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Dear Friends:

We are pleased to invite you to our Celebration and Fundraising Dinner to be held on September 14th, 2019 at Thistle-St. Andrews Curling Club (*49 Dufferin Ave, Saint John*) at 5:30pm.

2019 has seen significant change for L'Arche in Saint John and further abroad. We've been pleased to welcome Zoël Breau as Community Leader, a 40-year veteran of L'Arche with extensive national and international experience. All of us were saddened when our founder Jean Vanier passed away in May. Many of you were able to join us at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception for our ecumenical memorial service. Also, in 2019 we have had established the first endowment fund to support the needs of our local community in perpetuity. Our first fund is established in our board chairs' family name as the Kokocki Family Foundation. This endowment fund resides within the L'Arche Canada Foundation portfolio.

Our September dinner will be an important gathering to hear more about these developments, and to support our fundraising needs.

Please find attached a pdf poster providing further details on our dinner. Tickets can be purchased for \$85 each by visiting Creative Connections at 95 Prince William Street Monday through Friday between 9:30am and 3:30pm, or by emailing Moira Wilson at wilsonmoira4@gmail.com or phoning Wayne Cooper at (506) 636-0615. A tax receipt of \$45 is optionally available with the purchase of your \$85 ticket.

Thank you for your continued support of L'Arche in Saint John.

Zoël and Jim

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