



# POT-POURRI SNJM

February 28, 2018

## SNJM EVENTS:

**Continue to pray for our refugee family:** Thank you for signing letters to your MP on behalf of the Roni family in Egypt. The committee received notification that the family has been scheduled to travel to Canada between the **21<sup>st</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> of April**. They are thrilled and relieved because many refugees in their neighbourhood were being deported to their countries of origin. Thank you for your prayers and your letter writing and continue to pray. We may be asking for your help when the family arrives. In Jesus and Mary, the refugee committee.

MANY THANKS TO OUR REFUGEE COMMITTEE.

**From Associate Diane McGowan:** My sincere thanks to the Sisters and Associates for your kind prayers on the death of my mother, Odile Wilcott.

**From the Academy:** Throughout Lent, the Morning Prayer of the Church will be prayed every Wednesday at 8:00 a.m. There will be a simple Friday Mass on March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 9:30 am and March 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> at 1:05 pm in the Holy Names Chapel. All are welcome!

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

### **The sick and those who are in need:**

- **Anti-Trafficking Prayer Vigil:** Will be on March 4<sup>th</sup> 2018. Please join in the Anti-Trafficking Vigil, from 2 PM to 2:30 PM at the Despins Residence chapel or wherever you are.

### **Those who have died and those who mourn their loss:**

- **Sr. Rita St-Onge** (in religion **Sister M.-Louis-Émile**) who died at Maison Jésus-Marie on February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 at the age of 98 years and 77 years of religious profession.
- **Sr. Louise Rolland** (in religion **Sister M.-Madeleine-Yvonne**) who died at Maison Jésus-Marie on February 23<sup>rd</sup> at the age of 93 years and 72 years of religious profession.

## IN SOLIDARITY WITH OTHERS:

**Share Lent:** "The fundamental teachings of Jesus call us to reject violence. He offers wisdom on how to peacefully confront violence so we can enter into authentic dialogue and begin the difficult path towards reconciliation. See Mt. 5:44, 6: 15, 5:39" (from Share Lent materials).

**Day of Prayer on March 4<sup>th</sup> 2018** for the victims/survivors of sexual abuse will be held on the third Sunday of Lent. To read more about it, please click on the following link: [Day of Prayer - March 4, Word format](#) or [Day of Prayer - March 4, PDF format](#).

Free screening of the Documentary by Joy Smith, **Human Trafficking: Canada's Secret Shame**, at the University of Winnipeg (Bulman Centre) **March 8<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm**. Joy Smith will be there and a brief Q&A period will follow the viewing.