

Weekly Schedule & Mass Intentions

Sunday, August 4, 2024

7:30 am — Reconciliation — Colfax
7:40 am — First Sunday Rosary — Colfax
8:00 am — Sunday Mass — Colfax
10:00 am — No Sunday Mass — St. John

Tuesday, August 6, 2024

No Daily Mass — Colfax

Wednesday, August 7, 2024

No Daily Mass — Colfax
No Daily Mass & Reconciliation — St. John

Thursday, August 8, 2024

No Daily Mass — Colfax
8:00 am to 6:00 pm—Eucharistic Adoration—Colfax
No Reconciliation — Colfax

Friday, August 9, 2024

No Daily Mass — Colfax
No Reconciliation — Colfax
9:00 am — Catholic Mothers Meeting — Colfax

Saturday, August 10, 2024

No Vigil Mass — LaCrosse
5:00 pm — Vigil Mass — Colfax

Sunday, August 11, 2024

8:00 am — Sunday Mass — Colfax
10:00 am — Sunday Mass — St. John

For the Month of August 2024:

- 5:00 pm — Saturday Vigil Mass—Colfax
- 8:00 am — Sunday Mass — Colfax
- 10:00 am — Sunday Mass — St. John
- No Weekday Mass in Colfax or St. John
- No Saturday Vigil Mass in Lacrosse

Mass Intentions:

Tue. August 06 8:00 am — Colfax — No Daily Mass
Wed. August 07 8:00 am — Colfax — No Daily Mass
5:00 pm — St. John — No Daily Mass
Thur. August 08 8:00 am — Colfax — No Daily Mass
Fri. August 09 8:00 am — Colfax — No Daily Mass
Sat. August 10 3:00 pm — LaCrosse — No Vigil Mass
5:00 pm — Colfax — † John McNerny requested by P. Simmons
Sun. August 11 8:00 am — Colfax — † Carol McDonald & Larry Lothspeich by D. McDonald

Lectors:

Saturday, Aug 10th, 5:00 pm— Virgil Crampton / Sunday, Aug 11th, 8:00 am — Heidi Danaher

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August 4th, 2024
The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture Readings

Sunday | The 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Exodus 16:2-4,12-15 / Psalm 78

Ephesians 4:17,20-24 / John 6:24-35

Responsorial Psalm 78

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

Saturday Vigil — LaCrosse at 3:00 PM
Saturday Vigil — Colfax at 5:00 PM
Sunday — Colfax at 8:00 AM
Sunday — St. John at 10:00 AM

DAILY MASS — COLFAX

Tuesday - 5:30 PM
Wednesday thru Friday - 8:00 AM

RECONCILIATION

Thursday 5:00 PM — 6:00 PM in Colfax
Friday 8:30 AM — 9:30 AM in Colfax
By appointment, contact Office 397-3921

PARISH OFFICE HOURS — COLFAX

Tuesdays & Fridays - 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

ADORATION SCHEDULE — COLFAX

Thursday after 8:00 AM Mass until 6:00 PM
Benediction at 5:50 PM

SACRAMENTS

Call the Parish Office to prepare for the sacraments of baptism, wedding, first communion and confirmation.

Reflection

✚ Reflections from our Steubenville Students this summer:

* During this weekend at Steubenville, I learned a lot about our religion and feel like I become closer to God. I had a lot of fun this weekend with everyone and I would definitely do it again! I want to say thank you to our chaperones and to our church for letting us go and funding it! – *Isaac Appel*

* Thank You so much Father Raymond for putting the work in so we could all go to Steubenville. I really appreciate you so much, you will be missed. I also want to thank the chaperones and parish for all their prayers. The Steubenville Conference gave me a better understanding of everything, so I can have a healthier, stronger relationship with God. I was inspired to go to confession more, and put more effort when it comes to growing my relationship with God other than just going to church. I felt Jesus speak to me in a special way when we had the women's talk. – *Rafaela Higginson*

* The Steubenville youth retreat was very informational and I honestly had quite a lot of fun. I was able to meet a bunch of great people and find new catholic friends. The talks were very interesting and informative. I also found the adoration very nice however something I personally think is adoration should be spent in silence so you can truly connect with God. I personally found the music very distracting, but then again I'm not a big fan of praise and worship especially during church. Over all I did learn a lot of things from Steubenville. It was very kind of you to give me a sponsorship so I was able to go and I am very thankful. – *Olivia Richmond*

* Attending the Steubenville Catholic Conference was an amazing experience. I felt a strong sense of community and a deep connection to my faith. The woman's talk had a huge impact on me. Sarah Swafford, the speaker, spoke about the challenges of living our faith and the importance of knowing your worth and also what being a Godly woman takes/looks like. Her honesty and story inspired me to look at my own faith journey and seek a closer relationship with Jesus. I learned a lot from her and felt a renewed sense of purpose. The whole conference helped me grow spiritually and connect with others who share my faith. I'm very thankful for the opportunity to attend once again. – *Noemie Appel*

* I learned a lot from the Steubenville Conference. We went to mass a lot and prayed a lot. It made me feel closer to God. I had a fun weekend and will use what I learned in my life. – *Aero Cai*

* My name is Kathryn Roberts and I went to Steubenville. Last year was such an amazing experience, I was ecstatic to go again this year. We started the weekend with one verse in mind, John 1:5, the theme being "Illuminate". We had a great group of speakers; the ones whose talks really hit me the most were Fr. Leo, and Sarah Swafford. which, in both of their talks, they mentioned, bringing the light of Christ that we have in ourselves to others. I really loved the group that I was in this year. Everyone made it easy and it definitely was not boring, I even got to see some friends that I met at camps and other conferences there. Just like last year, they had a vocation call where they called the young women and young men up to the stage if you felt a call to be a priest, nun, or any other religious order. Last year I did not stand up, but this year I did after the adoration we had. I felt Jesus calling me to go up to that stage; and seeing all of these young women standing there, knowing that God knows their path in life and they are ready to take it on almost brought me to tears. From the laughs, the cries, and everything else, this was such an amazing experience. Thank you to all who supported this trip! – *Kate Roberts*

"My 2024 Steubenville experience was fantastic! I enjoyed singing and getting to know the other catholic youth from our parish in a more spiritual setting. During the men's talk I gained a further understanding on what it means to be a man, a husband and a father. I want to thank everybody who made this trip possible including those who donated money, the chaperones and for the people that prayed for us. Thank you, *Caleb Lustig*"

"Brothers and sisters, we believe that God desires to renew his Church and that this renewal will happen through you. And that in renewing his Church, he will renew the world." — Bishop Andrew Cozzens — from

Events Around the Parish

✚ Mass Schedule: Please note there will be no weekday Masses celebrated in August at Colfax or St. John at this time. Fr. Theo Hwan-de who serves as Pastor from Pasco, and who also serves the Parishes of Oakesdale and Tekoa, will be celebrating Mass for us on Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. Fr. Paul Heric from Pullman will be celebrating Masses on Sunday at 8:00 am in Colfax and 10:00 am in St. John. Thank you both for your time and energy dedicated to our Parish communities. This schedule is tentative and we will keep you updated on the August schedule as it is confirmed.

✚ Our New Priest: Fr. Jeyalaban Jesoraj: We welcome Fr. Jeyalaban Jesoraj, a member of the Heralds of Good News, which is a Clerical Missionary Society of Apostolic Life in India. Fr. Jeyalaban will arrive in Colfax in early August. Please offer your prayers for Fr. J for a safe journey to the United States and the success of his ministry.

✚ Meals-on-Wheels: Thank you to all who participated in the Meals on Wheels for July. Your commitment to this community outreach activity is a blessing to those delivering the meals and to those receiving the meals as well. Thank you again to our St. Patrick community.

✚ Hospitality Committee: Donuts after the Sunday 8:00 am Mass will resume August 4th! If you would like to help with donuts on Sundays or have great ideas to promote community and fellowship within our Parish please contact Valerie Higginson.

✚ Catholic Mothers Group: The Catholic Mothers Group will meet on Friday, August 9th at 9:00 am in the Parish Hall at Colfax.



✚ PREPARES Ministry News: Thank you to parishioners from St. Patrick and OLPH that donated items to our Prepares family this month. Also, a special thank you to everyone who stepped up this month to help with diaper detail and duties before and during diaper distribution. If you would like to donate to the Prepares ministry, shop local and drop off items in the vestibule. For quick and easy shopping go to St. Patrick website, there is a Prepares Amazon QR code that will take you right to our Prepares wish list. Above all keep those we serve in your prayers.

✚ Become a Friend of St. John Vianney School in Spokane Valley: You can support Father Raymond in his new ministry at St. John Vianney and St. Pascal Parishes in Spokane Valley by becoming a **Friend of St. John Vianney School**. St. John Vianney School is a Catholic School that needs a lot of help right now and Fr. Raymond would appreciate any financial assistance he can get for the school. For more details, contact Fr. Raymond at 509-999-6517. Please consider becoming a Friend of St. John Vianney School by making an annual gift. Make your check payable to St. John Vianney School and send it to: St. John Vianney, 502 N. Farr Rd, Spokane Valley, WA 99206 with "Friends of St. John Vianney School (Colfax)" in the memo line.

✚ Immaculate Heart Retreat Center: Weekend Retreat for Men and Women: "Fresh Fire: Experience the Person and Gifts of the Holy Spirit" presented by Brendan Case and Nick Villalobos on Friday, August 16, 6:00 pm – Sunday, August 18, 1:00 pm. **Please register in advance:** (509) 448-1224 visit www.ihrc.net \$240 per person or \$395 per couple (includes lodging and 5 meals); \$200 for commuters (includes up to 5 meals).