

MISSION

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is a lay Catholic organization whose mission is:

To live the Gospel message by serving Christ in the poor with love, respect, justice and joy.

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As a Catholic lay organization, we will embrace the world in a network of charity, serving Christ in the suffering, the poor and the marginalized, bringing them love and respect, aid and development, hope and joy in a more just society.

We also seek to deepen our spirituality and the mutual love and support amongst members, so that, seeing how we serve those in need with one mind and heart, people are attracted to the Society and to Christ who animates it.

Prayer for Vincentian Vocations

Lord, we ask that you bless our Society by continuing to call men and women to serve you as full members of the Society of St Vincent de Paul.

We remember that many years before Vatican II called forth the vocation of the laity, Blessed Frederic and his companions recognized their vocation and so became our founders and our examples.

We pray for an increase in membership for our Conferences.

Help us seek and find those you have called.

Help us to encourage them to join us in serving the poor with love, respect, justice and joy.

We ask this through Jesus our brother

Amen



SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

Sacred Heart Isolated Conference Williams Lake



Please contact us for more information
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We would like to acknowledge that we are fortunate to be able to gather on the unceded traditional territory of the Williams Lake First Nation on the Secwepemc Nation.

What We Do

Sundays

Each Sunday we provide soup and sandwiches in Boitanjo Park to those that are hungry. After mass a group of volunteers meet to make up sandwiches and prepare a bagged lunch, which, along with soup and hot chocolate is distributed by volunteers in the park

Mondays

We continue to provide a modest bag of food items to those in need each Monday from the parking lot of the church.

Social Justice

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is concerned not only with alleviating need but also with identifying injustices that cause it.

Twinning

We support St. Jude's conference in the Commonwealth of the Dominica

Yuletide Dinner

We are happy to assist the Child Development Centre each Advent to provide a turkey dinner with all the trimmings to those that may go without.

How You Can Help

Donations

We are only able to operate as a result of the generous donations we receive. These may include:

Gift Cards

- Real Canadian Wholesale Club
- Freshco
- Walmart

Pledges

- Donors provide a year of posted cheques and a tax receipt is issued at the end of the year

Food Items

- Canned soup
- Canned tuna
- Mac & Cheese
- Pork & Beans
- Canned vegetables
- Bread
- Sliced Cheese

How You Can Help

Poor Box Sunday

The 4th Sunday of each month the Poor Box is placed in the foyer of the church and donations are greatly appreciated. If you include your name and address a tax receipt will be issued.

Prayers

Continue to keep the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul, its members & volunteers and all those in need in your prayers.

Volunteer

We can use more help in our efforts to serve those in need. If you have 1 or 2 hours to spare each month and want to share your talents and time, and live the Gospel by serving those in need, we have a place for you.