



ST. JOHN VIANNEY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

A Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition

October 20th, 2024
29th Sunday in Ordinary time

Pastor: Fr. Dale Normandeau

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Sunday Mass 8:30am
 573 Tod Mtn. Rd

Secretary: Luz Velarde

Mass Schedule: Sundays 10:30 am

Weekday Masses: Tuesday to Friday 8:00am

Mass at the Hamlets the second Friday of the month 10:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays 4:00pm to 5:00 pm

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LECTORS FOR THE COMING SUNDAYS

Oct 20th Carol McGill and Margo Meade

Oct 27th Lesley Boettger and Sherry Makarra

POOR BOX COLLECTION FOR ST VINCEN DE PAUL
 SUNDAY OCTOBER 27th

Day	Reading	Gospel
Monday	Ephesians 2.1-10 Ps 100.1-2,3-4,5 (R.3b)	Luke 12.13-21
Tuesday	Ephesians 2.12-22 Ps.85.8ab-9,10-11,12-13 (R.8b)	Luke 12.35-38
Wednesday	Ephesians 3.1-12++ Isaiah 12.2,4bcd,5-6 (R. 3)	Luke 12.39-48
Thursday	Ephesians 3.13-21++ Ps 33.1-2,4-5,11-12,18-19 (R.5)	Luke 12.49-53
Friday	Ephesians 4.7-16 Ps 122.1-2, 3-4a,4b-5 (R. see1)	Luke 13.1-9
Saturday	Ephesians 4.7-16 Ps 122.1-2,3-4a,4b-5 (R. See 1)	Luke 13.1-9

FAITH IN ACTION CAMPAIGN 34

We are half way of our Diocesan assessment, but only a third of our families have contributed, please consider participating in this year's campaign, any amount helps. If you would like to donate, fill out a pledge form, and place it in the collection basket during Mass. Pledges can be found at the entrance of the church.



Thanks to everyone who has already Contributed!

Diocesan Assessment

The Diocesan assessment is the amount that every parish needs to contribute to cover the needs of the Diocese as a whole. Some of those needs among many others are: Seminarian and Deacons formation, Priest support in retirement, Catholic Education, Youth Ministry.

Assessment and pledged amounts to date are as follow:

	<u>Pledges</u>	<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Pledged</u>	<u>Difference</u>
SJV	28	\$21,074	\$ 11,500	\$ 10,574
LOL	3	\$ 1,663	\$ 1,050	\$ 613

We would like to remind you that all the **money raised above the Diocesan assessment will come 100% back to the parishes** to pay for improvements.

This Year's Projects

The St. John Vianney's Parish Project is twofold. We are going to pay down what is left of the parking lot repairs that were completed earlier and to improve the parking lot lighting.

The Our Lady of Lourdes's project is to upgrade the wheelchair ramp to code.

Donations are accepted in cash, cheque or online via e transfer to fia@rcdk.org.

BRUNCH THIS SUNDAY OCTOBER 20th

The Knights of Columbus will host their traditional Breakfast brunch on



October 20th after the Sunday Mass. They will have Sausages, eggs, pancakes as well as coffee, tea and Juice. Any funds generated from the event (after expenses) will go towards Christmas Dinner Hampers being prepared for this December.

Everyone is welcome!!!!

29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, CYCLE B

First Reading *Isaiah 53.10-11* Responsorial Psalm *Ps. 33.4-5,18-19,20+22 (R22)*
Second Reading *Hebrews 4.14-16* Gospel Reading *Mark 10.35-45*

In this Sunday's Gospel, we continue to read from the section of Mark's Gospel that reports Jesus' journey to Jerusalem. Last Sunday we heard Jesus lament the particular challenges those with many possessions face in order to enter the Kingdom of God. Jesus then predicts his passion to the Twelve, who are amazed and afraid. In this part of Mark's Gospel, Jesus' words to his closest disciples seem to be intended to prepare them for the events that will occur in Jerusalem.

In today's Gospel, James and John ask to be given seats of honor when Jesus enters into his glory. Once again, the disciples seem to be selective in what they hear Jesus say. They want to share Jesus' glory, but do not appear to understand that his glory will be preceded by his suffering. Jesus notes their lack of understanding and predicts the suffering they will endure for the sake of the Gospel. Jesus says that the honor they seek is not his to give. When the other ten hear what James and John have asked, Mark reports that they are indignant. Jesus takes the opportunity to teach them.

Jesus explains the importance of service and sacrifice in the life of a disciple. In particular, he seems to be preparing the Twelve for their leadership roles in the emerging Christian community. Echoing the Gospel we heard several weeks ago (on the [25th Sunday in Ordinary Time](#), Mark 9:33-37), Jesus acknowledges that his teaching is countercultural. In today's Gospel, Jesus contrasts the dynamics within the community of disciples with those shown by the rulers of the Gentiles.

Following Jesus' example of sacrificial love continues to be countercultural in our day as well. We might take this opportunity to consider our models of authority and examine our own exercise of authority. On whose example do we model our leadership?

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Knights of Columbus (BC) Charity Foundation 63rd ANNUAL CHARITY APPEAL

Buy a ticket for a **chance to win a 2024 Ford
Escape Hybrid plus \$45,000 in other Prizes**

5 **Early Bird** Draws – **2nd is October 21st . 3rd is Nov 4th**

Buy online at this link www.kofcdraw.net/C9508

Grand Prize **Sales Deadline December 14, 8:00 pm.**

If you don't do online, contact Casey 250-682-1096 or
Casey@tricitycanada.ca or see me after Mass.

Thanks for your support for our projects!

SATURDAYS BIBLE STUDY

*Please join us on The Bible Study every Saturday
at 2:00pm in the Friendship Room. We will
present "THE CHOSEN" series season 2.*

*We will have discussion after the video, while
enjoying coffee and snacks.*

For more information contact John Weiss or Trevor Bentz

PILGRIMAGE TRIP TO ROME FOR THE JUBILEE YEAR 2025! April 30-May 8, 2025

Highlights of the trip include

Rome, Basilica of St John Lateran and the Holy Stairs, St Mary
Major Basilica, St Paul outside the Walls, Catacombs, Papal
Blessing at St Peter's Square, Assisi and Basilica of St Francis,
Vatican City, Sistine Chapel, St Peter's Basilica & Holy Door

Pricing per person

Double occupancy \$3,649, Single \$4,449, Triple \$3,619

Included in price: Hotel transfers, arrival and departure

Not included: Cancellation waiver and insurance of \$599 per
person and round-trip Air ticket.

This pilgrimage is organized by the Lady of the Mountains in
Whistler

We would like to get an indication of interest and numbers by
November 5. For more details, please contact
the OLOM parish office (olomwhistler@rcdk.org)

BENEFITS OF PRAYING THE ROSARY

"When we pray the rosary in its ideal setting, doing a whole set of mysteries, the prayer can slow us down, calm our hearts, and enable us to rest in God's presence. It draws out the deepest desires in our souls, desires for God and God alone. The rhythm of the repetitious prayers can have a profound spiritual effect. In this, it is much like the traditional "Jesus Prayer" many early Christians recited: "Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me, a sinner." They would slowly repeat these words over and over again throughout the day, such that the rhythm of this prayer was linked to the rhythm of their breathing."

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RACHEL'S VINEYARD

"The best part was that I didn't even know I needed this healing, but God did! I felt His mercy and forgiveness at all moments."

Testimonial

Have you been trying to be strong ever since the day you were involved in an abortion decision? Trying to convince yourself that you don't need any help, and that there is nothing more to be done? God is calling you to something better – where you can be restored to who you were created to be once and always wanted to be. Join us on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat. You don't have to be strong on your own anymore!
www.rachelsvineyardkamloops.org

NEW PARISHIONERS AND CHANGE OF INFORMATION

Are you new to the parish? If you are new to the Parish, we would like to welcome you, if you would like to get notifications, and/or receive the Sunday Bulletin via email, please contact the office via email to provide us with your complete information, or fill out one of the forms in the Foyer.

Has your email, address or telephone number changed? Please notify us with the new information to update our files.

Email: stjohnvianney@rcdk.org

A STARRY NIGHT GALA

In support of the OLPH School

When: November 16th, 2024 at the Colombo Lodge

Time: Doors open at 5:30PM, Dinner and Dancing to follow at 6:30 Pm

Cost: \$100.00 per person (19+ only), Table of 10 for \$800.00

Attire: Formal

Tickets can be purchased at the school via credit card, debit or e- transfer (payments@olphschool.ca)

Please email PSG@olphschool.ca for more

October is the month of the Rosary Diocesan Intentions list for October 18-27 2024

- Oct 18- Father Dale Normandeau
- Oct 19- Father Heny Nwaimo
- Oct 20 - Father Udoka Christopher Nwosu
- Oct 21 Father Emmanuel Onomadu
- Oct 22 Father Vernantius Ononiwu
- Oct 23 Father Donal O'Reilly
- Oct 24 Father Paul Simms
- Oct 25 Father Fred Weisbeck
- Oct 26 Deacon Paul Murphy
- Oct 27 Seminarian Isaac Bruneau

2024 Choose Life Kamloops 40 DAYS FOR LIFE OCTOBER SPECIAL EVENTS

- **Saturday October 26, 10-11am –ST VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION-LIVE EVENT outside Sacred Heart Cathedral** Drop items off at your church from Sunday October 22 to Sunday October 28: personal care, clothing and food items (List to be posted), or bring them them that Sunday to the Cathedral. Hipefelly you can join us.

NOVEMBER SPECIAL EVENTS

- **November 3, 7:15 pm – Candlelight Post-Vigil**

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Sunday October 20th is a special day that unites Catholics worldwide in prayer, solidarity, and support for the Church's mission efforts.

This year's theme, chosen by Pope Francis, is rooted in the Gospel of Matthew: **"Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet,"** reflecting the inclusive and urgent call to bring God's love to everyone. Join us in this universal mission to spread the Gospel and invite all to experience the joy of

VOCATION LIVE IN

There will be a Vocation Live-In on the weekend of **November 2-3 at the Seminary of Christ the King in Mission, BC.** Anyone wishing to enter the Seminary in the next couple of years is welcome.

For more information phone 604-826-8975 or email rector.minors@sck.ca

Annual Blessing of The Graves

Annual Blessing of the Graves at Hillside Cemetery in Kamloops will be held on Sunday, Nov 3rd at 2:00 pm.

Annual Mass for The Deceased Clergy

The annual Mass for deceased Bishops, Clergy, and Consecrated Men and Women will be held at Sacred Heart Cathedral on Tuesday November 5th at 11am.

CWL BAZAAR DONATIONS WANTED

Save the date for the yearly CWL Christmas bazaar. It will take place on **Saturday November 16th.** We **need donations of religious articles** like books, cd's, statues, art, medals, crosses, pins, stickers, colouring books, greeting cards, anything religious that are in like new condition