SJC PANEL DISCUSSION:
NEW RESEARCH IN CATHOLIC EDUCATION

St. Joseph’s College is hosting a panel discussion: “New Research in Catholic Education?” on Tuesday 8 February, 7:00-8:30pm

New Research in Catholic Education

Dr. Tim Cusack, Edmonton Catholic School District
Dr. Kirk Linton, Calgary Catholic School District
Dr. Clint Moroziuk, Greater St. Albert Catholic Schools
Dr. Dean Sarnecki, Elk Island Catholic Schools

Panelists will be presenting insights from their recently completed doctoral work. Discussion will be led by moderator Dr. Eugenia Pagnotta-Kowalczyk

Register in advance for this Zoom meeting

Go to: stjosephscollege.ca and look to the right; under SJC News you will see a link for the “February Speaker Series.”

THE SYNOD ON SYNODALITY

The word “synod” literally means “together on the road.” Just like “exodus” means “the road out.” The process is meant to call to mind the experience of the Israelites leaving Egypt, or the companions of Jesus on his way to Jerusalem. The purpose of the journey is not just to arrive at the destination, but to be formed as a people, a community of disciples.

Thus the listening sessions (which are still several weeks away) are not just the opportunity for people to speak their mind; it is also to listen to the experience of others, and to reflect on the experience of being with others as Church. Sound theoretical? It isn’t. No more than walking with Jesus was a theoretical exercise. But it does call us to reflection.

Go to the Archdiocesan website for more information on the synod. The address is caedm.ca/synod

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**COLDEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR**

This winter, I think everyone could use a little warmth, especially our neighbors living on the street! The Coldest Night of the Year is a national walkathon that collects donations for local charities supporting individuals experiencing hunger, hurt, and homelessness. Join team "Freezin' for a Reason" and take a step out into the cold on February 26th to support those who don't have a warm place to call home. All team donations go towards the Bissell Centre which provides critical services in downtown Edmonton. Visit our team page to become a team member or to make a donation. Thanks for helping to keep Edmontonians warm this winter! [cnoy.org](http://cnoy.org)

(This announcement is from the Catholic Students Association, or CSA)

**DELEGATION TO ROME**

The Canadian Catholic Bishops, Assembly of First Nations, Métis National Council, and Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami are pleased to announce that the delegation to Rome to meet with Pope Francis, originally planned for December 2021, is now scheduled to take place at the end of March and early April of this year.

In light of the rapid spread of the Omicron variant, both in Canada and throughout the world, a prudent decision was made in December to postpone the delegation out of concern for the safety of all delegates, recognizing the uncertainty regarding travel and the fluid nature of the situation.

Working closely with the Vatican, new dates have been confirmed. The Holy Father is now scheduled to meet with individual Indigenous delegations the week of **March 28, 2022**. A final audience with all participants will take place on **Friday, April 1, 2022**.

The health and safety of all delegates remain our first priority. In the weeks ahead, we will monitor conditions leading up to the revised travel dates and continue our dialogue with delegates, public health officials as well as the relevant government and international authorities, traveling only when we feel it is safe to do so.

We remain committed to walking toward healing and reconciliation and very much look forward to the opportunity for Indigenous Elders, knowledge keepers, residential school survivors, and youth to meet with Pope Francis.

(from caedm.ca)

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**AT A GLANCE...**

- **Sun, 7:00 pm**: Student mass
- **Tues, 12 noon**: Online rosary before mass.
- **Thurs**: 10 am online Morning prayer.
- Adoration has been postponed.

Everything is in the main chapel unless otherwise noted. Email sjccm@ualberta.ca for information on campus ministry events.

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**BAPTISM**

Contact the SJC Chaplain at least 2 months prior to date of Baptism.

**MARRIAGE**

Contact the SJC Chaplain at least 1 year prior to date of Marriage.

**SACRAMENTS**

For other sacraments, please contact the SJC Chaplain.