



POT-POURRI SNJM

November 30th, 2016

WELCOME:

A warm welcome to **Kankou Diallo, our new care manager** who started working on November 21, 2016! She is quickly learning all the responsibilities of her position thanks to the mentoring of Suzanne and Isabelle. Remember, Sisters living outside Despins, that you can always consult our nurse at Despins. Very special thanks to Suzanne and Isabelle who offered expert care to our sisters during the two month vacancy in our nurse's office.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR OUR WINTER DAY:

Sisters and Associates, you are invited to a day on integral ecology and the process for a corporate stand on immigrants and refugees on January 21st, 2017 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. with lunch at 12:15 PM.

INVITATION FROM SISTER ALICE:

Sr. Alice Konefall and her "fellow residents" at West End Commons invite you to join them for the launch of "Eyes of My Community", a photography project in collaboration with artist Gabriela Ines Aguero. The event will take place on Saturday, December 3rd, 2016 from 11 AM to 1 PM at the Millennium Library, 251 Donald St. in the Blankstein Gallery (2nd floor). For a preview, click on: <http://winnipegarts.ca/wac/news-article/eyes-of-my-community>.

AROUND THE ACADEMY:

Mass for the feast of the Immaculate Conception, December 7th, 2016 at 8:35 AM. All are welcome!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

- **Anti-trafficking Prayer Vigil:** Next Sunday December 4th, 2016, please join in the Anti-Trafficking Prayer Vigil, from 1:30 to 2 PM at the Despins Residence chapel or wherever you are.
- **Sister Marjorie Gallagher, s.c.** well-known Canadian Canon Lawyer who died in Ottawa on Friday, November 25th, 2016.
- **Jana Duriacova**, who has requested our prayers.
- **Anne Bailey**, mother of SMA Alumna Sara Craven ('08), diagnosed with stage 4 cancer metastasized to her liver and pancreas.

DIOCESAN PATRONAL CELEBRATION, DECEMBER 8, 2016: Closure of the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy in the **Archdiocese of Saint Boniface**. A bilingual Eucharistic celebration will be held on **Thursday, December 8, 2016, at 7:30 PM at the Saint Boniface Cathedral**. Coffee will be served after mass in the entrance of the Church.

PRIEST FOR THE ERITREAN COMMUNITY:

The Archbishop of Winnipeg is pleased to announce the arrival of Reverend Kaleab Eman Abdellia from the diocese of Keren, Eritrea. Fr. Kaleab is appointed to the Geez-Rite Eritrean Community that meets at the Holy Names House of Peace.

MARANATHA, COME LORD JESUS

HAVE A BLESSED ADVENT SEASON!