

# **POT-POURRI SNJM**

March 28, 2018

## **SNJM EVENTS:**

**Our SNJM congregation is 175 years old!** Thank you to the committee that will prepare our community celebrations: Sister Michelle Garlinski, Sœur Huguette Fleurant and Associate Noëlle Bowles.

**Our refugee family** is finally scheduled to arrive on April 5<sup>th</sup>, Roney Tardeen, his spouse, Joslia Silla Hamden, and their 3 children, aged 12, 9 and 2. They are from South Sudan and have been living in a refugee camp in Egypt for too many years! Please keep them in your prayers! Thank you to our Refugee Committee for their tireless efforts to bring them to their new home!

**Reminder:** Dinner and Movie Night - All Sisters and Associates are invited to the Associates Dinner and a Movie Night, to be held on April 11<sup>th</sup>. Dinner will begin at 5:00 PM and the movie ("Lion") at 6:15 PM. Enter at Wellington Crescent doors to the Old Auditorium. Please RSVP to Jean Van Wallenghem: <a href="mailto:jdvanwal@mymts.net">jdvanwal@mymts.net</a> or call 204-284-4447 by Sunday, April 8<sup>th</sup> and state if you are attending both dinner and movie or movie only. (\$10.00 for dinner; no cost for movie)

**Sisters and Associates**: Have you reserved August 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> for a few daytime hours (around 10:00 am to 2:30 pm) to deepen your relationship and collaboration with each other? More details will follow. Note that the August 17<sup>th</sup> meeting has been cancelled.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

## The sick and those who are in need:

- Pauline Deschambault, sister of Sr. Corinne Chartier, who will have a 2<sup>nd</sup> operation on April 3<sup>rd</sup> 2018 for an aneurism.
- Anti-Trafficking Prayer Vigil: Will be on April 1, 2018. Please join in the Anti-Trafficking Vigil, from 2:00 to 2:30 pm at the Despins Residence chapel or wherever you are.

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

• **Mr. Fred Cooney,** brother of Sister Lorna Cooney who died peacefully on Thursday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018, in Bathurst, New Brunswick, at the age of 71.

## **IN SOLIDARITY WITH OTHERS:**

**Share Lent:** "This Lent ... let us nurture the tree of peace in our own lives and in those of our children and our communities. Let us also support the tree of peace in the lives of those struggling for justice around the world. This is the authentic peace that Christ calls us to build." (Dev. & Peace Resources)

**Gabrielle Roy Exhibition:** The staff and volunteers of the Maison Gabrielle-Roy invite you to the Varnishing of Gabrielle Roy Exhibit which has been translated in 18 languages: Thursday April 5<sup>th</sup> 2018 at 6 pm at the Maison Gabrielle-Roy.

NO POT-POURRI ON APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup>. The next Pot-Pourri will be sent on April 11, 2018.

HAPPY EASTER!

MAY THE RISEN CHRIST ACCOMPANY YOU AND GIVE YOU HIS LIFE!