



ST JOHN VIANNEY

CATHOLIC CHURCH



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Sunday Mass 8:30am
573 Tod Mtn. Rd

A Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition

Pastor: Jesus Christ

Assistant Pastor: Father Praveen Jaison Tellis OCD

Mass Schedule: (online only) Sundays 10:30 am
Weekday Masses: suspended

Office hours: 9am - 1pm Tuesday - Friday
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Phone: **250 579 8711**

Sacrament of Reconciliation: by appointment

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

HELPLINES

St. Vincent De Paul: Feeding, clothing, housing and healing individuals/families in our community who have nowhere else to turn for help. 250 554 0098
Store hours: Friday/Saturday 10am - 3pm
Help office: Tuesdays 1pm - 3pm by appointment
email ssvpkamloops@gmail.com

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

DIOCESAN NEWS

Due to the province-wide Covid 19 restrictions released on Thursday, November 19, 2020, indoor mass times have been **suspended until further notice**.

Under the new variance issued from the government on March 23, 2021, outdoor religious services may be held. Please note: at this time, St John Vianney parish has no upcoming outdoor masses scheduled. Please continue to join us every Sunday online.

The faithful in the Diocese of Kamloops remain dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. Please check our website for available online masses:

<https://www.rcdk.org/pages/covid-19-streaming-masses>

ST JOHN VIANNEY NEWS

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 donation (note any special dates) to givingstjohnvianney@rcdk.org using your bank's Interac transfer via online banking. For more information, please contact your financial institution.

CONFIRMATION NOTICE



Best wishes to our three catechists - **Beth Bradbury, Kenadie Cooper, and Calder MacLeod** - who are being confirmed on Saturday, May 22nd! May God in all his goodness bless this special day with true happiness, and may you always keep the memory of your Confirmation day and let it and your faith be a guide. Congratulations!

Words from our secondary patron, St. John Vianney:
"Do not be like the proud who always want to assert their own opinion... I have known people with whom this had become a daily habit."
- *On Mortifying Self = Will (C.)*

SERRA CLUB

ADORATION - for Vocations Weekly Holy Hour



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
8PM 4th Wed each month - Sacred Heart

Benefits of Eucharistic Adoration 16 "Priesthood Sunday"

The love of God and neighbor, the greatest commandment, is expressed in, and the fruit of, Eucharistic worship.

(St. John Paul II)

SPIRITUAL LIFE

Day	Reading	Gospel
Monday	Genesis 3.9-15, 20 Judith 13.18bc, 19-20ab (R. 15.9d)	John 19.25-27
Tuesday	Sirach 35.1-15 Ps 50.4-5, 7-8, 14+23 (R. 23b)	Mark 10.28-31
Wednesday	Sirach 36.1-2, 5-6, 13-22 Ps 79.8, 9, 11, 13 (R. Sir 36.1)	Mark 10.32-45
Thursday	Sirach 42.15-25 Ps 33.12-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (R. 6a)	Mark 10.46-52
Friday	Sirach 44.1, 8-13++ Ps 149.1-2, 3-4, 5-6a+9b (R. 4a)	Mark 11.11-25
Saturday	Sirach 51.12-20 Ps 19.7, 8, 9, 10 (R. 8a)	Mark 11.27-33

SCHEDULED OUTDOOR MASS

On Sunday, May 23rd, we will be offering **outdoor mass**.

Seating room for outdoor services is **limited to 50 people** and will be in front of the church doors in the small courtyard.

If you choose to leave your vehicle and sit in the courtyard, you must **register upon arrival**. Please bring your own chairs, blankets, and dress warmly. **Masks are required**, and social distancing must be followed.

There is an additional 50 vehicle max allowed for parishioners who remain in their vehicles. If you remain in your car, the above steps are not necessary. Please call the office with any concerns.

HELP WANTED

The **Carmelite Sisters** at the Monastery in Armstrong are seeking help with **yard work**. The spring clean up is a big job; trimming trees and bushes, cleaning underbrush, raking and hauling debris, etc. This would be a great project for youth groups, young men, families or any service group - to come together and help support our Carmelites. If you are a Carmel of St Joseph Guild member this would be the perfect way to serve the Sisters as active members. Please contact the Monastery by calling **250 546 8801** for more details and to arrange date, time. Thanks so much for any help you can provide.

EMPLOYMENT

St John Vianney parish is still looking for a **Janitorial/Maintenance person**. Please forward this information to anyone you think may be interested. This position will be a part-time position. Please email resumes to jvianney@telus.net.

St. James parish in Vernon is searching for a **secretary/bookkeeper** for the parish office. If you know of anyone who may be interested in this position, please encourage them to apply by sending their resume to Fr Peter: frpeter@shaw.ca

Looking for a full list of **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/>

CISKD EMPLOYMENT

Spotlight: St Ann's Catholic School - Quesnel, BC
St. Ann's Catholic School is seeking applications from qualified **CEAs** to serve students with diverse abilities with an assignment focus primarily in a **K/1 classroom** for approximately 31.25 hours per week (.78 FTE), commencing upon earliest availability of the successful candidate and concluding no later than June 30, 2021.

St. Ann's Catholic School is seeking a qualified, BC certified **teacher** for a full-time **intermediate classroom** position, effective September 1, 2021.

St. Ann's Catholic School is seeking a skilled, qualified candidate to join our team as a 0.35 FTE **teacher** for the 2021 - 2022 school year, with the **subject area assignment of Music**. This position commences September 1, 2021. A background in music is required.

St. Ann's Catholic School is seeking a qualified, BC certified teacher for a blended **Learning Resource (LRT) and Prep Teacher** assignment for an anticipated full-time (1.0 FTE) position, commencing September 1, 2021.

St. Ann's Catholic School is seeking a qualified, BC certified **teacher** for a full-time **primary classroom** position (1.0 FTE), currently anticipated to be a K/1 assignment, commencing September 1, 2021.

TRU CATHOLIC MINISTRY

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.

FAITH IN ACTION

Thank you to each of you for your generosity during this campaign; St John Vianney parish and Our Lady of Lourdes parish have both met their goals!

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Parish Assessment	\$ 21 589	\$ 2 463
Pledged	22 535	3 140
Pledges	63	10

This being our **sole fundraiser** for our parish this year, donations are still being accepted with gratitude; any funds raised above our Parish Assessment go directly to our Parish for repairs and improvements.

GIVING

The Kamloops and Nelson Diocese are co-hosting the National **Catholic Women's League** Convention scheduled for Aug 2022 to be held in Kelowna. As a **fundraiser**, they are selling beautiful pashminas with a logo of our Mother, available in a variety of colors. Please see the **attached poster** for further information.

The office of the **Pregnancy Care Centre** promises every crisis client they serve "to be on this parenting journey with them all the way through to kindergarten".

In order to fulfill this promise, the Pregnancy Care Centre **needs help in raising funds**. Would you consider giving today? There are giving options:

- E-transfer to donate@mypregnancychoices.ca
- Mail a cheque to 429 Tranquille Road, Kamloops, BC V2B 3G9
- Call 250 376 4646 to make a gift over the phone

During these COVID times the Pregnancy Care Centre is experiencing many successes helping moms in crisis to bring their pregnancy to a successful childbirth. Any amount that you can assist with is most appreciated.

Thank you for supporting this Pro-Life initiative.

ST JOSEPH'S BOOKSTORE

Need gifts for First Holy Communion, Confirmation, or graduation? St. Joseph's bookstore, at 256 Nicola St, has a beautiful selection of jewelry, medals, crucifixes, giftware, books, bibles, and more. Please call the store at 778-471-6100 for current hours and selection.

MIKKIE'S HEALTH CORNER

Hydration Awareness It is the time of season where we start to venture outside more as we are getting our gardens ready, working on fences, sheds or just enjoying the outdoors, hiking, walking, jogging, cycling.... It is also time to be aware and be prepared for the sun's heat. Making sure we are using sunscreen, wearing light breathable clothing and making sure we stay hydrated. All these things can come upon us quickly. Here are some signs of dehydration:

- Puffiness
- dark yellow and thick urine
- headache
- thirst, or thirst not being quenched.
- Sweet food cravings: when the body is dehydrated it cannot absorb nutrients properly. The liver needs water to release energy, so the body responds by looking for a quick energy source - glucose (sugar), hence = the sweet cravings.
- dry mouth
- dizziness
- dry skin

... to be continued next week