2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT DECEMBER 8TH, 2024

St. Ann's Catholic Church
Pastor: Rev Emannuel Onumadu

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Sunday Mass: 10 AM; Saturday 5 PM. Weekday Mass: Mon—Sat 9 AM. Dunrovin: Last Wed. of the month. Adoration: Fridays 9:30 am to 4 pm Reconciliation: Sunday 9:15 to 9:50

AM: or by appt.

Baptism, Wedding & Funeral: by appt. **Bible Study:** coming in the New Year.

St. Ann's Catholic School Principal: Tara Maurin Milley

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Parish Organizations:
Planning: Dan Canuel;
Finance: Carole Holtzman;
Knights: Allan McDonald;
CWL: Audrey Quechuck;
CFFC: Yvonne Lebrun;
Children's Mass: Mary

Jacaues





SCHOOL CHRISTMAS CONCERT: Wednesday Dec 18th 6 pm & Thursday Dec 19th 1 pm **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** meeting Monday December 9th at 1:30 pm. **NEXT PANCAKE BREAKFAST:** Sunday, December 22nd after Mass.

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 IS ON NOW.** Box is in the back of the church, labelled: "Donations for the Less Fortunate"

CWL: please return Quilt Raffle Tickets by Dec 10th. Draw on the 16th. 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

3RD SUN DEC	SATURDAY 5PM	SUNDAY 10 AM
READER	G. GRANT	A. MCDONALD
EUCHARISTIC		D. CANUEL
MUSIC	B. DOUGHERTY	M. VAN DEN ELZEN
USHERS	PARISHIONERS	KNIGHTS

LAST SUNDAY'S DONATION: \$3,003.05
THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUSITY!

Our parish now accepts donations through Interac email transfer: giving@stannsquesnel.org

Online Pink envelope donations to the school (include your name and address): payments@stannseagles.com



Knights of Columbus reminder: Winter mitts and hats, scarves and socks drive on now.

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: 43 AMOUNT: \$26,137.00 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.

<u>For St. Ann's Quesnel</u> to reach the deadline at the Chancery, please give any donations to the Parish Office by Friday Morning, December 20th. Thank you.



"Have a pure intention" ~St. Jean Vianney

Our Holy Hours of Eucharistic Adoration makes us more sensitive to the needs of our fellow man. ~St. John Paul II



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 AUtsIdl?feature=oembed

PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS:



Mon 9	9 AM	Genesis 3.9-15, 20; Eph 1.3-6, 11-12; Luke 1.26-38	+Raphael Trujillo		THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
Tues 10	9 AM	Isaiah 40.1-11; Matthew 18.12-14	+Francisco Trujillo		OM: Our Lady of Loreto
Wed 11	9 AM	Matthew 11.28-30	+CWL members living & deceased		OM: St. Damasus
Thurs 12	9 AM	Nat'l Day of Prayer in Solidar with Indigenous Peoples	+John van den Elzen Sr.		OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
Fri 13	9 AM	Isaiah 48.17-19; Matthew 11.16-19	+Ben Hohmann		ST. LUCY
Sat	9 AM	Sir 48.1-4, 9-11; Matthew 17.10-13	+John & Fioretta McDonald		ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS
14	5 PM	Sunday Readings	Richard McGregor		3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT
Sun 15	10 AM	ST ANN'S PARISHIONERS		3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT	

^{*}Mass said elsewhere

OM = Optional Memorial

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

Prayerful wishes to Fr. Emmanuel Onumadu who celebrated his birthday on December 1st, celebrates his 21st Anniversary of Priestly Ordination on December 21st, to Fr. Thomas Arackal who celebrates his 42nd Anniversary of Priestly Ordination on December 26th and to Fr. Ajin George who celebrates his 17th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination on December 27th!

ADVENT RETREAT:

THURSDAY DECEMBER 19TH AND FRIDAY DECEMBER 20TH AT 5:30 PM

There will be Mass, a talk and confession.







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 14th: Grand Prize 2024 Ford Escape Hybrid 2nd Prize is \$25,000.00 Other Prizes: \$10,000 \$5,000 and \$1,000 Prizes to be won. 50/50 estimated at \$27,272. (Winner takes ½)

https://kofccharity.ca/

GRAND PRIZE DRAW IS DECEMBER 14TH

CWL QUILT RAFFLE.

TICKETS AVAILABLE IN THE PARISH OFFICE \$2 EA. BOOK OF 10, \$20

DRAW DATE DECEMBER 16TH AT NOON

Please return sold & unsold ticket books by Dec. 10th in collection basket or at the Parish Office.

CWL COOKIE PLATTERS AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP ON SUNDAY DEC 15TH AFTER MASS THANKS TO ALL WHO CONTRIBUTED AND HELPED ASSEMBLE!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST SUNDAY DEC 22ND AFTER MASS

AFTER MASS TODAY THERE WILL BE A CONTINUATION OF THE VIDEO THAT WAS STARTED 3 SUNDAYS AGO.

Next years' envelopes are ready to be picked up in the foyer.