

## **PENITENTIAL SERVICE – Tuesday, April 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 p.m.**

### **Catholicism Series (Word on Fire)**

Come join us for **The Catholicism Series** (Word on Fire), with creator and host Fr. Robert Barron. This week's session is titled: **“The Fire of His Love: Prayer and the Life of The Spirit ”** Come view a documentary style video and participate in an engaging conversation

**This Wednesday (April 3rd) 7:30PM- 9:30 PM in the small room of the church basement.**

All are welcome! No cost.

### **CHOREST ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT FORMATION MEETING:**

If you live within the following areas (Twp RD 50, Range 23, West of 4<sup>th</sup> Meridian: Sections 7 to 10 inclusive; Sections 15-22 inclusive; Sections 28, 29, and 32; West halves of Sections 11, 14, 23, and 33; South half and Northwest quarter of Section 27; South half and Northeast quarter of Section 30; East half of Section 31) and are Catholic, we need your vote to ensure that families living in this boundary area can obtain transportation if they choose to send their children to Academie St Andre Academy. Every Catholic, regardless of whether you have children, count and we need to have everyone attend and vote to make this happen. If you have any questions, please contact Amanda Villetard, STAR Catholic Schools, 780-986-2500.

Please make it a high priority to attend the vote meeting:

**Date:** Monday, April 14, 2014

**Time:** 7:00 p.m.

**Location:** Eagle Rock Golf Course

### **40 Days For Life Closing Prayer Rally**

To mark the final day of the Edmonton 40 Days for Life Spring, you are invited to join us for our closing rally and diaper drop-off on **Sunday, April 13**, at 1 p.m. at the abortion clinic at 109A Avenue and 124<sup>th</sup> Street, Edmonton. We are collecting disposable diapers, size 2 and up, to distribute to pregnancy resource centres in Edmonton. Thank you for a very successful 40 Days For Life!

### **9TH ANNUAL FAITH, FITNESS & FUN 5K RUN/WALK & 10K RUN**

The 9th Annual Faith, Fitness & Fun 5K Run/Walk & 10K Run will be taking place at **Rundle Park** on Saturday, **May 24**. Building on our strong history we continue to seek opportunities to make this family event even more successful in terms of raising funds to assist St. Joseph Seminary and Newman Theological College in their leading role of theological education and priestly formation.

We invite you, your families and your friends to register as individuals or a team in either the 5K Run, 5K Walk or 10K Run. Registration includes t-shirt, hospitality, fun and the chance to win prizes! You can also sponsor a walker/runner or donate to this event if you're not able to participate. Sponsorship opportunities are available.

Joan Harrison - 780.469.1010, ext. 2260 or events@caedm.ca [www.caedm.ca/funrun](http://www.caedm.ca/funrun)

### **Lenten Gathering for Young Adults**

Come and join Archbishop Richard Smith for a day of reflection and prayer at St. Joseph's Basilica on **Saturday, April 12**. The day begins at 2 p.m. with reflections, questions and table discussions, and includes Palm Sunday Mass, dinner, and **Adoremus** to 9:00 p.m. Kindly RVSP for dinner to [Mbaca@caedm.ca](mailto:Mbaca@caedm.ca) by **April 7**.

## **Ephphatha Prayer and Retreat Centre**

### **Ephphatha 25th Anniversary**

We are called to celebrate, and you are invited to join us! In honour of the 25th anniversary of Ephphatha Prayer and Retreat Centre, Father Ray Guimond will preside a Mass of Thanksgiving at Ephphatha on **Saturday, April 26**, at 2 p.m . Music ministry will be provided by the St. Charles group. A potluck dinner will follow. (Potluck contributions by last name: A-E Meat; F-J Salads; K-O Vegetables; PZ Finger Foods) Tickets are on sale now; contact Annette Marie (please leave a message) at 780-963-0896 or [amwcanada@gmail.com](mailto:amwcanada@gmail.com) or Bill at 780 -963.0896

## **Providence Renewal Centre Easter Programs**

### **The 'Eastering' Life**

Join Sandy Prather for The 'Eastering' Life from Friday evening to Sunday afternoon, **April 11-13**. "Let [Christ] Easter in us," writes the Jesuit poet Gerard Manley Hopkins. What does that mean? What would it mean to know Easter as more than a liturgical event we celebrate yearly? What if we knew Easter as a verb, something we do? Come explore the rich invitation to let Christ Easter in us!