

Board Highlights

October 2013

The board has highlighted faith development as one of its priorities. In addition to a one day mandatory workshop for third year teachers, Holy Trinity Catholic School Division will be offering a faith development series for any interested staff. Father Paul Fachet will be leading the sessions, which will consist of a series of short presentations followed by questions. Father Fachet was a professor of theology for 31 years, known for his comprehensive and inclusive approach. He is currently the chaplain at Queen's House Retreat and Renewal Centre in Saskatoon. The Board's goal is to provide a relaxed atmosphere in which to explore our understanding of the scriptures.

LAFOIP is an acronym for Local Authority Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy. It deals with all records and personal information in the possession or control of the board. The Saskatchewan School Boards Association has provided staff workshops dealing with updates to this legislation. It is important that staff know the protocols for safeguarding personal information. Holy Trinity has a privacy officer who ensures that we provide appropriate access to information and that we are in compliance with protocols for collection and storage.

Enrollment numbers are in for the Holy Trinity School Division. There is a slight decrease in the overall enrolment. The number of children attending prekindergarten and kindergarten in Moose Jaw is increasing and continues to be higher than the number of students leaving at graduation. The board will continue to monitor enrollment numbers. For more specific details about each school, contact the division office.