

**HOLY CHILD PARISH**

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TREASURES  
Heaven



**June 13, 2021**

**11<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**



**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Tuesday to Friday - 9am**

**Saturday - 6pm**

**Sunday - 9am and 10:30am**

**Sacred Heart, Penticton First Nations -**

**Sunday 1pm**

*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 91.9 FM.*

*Mass continues to be livestreamed*

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



**MASS INTENTION**

**JUNE**

**15 - (R) CHARLES STRUNK**

**16 - (R) FRANCIS NAKAGAWA**

**17 - (R) NORA RELUCIO**

**18 - (I) BRIAN JAEB**

**19 - (R) DENIS BOUILLET**

**25<sup>th</sup> EPISCOPAL ANNIVERSARY**

**Congratulations to Bishop Emeritus Eugene Cooney who celebrates the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his episcopal ordination on Friday, June 11! Bishop Emeritus Cooney was bishop of the Diocese of Nelson between 1996 and 2007. May God bless Bishop Cooney as we give thanks for his service in our diocese! Let us always include him in our prayers.**

## **IMPORTANT REMINDER FOR ATTENDING MASS:**

**OUR CHURCH IS OPEN!**

**ALL WEEKDAY 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!**

## **SAFE ENVIRONMENT APPLICATIONS:**

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.

# STATEMENTS from the Bishops regarding Kamloops Indian Residential School (Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc)



## Office of the Bishop

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

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CONFÉRENCE DES ÉVÊQUES CATHOLIQUES DU CANADA  
CANADIAN CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS

### 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 (CCCCB), 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



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**

## 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 Da-flyen, 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 Komljenovic, 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, Beverley Monk & family.



### **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!**

## HOLY CHILD PARISH FIRST COMMUNICANTS



*CONGRATULATIONS!*

**Liam Shaw**  
**Claire McPhedran**  
**Carmella Pagliocchini**

on receiving the Holy Eucharist for the first time on Sunday June 13.

**Our prayers!**

*"I am the bread of life... whoever eats this bread will live forever." John 6: 35-58*

## MESSAGE FROM HOLY CROSS SCHOOL

### SCHOLARSHIP

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.

*Happy Birthday*



*Happy Birthday*



FROM HOLY CHILD PARISH CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:

***C.O.N.G.R.A.T.U.L.A.T.I.O.N.S.!***

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.*



***"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.

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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.**

## PARISH CONTACT LIST

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

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### PARISH OFFICE:

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Email: [holychildparish@shaw.ca](mailto: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

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

## 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.**

**God bless your generous hearts!**

### *Rachel's Corner*

*"The pain of loss feels helpless because it comes from the past, and the past is a place where we have no power. We can't do anything about the past because it is already over. It no longer exists for us to control. Loss is very painful until we cross over. We must cross over from the past to the present, from what we had to what we have."*

- The Black Swan by Susan Anderson

Have you been suffering from that pain of loss since the day of the abortion decision? Join us on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and invite healing into that wound.

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