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

October 14, 2025

The Month of October is dedicated to **The Holy Rosary.**

The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of October 2025

For collaboration between different religious traditions

Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

Words from our secondary patron, St. John Vianney

"At the hour of your death you will see that you have saved more souls by your illness than by all good works you might have accomplished in health."

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

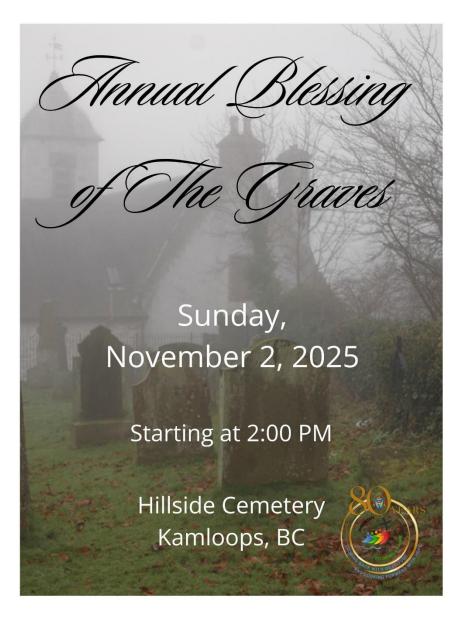


38. In order to convert America and save the World what we need is for every parish to come before Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament in Holy Hours of prayer. (St. Mother Teresa)



Diocesan Adoration Week

October 12 – 18 – Our Lady of the Valley, Coldstream
October 19 – 25 – Sacred Heart, Williams Lake
October 26 – Nov 1 – North Thompson Parishes
November 2 – 8 – St. John the Baptist, Lillooet
November 9 – 15 – St. James, Vernon
November 23 – 29 – Sacred Heart, Lumby



Support KOFC 50/50





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 (BC) Charity Foundation WORKING TOGETHER TO MAKEOUR COMMUNITIES BETTER Thank you for your Support!

For gien eral in quiries call 604-216-7272 Raffle Event License #: 164-447
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 w.w.w.bcresponsiblegambling.ca Know your limit. Play within it.

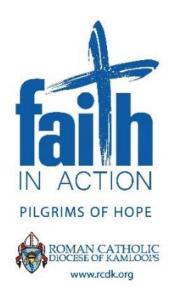
Winners are responsible for cost associated with delivery/claiming of prizes.

Annual Mass for Deceased Bishops, Clergy, and Consecrated Men and Women

The annual Mass for deceased Bishops, clergy, and consecrated men and women will be held at Sacred Heart Cathedral on Tuesday November 4th at IIam. All parishioners are most welcome to attend this special liturgy concelebrated by the Priests of the Diocese. Remember kindly in your prayers, during the month of November, those who have laboured for the Church in Kamloops and pray that the Lord will send more dedicated men and women to continue their work in his vineyard of the Kamloops Diocese.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2025 II:00 AM

> Sacred Heart Cathedral 255 Nicola Street Kamloops, BC





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

If you did not receive Faith in Action material in the mail, please contact the parish office.

Thank you to all who responded to this Faith in Action Commitment Weekend.

Faith In Action Campaign 35 Video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xs5yYuzUojU

All Women Are Invited to Join Us for An Evening of Prayer & Social Time on Thursday, October 30th at 6:30 pm. Join us for Mass, Adoration & Social at Sacred Heart Cathedral (255 Nicola Street) Kamloops. We will begin the evening with Mass, Adoration and followed with a Social. We will also share current Bible Studies and other Faith-based resources that many are participating at this time. We look forward to seeing you there and we encourage you to bring a friend! For more information, please contact Domenica at 250.320.8319.



Rekindle the romance, remind yourselves why you fell in love and learn how to make a good marriage even better!

WWME is offering a weekend marriage retreat this fall. Oct. 24-26, 2025.

For more info and to register

visit: https://beholdvancouver.org/events/couple-retreat-by-worldwide-marriage-encounter#overview

<u>♥Early bird special before Sept. 11</u>. <u>♥</u> Registration closes Oct. 11, 2025 You both deserve it!

Baby Shower for Hopewell *Can you provide a new baby gift for newborns* —18 *months?* Suggestions of items often needed: Diapers size Newborn - 6, Wipes, Infant formula (0-12 months), Baby soap, Pacifiers, Baby toys, Newborn onesies, Baby towels, little gifts for mom, little gifts for dad. *Please support women who Choose Life for their children!* Items may be dropped off at the Cathedral from October 5. Look for the baskets at the entrances. More info contact Kathy at (250)318-9698 or kathysdahlhouse@gmail.com



Grief to Grace 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 late October in 2025 in Kelowna. For more information please email grieftogracekelowna@gmail.com or make a confidential call to 250-808-6403.



Rachel's Corner

"The wounds are real. We need to acknowledge the wounds....The wounds never go away. The wounds of Good Friday were present even after the Resurrection. The wounds never go away. But from those wounds we will rise again.

He calls us to rise from our wounds so we can be one with Him....We are all called to live in His peace." - Bishop Burns

The gaping wound you feel in your heart that came with your abortion story. He wants to heal. Come let Him clean your wound, as only a loving Father can do, and receive His merciful peace.

Join us on our next Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat.

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2025 Choose Life 40 Day Prayer Vigil

Pre-Vigil: September 23 at 7:15 pm
Meditation and Reflection to begin the 40 Day Prayer
Vigil with a Candlelight Ceremony and Prayer Service
at the Memorial to the Unborn
Sacred Heart Cathedral 255 NIcola St.

40 Day Vigil: Wednesday September 24 to November 2, 2025 10-11 am
Dally Prayer and Silent Witness for Life outdoors or inside the Cathedral
Sacred Heart Cathedral Nicola St and Third Ave.

Concluding Vigil: Sunday, November 2 after 8:30 Mass 11 am at Sacred Heart

Other activities during the 40 Days:

Baby Shower for Hopewell Clinic and Pregnancy Sunday October 12, 2025 9:30 am -10:30 am (after 8:30 am Mass) in the courtyard 12:30 - 1:30 (after 11:30 am Mass) in the courtyard Drop gifts off at the Cathedral starting October 5. Sacred Heart Cathedral Nicola St and Third Ave.

Advance Care Plan - Green Sleeve paperwork - Carla Williams Interior Health Friday, October 17 10 am - 12 pm - <u>Please register by October 14 by email or text (See below)</u> Sacred Heart Cathedral Lower Hall Carla, granddaughter of Maybelle Nordick, a true Prolife warrior.

Pre-Planning your Funeral

Sunday October 26 - Please register by October 22 by email or text (See below) 11:30 Mass - 12:30 Brunch 1:30 - 3:00 Presentation

Food Drive for Vincent de Paul - Fill the Fiat Food Collection from October 18 - 31 Drop items off at the Cathedral Filled Fiat delivery on Saturday, November 1.

<u>Please offer special prayers during the Choose Life 40 Day Prayer Vigil.</u> Prayer for the Protection of Human Life

Heavenly Father, Lord and Maker of all that is good, fill our hearts with joy before the wonders of Your creation. Open our eyes to the presence of Your beloved Son Jesus in all those we encounter and especially in the weakest and most vulnerable among us. Where we see life threatened, at its beginning or at its end, or by poverty and deprivation, inspire us with love and mercy, so that, empowered by Your Holy Spirit, we may work together to defend human dignity. Help us to build a culture of life: a culture in which each and every person is loved and valued as Your child, from conception to natural death, and in every circumstance of life. Amen.

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CURRENT JOB POSTINGS IN THE DIOCESE OF KAMLOOPS





Catholic Independent Schools of Kamloops

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