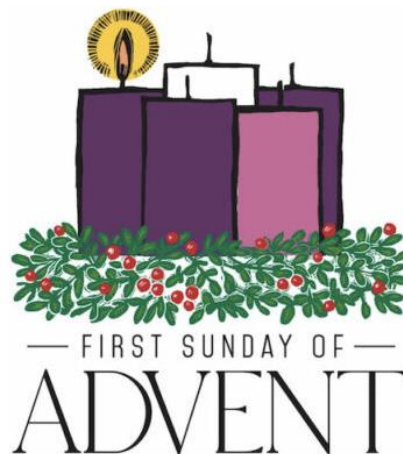


# 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT DECEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2024

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<p><b>Sunday Mass:</b> 10 AM; Saturday 5 PM.  <b>Weekday Mass:</b> <b>Sat 9 AM.</b>  <b>Dunrovin:</b> Last Wed. of the month.  <b>Adoration:</b> <b>NO ADORATION</b>  <b>Reconciliation:</b> Sunday 9:15 to 9:50 AM;                  or by appt.  <b>Rosary:</b> ½ hr before Mass.  <b>Baptism, Wedding &amp; Funeral:</b> by appt.  <b>Bible Study:</b> coming in the New Year.</p>	<p><b>Parish Organizations:</b>                  Planning: <i>Dan Canuel</i>;                  Finance: <i>Carole Holtzman</i>;                  Knights: <i>Allan McDonald</i>;                  CWL: <i>Audrey Quechuck</i>;                  CFFC: <i>Yvonne Lebrun</i>;                  Children's Mass: <i>Mary Jacques</i></p>



**ADORATION:** No Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament this week. (Friday Dec 6<sup>th</sup>)

**GIFT CARDS** available at the back of the church after Mass on Sunday. Help support our school!

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: TOQUES, SCARVES, MITTS AND SOCKS DRIVE STARTS TODAY!**

**CWL:** please return Quilt Raffle Tickets by Dec 10<sup>th</sup>. Draw on the 16<sup>th</sup>. See pg 4 for more details.

**LEGION OF MARY:** meets after Mass on Thursdays.

**CHOIR PRACTICE:** Wednesdays at 4:30 in the Choir Loft.

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE YEAR C

2ND SUN DEC	SATURDAY 5PM	SUNDAY 10 AM
READER	K. VAN PUTTEN	SCHOOL
EUCCHARISTIC		S. VAUGHAN
MUSIC	B. DOUGHERTY	M. VAN DEN ELZEN
USHERS	PARISHIONERS	SCHOOL

**LAST SUNDAY'S DONATION: \$2,395.65**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

*Our parish now accepts donations through Interac email transfer:*

[giving@stannsquesnel.org](mailto:giving@stannsquesnel.org)

*Online Pink envelope donations to*

*the school (include your name and address):*

[payments@stannseagles.com](mailto:payments@stannseagles.com)



## FOOD BANK PICK UP TODAY

**Knights of Columbus reminder: Winter mitts and hats, scarves and socks drive beginning soon.**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO FR. EMMANUEL!  
 HE IS \_\_\_\_\_ YEARS OLD.**



## **DIOCESAN NEWS:**

**FAITH IN ACTION:** Thank you for your generosity. See the table below for updates.

### **FAITH IN ACTION: CAMPAIGN 34: BE A WITNESS OF LOVE**

**PLEDGES: 42                      AMOUNT: \$26,037.00                      PARISH GOAL: \$23,618.00**

**Tax Receipt 2024 reminder for parishioners:** Please announce at Mass as well (if applicable). Faith in Action donations must be received by Monday, December 23rd. This includes ETransfer donations as well. Due to the ongoing postal strike, donations must be delivered (either by hand or courier) directly to the Chancery office (Attn: Faith in Action) to be eligible for the 2024 tax receipt. All donations received after December 23rd will go towards the 2025 tax receipt.

*“A spiritual alms is even more precious than a material one” ~St. Jean Vianney*



***By being faithful to our Holy Hour, and letting nothing interfere with it, we use it as the sign and symbol of our victimhood with Christ. ~Archbishop Fulton Sheen***

**Jubilee 2025** - In the Diocese of Kamloops, the Holy Year will commence on the feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph on December 29, 2024, with a special liturgy at 1:30 PM followed by Holy Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral.



To bring the blessings of this Jubilee Year closer to you, there are three designated churches in our diocese as pilgrimage sites, each with its own Holy Door through which the faithful may pass and receive the graces of a plenary indulgence:

Sacred Heart Cathedral, Kamloops

St. James, Vernon

Sacred Heart, Williams Lake

Prayerfully visit these holy sites during the Jubilee Year and experience the richness of God's grace. This is a time for renewal, healing, and growth as disciples of Christ.

### **CCCB - Journey through Advent**

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops presents Journey through Advent with the Most Rev. Frank Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto. Join us as we reflect on the Scriptures for the Sundays of Advent 2024.

A joint initiative of the National Liturgy Office, the Office national de liturgie and the Office for Evangelization and Catechesis. [https://www.youtube.com/embed/MBI\\_AUtsIdI?feature=oembed](https://www.youtube.com/embed/MBI_AUtsIdI?feature=oembed)

## PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS:

### Mass Times and Readings & Intentions Year C



Mon 2	NO* MASS	Isaiah 2.1-5; Matthew 8.5-11, 13	+Joshua Vaughan-Farrell	
Tues 3	NO* MASS	Isaiah 11.1-10; Luke 10.21-24	+Dave Aitken	ST FRANCIS XAVIER
Wed 4	NO* MASS	Isaiah 25.6-10a; Matthew 15.29-37	+Irene & Gerry Roth	OM: St. John Damascene
Thurs 5	NO* MASS	Isaiah 26.1-6; Matt 7.21, 24-27	+Henrique Loureiro	
Fri 6	NO* MASS	Isaiah 29.17-24; Matthew 9.27-31	+John & Carlotta Lazzarin	OM: St. Nicholas
Sat 7	9 AM	Is 30.19-21, 13-26; Mt 9.35 – 10.1, 5a, 6-8	+Lois Spenrath	ST. AMBROSE
	5 PM	Sunday Readings	+members Knights of Columbus	2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT
Sun 8	10 AM	ST ANN'S PARISHIONERS		2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT



\*Mass said elsewhere

OM = Optional Memorial

Please pray for: Phyllis Lamers, Agatka Jaworski, Mrs. Caruso, Bill Keady, Tracy Yager.

Fun Fact: *St Ambrose* (340-397AD) was made Bishop 8 days after he was baptized.

Quite apart from any supernatural intervention, he was the only logical candidate, known to the Catholics as a firm believer in the Nicene Creed, unobnoxious to the Arians, as one who had kept aloof from all theological controversies. The only difficulty was that of forcing the bewildered consular to accept an office for which his previous training nowise fitted him. Strange to say, like so many other believers of that age, from a misguided reverence for the sanctity of baptism, he was still only a catechumen, and by a wise provision of the canons ineligible to the episcopate. That he was sincere in his repugnance to accepting the responsibilities of the sacred office, those only have doubted who have judged a great man by the standard of their own pettiness. Were Ambrose the worldly-minded, ambitious, and scheming individual they choose to paint him, he would have surely sought advancement in the career that lay wide open before him as a man of acknowledged ability and noble blood. <https://www.newadvent.org/cathen/01383c.htm>

GOOD NEWS FOR THOSE WONDERING ABOUT VOCATIONS. St. Ambrose, pray for us!



FOLLOW THE LINK FOR TICKET PURCHASE: \$5 ea; 10 for \$25; 50 for \$50.

50/50 Tickets are \$5 ea, 3 for \$10; 10 for \$20.

Purchase before Dec 14<sup>th</sup>: Grand Prize 2024 Ford Escape Hybrid 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize is \$25,000.00

Other Prizes: \$10,000 \$5,000 and \$1,000 Prizes to be won.

50/50 estimated at \$26,228. (Winner takes ½)

<https://kofccharity.ca/>

## GRAND PRIZE DRAW IS DECEMBER 14TH

The CWL Christmas Luncheon (Dec 1<sup>st</sup>):

**DURING THE LUNCHEON A COLLECTION OF ITEMS WILL BE TAKEN FOR AMATA HOUSE: THINGS LIKE TOILETRIES, UNDERWEAR, SOAP, TOOTHBRUSHES, TOOTHPASTE, DIAPERS, STUFFED TOYS, ETC. THANKS IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.**

## CWL QUILT RAFFLE.

TICKETS AVAILABLE IN THE PARISH OFFICE

\$2 EA. BOOK OF 10, \$20

DRAW DATE DECEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup>

**Please return sold & unsold ticket books by Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>**

**in collection basket or at the Parish Office.**

*With heart-felt thanks for your wonderful prayers, the doctors have said I am healing well after my hip replacement. I praise the Lord! ~Phyllis Lamers.*

