

# 3RD SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 8TH, 2026

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<b>Sunday Mass:</b> 10 AM; Saturday 5 PM. <b>Weekday Masses:</b> Mon—Sat 9 AM <b>Rosary:</b> ½ hr after Mass <b>Mass at Dunrovin:</b> Last Wed of ea. Month <b>Adoration:</b> Fridays 9:30 am to 4 pm <b>Reconciliation:</b> before Sunday Mass <b>Baptism, Wedding &amp; Funeral:</b> by appt.	<b>Parish Organizations:</b> Planning: <i>Dan Canuel</i> ; Finance: <i>Carole Holtzman</i> ; Knights: <i>Allan McDonald</i> ; CWL: <i>Audrey Quechuck</i> ; CFFC: <i>Yvonne Lebrun</i> ; Children's Mass: <i>Mary Jacques</i>



**SCHOOL NEWS:** Kindergarten registration now open. See posters on bulletin board <https://stannsschool.ca/> <https://stannsschool.ca/wp-content/uploads/New-Enrollment-2026.pdf> <https://ciskd.ca/careers/>

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** meeting Monday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm

**GIFT CARDS** available at the school office and in the church foyer after 10 am Mass.

**LEGION OF MARY:** meets Tuesdays after Mass for the rosary, followed by visitations.

**GIFTS:** items are available at the parish office, 9:45 to 2:45 Monday to Friday.



## MINISTRY SCHEDULE YEAR C

	MAR 14, 5PM	MAR 15, 10AM
<b>READ</b>	G. GRANT	A MCDONALD
<b>EUCH</b>		D. CANUEL
<b>MUSI</b>	B. DOUGHERTY	ST. ANN'S CHOIR
<b>USHE</b>	VOLUNTEER	KNIGHTS

**LAST SUNDAY'S DONATIONS: \$4,871.00**  
**On average needed/wk: \$4,025.00**  
**Our current average: \$3,843.61**  
**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**  
 Our parish accepts donations through Interac email transfer: [giving@stannsquesnel.org](mailto:giving@stannsquesnel.org) Online Pink envelope donations to the school (include your name and address): [payments@stannseagles.com](mailto:payments@stannseagles.com)

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**FAITH IN ACTION: CAMPAIGN 35: PILGRIMS OF HOPE PLEDGES: 54**  
**AMOUNT: \$76,780.00 PARISH GOAL: \$23,430.00 O/G JAN TO JULY: \$1,425.00**  
**DEPOSIT RETURN FIA FEB 2<sup>ND</sup> OVERGOAL AS OF DEC 31<sup>ST</sup>: \$51,925.00**

**Income Tax receipts are mailed out**

**THE MONTH OF MARCH IS DEDICATED TO ST. JOSEPH**

## DIOCESAN NEWS:



“There is nothing easier than to pray to God and nothing is more comforting.” -*St. John Vianney*

Devotion to the Eucharist is the most noble, because it has God as its object; it is the most profitable for salvation, because it gives us the Author of Grace. (St. Pope Pius X)

### **The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of March 2026**

For disarmament and peace. Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

Prayerful wishes to Fr. Andrew L’Heureux who celebrates his birthday on March 2nd, Fr. Donal O’Reilly who celebrates his birthday on March 16th, Bishop Joseph Nguyen who celebrates his birthday March 25th, and Fr. Fred Weisbeck who celebrates his birthday on March 29th!



**Kindergarten Registration**

Open for 2026-27

Discover the St. Ann's Advantage today!

Welcoming you to:

- Full time Kindergarten
- Faith based
- Academics
- Art & Creativity
- Social Learning
- Science Exploration

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# MASS INTENTIONS, PRAYERS AND DEVOTIONS

9	Mon	9 AM	Father's Intention
10	Tues	9 AM	+John & Carlotta Lazzarin
11	Wed	7:15 AM	CWL Members living & deceased
12	Thur	9 AM	+Marie deJong
13	Fri	9 AM	+John & Fioretta McDonald
14	Sat	10 AM	+Rose Stoltz Funeral Mass
		5 PM	+members of the Knights of Columbus
15	Sun	10 AM	St. Ann's Parishioners
<p><i>Please pray for Mike Sleccka, Filbey Family, Sandra Vaughan, Geraldine Sill, and all those shut-in and ill.</i></p>			



## APPEAL FOR HELP – CANADIAN FOOD FOR CHILDREN

Our local committee, a subcommittee of the CWL, is in urgent need of used cotton or flannelette sheets which they use to make rolled bandages, diapers, quilts, etc for the poor in over 2

dozen developing countries. More helping hands to cut, iron, stitch and roll are also very welcome. **Contact Yvonne Lebrun 250-255-3349**

**Want Father to visit you?** There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church. Write your name and phone number and he will call to arrange a day and time with you. His phone number is at the top of the page.

The parish is considering a pictorial directory. The last one was done in 2016. Is anyone willing to help organize it? Please contact the Parish Office. It will be our 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary as a Parish.

At the same time we will be organizing a Parish Census.

The Church celebrates the Optional Memorial of St. Frances of Rome (1384-1440). In the fifteenth century Frances, among the noble ladies of that great city, showed herself an example of what a Christian wife should be. After the death of her husband she retired from the world and lived in a monastery of Oblates that she had founded under the Rule of St. Benedict. God favored her with the visible presence of her guardian angel with whom she conversed familiarly.



<https://www.catholicculture.org/culture/liturgicalyear/calendar/day.cfm?date=2026-03-09>

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS: 6:30 PM

Soup and Bun every Friday during Lent at 5:30 PM

Here is the following schedule:



MAR 13 <sup>TH</sup>	Filipino ladies & gentlemen
MAR 20 <sup>TH</sup>	Legion of Mary
MAR 27 <sup>TH</sup>	Cath. Women's League

### **Soup bowls, utensils, cups and napkins are provided.**

- Each group should bring 2 pots of soup, and two dozen buns.
- Choose from among your group who will read the Stations of the Cross and who will carry the cross.

**During Lent season make time for God, especially confess our sins, according to the tradition of the Catholic Church, before a big feast, we need to confess our sin to prepare the way for the coming of God. When we receive an important guest, what do we do? We clean our house and prepare tea and so on! So, receiving God in Holy Communion, we also should clean our soul and our heart. (Canon 989)**

### **Diocesan Eucharistic Adoration to pray for the diocese and for vocations.**

Adoration for Kamloops Diocese is in progress throughout the Diocese.

Thank you to all who participated for your time and treasure.

### **Janet Chalmers Memorial Award Application**

The Janet Chalmers Memorial Award is awarded annually to a child or grandchild of an active member of St. Ann's C.W.L. The applicant must be an active member of St. Ann's Parish who is graduating from Grade 12 in Quesnel in 2026, and is planning to further their education within eighteen months.

**PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION TO THE PARISH OFFICE BY MAY 4TH, 2026**

**Application forms are in the back of the church**

**WANTED:** Maintenance Person for jobs around the church and hall. 20 hours per week.  
Please drop off your resume at the Parish Office.