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## THE DIOCESE OF QU'APPELLE

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Dear sisters and brothers in Christ:

## Diocesan News

I have returned from the UK and will be in quarantine until midnight December 25. Our family thank you for all your prayers, cards, condolences and messages to us. They have been a source of great comfort and support.

Please find below the attached text version of my Advent and Christmas message to the diocese. A video version can be viewed on the diocese of Qu'Appelle website <a href="www.quappelle.anglican.org">www.quappelle.anglican.org</a> or on the 'Living the Mission' Facebook page.

If your parish would like to have Advent and Christmas on-line services included on the Diocesan mail-out, please send the information to Cindy Seiferling, at the Synod Office, <a href="mailto:dio.quappelle@sasktel.net">dio.quappelle@sasktel.net</a>.

The Revd. Zsofi and Mr. Paul Schmiedge are proud to announce the birth of a son, Perrin Stephen. Perrin weighed in at 3500g / 7.7lbs and measured 50.5cm / 19.9" at 10:43 PM on St. Andrew's Day, November 30, 2020. Mom and baby are doing well (Dad is looking good too). We send our hearty congratulations, prayers and God's blessing to them.

<u>Please Note</u>: The Synod Office will be closed December 24 to January 4. Also, outside of these dates, due to Covid-19 protocol, if you need to visit the Synod Office, you are requested to call ahead for an appointment. Please call 306-522-1609 or 306-522-3102

Sadly, I share the news that the Revd. Carol Savaria, (née Hayes) died peacefully and unexpectedly in her sleep on Saturday, Nov. 21, 2020 at the age of 63 at a family friend's home in Edmonton. Reverend Carol Savaria was the Rector at the All Saints' Anglican Church in Melville from July 2000 until July 2001. May Carol now rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen.

(For the full obituary or to leave condolences for the family please go to: www.reddeerfuneralhome.com)

I hope and pray that you will all have a safe and peaceful Christmas.

God bless you all'

Bishop Rob Hardwick