



February 19, 2026

Share Lent and Solidarity Sunday – “On Track for Justice”

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Since 1967, through the mission of Development and Peace – Caritas Canada, the Church in Canada has faithfully worked to build a world rooted in justice, compassion, and human dignity. This year, even in the absence of a bishop, the Share Lent campaign continues—as it must—because the needs of our global family do not pause. As your Diocesan Administrator, I reach out to you with both gratitude and hope, asking you once again to help make this year’s campaign a true sign of our solidarity.

The theme for Share Lent 2026, “On Track for Justice,” invites us to reflect on the many people around the world who are pushed to the margins by powerful economic and corporate interests. It challenges us to walk alongside those whose voices are too often silenced, and to ensure that our choices, our prayers, and our generosity help build a more just and peaceful world.

Last year, your support made possible 59 life-giving projects in 34 countries, touching the lives of 7 million people. These are not abstract numbers—they represent families with renewed hope, communities strengthened, and futures reclaimed. This is the good that happens when we choose to stand with those who have less than we do.

Your generosity truly matters, and we continue to rely on it. There are many ways to give: online at <http://devp.org/give>, in your parish March 22, 2026 during the Share Lent collection on the Fifth Sunday of Lent, or by becoming a monthly donor.

Many years ago, I chose to support Development and Peace in this way. Each month, a small contribution is withdrawn from my account—an act of solidarity that continues quietly but consistently. I can say wholeheartedly that this commitment has been a blessing.

If you would like to learn more about the work of Development and Peace – Caritas Canada, I encourage you to visit their website at <https://www.devp.org/en>.

As we journey through Lent, may our fasting open our hearts, our prayer deepen our compassion, and our almsgiving strengthen our unity with our brothers and sisters around the world. Together, let us keep our diocesan family firmly “On Track for Justice.”

With gratitude and prayer,

Msgr. Maurice Fiolleau

Diocesan Administrator of Prince Albert