

This Sunday, May 16

8:30 am Mass / CLW / Preschool
 9:30 am Lector / Eucharistic Minister Training
 11:00 am Mass / CLW / Preschool
 12 Noon Altar Server Training
 7:00 pm Sr. High Youth Group
 5:30 - 9 pm Teen Aid Program



Monday, May 17

7:30 am Mass
 9:30 am Wisdomworks Workshop
 6:00 pm Religious Ed Meeting
 7:00 pm Scouts

Tuesday, May 18

7:00 am Men's Reflective Hour
 9:15 am Nursing Home & Assisted Living Ministry
 6:00 pm Faith Formation
 7:00 pm Bridges

Wednesday, May 19

7:30 am Mass
 9:30 am Wisdomworks Workshop
 6:00 pm Yoga
 7:00 pm Finance Council
 7:00 pm Junior High Youth Group
 7:00 pm RCIA / RCIC
 7:00 pm SJM / JF II
 7:00 pm Job Search Workshop



Thursday, May 20

Friday, May 21

9:30 am Mass † *Betty Miller / Margaret Blair*
 10:00 am Women's Faith Sharing

Saturday, May 22

4:30 pm Reconciliation
 5:30 pm Mass

Next Sunday, May 23 - Pentacost

8:30 am Mass / CLW
 11:00 am Mass / CLW
 3 - 5 pm Senior High Youth Group End of Year Party



Looking Ahead

May 31 Memorial Day
 June 14 Summer Office Hours Begin: 8:30-12, M-Th
 July 12-16 Vacation Bible School

**Next Weekend's Liturgy
 Scripture Readings**

May 22-23

Pentacost

Acts 2:1-11 (63C)

1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

John 20:19-23



Finance Council Report

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP INCOME

\$ 6,734.00 Envelopes
 \$ 690.76 Plate
 \$ 0.00 Other
 \$ 7,424.76 Total



The Finance Council's Year-to-date stewardship income budget is \$305,654.83. We have achieved to-date \$292,796.14 - a shortage of \$12,858.69.

We have 710 families registered in the parish.

Knights of Columbus

www.stjosephcolbert.org/kofc

Officers Meeting - May 27th - 7:00 pm
 Business Meeting - June 3rd - 7:00 pm
 4th Degree - June 3rd (After Business Meeting)



Please remember to wear red in celebration of

Pentecost

Saturday, May 22nd and Sunday, May 23rd.



Annual Planting of the Annuals!

The St. Joseph Weed & Feed Society is holding the Annual Planting of the Annuals on Saturday, May 22nd at 9 am.

Bring a garden trowel and take part in beautifying the garden beds around the church!



Dining to Donate

Interfaith Hospitality of Spokane

Sponsored by Applebee's Neighborhood Grill & Bar, 9634 N Newport Hwy (Northpointe Shopping Center).
 Sundays, May 15th - June 27th.

Take a card from the display in the lobby and present it to your server. Applebee's will donate 10% of your total bill for the evening to Interfaith Hospitality of Spokane.

Register Your Children at St. Pat's!

Please register your children and grandchildren this week, preschool through 8th grade, at St. Patrick Catholic School for the 2010 - 2011 School year. St. Pat's has been educating children - mind, body, and soul - for nearly 100 years. Come into the School Office at 2706 E. Queen Avenue for a registration packet or call Maurice for more information, at (509) 638-2527. Welcome to St. Patrick School! God Bless You. Thank You!

Religious Education

The final class day for Preschool and Kindergarten will be May 16th. We'll have a special treat for all students during the class.

First Eucharist / Confirmation Pictures:

You may pick up your individual and group pictures in the office. They came out great! Thanks to our photographer, Bob Hess, who donated the pictures. We are deeply grateful for his generosity to our candidates.

Youth Minister Needed

St. Joseph Parish, Colbert, is accepting applications for a full time, 10 month position effective August 15, 2010.

Qualified applicants: a degree in Youth Ministry, Religious Studies, Pastoral Ministry, and/or Education, strong communication skills, and be a practicing Roman Catholic. Send Resume to the Parish office at 3720 E Colbert Rd, Colbert, WA 99005, fax to 466-4992 or email to stjoseph@cet.com. Resume deadline: June 1, 2010. Job descriptions are available in the parish office.

Wisdom Years Workshop

For anyone who may be getting older - this is for you!

St. Joseph Parish is sponsoring an excellent, enjoyable opportunity for fun, laughter, sharing, and gathering wisdom entitled "Living Fully the Wisdom Years" presented by Wisdomworks (Srs. Roberta Lamanna and Rosemary Thielman, snjm). This reflection time honors you and all that God calls you to be at this stage of life (55 through 90's +). The keys to aging will be presented in 4 sessions:

**May 17th, 19th and 24th (4th Session TBA)
 9:30 am -12:30 pm**

Lunch will be provided on the first day only. Mark your calendars! Registration information will be available in the parish office, or call Gina Roecker at 468-2291 for more information.

New Hope News

Garden Fest Weekend: New Hope will host its Annual Garden Fest, Memorial Day Weekend, May 28th - 29th. Please donate your old plastic pots and planters, organic potting mix and fertilizer, seeds and surplus garden tools. Larger pots make nice container gardens, so don't overlook sending them our way! Place your items in the donation bin in the coat closet, or drop them off at New Hope. Sponsors are needed to fund costs for raised garden beds for New Hope clients. \$50 will build a bed. You may send your donation directly to New Hope. Any amount would be appreciated.

New Hope Needs: We are currently in need of dish soap, light bulbs, lotion, shaving cream, razors, shampoo, conditioner and shower gel.

Teens "Stay Tuned...!"



Junior High

Wed, May 19th - Service Project for New Hope....Helping our friend Helen Hoerger in Chattaroy with some yard work. Permission slips and directions are in the office. We are meeting at her home at 6:20pm. Please dress weather appropriate and bring gloves and a rake!

Wed, May 26th - Fun Night. This is our last Youth Group Meeting until our Year End Party in June. If the weather is good we will do a little Capture the Flag and an awesome Q-tip/straw War!!!!

Senior High

Sun, May 16th - Youth Group will meet from 7pm to 9pm. This is our last youth group meeting until the end of the summer. Games, activities and talk!!!! Root Beer Floats! **Note: Those attending the Teen Aid class #3 will meet from 5:30pm to 9pm. Don't forget your Year End Party permission slips!!!!**

Year End Party - Sun, May 23rd at the Faulwells from 3 to 5pm. Directions and permission slips were mailed out and there are some in the office. If it is raining then this event will be at St. Josephs. **Permission slips due Sun, May 16th.**

Graduating Seniors!!

Rehearsal for Graduation Mass is Wednesday, June 2nd at 7pm. **YOU NEED TO BE HERE FOR THIS!!!!** If there is another event at school...please let me know ASAP so I can make sure you are prepared. **Graduation Mass** is Sunday, June 6th at 8:30. You need to be here by **8am** at the latest so we can go over details again and line everyone up!



Vacation Bible School

July 12th-16th, 9 am to Noon

This summer, set sail for the High Seas of VBS fun! Feel sea spray on your face as sails snap overhead-and you and your crew experience the deep, rolling waters of God's love! Each day during this high-action adventure kids will experience a surge of Bible truths in an engaging way. This year's program will welcome pre-K through grade 6 kids to High Seas Expedition-exploring the mighty love of God!

A successful VBS requires you, our volunteers. Our volunteers will help kids discover how God's word is true, comforting, and life-changing. There are many ways you can volunteer. Please contact Mary Gilman at 448-0237 or by email mary@axodys.com for more information. **God's Word is your guide and the Lord is your compass!** So climb aboard for the voyage of a lifetime!