



St. Joseph Parish, Colbert

Sun, Aug 26

- 8:30 am Mass
- 11:00 am Mass
- 3:30 pm Spokane Indians Baseball Game

Mon, Aug 27

- 10:00 am Women's Guild Board of Directors Meeting
- 7:00 pm Scouts

Tue, Aug 28

- 8:00 am Daily Mass
- 9:30 am Avalon Nursing Home Mass
- 10:30 am Northpointe Nursing Home Mass

Wed, Aug 29

- 8:00 am Daily Mass
- 9:00 am Quilt Charmers
- 7:00 pm Choir Practice

Thur, Aug 30

- 8:00 am Daily Mass
- 7:00 pm Knights' Officer & Directors Meeting

Fri, Aug 31

- 9:00 am Daily Mass
- 9:30 am Share the Word

Sat, Sept 1

- Food Sunday*
- 8:30 am Aerobics
- 4:30 pm Reconciliation
- 5:30 pm Mass
- 6:30 pm Wine & Cheese Social

Next Sunday, Sept 2

- Food Sunday*
- 8:30 am Mass
- 11:00 am Mass



Mass Intentions

- Mon, Aug 27 - Fr Dominic Pearson
- Tue, Aug 28 - Fr Rick Semple
- Wed, Aug 29 - Fr Matthew Nicks
- Thur, Aug 30 - Fr Dale Tuckerman
- Fri, Aug 31 - Fr Curtis Seidel
- Sat, Sept 1 - Parishioners of St Joseph
- Sun, Sept 2 - Jerry McCoy+; Patt Perlman



No Daily Mass

Please be aware that there will be NO DAILY MASS during the week of September 3rd - September 6th. Fr Brian will be attending the annual Priests' Convocation with all his brother priests of the diocese. Father will return in time to say Mass on Friday, September 7th at 9:00AM.



Blue Masses

On the weekend of September 8th and 9th all the Masses will be celebrated in honor of all those in our community who serve as first responders: law enforcement, fire fighters, ambulance crews, and the military. Please join us for these very special celebrations and help us thank these great public servants.



August 25-26, 2018



Knights of Columbus

If you are interested in helping those in need, serving our parish, growing in faith or obtaining exclusive access to top-rated insurance protection for your family, the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you. For more information, visit stjosephcolbert.org/kofc or contact Grand Knight Eric Hyman at 509-863-5597 or via email at eric@ghccontracting.com.

Buy a Brick

Thank you! Thanks to the generosity of the people of St Joseph Parish we are thrilled to report that our Buy a Brick Program proved to be a success. Nearly 200 bricks have been ordered! The order is being finalized and production of the bricks will begin soon. It won't be long before we take delivery of the bricks and can begin the process of installing them around the parish campus. As you know, proceeds from this program will be used to help complete the construction of our new rectory. Watch this space to see the final numbers from this program. Again, thank you!!



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Are you or someone you know interested in learning more about the Catholic Church? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) prepares and welcomes the unbaptized or those baptized in other Christian faiths into the Catholic faith community. Sessions will start this Fall. Please contact Fr Brian in the parish office (466-4991) for more information.



School Supplies Drive

It's hard to believe but it's already time to start preparing for the kids to go back to school! At New Hope Resource Center school supply distribution will begin on August 23rd. Any and all school supplies are needed and very much appreciated. However, they find they often run short on scientific calculators, college-ruled composition books, protractors, pencil pouches/boxes, and colored pencils. Supplies may be dropped off at New Hope during office hours or placed in the donation bin marked "New Hope" located in the gathering space of our church. Thank you so much for your generosity and continued support of New Hope.



Wine and Cheese Social

Join us next Saturday, September 1st following the 5:30 PM Mass for another Wine and Cheese Social. This is a great opportunity to get caught up after the summer. See you there!

Stewardship Report

June 2018	
Income	\$29,664.57
Expense	<u>37,912.58</u>
NET	(\$ 8,248.01)

Thank You!

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



Women's Guild

The Women's Guild welcomes and includes all parish women in its membership and all women are invited to join in our social events, fundraising activities, outreach projects, and Circle groups. Attending Women's Guild socials is a great way to meet other parish women and learn about all the Guild's activities.

- Health and Fitness Circle Sat mornings at 8:30 AM
- Share the Word Bible Study Fridays after 9:00 AM Mass
- Board of Directors Mon, Aug 27 at 10:00 AM
- Community Outreach Mtg Mon, Sept 10 at 7:00 PM
- Book Circle Wed, Sept 12 at 7:00 PM

If you are interested in the Women's Guild, contact either Shari Russell at 465-0803 or Kathy Catron at 467-2621.

Book Circle

The Book Circle of the Women's Guild meets once each month for a book discussion, snacks, and fellowship. Below is the list of the upcoming books that have been selected for discussion:

Wed, Sept 12	<i>The Happiness Project</i> by Gretchen Rubin
Wed, Oct 10	<i>Lilac Girls: A Novel</i> by Martha Hall Kelly
Wed, Nov 14	<i>Before We Were Yours</i> by Lisa Wingate
Wed, Dec 12	<i>Winter Street</i> by Eric Hildebrand
Wed, Jan 9	<i>The Alchemist</i> by Paulo Coelho
Wed, Feb 13	<i>Moby Dick</i> by Herman Melville
Wed, Mar 13	<i>My Life with the Saints</i> by Fr James Martin, S.J.
Wed, Apr 10	<i>Last Bus to Wisdom</i> by Ivan Doig
Wed, May 8	<i>Quiet: The Power of Introverts in a World That Can't Stop Talking</i> by Susan Cain



All Book Circle meetings begin at 7:00 PM. Join the fun!!

BINGO is Back!!

Tuesday, September 11th is the return of BINGO. Join fellow parishioners for an afternoon of BINGO that will include lunch. No need to bring anything this month as the parish will provide pizza for lunch. The fun starts at noon. Everyone is welcome!!



Wisdomworks for Seniors

Mark your calendars now for the next session of *Wisdomworks for Seniors*. Sr Roberta and Sr Rosemary will be here on Monday, September 24th at 9:30 AM. Don't miss it!!

Religious Education Registration



Registration for Religious Education for children and youth is now open. Once again, you will be able to register and pay online. Just visit the parish website: www.stjosephcolbert.org and click on the **Faith Formation** tab. There are also registration forms available in the gathering space.

- Kindergarten through 5th Grade will meet on Sundays from 9:45 to 10:50 AM beginning Sunday, September 16th.

Youth Ministry

- Sixth through 8th graders can enroll in the Altius Middle School program, held on Wednesdays, starting Sept 12th from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM.
- Ninth through 12th Graders will register for Youth Group Nights, held on Sundays, starting Sept 9th, from 7:00 to 9:00 PM.

Religious Education Tuition

- Tuition for Religious Education is as follows:

One child	\$30
Two children	\$60
Three children	\$80
Four or more	\$100

- Tuition is the same amount for all children - Grades K-12!

We are all excited for the start of another great year. Thank you for sharing your children with us!

Religious Ed Welcome Back Breakfast

Join us on Sunday, September 9th between the two Masses for a Welcome Back breakfast for all the children of the parish and their families. A free-will offering will be taken up. Don't miss this chance for your children to reconnect with their classmates and to kick the school year off right!



Silent Day of Prayer

Listening and Mindfulness: How to Navigate Prayer in Our Busy Lives
Fr. Mike Kwiatowski

Taking time to listen does not come naturally to most of us. This day will focus on increasing our awareness of Christ each day through calm mindfulness and listening. Fr Mike will discuss various ways and tools to accomplish this, and bring forward Mary, the model of listening, since she "heard the Word of God and kept it!" The Silent Day of Prayer includes the Mass, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation, two conferences, and lunch and concludes with the Rosary and Adoration.



\$38 per person (\$48 with the use of a private room for the day.)

Join Fr Mike on Wednesday, September 19th from 9:00 AM until 3:00 PM. More information and registration, visit www.ihrc.net.