

HOLY CHILD PARISH

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CORPUS CHRISTI

June 6, 2021

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday to Friday - 9am

Saturday - 6pm

Sunday - 9am/10:30am

Sacred Heart, Penticton First Nations -  
Sunday 1pm

*Welcome to Church!*

*Please register through the Parish  
website for the weekend Masses*

<https://www.holychildchurch.com>

*Communion will follow in the parking lot  
after the 9am and 10:30am Mass.*

*Mass can be listened to from the parking  
lot on radio frequency 99.9.*

*Mass continues to be livestreamed*

<https://www.twitch.tv/holychildchurch>



## MASS INTENTION

JUNE

8 - (I) CYNTHIA &  
MICHEL TANQUE

9 - (I) TERRI WERBESKI

10 - (R) HENRY BERNARD

11 - (R) ANDREW FICEK

12 - (R) BERNIE BARTIER

## SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

For the month of May

May 2 - \$2,125

May 9 - \$960

May 16 - \$3,950

May 23 - \$1,310

May 30 - \$909

*Thank you so much for your  
support!*

## **IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT:**

### **OUR CHURCH IS NOW OPEN!**

### **ALL WEEKDAYS AND SUNDAY MASSES WILL BE HELD INSIDE THE CHURCH.**

1. UP TO 50 PEOPLE, INCLUSIVE OF THE PRIEST, READERS AND SACRISTANS ARE ALLOWED. TWO EXTRA PEOPLE (USHERS) ARE ALLOWED BEYOND FIFTY PEOPLE.
2. ENSURE PROPER CLEANING AND SANITIZING.
3. CONTRACT TRACING MUST BE DONE BY PRE-REGISTRATION. PLEASE CHECK THE PARISH WEBSITE TO REGISTER.
4. ANYONE ATTENDING MUST CARRY OUT AND PASS A HEALTH CHECK. AN EXAMPLE IS FOUND AT: <https://www.worksafebc.com/en/resources/health-safety/posters/help-prevent-spread-covid-19-entry-check-workers?lang=en>
5. SOCIAL DISTANCING OF TWO METERS MUST BE MAINTAINED FOR ALL THOSE NOT OF THE SAME HOUSEHOLD.
6. FACE COVERINGS ARE MANDATORY FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS.
7. FACE COVERINGS MUST BE WORN BY THE PRIEST, READERS EXCEPT WHEN SPEAKING. A THREE-METER DISTANCE MUST BE MAINTAINED BETWEEN THEM AND THE PARTICIPANTS.
8. A CHOIR IS NOT ALLOWED.
9. A SOLOIST IS ALLOWED AND MUST WEAR FACE COVERING. WHEN SINGING, THE FACE COVERING MAY BE REMOVED, BUT ONLY IF THERE IS A 3-METER DISTANCE BETWEEN THE SOLOIST AND PARTICIPANTS OR A PHYSICAL BARRIER THAT BLOCKS THE TRANSMISSION OF DROPLETS.
10. PARTICIPANTS MUST NOT GATHER OR SOCIALLY ENGAGE WITH OTHER PARTICIPANTS BEFORE, DURING OR AFTER MASS INSIDE THE CHURCH.
11. PARTICIPANTS MUST DISPERSE IMMEDIATELY AFTER MASS, AND MUST NOT CONGREGATE WITH OTHER PARTICIPANTS WHO ARE LEAVING OR ARRIVING FOR THE NEXT MASS.
12. DURING COMMUNION, PARTICIPANTS WILL JUST STAY IN THEIR SEATS. MINISTERS WILL JUST GO AROUND TO DISTRIBUTE COMMUNION.
13. ACCORDING TO VARIANCES, A PERSON IS NOT REQUIRED TO WEAR FACE COVERING IF THEY ARE; UNDER 12 YEARS OLD, CANNOT PUT ON OR TAKE OFF THE FACE COVERING THEMSELVES, BECAUSE OF A PSYCHOLOGICAL BEHAVIOUR OR HEALTH CONDITION, PHYSICAL OR COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENT, TO COMMUNICATE WITH SOMEONE WITH DISABILITY.

**PLEASE DO NOT FORGET TO REGISTER AT OUR PARISH WEBSITE. THANK YOU!**

## **IMPORTANT REMINDER:**

Volunteers in different ministries in the parish whose SAFE ENVIRONMENT application has already expired, please renew your application. It is for strict compliance.

Email or call the Parish Office if you have inquiries.

Here is the link to get your CRC online: <https://justice.gov.bc.ca/eCRC/home.htm>

Ask for your SE Application from the Parish Office. THANK YOU.



**Statement from the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops  
following the recent discovery  
at the former Kamloops Indian Residential School  
on the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc First Nation**

On behalf of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB), I express our deepest sorrow for the heartrending loss of the children at the former Kamloops Indian Residential School on the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc First Nation.

The news of the recent discovery is shocking. It rekindles trauma in numerous communities across this land. Honouring the dignity of the lost little ones demands that the truth be brought to light.

This tragedy profoundly impacts Indigenous communities, with whom many people across this land and throughout the world now stand in solidarity.

As we see ever more clearly the pain and suffering of the past, the Bishops of Canada pledge to continue walking side by side with Indigenous Peoples in the present, seeking greater healing and reconciliation for the future.

We lift up prayers to the Lord for the children who have lost their lives and pledge our close accompaniment of Indigenous families and communities.

May our Creator God bless all of us with consolation and hope.

+ Richard Gagnon  
Archbishop of Winnipeg and  
President of the Canadian Conference  
of Catholic Bishops

31 May 2021



## Office of the Bishop

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31 May 2021

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Greetings in the Lord!

On behalf of the Diocese of Nelson, please join with me in offering our thoughts and prayers to the members of the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc First Nation in remembrance of the deceased children, whose remains were recently discovered at the former Kamloops Indian Residential School.

Our Faith teaches us the importance of respecting and honouring all those who have gone before us. Please pray for the repose of the souls of these children, for comfort and consolation for those who mourn their loss, and for spiritual healing and peace in the hearts of all those affected.

Our Creator is a loving and merciful God, who cares for each and every one of us. We commend the souls of these children to Him, and may their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Sincerely in Christ our Lord,

✠ Gregory J Bittman  
Bishop of Nelson



Archdiocese  
of Vancouver

## Expression of Commitment

June 2, 2021

Dear First Nations governments and all Indigenous communities, families and citizens,

In light of the heartbreaking disclosure of the remains of 215 children at the former Kamloops Indian Residential School, I am writing to express my deep apology and profound condolences to the families and communities that have been devastated by this horrific news. Each time new evidence of a tragedy is revealed, or another victim comes forward, countless wounds are reopened, and I know that you experience renewed suffering.

I take this opportunity to reflect upon the apology I gave publicly before the Truth and Reconciliation Commission in 2013, words to which I remain committed and accountable: “I wish to apologize sincerely and profoundly to the survivors and their families, as well as to all those subsequently affected, for the anguish caused by the deplorable conduct of those Catholics who perpetrated mistreatment of any kind in these residential schools.” The Church was unquestionably wrong in implementing a government colonialist policy which resulted in devastation for children, families and communities.

If words of apology for such unspeakable deeds are to bring life and healing, they must be accompanied by tangible actions that foster the full disclosure of the truth. Truth comes before reconciliation. On behalf of the people of the Archdiocese of Vancouver, I commit to the following first steps in support of the Nations, families and communities impacted by the recent heartrending disclosure:

1. We will be fully transparent with our archives and records regarding all residential schools, and strongly urge all other Catholic and government organizations to do the same. Our records regarding the Kamloops Indian Residential School (Tk’emlúps te Secwépemc) were provided to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission and will remain available for review.
2. We will offer and support mental health support and counselling for family members and others whose loved ones may be buried on the site of the former Kamloops Indian Residential School.
3. We will offer to assist with technological and professional support to help the Tk’emlúps te Secwépemc and other affected Nations in whatever way they choose to honour, retrieve and remember their deceased children.
4. We commit to supporting the same process and resources to all Nations in whose territories Catholic-run residential schools were forcibly located, and which fall within the historical boundaries of the Archdiocese of Vancouver.
5. We will renew our efforts to listen to Indigenous Peoples to hear from you how we can best walk with you along the path of justice.

We recognize that there is so much work remaining to be done, yet we hope that, if we persevere in these commitments with humility, we can restore the trust among us that will bring healing.

Sincerely yours,

+ J. Michael Miller, CSB  
Archbishop of Vancouver

## PARISH CONTACT LIST

**PASTOR:** Fr. Ruben B. Buela

Rectory Tel: 250-494-2266

**PARISH OFFICE:** Tel: 250-494-

3110/holychildparish@shaw.ca

Office Hours: Tuesday - Friday 9:30am-1:00pm

Parish Secretary: Claire Nowen

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** By  
appointment

**ADORATION:** Every Friday 9:30am - 11:00am

### PARISH CONTACT LIST

<u>Position</u>	<u>Telephone</u>	<u>Name</u>
Council Chair	250-494-7972	Bernadine J.
Finance Council Chair	250-494-1983	Scott A.
Sacristans	1-778-740-0508	Roy M.
Music Ministry	250-494-5921	Imelda K.
Eucharistic Ministers	250-494-7972	Bernadine J.
Lectors/Commentators	250-494-8418	Neil M.
Catechism	250-494-8418	Shirley M.
Safe Environment Rep. Youth Coordinator Development & Peace	250-494-9590	John M.
Sick/Homebound Services	250-809-1734	Terri W.
Greeters	250-494-9220	Anne-Marie
Holy Cross School Office	250-492-4480	
Knights of Columbus	250-494-8808	Roy E.
Catholic Women's League	778-516-0211	Sandra S.
Ministerial Singers	250-809-1734	Terri W.

## PRAYER LIST

*LORD HEAR OUR PRAYERS FOR OUR  
BROTHERS AND SISTERS...*

**George Szucs, John Morrissey, Debra Webb,  
Christine Delaurier, Vivian Dolezsar,  
Philomena Keogan, Eugene Chorneyko, Rosa  
Santos, Kathryn Simpson, Toran Younge, Anne  
Arthur, Nick Deuling, Olivia Whitfield-Carson,  
Sandy Jaser, Malinowski Family, Carrie  
Malinowski, Jennifer Knoll, Reid & Anne  
Watson, Paul Pasqualetto, Kian Hooshmand-  
Hall, Dawna Werbeski, Pat Thomas, Sheila  
Dafluyen, Betty Jolie, Chrissy Kozier, Richard  
Roess, Cecilia Roess, Jack Rowland, Jo-Ann  
Rowland, Jody Richter, Geraldine Koropchuk,  
Bill Appel, Cindy Garner, Dina Tremblay,  
Rachel Donegan. Jenny Pilkington, Sophie  
Graydon, Renee Tameling, Gail Brice, Patricia  
Horan, Jack Jolie, Nancy Brooks, Mirjana  
Kopljenovic, Todd Brice, Mason Webb, Bob  
Butler, Manuela Ungureanu Sr. Pat  
Derbyshire, Maria Ladeira, Belinda De Sousa,  
Leanne McHugh, Wills Hodgkinson, Denise  
McDonald (daughter of M. Harrington), Lloyd  
Jolie, Linda Haworth.**



### **PRAYER FOR HEALING**

Father, thank you for loving us  
and calling us out of darkness.  
There are those of us in need of  
your healing virtue today, by His  
Stripes we were healed. Father,  
we bind up all sickness and  
disease, and loose your healing  
virtue unto your children. For  
those going into surgery, we loose  
guidance to the hands of the  
surgeons. Touch all the sick  
and shut ins today and restore  
health to their bodies. In Jesus'  
precious name,

**Amen!**

Happy Birthday



Happy Birthday



**FROM HOLY CHILD PARISH CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:**

## **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Holy Child CWL congratulates Helen Schaeffer on her 95<sup>th</sup> birthday (June 14<sup>th</sup>) and especially, on 76 years as a registered member of The Catholic Women's League of Canada! As a founding president of the League in Holy Child Parish, Helen has served 4, possibly 5 terms as president! She is our "Wealth of Knowledge" concerning the history of the parish and the CWL in Summerland. Best wishes, Helen on these remarkable achievements.



### ***YOU ARE INVITED!***

*The CWL will host an open house garden party to celebrate Helen's Birthday and service to our League.*

*All parish ladies are welcome!*

*This will happen on Thursday June 17th from 1 -3 pm at 6302 Hillborn Street, in Sandra's garden.*

*Phase 2 will allow 50 people outside.*

*Call Sylvia 778 516 4341 or Sandra 778 516 0211 for info.*

## **CHURCH DONATIONS**

There are different ways to donate:

### **1.SAG (Pre-Authorized Giving)**

Please call the parish office for a form.

### **2. E-TRANSFER**

Log in to your bank account and e-transfer your donation to:

[etransfer.HCPS@nelsondiocese.org](mailto:etransfer.HCPS@nelsondiocese.org)

Your donation goes directly into the parish bank account. Password is no longer needed. Please indicate in the message box of the e-transfer to which fund the donation is intended. For example: Sunday Offering, Special Church Care, Christmas, one of the Ordered Collections, or if it is to be split between two or more of these.

### **3. MAIL**

Please mail your donation to the parish address at the top of the bulletin.



**Thank you so much for your continued support.**

## *Rachel's Corner*

*"As a man this is something we don't talk about, even with our closest friends. For years I privately carried the guilt, shame, and regret over the loss of my child. Attending the retreat allowed me to finally open up and share with others that have been down the same road. Through this I was able to open my heart to receiving God's forgiveness." Testimonial*

Once we find a safe place in which to release that burden we carry, we make room for the healing to begin. Join us on a Rachel Retreat.

[info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com](mailto:info@rachelsvineyardkelowna.com)  
[www.rachelsvineyardkelowna.com](http://www.rachelsvineyardkelowna.com)

fb Rachel's Vineyard Kelowna  
250-762-2273

## **MESSAGE FROM HOLY CROSS SCHOOL**

### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Holy Cross School and the Parent Support Group are offering three \$1000 Scholarships to students graduating from our three local High Schools this year. It is open to all students who finished their grade 8 year at Holy Cross School.**

**Please contact Mr. Campbell at [hcprincipal@cisnd.ca](mailto:hcprincipal@cisnd.ca) for an application.**

**Due date for applications is June 15<sup>th</sup> 2021.**



# Chalice



**"IF YOU CANNOT HELP 100 PEOPLE,  
THEN JUST HELP ONE!"**

**MOTHER TERESA**

Chalice works in impoverished communities to help struggling families overcome the cycle of poverty. Education is the first and most important step in breaking the cycle. Too often, children must skip class or drop out of school to carry water, care for siblings, or earn money for their families.

Sponsorship gives children the support needed to overcome obstacles so they can attend and stay in school, and allows families to provide nutritious food and better care for their children. Children are selected for sponsorship based on need and family circumstances, regardless of race, age, ability, gender, or religion. Education gives every child the opportunity to shine.

**[Become a sponsor today.](#)**

**PLEASE VISIT [www.chalice.ca](http://www.chalice.ca) or  
call 1-800-776-6855**

**Thank you!**



## **HOLY CHILD PARISH IS IN NEED OF A CUSTODIAN**

### **Custodian Position Description**

#### **(Diocesan Employment Policy for Lay Employees)**

This is a part time job – 3 HOURS/WEEK

**Summary** Reporting to the Pastor or his designate, the Custodian maintains the church and Parish centre and associated grounds. **Basic Position Description:** To clean and maintain the Parish buildings and grounds. **Duties and Responsibilities**

- Clean washrooms, dust all surfaces, clean glass windows and surfaces, dry mop or vacuum all floors and remove garbage and recycle items from Parish buildings.
- Ensure that the sacristy and church (e.g., pews, floors) are clean at all times.
- Maintain the carpets and hard-surfaced floors periodically.
- Perform and/or report necessary repairs.
- Keep all equipment in good working order.
- Coordinate periodic fire inspections.
- Maintain the grounds, lawns and flowerbeds as required.
- Clear snow and ice from sidewalks and walkways and maintain the spring, autumn and winter checklists required by the diocesan insurance policy.
- Arrange for power sweeping of parking lots and line painting if required.
- Maintain the cleaning supplies inventory and order supplies as needed within the approved budget.
- Update and maintain records contained within the diocesan “Arson Risk Management Compliance Declaration.”
- Provide other duties as required.

**PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE FOR APPOINTMENT IF YOU DESIRE TO APPLY.**