



ST. JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition

Pastor: Jesus Christ



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Sunday Mass 8:30am
573 Todd Mtn. Rd

Assistant Pastor: Father Praveen Jaison Tellis OCD

Mass Schedule: Saturdays 7:00 pm
Sundays 10:30 am
Weekday Masses: Tuesday to Friday 8:00 am

Cancelled

Office hours: 9am - 1pm Tuesday - Friday
Visit: 2826 Bank Road V2B 8E5 or call: 250-579-8711

Email: jvianney@telus.net
Website: stjohnvianneykamloops.ca

Sacrament of Reconciliation: By Appointment

COMMITTEES – MINISTRIES - CONTACTS

If interested in any of the ministries, please contact the person who is listed or call/email the office.

- Discipleship: Lesley Boettger 250-579-8969
- Evangelization: Therese Gobeil 250-579-2240
- Fellowship: Marguerite Leblanc 250-376-9429
- Justice: Lloyd Babcock 250-579-8888
- Worship- Extraordinary Ministers of Communion (EMC): Carey Hackman 250-579-5210
- Service CWL/KofC: Lesley Boettger 250-579-8969 & Bill Pernitsky 250-554-1532
- Choir: Pat Stodola 250-579-9560 senorfroggy@shaw.ca


Eucharistic Minister/Greeter and Gift Bearer/Liturgy (readers): 250-579-8711 or jvianney@telus.net

ASCEND Online - Catholic home school online
FMI/enrol: admin@ascendonline.ca | 1-250-376-5118

HELPLINES

The Compassionate Community (CCC):
1-855-675-8749 is a national service for people who are seeking advice, help & support regarding euthanasia & assisted suicide prevention, &/or end-of-life treatment

St. Vincent De Paul:
250-554-0098 - Feeding, clothing, housing and healing individuals/families in our community who have nowhere else to turn for help.

Retrouvaille - A lifeline for trouble marriages:
 email vancouverbc@retrouvaille.org/
604-530-6710. All inquiries are confidential.

Due to the province-wide restrictions released on Thursday, November 19, **in-person mass times have been suspended until further notice.**

The faithful in the Diocese of Kamloops remain dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. Online Masses are currently available. Please check our website: <https://www.rcdk.org/pages/covid-19-streaming-masses>

St John Vianney is now offering Live streamed masses online. Please join our Facebook group **St John Vianney Parish – Kamloops, BC** to view Sunday mass. The following link can be used to access the group:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/331139351176386/>

After participating in a streamed mass of your choosing, **Holy Communion** is offered on Sundays in the parking lot of the church from 11:15 – 11:45 am. Please stay in your vehicles and follow Covid 19 protocols.

Our parish is **now accepting Interac email transfer donations!** To give using this method, please transfer your gift to givingstjohnvianney@rcdk.org using your bank's Interac transfer via online banking. For more information on this service, you can visit the following link or talk to your bank:
<https://www.interac.ca/en/consumers/products/interac-e-transfer/>

Sunday Collections: January 10 – January 31
St. John Vianney
Envelopes: \$ 5, 050.00 Loose: \$ 0.00
PAD 2, 178.00
(Pre authorized debit) – FMI contact the office
Our Lady of Lourdes
Envelopes: 0.00 Loose: 0.00

Words from our secondary patron, St. John Vianney: "Was Jesus Christ afraid of being laughed at?"
– Sermon on Fasting

SERRA CLUB of KAMLOOPS DIOCESE

- 5PM 1st Wed each month-OLPH
- 7PM 2nd Fri each month- Holy Family
- 7PM 3rd Wed each month - St. John Vianney (Suspended until further notice)
- 8PM 4th Wed each month-Sacred Heart



Benefits of Eucharistic Adoration 4:
All the angels of heaven gaze in ecstasy at the image left on your soul after each holy hour you make in the presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.
("Letters to a Brother Priest")

VOCATION PLACE

The Serra Club of the Kamloops Diocese is part of an International organization promoting and supporting future and existing vocations with the approval of His Excellency Bishop Joseph Nguyen. Serrans are lay Catholics - men and women of all ages and from all walks of life. We, as a club, sponsor programs, dinners, retreats, support altar servers and generally promote and support vocations in any way we can.

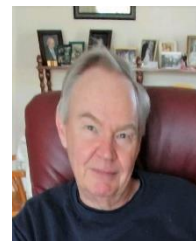
We are always accepting new members with involvement ranging from volunteering, sharing ideas, or simply praying for vocations and our existing Clergy and Religious: all worthwhile endeavors in promoting and fostering vocations. If you would like more information, contact Catherine cmcgovern@serrakamloops.ca.

The Kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed.
-Mt 13:31

A short bio from one of our Priests is featured at the following link:

<https://www.rcdk.org/pages/vocation-place>.
Currently featured is Fr. Ajin George.

For more than 22 years, our Parish has been blessed to call **Peter Neutelings** our Maintenance person. It is with sadness that we announce his retirement; his last day with us is February 28, 2021. Peter has been an integral part of our parish; his commitment and hard work greatly valued. We wish Peter the very best in his retirement and all of his future endeavors.



EMPLOYMENT

Looking for **Employment Opportunities** within the Diocese? Catholic Independent School Kamloops Diocese job postings can be found at www.CISKD.ca under the CAREERS tab: <https://ciskd.ca/current-postings/>

St John Vianney parish is looking for an **experienced Janitorial/Maintenance person**. This position will be a part-time position. Please email **resumes and any related documents to jvianney@telus.net**. Only successful applicants will be contacted for an interview.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish is looking to hire a part time **Music Leader** for their parish. This person will be responsible for the planning, coordination and execution of music within the parish. For a complete job description and/or to apply for this position, please contact Fr. Vijay at 250-376-5541 or email olphkamloops@shaw.ca

GIVING

The **Pregnancy Care Centre** of Kamloops has launched their annual **Lenten Baby Bottle Campaign**. The campaign runs until Easter Sunday. Due to pandemic restrictions, we are inviting you to donate **online or by mail**. Each church has its own parish bottle to fill as a community. You can visit yours here:

<https://www.canadahelps.org/s/BJ5Hv>

To learn more about the campaign and the centre please follow the link below to view the newest video: <https://youtu.be/UlsX1g1XQP8>

Additional donation options are listed below:

E transfer:

donate@mypregnancychoices.ca

Mailing address:

429 Tranquille Rd
Kamloops BC V2B 3G9

St John Vianney Office: Marguerite LeBlanc will take any donations dropped off at the office to the Centre.

The Carmelites of St Joseph's are looking for **donations of used candles** (including votives) to use for wax. Please drop off any donations at the parish during office hours.

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is partnering with the Kamloops Aboriginal Friendship Society to provide **Welcome Baskets** for people moving off the street into motels. Because welfare and disability benefit rates are below the rent for a motel, we are providing them with a basket of the following items: hot plate, cooking pot, bowl for microwaving, plate, bowl, mug, stirring spoon, knife, paring knife, fork, 2 spoons, can opener, dish detergent, Dutch Cleanser, laundry detergent, tea towel, bath towel, hand towel, facecloth, toiletries. If you have any of these items at home and you would like to donate them, please phone **Theresa: 250 314 6779** to arrange a drop-off time at 168 Briar Avenue on Tuesdays.

WORKSHOPS

North Thompson Catholic Parishes Presents: LENTEN JOURNEY 2021

Begins on February 17, 2021 at 7:00pm

February 17th - March 3rd

Every Wednesday at 7pm

The Transforming Power of the Sacrament of Confession

March 10th - March 24th

Every Wednesday at 7pm

The Presence: The Mystery of the Holy Eucharist

On March 31st at 7pm

The Sacred Triduum

for more details please contact: pastor@ntcp.ca or rcia@ntcp.ca



FAITH IN ACTION CAMPAIGN 30

This year's Faith in Action campaign concludes on **July 30, 2021**. Please have your donations in before this date. Any funds raised above our Parish Assessment goes directly to our Parish for repairs and improvements.

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Parish Assessment	\$ 21 589	\$ 2 463
Pledged	19 435	2 640
Pledges	54	9

St. John Vianney parish is still **short of our Parish Assessment** by \$2,154.00. If you have not yet made a donation towards this campaign and are able to, we would be very thankful. Please contact the office if you have any questions or need assistance.

Sunday collection envelopes for the 2021 year are **now available** at the office. Please call the office to arrange a pick-up time or make other arrangements.

If you have any nieces, nephews, grandchildren, or are aware of any **Catholics attending TRU University** (online or in person) in September 2021, please let Fr. Derrick know at office@sacredheartkamloops.org. We are currently trying to build a community of Catholics at the University to support one another.

Day	Reading	Gospel
Monday	Daniel 9.3, 4b-10++ Ps 79.8, 9, 11+13 (R. 102.10a)	Luke 6.36-38
Tuesday	Isaiah 1.10, 16-20, 27-28, 31++ Ps 50.8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23 (R. 23b)	Matthew 23.1-12
Wednesday	Jeremiah 18.18-20 Ps 31.4-5, 13, 14-15 (R. 16b)	Matthew 20.17-28
Thursday	Jeremiah 17.5-10 Ps 1.1-2, 3, 4+6 (R. 40.5a)	Luke 16.19-31
Friday	Genesis 37.3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28 Ps 105.16-17, 18-19, 20-21 (R. 5a)	Matthew 21.33-43, 45-46
Saturday	Micah 7.14-15, 18-20 Ps 103.1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 (R. 8a)	Luke 15.1-3, 11-32

BURSARIES

The Kamloops Pro-life Society is offering a \$1000 **Scholarship opportunity** for grade 12 and post-secondary students. Requirements include an essay, references, and pandemic-appropriate volunteering. Application submission due date is April 1st, 2021. For more information, visit www.voices4life.com, under "Events".

Kamloops Diocesan CWL Bursary A \$500 bursary will be awarded annually to a student within the Kamloops Diocese who will be attending a form of advanced training: University, Regional College, Technical School, University Transfer program or Vocational program. Criteria for selection: First preference to be given to an active member of the Catholic Women's League for at least 2 years; and based on member's involvement in the *parish, church, and community*.

How to apply: Complete a CWL Bursary Application Form, available at secondary school counselling offices (Bursary and Scholarship handbook) or contact Kathy Dahl at kathydahhouse@gmail.com. Form must be signed by the applicant's CWL Parish President. Application must include a letter of reference from the parish priest. All applications must be received by the Kamloops Diocesan Catholic Women's League Education and Health Chairperson by March 31; the recipient will receive the bursary upon proof of registration. For more information, contact Kathy Dahl at 250 318 9698 or at the above listed email.