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2026 Easter Message

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As we enter the joyful season of Easter, I extend heartfelt greetings to all the clergy and faithful of our Diocese of Prince Albert. In a world marked by war, famine, and so many forms of suffering, the Resurrection of Jesus shines as our sure and unfailing hope. He has conquered sin and death, and His victory reminds us that light is always stronger than darkness.

We have just completed our Jubilee Year, "*Pilgrims of Hope*," a time of grace that invited us to walk together in faith. Although the Jubilee has concluded, our mission continues. We remain pilgrims—people on the move—called to witness to Jesus in a world that longs for signs of hope, compassion, and peace. Easter strengthens us for this journey and renews our courage to be joyful disciples.

This year, winter has lingered far longer than any of us would like. Even though the calendar says spring, the snow still tells another story. Yet Easter teaches us to look beyond what we see today and trust in what God is bringing forth. Just as the earth will soon thaw and brighten, so too does Christ bring renewal to our hearts and our communities. Better and milder days are ahead.

During this time of transition in our Diocese, I ask you to continue praying for the appointment of our next Bishop, whom the Holy Father will send to shepherd us. We walk together in faith, trusting that the Holy Spirit is guiding this moment and preparing the one who will lead us forward.

I also want to express my deep gratitude to each of you. Thank you for the generous ways you share your time, your talents, and your treasure. Your dedication strengthens our parishes, supports our ministries, and builds up the life of the Church in countless ways.

May the Risen Lord fill your homes with peace, your hearts with joy, and your lives with renewed hope. Let us continue to walk together as pilgrims of faith, confident that Christ is alive and at work among us.

Wishing you and your loved ones a blessed and joyful Easter,

Monsignor Maurice Fiolleau
Diocesan Administrator of Prince Albert