

# One More Soul Canada

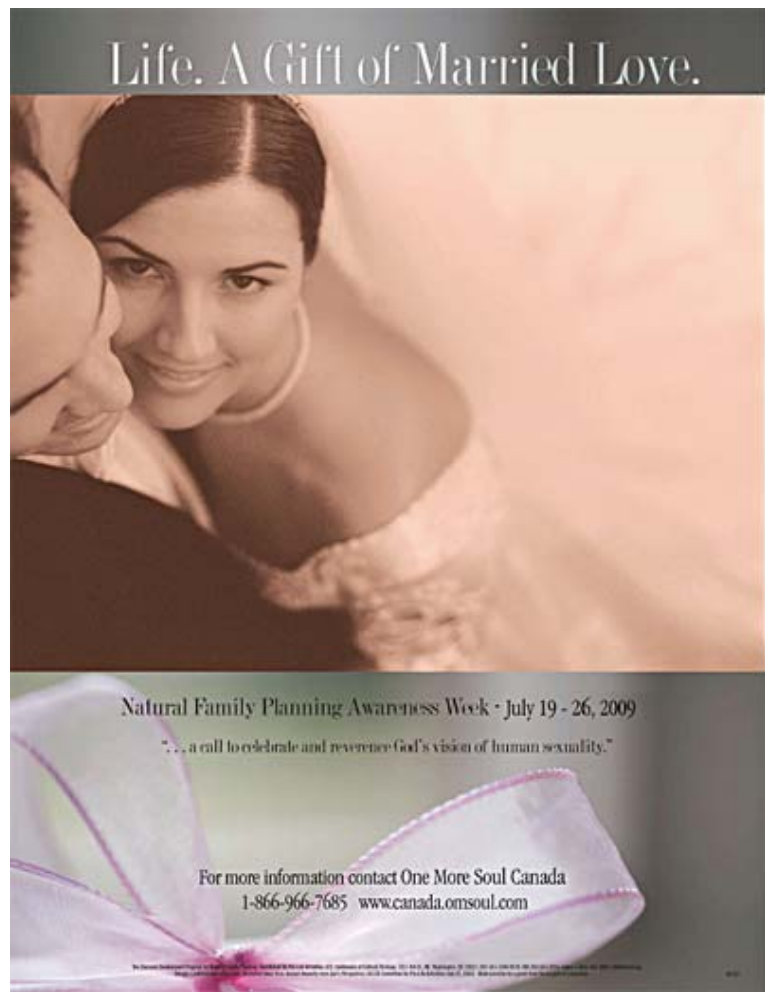
Fostering God's plan in the Church for love, marriage  
and procreation.

I am writing to inform you that July 19-26, 2009 is Natural Family Planning (NFP) Awareness Week. This national education campaign was started by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops and is now being promoted in Canada by One More Soul Canada.

Natural Family Planning Awareness Week is a time when Catholic communities focus attention on Natural Family Planning methods and Church teachings which support their use in marriage. It also highlights the anniversary of the papal encyclical *Humanae Vitae* (July 25) as well as the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne (July 26).

One More Soul provides over 300 resources to aid your diocese in the promotion of Natural Family Planning Awareness Week. Some of these resources originate from Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB), the Catholic Organization for Life and Family (COLF), One More Soul (OMS) Canada, and the World Organization Ovulation Method Billings (WOOMB) Some examples are:

- i. A Natural Family Planning Awareness Week poster printed by OMS Canada.
- ii. The Pastoral Message of the CCCC on the Occasion of the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Encyclical *Humanae Vitae* (September 2008) entitled *Liberating Potential*.



- iii. A pamphlet printed by COLF entitled *Toward a True Sexual Liberation*
- iv. A CD offered by OMS entitled *Contraception: Why Not?* By Professor Janet E. Smith.
- v. A booklet offered by OMS entitled *How Faith Communities can Create an NFP Culture Liberated from Contraception and Open to the Blessings of children* by Jason T. Adams.
- vi. A pamphlet printed by WOOMB entitled *NFP The Billings Ovulation Method* by Dr. John and Lyn Billings.
- vii. Theology of the Body banners. These will be used in the Saskatoon diocese and travel from parish to parish over the next few years.

Theology of the Body brochures which accompany the banners. See all four banners in our catalogue at [omsoul.ca](http://omsoul.ca).

At your request One More Soul Canada can send some of these resources for your review. It is our hope that each parish priest will order and use these resources to promote NFP information in his parish. We are happy to announce that the NFP Awareness Week posters are free because of the grateful support of the Knights of Columbus.

Also during NFP Awareness Week, we are promoting any events in your diocese that will help the faithful to more fully understand this liberating teaching on sexuality.

These will be posted on the website [omsoul.ca](http://omsoul.ca)

On our website you will also find various free resources such as prayer intentions and homily notes.

It is our hope that as the NFP Awareness week continues in the future we will have hundreds of events to post. Please send a description of your events to [info@omsoul.ca](mailto:info@omsoul.ca)

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**A banner was presented to Bishop Bryan Bayda at the recent Theology of the Body conference in Saskatoon.**