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#### **PRINCE ALBERT DIOCESAN COUNCIL National Theme:** Care for Our Common Home

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## **Communique #3**

To: Parish Education and Health Chairpersons (for action) Parish Presidents without Education and Health Chairs (for action) Prince Albert Diocesan President (for Information) Prince Albert Diocesan Chairpersons of Standing Committees (for information) Saskatchewan Provincial Education and Health Chairperson (for Information) Provincial Communications Chairperson (for inclusion on website)

# From: Sylvia Jones Prince Albert Diocesan Education and Health Chairperson

Good Morning, Ladies and Reverend Fathers

I have been busy with harvesting my garden produce, since summer is coming to an end and Fall is just around the corner. The colour in fall is so beautiful, with all its red, yellow and gold. The harvest moon the other night was so wonderful to see, sat outside and watched it come up while having a cup of coffee and of course a little Baileys creamer.

I have also been watching for some Fall communiques' from National or Provincial. I did come across one from our National chairperson of Education and Health dated September 11, 2019. Please go onto the cwl website and have at a look at it.

There are a few things happening in September that correspond with our national theme **"CARE for Our Common Home"** 

1. WUCWO has a Poster on EARTH ACTION INITIATIVE, also they suggest and invite Parish councils to participate in this Call to Action by selecting one day in September to organize a clean-up event, if you can't do it as a council, maybe go for a walk and clean up that mile on each side of the street or ditch in your community every little thing helps.

### 2. World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

The season begins on **September 1 and ends October 4,** I have included the prayer by Pope Francis A Christian Prayer in Union with Creation.

As Faith Anderson our National Chairperson of Education and Health said in her communique'

# REMEMBER THERE IS ALWAYS TIME FOR PRAYER

#### Sylvia Jones

Diocesan Chairperson for Education and Health.

#### A Christian Prayer in Union with Creation by Pope Francis

Father, we praise you with all your creatures. They came forth from your all-powerful hand; they are yours, filled with your presence and your tender love. Praise be to you!

Son of God, Jesus, through you all things were made. You were formed in the womb of Mary our Mother and you gazed upon this world with human eyes. Today you are alive in every creature in your risen glory. Praise be to you!

Holy Spirit, by your light you guide this world towards the Father's love and accompany creation as it groans in travail. You also dwell in our hearts and you inspire us to do what is good. Praise be to you!

Triune Lord wondrous community of infinite love, teach us to contemplate you in the beauty of the universe, for all things speak of you. Awaken our praise and thankfulness for every being that you have made. Give us the grace to feel profoundly joined to everything that is.

God of love, show us our place in this world as channels of your love for all the creatures of this earth, for not one of them is forgotten in your sight. Enlighten those who possess power and money that they may avoid the sin of indifference, that they may love the common good, advance the weak, and care for this world in which we live. The poor and the earth are crying out. O Lord, seize us with your power and light, to prepare for a better future, for the coming of your Kingdom of justice, peace, love and beauty. Praise be to you! Amen