

**St. Patrick Catholic Parish – Colfax**  
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<b>May 31st, 2020, Pentecost Sunday</b>	
Mass Intention:	Requested By:
02 June: Tuesday	No Mass – Please pray for All Parishioners
03 June: Wednesday	No Mass – Please pray for All Parishioners
04 June: Thursday	No Mass – Please pray for All Parishioners
05 June: Friday	No Mass – Please pray for All Parishioners
06 June: Sat p.m.	Please pray for All Parishioners
07 June: Sunday	Colfax 8:30 a.m. For our Parishioners Lacrosse 11:00 a.m. For our Parishioners
Lector: Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> 5:30 p.m. Virgil Crampton Lector: Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> 8:30 a.m. Lynne Bruya	There will be no Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers due to the Coronavirus. Thank you for your understanding and pray for all impacted by the virus.
<b>Stewardship Quote:</b> “Help us Lord so that we would hold nothing back, that no sacrifice would be too great, too costly, or too unthinkable. Send us, Lord, heroes and heroines of stewardship, saints on the journey whose walk as disciples inspire us to imitate and pattern our own lives after. Put on our path, Lord, men, women, and children who will model for us – for our diocese – how to live, how to serve, how to love the Lord with all our hearts. Let this be our prayer, let this be our greatest desire and intention.” <i>Bishop Carl A. Kemme</i>	

- 03 May:** No Religious Education Classes  
**04 May:** No Women’s Bible Study at the Courtyard till the fall.  
**05 May:** No Eucharistic Adoration  
**07 May:** No Religious Education Classes

**Pray the Rosary:** Amid worsening conditions related to the global coronavirus outbreak, we are all being urged as Catholics to spiritually to pray the rosary. During these difficult times, we can all find comfort in this beautiful prayer. If it has been some time since you have prayed the rosary, please utilize the link below and revisit this wonderful prayer. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0V7UK9MdHlo>

**Masses:** Colfax: Saturday 5:30p.m.; Sunday 8:30a.m. LaCrosse: Sunday 11:00a.m.  
**Confessions:** Colfax–Tuesday 6:00-6:30 p.m., Saturday a.m. 9:00-9:30a.m., Saturday 4:30-5:00 p.m.  
LaCrosse – After Mass and anytime by appointment  
**Religious Education Coordinator:** Linda Marler - 397-3172  
**St Patrick’s Prayer Chain:** Dianne Appel - 397-3220 **Email:** [appelquilter@outlook.com](mailto:appelquilter@outlook.com)

**Pentecost:** "Suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a violent wind. . .it filled the whole house. . .And there appeared to them parted tongues as of fire, which settled upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit" (Epistle). On Christmas we celebrate the birthday of Christ in His Physical Body. Today is the birthday of the Church, of all those who have been reborn into His Mystical Body. How did the first Christians prepare? They were all "in prayer" with Mary; and they were "all of one mind," under the leadership of Peter, making ready to tell "men from every nation under heaven. . .of the wonderful works of God" Epistle). Yes, prayer and action are the marks of the true Christian. In the Offertory we ask the Holy Spirit to "confirm" the graces "wrought in us" when we were baptized and confirmed. We pray also "to relish" things of the Spirit and to benefit by "His consolation" (Prayer) in the struggle of Church and soul against the World.

**Reconciliation:** Regular confession time will now resume. Confessions will be held in the crying room to allow for social distancing. Tuesday evenings 6:00 to 6:30 pm, Saturday mornings 9:00 to 9:30 am, Saturday afternoon 4:30 to 5:00 pm, and any time by appointment.

**Safe Environment** “The diocese is committed to helping victims/survivors of sexual abuse and to protecting children and vulnerable adults. Volunteers who supervise other volunteers who work with minors and vulnerable adults are required to report any suspected abuse by others they supervise. Contact: Roberta Smith, Victims Assistance Coordinator (509) 353-0442 Office Phone or (509) 998-8340 Cell. You may also go to the Diocesan website. <http://www.dioceseofspokane.org/safe-environment>.  
Darrin Connall – Vicar General – Diocese of Spokane

**Pray with Pope Francis in his Monthly intention for June – The way of the Heart:** We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

**Donation of Flowers:** We would be happy to use in the Church donations of live flowers. If you have some garden flowers to donate, contact Diane Appel at 397-3220 or [appelquilter@outlook.com](mailto:appelquilter@outlook.com).

