



ROMAN CATHOLIC  
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**Weekly News and Bulletin Information from the  
Chancery Office to all Parishes and Catholic Schools**

**November 18, 2025**

The Month of November is dedicated to **All Souls**.

**The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of November 2025**

**For the prevention of suicide**

"Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life."

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

"As a good gardener works from morning till night to destroy the weeds in his garden and fill it with flowers, so let us work every day to destroy the blemishes of our soul and adorn it with virtues."



**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

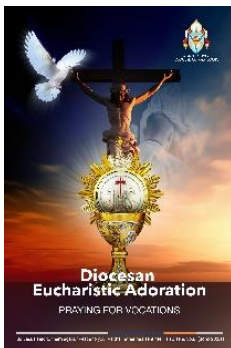
Fridays 7-8 pm following 6:30 pm Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral

8am – 9am Saturdays at Holy Family Parish

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



**41. Come to Me, all of you...Behold, for you I have established a throne of mercy on earth and from this throne I desire to enter into your heart! (Jesus to St. Faustina)**



## Diocesan Adoration Week

November 23 – 29 – Sacred Heart, Lumby



## Canada Post Christmas Stamps

Please be sure to purchase the “Christmas 2025 – *Christmas Nativity*” Permanent Domestic Stamp from Canada Post this year for your Christmas cards and parcels!

## Support KOFC 50/50




### 64<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CHARITY APPEAL

[Click here](http://KofcCharity.ca) [KofcCharity.ca](http://KofcCharity.ca)

WIN \$100,000 in prizes including a 2025 Ford Maverick XLT AWD Grand Prize

**TICKETS**  
1 for \$5  
10 for \$25  
50 for \$50

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| <b>PRIZES</b>         |                            |                                     |                                   |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Prize | 2025 Ford Maverick XLT AWD | 4 <sup>th</sup> Prize               | \$ 5,000                          |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize | \$25,000                   | 5 <sup>th</sup> to 14 <sup>th</sup> | \$ 1,000 each! → Early Bird Draws |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize | \$10,000                   |                                     |                                   |

**BUY TODAY**

Sales Oct 1, 2025 to Dec 13, 2025, 8pm

Early Bird Draws .....

Oct 6 (2x\$1000), Oct 20 (2x\$1000), Nov 3 (2x\$1000)

Nov 17 (2x\$1000), Dec 5 (2x\$1000)

Main Draw Saturday December 13, 2025, 8:01pm

An annual charity appeal of the Knights of Columbus (B.C.) Charity Foundation  
WORKING TOGETHER TO MAKE OUR COMMUNITIES BETTER  
Thank you for your Support!

For general inquiries call 604-216-7272 Raffle Event License #: 164447  
Chances are 1 in 410,000 (total tickets for sale) to win a grand prize. Actual odds depend on number of tickets sold. 19+ to play.  
Problem Gambling Help Line 1-888-795-6111 www.bcreponsiblegambling.ca Know your limit. Play within it.  
Winners are responsible for cost associated with delivery/claiming of prizes.



This year also marks the 35th year of the diocese's annual Faith in Action appeal, whose longevity is itself a truly remarkable testament to the faith and extraordinary generosity of Catholics here in the diocese.

#### **Wish to Donate Online?**

Interac e-transfers to: [fia@rcdk.org](mailto:fia@rcdk.org)

### **Tax Receipt 2025 reminder:**

**Faith in Action donations must be received by Monday, December 29<sup>th</sup> to be eligible for the 2025 tax receipt. This includes E-Transfer donations as well. All donations received after December 29<sup>th</sup> will go towards the 2026 tax receipt.**

Faith In Action Campaign 35 Video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xs5yYuzUoJU>



### *Rachel's Corner*

*"With weeping they shall come, but with compassion I will guide them; I will lead them to streams of water, on a level road, without stumbling. ... I will turn their mourning into joy; I will show them compassion and have them rejoice after their sorrows." Jeremiah 31: 9, 13*

Allow yourself to be guided and lead by Our Lord as He yearns to level your road, turn your mourning into joy and dry your tears of sorrow. His compassionate mercy awaits you on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat. We will be waiting for you.

[www.rachelsvineyardkamloops.org](http://www.rachelsvineyardkamloops.org)

[rvkamloops@yahoo.ca](mailto:rvkamloops@yahoo.ca)

250-267-508



## Managing Your Fertility Naturally

*Choosing to achieve or avoid*



### BECOME A TEACHER

Are you a Canadian that has charted 6 cycles using the Symptothermal Method and recognize its importance in your life?

#### We need your help!

##### Do you:

- ✓ Appreciate the value of fertility?
- ✓ Feel that planned abstinence can enhance a couple's relationship?
- ✓ Appreciate working with your spouse?
- ✓ Like team work?
- ✓ Want to help other couples by sharing what you know?

##### Benefits of becoming a teacher-couple include:

- ✓ The satisfaction of offering a valuable resource
- ✓ Making a difference in the lives of other couples
- ✓ The opportunity to grow as a couple
- ✓ A chance to develop friendships

#### Training Program Overview

##### Serena offers you:

- > Quality training
- > Ongoing volunteer development
- > A chance to learn even more about the method
- > The opportunity to meet people who share the same values.

**Ready to become a teacher-couple?**

<https://serena.ca/teach/>



## 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 closer to Christ, more knowledgeable of seminary life, and will inspire other boys and men to respond to the possibility of a call to the priesthood or religious life.

Dates of the next Seminary Live-ins:

November 15-16, 2025

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



**WE ARE  
HIRING**



**JOIN US  
BUS DRIVER**

**LOOKING FOR A PASSIONATE AND JOYFUL INDIVIDUAL TO  
JOIN OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY!**

**PREFERRED QUALITIES:**

- ✓ Share and live the Catholic faith
- ✓ Hold a Class 2 BC license with Air Brake endorsement
- ✓ Have a safe driving record
- ✓ Foster a safe, welcoming environment
- ✓ Are reliable and team-oriented
- ✓ Have school transportation experience

Candidates must submit the CISKD Support Staff Application Form located on our website at [www.ciskd.ca/careers](http://www.ciskd.ca/careers).

Completed applications with supporting documentation shall be submitted electronically in one PDF file to the CISKD Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Christopher Yuen, at [hr@ciskd.ca](mailto:hr@ciskd.ca). We thank all applicants in advance, however only those shortlisted will be contacted.

For more information please view the job posting on [www.indeed.ca](http://www.indeed.ca)



## 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/>