

# Sixth Sunday of Easter

## Bulletin for May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019



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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

(May 27<sup>th</sup> to May 31<sup>st</sup>)

#### Our Lady of the Mountains

Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at 5:45 pm

Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup> at 5:45 pm

#### St. Christopher's

Thursday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

#### St. Francis of Assisi

Friday, May 31<sup>st</sup> at 9:00 am

### 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**

### Prayer Intentions

Please contact Fr. Dale or the parish office if you wish to have a prayer intention read at Mass.

### Scripture Reflection

*“Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him” (John 14:23)*

We have little problem understanding how love is an action. We can see love; the care that parents give children, the care that children give their elderly parents. We see love expressed by those close to us and by strangers, by the goodness of volunteers who keep so many programs viable, by young and old alike. But we rarely think of Believing as an action. Yet it is. Believing is as concrete and visible an action as love. Jesus promises to send us the Holy Spirit who will “teach us everything”. The Holy Spirit does not teach us *what* to believe, but, to *believe*. Believing is living what the Spirit teaches us. Believing is an action that marries love with presence.

God's love *is* divine life, divine indwelling. The Holy Spirit given to us *is* divine life, divine indwelling. The key to understanding the many parts of this gospel – loving, keeping Jesus' word, teaching, learning, receiving peace, believing – is divine indwelling. All these parts of the gospel are really expressions of our surrender to the God who dwell within us. Jesus' ascension paves the way for the Holy Spirit to come and dwell within us. This indwelling of divine Life teaches us to live with all the compassion and mercy, love and obedience, care and concern that exists within the Trinity itself.

The peace we receive is not absence of strife or contention, but the fruit of the Holy Spirit dwelling in us. Such love God gives us! We need not “be troubled or afraid”. We only need to love in return. Here is what is wholly new – God dwells within us!

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### The Pope's Pastoral Works – May 26<sup>th</sup>

A disastrous flood or earthquake strikes a nation at the other end of the world. Immediately many countries rush in food, medicine, blankets, money and trained people. Prominent among such aid is the financial help offered by the Holy Father to people in need. In the name of Catholics everywhere, he displays Christ's love and compassion for those who suffer. Each year at this time, Canadian Catholics are asked to give generously to this papal collection, which is passed on the Holy Father for his use among those stricken by natural disasters.

## Office Hours

**Monday, Wednesday,  
Thursday and Friday  
9:00 am to 3:00 pm**

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

## The Diocese of Kamloops

Please Visit:

[www.rcdk.org/pages/tuesday-newsletter](http://www.rcdk.org/pages/tuesday-newsletter)

Upcoming Events,  
Official Appointments,  
Catechetical Corner  
Job Postings:

[www.rcdk.org/news/job-postings-in-the-diocese](http://www.rcdk.org/news/job-postings-in-the-diocese)

Chancery Office  
tel: 250-376-3351  
visit [www.rcdk.org](http://www.rcdk.org)

## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES



### † EMC (Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion)

Saturday: **Arlene**  
Sunday: **Edita**

### † Lectors

Sat, June 1<sup>st</sup>: Jeanette  
Sun, June 2<sup>nd</sup>: Roberta

### Coffee

Sun, June 2<sup>nd</sup>: Lynn

## St. John Vianney

Words from our secondary  
patron, St. John Vianney on the  
Lord's Prayer:

We ought to say God: "I can do  
nothing of myself. I can only  
give you my desire to love you.  
Here it is! O my God, uphold  
me and *do all yourself*."

## Significant Weddings in 2019

Are you celebrating a significant  
wedding anniversary in 2019,  
25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup> or more?

The Diocese wants to know!  
Please provide your date of  
marriage and the parish name  
and location where you were  
married to Elena at the parish  
office in Whistler.

## 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	\$47,693		\$3,691

Money received over Parish Assessment goes to Parish Project:

Church interior renovation:	\$39,569	Parking Lot Renovation	\$2,279
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*Please make your cheques payable to "Faith In Action"*

## Anti-Human Trafficking Presentation

### June 1<sup>st</sup> at 2:30pm, Our Lady of the Mountains

Under the direction of Bishop Joseph Nguyen, the Kamloops Diocesan Anti-Human Trafficking Committee will make a presentation and then show a video that will delve into how we can prevent human trafficking before it happens. The session will be concluded by handing out prayer cards and postcards. Attendees would be invited to sign the postcards to be mailed to our politicians.

Donations are welcomed to help fund bus bench advertisements.

## First Holy Communion

### Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm Mass, Pot-Luck Supper to follow

"The Eucharist, although it is the fullness of sacramental life, is not a prize for the perfect but a powerful medicine and nourishment for the weak."

(Pope Francis – Evangelii Gaudium, 47)

Today our parish celebrates the First Holy Communion. This allows the entire community to rejoice with the children and their families:

*Camilla Reyes Cid*

*Sophia Monika Penelope Emm*

*Charlotte Gave*

*Kelsey Niahm Ungco Gualberto*

*Mary Elizabeth Maningo Quilantang*

*Poppy Marie Ruby Royal*

*Prince Liam Satuito Tubig*

The Eucharist is the climax of Christian initiation and the centre of the whole Christian Life.

## Calendar

**May 25<sup>th</sup> - First Holy Communion** - Our Lady of the Mountains

**May 26<sup>th</sup> - Pope's Pastoral Works - second Diocesan collection**

**June 1<sup>st</sup> - Anti-Human Trafficking presentation** - Our Lady of the Mountains, 2:30pm SHARP – 4:30pm

**June 2<sup>nd</sup> - Ascension of the Lord**

**June 9<sup>th</sup> - First Holy Communion** – St. Francis of Assisi, followed by Pot Luck Supper

**June 9<sup>th</sup> - Clergy Retreat** – Cache Creek

**June 29<sup>th</sup> - Sacrament of Confirmation with Bishop Joseph Nguyen**