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

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

The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of November 2026

For the proper use of wealth

Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Words from our secondary patron, St. John Vianney

"Every time we are able to give up our own wishes in favour of those of other people, so long as it is not contrary to the will of God, we acquire great merit."



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

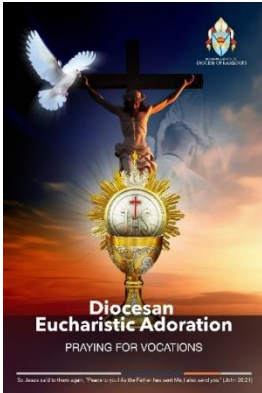
Fridays 7-8 pm following 6:30 pm Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral

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

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



85. The worship paid to the Eucharist strongly impels the soul to cultivate a "social" love, by which the common good is given preference over the good of the individual. (Pope Paul VI)



November 8 – 14 - North Thompson Parishes
 November 22 – 28 - St. John's - Lillooet
 November 29 - December 5 - St. James - Vernon
 December 6 – 12 - Sacred Heart - Lumby
 December 13 – 19 - Blessed Sacrament - Chase & Our Lady of the Lake - Blind Bay



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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:

November 14 – 15, 2026

February 6 – 7, 2027

July 3 – 4, 2027

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



Living Faith in Action - Campaign 36

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

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

Faith In Action Campaign 36 Video

<https://youtu.be/OShxJfwSv6E?si=LIG8WXYXClxGpBTS>

Wish to donate online? Interac e-transfer to fia@rcdk.org

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE BAZAAR & Tea

Everyone is Welcome!

Join us!

Saturday, November 21st, 2026
11am - 2pm

The best tea room in town

Craft sale, Bake table, Basket raffle.

St. John Vianney talent table.

Christmas Goods & Treasure Chest.

Something for everyone!



St. John Vianney Church Hall • 2826 Bank Road

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65th ANNUAL CHARITY APPEAL

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WIN \$100,000 in prizes including a
2026 Toyota RAV4 LE AWD Grand Prize

PRIZES

1st Prize	2026 Toyota RAV4 LE AWD
2nd Prize	\$25,000
3rd Prize	\$10,000
4th Prize	\$ 5,000 EB
5th to 14th	\$ 1,000 each! --> Early Bird Draws

TICKETS

- 1 for \$5
- 10 for \$25
- 50 for \$50
- 150 for \$100



BUY TODAY

Sales Oct 1, 2026 to Dec 19, 2026, 8pm

Early Bird Draws

Oct 5 (2x\$1000), Oct 19 (2x\$1000), Nov 2 (2x\$1000)

Nov 16 (2x\$1000), Nov 30 (2x\$1000), Dec 14 (1x\$5000)

Main Draw Saturday December 19, 2026, 8:01pm

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

For general inquiries call **604-216-7272**
Chances are 1 in 470,000 (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.

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Rachel's Corner

“The retreat helped me accept God’s forgiveness and to forgive myself. It broke the 28-year emotional dam, what else can I say!” Testimonial

Since the day you were a part of an abortion decision, has it felt like you have everything bottled up inside, which may have affected you in so many ways? Join other men and women on a Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat and find out what it is like to not be carrying that around anymore.

www.rachelsvineyardkamloops.org
rvkamloops@yahoo.ca
<http://www.facebook.com/rvkamloops>
250-267-5081 call or text

Shrines of Ireland with Father Peter Nguyen

October 21, 2027 – October 30, 2027

Experience the shrines, warmth and customs of Ireland with Father Peter Nguyen and travel October 21, 2027 to October 30, 2027 on this 10-day faith-based guided tour of the Emerald Isle. Visit the Marian Shrine of Knock, celebrate Mass at the Most Holy Trinity Cathedral in Waterford and daily Masses when possible, and visit monastic ruins. Irish hospitality won't be overlooked! You'll have a chance to kiss the Blarney Stone, tap your toes to lively music in local pubs and eateries, attend a sheepdog demonstration and so much more!

If Ireland is calling you, come and join us! We have very limited seats available. Confirm your space today by contacting Bernadette!

<https://www.wishbookvacations.com/ireland-2027/>



Journey through Northern Vietnam with Father Peter Nguyen



(With Optional 5-Night Southern Vietnam Post Tour Extension) April 20, 2028 – May 1, 2028

Explore Northern Vietnam with a small group of travellers just like you who enjoy experiencing the food, culture and adventures of exotic travel. With just 12-24 passengers you'll have a remarkable adventure in exploration of this amazing country. You'll be immersed in the near mythical beauty of the country. Cultural encounters, culinary delights, and breathtaking landscapes will blend together to create one unforgettable adventure.

Enticing Vietnam lies before you with this 12-day guided tour which includes highlights such as:

- Water puppetry artist demonstration
- Vespa-led food tour
- Meeting a Vietnam War Veteran
- Lac Village home-hosted dinner
- Market visit and hands-on-cooking experience
- Hoa Lu Ancient Capital
- Trang An Grottoes
- Ha Long Bay
- Cua Van Floating Village
- And much more!
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Daily Mass will be added when possible.

[Journey through Northern Vietnam with Father Peter Nguyen - Wishbook Vacations and Tours](#)

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RISE UP

Catholic Conference for Young Adults

GIANTS WILL FALL

Passes from \$265



REGISTER
cco.ca/riseup

Encounter Jesus,
Experience community,
Transform your life.



Employment Opportunities



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/>



JOIN US

CASUAL OR FULL TIME 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 school transportation experience
- ✓ Have a safe driving record
- ✓ Foster a safe, welcoming environment
- ✓ Are reliable and team-oriented

Candidates must submit the CISKD Support Staff Application Form located on our website at 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. 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

Coordinator of Marriage Services – Archdiocese of Saint Boniface

The Coordinator of Marriage Services supports and implements Marriage Formation Ministry across the Archdiocese of Saint Boniface according to the Marriage Catechumenate model put forward by the Vatican's Dicastery for Laity, Family and Life. In collaboration with the Archdiocesan Pastoral Services Team, clergy, parish teams, volunteers, diocesan partners and Catholic marriage movements, the Coordinator advances premarital formation, lifelong enrichment, crisis support for couples, and pastoral care for separated or divorced Catholics.

The role develops and promotes formation resources, equips parish leaders, coordinates programs and events, responds to inquiries, and supports priorities such as the Marriage Catechumenate within the Archdiocese of Saint Boniface. To apply, email a resume and cover letter to James Kautz, Director of Pastoral Services, at jkautz@archsaintboniface.ca. To read the complete position description, please go to <https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/main.php?p=424#gsc.tab=0>. The deadline for applications is November 16, 2026. Only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.