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## Weekly News and Bulletin Information from the Chancery Office to all Parishes and Catholic Schools

February 10, 2026

The Month of February is dedicated to **The Holy Family**.

**The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of February 2026**

**For children with incurable diseases.**

Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

**Words from our secondary patron, St. John Vianney**

'O MY child, use your voice always for the glory of God and the salvation of souls.'



### Holy Hour – for Vocations

**Serra Club of Kamloops Diocese**

Prayer is a moving force in vocational development. Few are called to the priesthood or religious life, but all are called to pray for vocations. Jesus said, "Pray, therefore, the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest" (Mt. 9:38).

#### Kamloops:

8:00am - 8:45am Wednesday following 7:30am Mass at OLPH

7:50am – 8:50 am Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. 7:50am – 8:50am before 9 am Mass. and

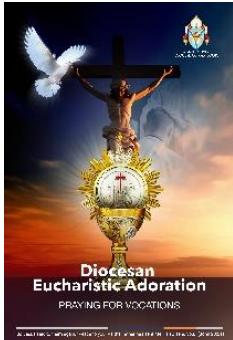
Fridays 7-8 pm following 6:30 pm Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral

8am – 9am Wednesdays and Saturdays at Holy Family Parish

5pm – 6pm Tuesday to Friday at St. John Vianney



**52. No less than His contemporaries in Palestine adored and implored Him for the favors they needed, so we should praise, thank Him, and implore Him at Adoration. (Pope Pius XII)**



## Diocesan Adoration Week

February 15 – 21 – St. Jude's, 100 Mile House  
February 22 – 28 – our Lady of Perpetual Help, Kamloops  
March 1 – 7 – St. Ann's, Quesnel  
March 8 – 14 – Our Lady of the Mountains, Whistler  
March 15 – 21 – St. Jude's – 100 Mile House

## Knights of Columbus Council 1614 at Sacred Heart Cathedral are hosting “LOBSTERMANIA 2026”

On June 13, 2026 at the OLPH Parish Centre, join us for a fun filled night of succulent Nova Scotian Lobster and dinner buffet. DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY WITH LIVE MUSIC BY “JERRY DE SOUZA AND THE MELODYMAKERS”

Get a group of relatives, friends, or coworkers together and enjoy an East Coast Lobster evening. Tickets are \$85.00 each and are available from Anthony Muzzillo 250-851-1111, Garry Mayhew 250-572-5429 and John Giddens 250-682-4600.

**Get your tickets early!!!**



**The Kamloops Blazers are hosting Faith & Family Day on Monday, February 16<sup>th</sup> at 2pm** against the Victoria Royals and you are invited!

- Skate with the Blazers after the game
- Skates and helmet required (bring them in with you and keep them at your seats until the end of the game)

Tickets are available for church groups to attend at a special price of \$17.50 (all ages) for this game only. To order tickets, please use this [order form](#).



**Brandi Nikolaisen**

## Save your Spot now for September 2026!

Are you a homeschool family looking for in-person connection, hands-on learning, and experiences that will have your kids eager to come back week after week?

We have a 2 day Blended Program at Holy Family Kamloops.

### What makes this program special?

- Engaging activities designed around the **BC Curriculum**
- Focus on Science, Social Studies, ADST, and English Language Arts
- Creative projects and learning that spark curiosity
- Catholic faith woven throughout the program

Go to [www.ascendonline.ca](http://www.ascendonline.ca) to click on our Blended programs



# MSGR. DESMOND'S 60TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION

*Save the Date*



Columbo Lodge, Kamloops, BC

**MAY**

**16<sup>th</sup>**

**2026**

More Information to come



ST. ANN'S ACADEMY

# ALUMNI HOMECOMING

CELEBRATING 146 YEARS OF COMMUNITY

**YOU'RE INVITED TO THE 2026 ST. ANN'S ACADEMY  
ALUMNI HOMECOMING!**



BRING YOUR FAMILY OR COME SOLO AND  
EXPLORE THE SCHOOL WITH GUIDED TOURS  
OR TAKE PART IN A SCAVENGER HUNT



ENJOY LIVE ENTERTAINMENT, CHILDREN'S  
ACTIVITIES, AND A CHANCE TO CATCH UP  
WITH OLD FRIENDS



SNACKS, DESSERTS, AND REFRESHMENTS  
WILL BE SERVED!



ST. ANN'S ACADEMY  
205 COLUMBIA ST  
KAMLOOPS, B.C.



MAY 16<sup>TH</sup> 2026  
SATURDAY  
1:00 PM - 4:00 PM



WORLD  
DAY OF  
THE SICK  
11 FEBRUARY 2026

This year's theme is "The compassion of the Samaritan: loving by bearing another's pain".

And unpack Life's big questions - Together



Thursday evenings in January and February 5:30 - 8 pm at Sacred Heart Cathedral, 255 Nicola Street, Kamloops

Fine, free meal at 6 pm!

Register here with this QR code, or email [cathedralalpha@rcdk.or](mailto:cathedralalpha@rcdk.or)

Questions?

Meet new people and explore life together. *Alpha* is for anyone who's curious. No judgement, no pressure. Each session unpacks a big question of life, faith, and purpose, and is designed to spark conversation. Come along, see what you think!



This program helps those who have endured neglect, physical, emotional, sexual, and/or spiritual abuse in their family of origin, their community, from spouses/partners, and/or coworkers or supervisors, find healing and journey to wholeness. Through a retreat program facilitated by mental health professionals and centered on Jesus Christ. The next retreat in Canada is March 2026 in Kelowna. For more information please email [grieftogracekelowna@gmail.com](mailto:grieftogracekelowna@gmail.com) or make a confidential call to 250-808-6403.



## SEMINARY OF CHRIST THE KING

### Vocation Live-Ins

A Vocation Live-In is an opportunity for young men to spend a weekend at the seminary. It gives them a chance to meet other boys and/or men searching for God's will. During the weekend there are times for community prayer, daily mass, *lectio divina* (spiritual reading), rosary, sports, discussion groups, and a tour of the seminary and campus.

Most of the boys and men attending the Vocation Live-ins (which begin Saturday morning and end Sunday afternoon) are from B.C.'s lower mainland, but there are usually several from the U.S. and often a few from out-of-province.

We hope that in attending the Vocation Live-In, you will leave the seminary drawn closer to Christ, enriched by a deeper understanding of seminary life, and inspired to encourage other boys and men to consider and respond to a possible call to the priesthood or religious life.

Dates of the next Seminary Live ins:

February 7-8, 2026

July 4-5, 2026

If you are interested in attending a vocations live-in weekend, please contact Fr. Derrick, Vocations director at [vocations@rcdk.org](mailto:vocations@rcdk.org) or calling 250-372-2581

## CURRENT JOB POSTINGS IN THE DIOCESE OF KAMLOOPS



### Catholic Independent Schools of Kamloops

Current Job Postings can be found at [www.ciskd.ca](http://www.ciskd.ca) under the CAREERS tab: <https://www.makeafuture.ca/bc-schools-and-districts/catholic-independent-schools-kamloops-diocese/>