



Society of
Saint Vincent de Paul
Ontario Regional Council

Living the Gospel message
by serving Christ in the poor
with love, respect, justice and joy.



ONRC NEWSletter AUGUST 2026

**Conference & Council Presidents: Please share with
the Vincentians you support**

SSVP - 180 YEARS OF COMPASSION IN ACTION

**Three events in support of this theme - one recently
completed, two to look forward in anticipation ...**



**Ontario
Vincentians at
the Annual
National
Formation
(ANF) in
Halifax, June
2026**

Details of ANF 2026
presentations [here](#)

**ONRC Board
members at ANF
2026**



**Celebrate at
the ONRC Gala
Sept. 18.**

**Get your
tickets NOW.**

[All details here.](#)



SSVP ONRC Fundraising Gala

**Celebrating 180 Years of
Service in Canada**
Dinner & Dance

****Online Silent Auction Open to EVERYONE****

Place: Oakville Convention Center
2515 Wyecroft Rd, Oakville ON

Date: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2026

Time: DOORS OPEN 6:00 PM - DINNER AT 7:00 PM

Price: \$150 PER PERSON (\$75 Tax Receipt)

Payment: E-Transfer funds@ssvp.on.ca

**** In Message Box Please Provide ****
Name, Contact Phone # & Email address

Questions, Corporate Payment, Seating Preferences &
Dietary Restrictions Contact: wendy@ssvp.on.ca

Silent Auction Online
Beginning Sept. 9th - ending 12:00 midnight Sept. 18th, 2026
LIVE Auctioneer on site at Gala

Hotel Booking Details

- Call hotel directly: Holiday Inn 2525 Wyecroft Rd. 905-847-1000
- Quote group code: SVP
- Book online: **SSVP GROUP**
- IHG Rewards App: Enter group code: SVP

SSVP ONRC : Donations of Door & Silent Auction Prizes
Contact wendy@ssvp.on.ca

**ONRC fall assembly at Peterborough October 16th and
17th**

To: ALL ONTARIO VINCENTIANS



Event: ONRC Fall Assembly

Theme: 180 YEARS OF COMPASSION IN ACTION

Dates: October 16th and 17th, 2026

Hosted by: Peterborough Particular Council

Accommodations at Comfort Inn, Peterborough
(Book by Sept. 16th to get SSVP rate.)

[Event poster with details here](#)

More details (workshops & schedule) to follow in early September.

->FLASHBACK to Our Vincentian family time in Stratford, April 2026

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info<-



Rejuvenation workshop



Showcasing St. Joseph's conference



[Words of wisdom by host conference President Dan Parr](#)

ONRC Officers for 2026-2027

President Guido Kelly

Vice Presidents: Lori Stewart, Wendy Fougere-Yip and Timothy Rostant

Secretary Pat Lenz

and Treasurer Karen Magdangal (see below).



[Karen Magdangal](#) has been appointed by the Board until the AGM in spring 2027. At that time, she may run for election for a two-year term.

Connecting our neighbours in need to our service

Those who could benefit from our service connect with us in a variety of ways. Two of these paths could involve you as the key SSVp contact in your area.

On the ONRC website ssvp.on.ca under **What We Do/Home Visits** and also **Need help?**, both on the Home page, our neighbours in need can enter their postal code to search for the conference serving their area. Or email secretary@ssvp.on.ca for that information.

Some queries about assistance come through the National website.

In both of these cases, it is sometimes difficult to locate a nearby conference. In those cases, the message may be forwarded to the Council President with the hopes that you can make the connection for our neighbour.

Thanks for your assistance in making these connections.



THE LOOP

Keep us in the loop:

* *New conference/Council President?* Share their name & email and

that of the conference/Council with the ONRC Secretary
secretary@ssvp.on.ca.

* *Change in conference status (merge/close)?* please complete and submit [this form](#) to secretary@ssvp.on.ca. We will share the information with National. (Check out further responsibilities re closures [here](#).)

* *When a fellow Vincentian passes* - You are invited to acknowledge their service by [sharing the news](#) on the ONRC website.

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