

**CALLED TO PROTECT WORKSHOP will be held at St. Vital's  
on Tuesday, Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 p.m. in the church basement**

**November 2nd, 2013 is our Bazaar day;** *everyone is encouraged to participate in one way or another.* There is no work bee scheduled for this week which will give you time to check out your cookbooks and favorite recipes as there will also be a BAKE SALE as part of the SNOWFLAKE BAZAAR.

We would accept donations of items suitable for Gift Baskets. We plan to assemble gifts baskets of various themes so your donation could fit in to any of these.

Contact Carmen @ 780-929-8320 if you require additional information OR would like to learn more about our work bees, etc..... Items you wish to donate to our Snowflake Bazaar will be accepted at any time, simply give us a call to arrange a time.

**Rosary Bracelet Making Workshops:**

***Friday, Oct. 18 @7:30pm, Sunday Oct. 20 @1:30pm and Wed., Oct. 23 @7:30pm.***

Open to all persons ages 10 and up interested in making rosary and sacrifice bracelets for themselves, as gifts or as donations to the Snowflake Bazaar. A rosary bracelet is a uniquely designed one-decade rosary consisting of 10 Hail Mary beads, one Our Father bead, a miniature Crucifix and a medal. A sacrifice bracelet (inspired by St. Therese of Little Flower) is similar to the Rosary bracelet but the Hail Mary beads can be slid along the bracelet cord to mark your place or the number of good deeds you have done in a day. We are asking \$10 per bracelet to cover the costs of the materials used. Each rosary bracelet comes with a gift box. Please call Miriam Handfield at (780)436-4601 if you are interested in joining us at her house for a workshop.

**PANCAKE BREAKFAST – Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> (next weekend) after the 9 & 11 a.m. Masses**

**Calling all mothers!** Are you seeking balance in your lives? Do you long for more meaningful moments, more joy-filled days? The **Familia program** offers wives and mothers a way to live, love and flourish! The Evening group is holding an info night, Tuesday, October 8, 7:30 p.m. at 4405 - 43 Ave. Contact Katherine Banic at 780-929-2383. The Morning group meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m. Contact Maryann Testa at 780-929-6530 or [shaw850@shaw.ca](mailto:shaw850@shaw.ca).

**BEAUMONT COLUMBUS ALBERTA ASSOCIATION GENERAL MEETING**

Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> @ 8:00 p.m. in the church basement.

**40 Days For Life**

You can make a difference! It's as easy as signing up to pray for an end to abortion during the 40 Days for Life campaign, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> to Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> which takes place in 306 cities around the world. Join us on Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup> from 7am to 7pm at the Back Porch (across from the Morgentaler (abortion) Clinic) to peacefully pray for the innocent babies and their mothers. There is a signup sheet at the back of the church, or call Teresa Ruzycki 780-929-8962 to pick your hour time slot, or go to [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com) During this campaign, 135 babies have been SAVED already!! An example of God working through prayer; Paul (a participant) watched as a mom and dad arrived at the abortion center with their teenage daughter, they walked passed Paul who was holding a sign of a baby, when they came out of the clinic, the dad said this to Paul, "We decided not to do it. I saw the sign and it made me change my mind."

**SIGN OF HOPE:** The Special Collection for Catholic Social Services' annual *Sign of Hope* Campaign will be taken on the weekend of October 26/27. Thousands of people served by CSS—street youth, the homeless, the mentally ill, the addict, abused children and seniors and family members victimized by violence—are depending on your generosity.

**SAINT-ANDRÉ Playground Project Family Photo Night Fundraiser**

**October 21 and 22 4-8 pm**

Book your 15 minute portrait session for family photos! 100% of the \$30.00 sitting fee goes to the SAINT-ANDRÉ Playground Project and you get a complimentary 8x10 portrait! Go to [www.mountainwest.ca](http://www.mountainwest.ca) and choose "Book a grad session", then choose Saint Andre Academy and choose a time that works for you on October 21 and 22. Photos will take place at the school.

Questions? Please contact Jennifer Nordhagen 780-980-5241 Thanks for your support!

**October 25-26 "Living the Faith" Catholic Charismatic Conference, Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 200 Boundary Rd., Spruce Grove.**

Guest Speakers: Jim Murphy and John Connelly. Music by Day Spring, C.C.R. Lunch and Mass w/f Healing Service on Saturday. For information and registration phone

587-989-0483, on line [renewal@ccredmonton.info](mailto:renewal@ccredmonton.info). Doors open 6:00 PM Friday.

Early bird \$40.00 p/p, after Oct. 15- \$50.00 p/p.



