

Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time – Remembrance Sunday **Bulletin for November 11th, 2018**



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MASS SCHEDULES

Sunday Masses

Our Lady of the Mountains

Saturday at 5:00 pm

Sunday at 9:00 am

St. Christopher's

Sunday at 11:00 am

St. Francis of Assisi

Sunday at 12:30 pm

Weekday Masses

(November 12th to November 16th)

Our Lady of the Mountains

***NO Weekday Masses
this week***

St. Christopher's

NO Weekday Mass until Spring

St. Francis of Assisi

NO Weekday Masses this week

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Before and after daily Mass,
also at Our Lady of the Mountains,
Saturdays at **4:00 pm to 4:45 pm**,
Sundays at **8:00 am to 8:45 am**
or by appointment by calling
Fr. Dale at 604-938-6643

"There are two ways of uniting ourselves with the Lord...prayer and the Sacraments." *St. John Vianney*

Scripture Reflection

Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Taken from *the Word among us* – November 2018

This poor widow... (Mark 12:43)

Let's take a short Bible quiz based on today's readings.

1. "The fatherless and the _____ he sustains" (Psalm 146:9)
2. The woman who helped Elijah in today's first reading is often called "the _____ of Zarepath" (Luke 4:26)
3. The woman who put two small coins into the Temple treasury in today's Gospel was a _____ (Mark 12:42)

If you answered "widow" for all three, you're right. From Ruth and Naomi to the old woman in today's Gospel, widows play an important role in Scripture. Along with orphans, they are considered the most vulnerable of people. And it's because of how humble, needy and powerless they are that God has a special love for them. It's also why he commands us to treat them in a special way.

The heroine in today's Gospel had nothing to offer people. She had no money, no social status, no influence that would help anyone get ahead. She was probably too old to care for children or to do even menial housework. All anyone could do was give to her – care for her, protect her, and treat her with respect and honour.

Jesus himself seemed to have a special love for widows; He went out of his way to raise, from the dead, the son of a lonely widow (Luke 7:11-17). He told a story about a persistent widow to teach us how to pray (18:1-8). And he made sure his disciples saw the generosity of the widow in the Temple.

Jesus has commanded us also to have a special care for widows – along with widowers, orphans, the vulnerable and the needy as well. Some of them are hanging on by a thread, and they need our help.

What's more, caring for God's beloved poor also has the power to rescue us from selfishness, pride and self-sufficiency. It teaches us to serve as Jesus does. In the end, it just may be what will save us.

"Lord, help me to love the widow and the orphan, not just with my thoughts, but with my hands as well."

Office Hours

Monday to Friday

9:00 am to 2:00 pm

In important matters please call
the rectory at 604-938-6643

The Diocese of Kamloops

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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES



† EMC (Extraordinary Ministers
of Holy Communion)

Saturday: **Arlene**

Sunday: **Edita**

† Lectors

Sat, Nov 17th: **Ralph**

Sun, Nov 18th: **Margot**

Coffee

Sun, Nov 18th: **Dagmar**

Holy Hour for Families

You are invited to attend a Holy Hour on Friday November 16 at 7pm at Our Lady of Perpetual Help for the intentions of all families.



Retrouvaille Weekend for Couples

30 November - 2 December 2018
Barnabas Landing, Keats Island

Retrouvaille offers a welcoming and loving space to couples who have been living with the misery of a failing marriage. Retrouvaille offers hope: hope that it is not too late; hope of a different and better marriage. Contact: 604-530-6710

or www.retrouvaillevancover.com

Welcome to Our Lady of the Mountains Catholic Church

We are a small Parish serving a very large visitor community. The majority of people you see in the church today are visitors from around the world. We rely on everyone's generosity to help us cover our daily operating costs. We want to sincerely thank you for being with us today and sharing in the life of the Holy Trinity in the celebration of the Eucharist. Thank you also for your generous donation.

Faith in Action Campaign 28

Parish Assessment OLOM	\$8,124	St. Francis of Assisi	\$1,412
Total Received	\$11,644		\$629

Money received over Parish Assessment goes to Parish Project:

Church interior renovation:	\$3520	Parking Lot Renovation	\$
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Please make your cheques payable to "Faith In Action."

The Book of the Names of the Dead

Write the names of the deceased members of your family in the Book of the Dead. Throughout November we include an intercession for those listed in our parish Book of the Names of the Dead. The Book is on the table at the front of the church.

*To you, O Lord, we commend the souls of your servants;
in the sight of this word they are now dead; in your sight may they live forever!*

November – Month of All Souls

Families can choose any day in November to honour their beloved dead by going to the cemetery and visiting a grave. Make the Sign of the Cross and say a short reading. *Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers* has a short ritual, "All Saints and All Souls and November: Visiting a Grave." Let us remind everyone that we all are saints-in-the-making.

Catechism at Our Lady of the Mountains, Whistler

Wednesdays after school 3:00 to 4:15

Registration forms can be found in the Church entry hall or online at:

www.whistlercatholicchurch.ca

Remembrance Day November 11

Canadians pause in silence to remember those who died in war and to pray for the victims of aggression and humanity throughout the world. This is a day to pray for peace, to consider what we are doing as individuals, as a community and as a nation to bring God's peace into the world. This in a day when a believing community should rededicate itself by prayer and action to the ideals Jesus gives us in the Beatitudes.

Saturday Mass at 5:00pm, Sunday Mass at 9:00 am, Whistler

Sunday Masses at 11:00am, Mt. Currie, 12:30pm, Pemberton

Calendar

Oct 27th - Nov 24th every Saturday - Christian Life Program, Our Lady of the Mountains, 6:00-9:00pm. Contact: Alan Lopez

Nov 9th - Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Nov 12th - St Josaphat, Bishop, Martyr

Nov 12th-16th Priests' Study Week – Harrison Hot Springs

Nov 14th- NO Catechism classes this week

Nov 15th- We are Family: Where Faith Meets Life – Kamloops

For more information: <https://www.rcdk.org/events/>

Nov 16th - 18th Seminary of Christ the King Vocation Live-in Retreat