FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT, MARCH 30TH, 2025

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Adoration: Fridays 9:30 AM - 4 PM

Sunday Mass: 10 AM; Saturday 5 PM. Weekdays: (see Mass Schedule)

Reconciliation:

Sun. 9:15 to 9:50 AM; or by appt. Baptism. Wedding & Funeral: by appt.

Bible Study: Tuesdays 6:30 PM Foyer

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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 Jacques



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST:

Sunday, March 30th after Mass

SCHOOL NEWS: On Spring Break until the 31st. Registration forms available at the school.

The CWL is offering the following thought-provoking webinar: April 6 – LENTEN PANCAKE

WEBINAR - HOPE IN THE MIDST OF TURMOIL. Click to register here

Check the CWL bulletin board for more information.

Legion of Mary: Meets for the rosary after Mass on Thursdays First Holy Communion April 27th Confirmation: May 4TH

GIFTS AVAILABLE IN THE PARISH OFFICE. You may have noticed the Gift Case in the fove is empty. All items are now available at the parish office, 9:45 to 2:45 Monday to Friday

PARISH RETREAT April 2nd, 3rd & 4th. Mass at 5:30pm followed by a talk. Guest speaker Father Henry Nwaimo from Vernon.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE YEAR C

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READ	K. VAN PUTTEN	ST. ANN'S STUDENTS
EUCH		S. VAUGHAN
MUSI	B. DOUGHERTY	SCHOOL CHOIR
USHE	VOLUNTEERS	SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

LAST SUNDAY'S DONATIONS: \$2,643.75 THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUSITY! (We need on average \$3,870 per week to meet our needs.) 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

THE MONTH OF APRIL IS DEDICATED TO THE DEVOTION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST AND THE HOLY SPIRIT.

DIOCESAN NEWS:

"Was Jesus Christ afraid of being laughed at?" ~St. Jean Vianney



St. Vincent de Paul would make a Holy Hour asking the Lord blessings on important business transactions and, afterwards, returned to thank the Lord. (St. Vincent de Paul)





Jubilee 2025

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. Information can be found on the Diocesan website: https://www.rcdk.org/jubilee2025

Diocesan Anniversary Celebration: Save the Date!

On Sunday June 22, 2025, Bishop Joseph Nguyen invites all to a Corpus Christi Mass starting at Riverside Park Bandshell with the Eucharist procession following Mass to Sacred Heart Cathedral, Benediction, Sacred Display and BBQ Dinner in celebration of the 80th Anniversary of the Diocese of Kamloops. More info to come!

ADDENDUM: those planning on attending, but in need of the bus for the procession, please phone Garry at St. Joseph's Christian Book Store to book a spot on the bus. 1-778-471-6100

Prayerful wishes to Bishop Joseph Phuong Nguyen who celebrates his birthday on March 25th and to Fr. Fred Weisbeck who celebrates his birthday on March 29th!



APPEAL FOR HELP - CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN

Our local committee, a subcommittee of the CWL, is in urgent need of used cotton or flannelette sheets which they use to make rolled bandages, diapers, quilts, etc for the poor

in over 2 dozen developing countries. More helping hands to cut, iron, stitch and roll are also very welcome. **Contact Yvonne Lebrun 250-255-3349**

MASS INTENTIONS, PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS:

MON	MAR 31	9 AM	+Dimas Demegilio
TUES	APR 1	9 AM	+Dick Clarke
WED	APR 2	5:30 PM	+Dorothy Leslie (+ST. JPII)
THURS	APR 3	5:30 PM	+Joe Stoltz
FRI	APR 4	5:30 PM	Jen Hohmann
SAT	APR 5	9 AM	Levi O'Flynn
SAT	AFN 3	5 PM	John van den Elzen
SUN	APR 6	10 AM	St. Ann's Parishioners





Please pray for: Kayla Lyall, Bob Becker, Mary Georgini, Molly Smetaniuk, Blaine Quechuck, Bill Keady & Keith Holtzman, and all those shut-in and ill.



We bid farewell to Fiona Frank (Lhtako Dene Nation) Monday March 31st

Mass at 11 am in Red Bluff at the big log cabin.

THE WAY OF THE CROSS

When the Moslem Turks blocked the access to the Holy Land, reproductions of the stations were erected at popular spiritual centers, including the Dominican Friary at Cordova and Poor Clare Convent of Messina (early 1400s); Nuremberg (1468); Louvain (1505); Bamberg, Fribourg and Rhodes (1507); and Antwerp 1520). Many of these stations were reproduced by renowned artists and are considered masterpieces today. By 1587, Zuallardo reported that the Moslems forbade anyone "to make any halt, nor to pay veneration to [the stations] with uncovered head, nor to make any other demonstration," basically suppressing this devotion in the Holy Land. Nevertheless, the devotion continued to grow in popularity in Europe.

https://www.ewtn.com/catholicism/library/how-did-the-stations-of-the-cross-begin-1155

April 4 th	RETREAT	
April 11 th	St. Ann's School	
April 18 th	GOOD FRIDAY	

STATIONS OF THE CROSS SCHEDULE, SOUP AND BUN FRIDAYS DURING LENT. Soup and bun begins at 5:50 pm and ends at 6:20 pm in the foyer. Stations of the Cross begins at 6:30 pm.

NO STATIONS OF THE CROSS FRIDAY APRIL 4TH

KAMLOOPS DIOCESAN CWL BURSARY Deadline March 31st, 2025

A bursary in the amount of \$1,000.00 will be awarded annually to a student within the Kamloops Diocese who is proceeding to a form of advanced training: University, Regional College, Technical School, University Transfer Program or Vocational Program.

FROM THE DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER:

You Are Cordially Invited to commemorate the **Anniversary of the Covenant Signing** on Easter Sunday, April 20, 2025. Join us as we come together in faith, unity, and reflection.

Program of Events

1:00 PM – Holy Mass at St. Joseph's Church A sacred celebration featuring the harmonious voices of both Indigenous and non-Indigenous choirs.

2:00 PM - Procession

The congregation will journey to the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc Powwow Arbour, where Community Members and Non-Indigenous Catholics will unite in fellowship.

Cultural Celebrations

Traditional Dance and Drumming

Inspiring Words from Our Leaders: **Chief Rosanne, Manny Jules, and Bishop Joseph** will share reflections on this important milestone.

3:30 PM - Closing with Community Lunch

A time to gather, share, and celebrate over a meal.

We sincerely hope you will join us for this momentous occasion of faith, reconciliation, and community. All are welcome.

THE ROSARY OF THE HOLY WOUNDS:

"Sister Mary Martha Chambon was a lay sister (not a nun) of the Monastery of the Visitation who died in Chambery, France in 1907. She reported visions of Jesus Christ who taught her specific prayers and meditations on His wounds. Some of her prayers have received the imprimatur of Archbishop Albert G. Meyer.



She reported that Jesus asked her to unite her sufferings with His as an Act of Reparation for the sins of the world. He gave her 17 promises and also told her: 'When you offer My Holy Wounds for sinners, you must not forget to do so for the souls in Purgatory, as there are but few who think of their relief . . . The Holy Wounds are the treasure of treasures for the souls in Purgatory.' "

https://healwithgrace.blogspot.com/2010/04/devotion-to-holy-wounds-for-poor-souls.html#google_vignette

"Promise 6. My Wounds will repair yours. My Wounds will cover all your faults. Those who honor them will have a true knowledge of Jesus Christ. In meditation on them, you will always find a new love. My Wounds will cover all your sins."

"Promise 13. This chaplet is a counterpoise to My justice; it restrains My vengeance."

"Promise 17. The invocations of the Holy Wounds will obtain an incessant victory for the Church."

FOOD BANK PICK UP NEXT SUNDAY