

March 29, 2017

SNJM EVENTS:

Marian Awards Brunch May 13, 2017 to honor the class of 1965: 5 tickets are available. Brunch is being served at the Gates on Roblin, 6945 Roblin Blvd. at 10:30 AM. Doors open at 10 AM. Please contact Joane at snjmmb@mymts.net or call (204) 475-7673 if you would like to attend.

Corporate Stand on Immigrants and Refugees: Have you read the materials given out in January? The vote by the Sisters will be taken on April 22 at 10:30 a.m. on the 4th floor at Despins.

The SNJM Associates invite you to the library at St. Mary's Academy on Wednesday, April 12th at 7:00 PM, to listen to speaker and author Anne Mahon ("The Lucky Ones"). She will share her experiences with refugees and how they have influenced her life. Please reply to Gina Hoe at: susan_gina@hotmail.com or 204-896-1528.

Around the Academy...SMA community is hosting the 30th Annual Public Way of the Cross on Good Friday morning at 9:30 AM (Poster attached). Sisters and Associates who would like to read or carry the cross, or be involved with hospitality, parking or guides along the route please email mgarlinski@smamb.ca by March 30th.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

For people in need:

- Anti-trafficking Prayer Vigil: Next Sunday April 2nd, 2017, please join in the Anti-Trafficking Prayer Vigil, from 1:30 to 2 PM at the Despins Residence chapel or wherever you are.
- All Bishops of Western and Northern Canada are in Rome from March 27th to April 2nd for their "ad limina" visit. "Please do not forget to pray for the spiritual success of our visit." (Bishop LeGatt)

For those who have died and those who mourn their loss:

- **Sr. Gilberte Dargis** (in religion **Sister M.-Rose-Aldéa**) SNJM-PQ, who died on March 20th, 2017 at the age of 88 years and 68 years of religious profession.
- **Sr Rose-Alba Langevin** (in religion **Sister Marie-Lariana**) SNJM-PQ, who died on March 22nd, 2017 at the age of 97 years and 73 years of religious profession.
- **Angèle Blais** (in religion **Sister Marie-Hormidas**) SNJM-PQ, who died on March 27th 2017 at the age of 95 years and 70 years of religious profession.

IN SOLIDARITY WITH OTHERS:

A Christian and Muslim series of educational events to build understanding and interfaith relations in today's society will be held April 18th, 25th, May 2nd and 9th (all at 7:00 p.m.) at various locations. Each session will present both a Christian and Muslim perspective. Please see attachment for details.

We have purchased 2 tickets to the **Villa Rosa Annual Celebration of Motherhood Dinner** Thursday, May 11th at 6 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Winnipeg Airport. If you are willing to attend with Susan, please contact her.