pastoral and finance councils, volunteers, and anyone interested in the life of the church.

Lunch will be provided.

Pre-registration is required to attend, to register:

Email: mgurash@archregina.sk.ca or Call 306-352-1651

Voices of the Land: Indigenous perspectives on Climate Justice- Oct. 23, 2025, 7:00-8:30 p.m. Eastern

Join three internationally respected Indigenous leaders in a transformative webinar on Indigenous Spiritualities, Land Rights, and Climate Justice. This isn't just a discussion; it's a call to action. oikoumene.org/resources/publications/indigenous-spiritualities-land-rights-and-climate-justice

Catholic Engaged Encounter

Getting married? Want a weekend away to focus on your relationship? A weekend will be held at Mother Teresa Centre in Kenosee on October 31 to November 2, 2025. For more info or to register visit ceecanada.ca, or contact Vance and Kim Weber at eereginacc@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"...proclaim the word, be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient..." 2 Timothy 4:2

It is not always convenient to be a good steward, especially when all the temptations of our busy and materialistic world get in the way. Now add our own pride and ego into the equation and living a stewardship lifestyle may be downright uncomfortable! Remember, God didn't call us to be comfortable. He never said that we would have an easy life. Rather, He called us to be faithful!

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

Archbishop's Appeal

In this week's readings, we see the value of persistent prayer, as Moses prays with outstretched hands for victory, and Paul encourages Timothy to remain faithful in preaching the Gospel. Jesus reinforces this call by urging us to "pray always and not to lose heart." The Annual Appeal invites us to persist in faithful support, trusting that our ongoing generosity sustains our parish's mission. Through steadfast giving, we join in the work of God's kingdom here and now.



With Canada Post moving to rotating strikes, we can expect the 2025 Archbishop's Appeal packages to begin arriving in mailboxes very soon! In the meantime, donations can be made online at archregina.sk.ca/givenow or through your parish office. Thank you for your continued generosity and support!

Thinking Faith S03 E07: Sebastian Gomes on Pope Francis' Vision for a Synodal Church

In anticipation of his keynote address at the Catholic Health Association of Saskatchewan (CHAS) Convention in Regina on Thursday, October 23, Sebastian Gomes, Executive Editor of Audio and Video at America Magazine and former producer at Salt + Light Media, joins Deacon Eric Gurash on the Thinking Faith Catholic Podcast. Drawing on more than a decade of experience reporting on the Catholic Church, Sebastian reflects on Pope Francis' vision for a synodal Church, the roots of synodality in Vatican II, and what this means for parishes and Catholic health care ministries here in Saskatchewan.

Find out more about Mr. Gomes' two public speaking engagements in Saskatchewan at the following links: chassk.ca/

<u>archregina.sk.ca/event/implementing-the-synod-on-synodality-reflections-and-challenges-with-sebastian-gomes/</u>

archregina.sk.ca/event/a-place-for-everyone-how-pope-francis-ignited-the-churchs-mission-to-serve-people-over-ideas/

youtube.com/watch?v=HrDBHrUbTUk&t=9s

Implementing the Synod on Synodality: Reflections and Challenges

Join Sebastian Gomes from America Magazine on October 22nd at Holy Family Parish at 7:00 pm. Sebastian will be sharing his experience of covering the Vatican Synod gatherings in 2023 and 2024, the challenges to implementation, and the still open questions facing the church.