

# St. Joseph Parish, Colbert

## This Sunday, Jan 31

Guatemala Book Sale (9 AM-1 PM)  
Bridges Collection  
Coffee & Chocolate Sale

8:30 am Mass  
9:45 am Carpenters' United in Sanctuary & RE K-5  
11:00 am Mass  
7:00 pm High School Youth Group

## Monday, Feb 1

7:00 pm Boy Scouts

## Tuesday, Feb 2

8:00 am Daily Mass  
9:15 am Nursing Home Ministry  
4:00 pm Men's Reflection  
7:00 pm Pinewood Hills HOA Meeting  
7:00 pm Social Justice Meeting  
7:00 pm Knights' Play Practice

## Wednesday, Feb 3

8:00 am Daily Mass  
10:00 am Quilt Charmers  
6:00 pm Mid-Week Mass  
6:45 pm RCIA for Everyone  
7:00 pm *Altius*- Middle School Youth Group

## Thursday, Feb 4

8:00 am Daily Mass  
6:30 pm Knights' Council Dinner Meeting  
7:00 pm Prayer Shawl Ministry

## Friday, Feb 5

5:45 am First Friday Mass  
9:00 am Daily Mass and Adoration  
9:30 am Share the Word  
9:30 am Friday School  
7:00 pm Vespers & Benediction

## Saturday, Feb 6

*Food Sunday*  
8:30 am Aerobics  
4:30 pm Reconciliation  
5:30 pm Mass  
6:30 pm **Mardi Gras Celebration**

## Next Sunday, Feb 7

*Food Sunday*  
8:30 am Mass  
9:45 am Carpenters' United in Sanctuary & RE K-5  
11:00 am Mass  
2:00 pm Super Bowl Party

## No Rosary in February

There will be no parish Rosary during the month of February. We usually say the Rosary on the second Wednesday of the month, but this month that happens to be Ash Wednesday.

**January 30-31, 2016**



## Knights of Columbus

*Becoming a Knight of Columbus can transform your life to support your parish, give back to your community, and grow in your faith.*

Thurs, Feb 4<sup>th</sup>  
Sat, Feb 13<sup>th</sup>  
Feb 13-14  
Thurs, Feb 18  
Thurs, Feb 25

Council Dinner Meeting at 6:30 PM  
Wives' Appreciation Dinner at 6:30 PM  
Informational Meetings after Masses  
First Degree Exemplification at 7:00 PM  
Officers & Directors Meeting at 7:00 PM

## Mardi Gras Tickets On Sale NOW!

On Saturday evening, February 6<sup>th</sup>, we will have our Mardi Gras Party! This is a parish-wide event for the whole family. There will be traditional Cajun food, colored beads, feathers, fun activities for the kids, and live music. The night of the event. The cost is \$3 per person, \$5 per couple, and \$10 per family. What a deal!! Tickets are on sale in the lobby following all the Masses this weekend. Get your tickets early NOW because **No tickets will be available at the door.** You don't want to



## Lenten Food Sundays

During Lent the Knights of Columbus collect food for the North County Food Pantry every weekend rather than just once a month. Below are the items the Pantry has specifically asked for.

Feb 13-14	Chili, Black Beans, Refried Beans
Feb 20-21	Mustard, Ketchup, Pickles, Relish
Feb 27-28	Cakes Mixes, Sugar
Mar 5-6	Regular Items by Last Name
Mar 12-13	Shampoo, Conditioner, Toothpaste

**Please Note:** There will be no food collection on Palm Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your continued generosity!

## Lenten Schedule of Activities

Ash Wednesday	Wednesday, February 10 <sup>th</sup>
Mass Times	8:00 AM 6:00 PM
Fridays of Lent	
Stations of the Cross	6:00 PM
Fish Fry Dinner (first 3 weeks)	6:30 PM
Soup & Bread Supper (last 3 weeks)	6:30 PM
First Friday in Lent	Friday, March 4 <sup>th</sup>
First Friday Mass	5:45 AM
Vespers & Benediction	7:00 PM
Reconciliation Service	Tuesday, March 8 <sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM
Chrism Mass	Tuesday, March 15 <sup>th</sup>
Cathedral	5:30 PM

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Women's Guild Circle Meetings

### "Going in Circles"

Join the **Book Circle** next month on Wednesday, February 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:45 PM. The book they have selected this month is *All the Light We Cannot See* by Anthony Doerr. Everyone is welcome!

The **Community Outreach Circle** will have a work party on Sunday, February 21<sup>st</sup> following the 11:00 AM Mass to assemble small care packages for distribution to the homeless population of Spokane. If you would like to help, please join us!

### SAVE THE DATE: FEB. 27-28

Are you a woman who needs a little time away for a spiritual renewal? This Lent, women of all ages (18 and over) are invited to a lakeside retreat, "Oceans of Mercy" to be held at the Clearwater Lodge on Davis Lake. Your registration fee will include all meals and overnight accommodation and will not exceed \$150 per participant. Worth it? Yes. You're worth it!!!

*If you are interested in the Women's Guild, please contact Patt Perlman at 464-1497.*

## Super Bowl Party

On Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup> we will be streaming the Super Bowl live to a jumbo screen in the dining room. Bring your favorite game day snacks to share and enjoy the game with your fellow parishioners. (BYOB). Game time is 3:30 PM. Come watch the Broncos take on the Panthers. This is an event for the whole family!!



## Rice Bowls for Catholic Relief Services

Rice Bowls are available in the lobby. Please take one home and collect loose change throughout the Lenten season. Proceeds from the Rice Bowls will be sent to Catholic Relief Services to help support the wonderful work that they do helping the poorest of the poor around the world. Thank you!

## Community Outreach Work Party

On Sunday, February 21<sup>st</sup> following the 11:00 AM Mass the Community Outreach Circle of the Women's Guild will have a work party. They will be assembling simple care packages for distribution to homeless people in our area. The care packages will include things like shampoo, lotion, toothpaste, band-aids, chapstick, socks, granola bars and cheese crackers, and possibly some loose change.

The following Sunday (February 28<sup>th</sup>) the Circle members ask that you stop by on your way out of church and pick up a couple of these care packages to keep in your vehicle. When you come across someone who could use a little help, offer them one of the care packages.

## Family Skate Day

Mark your calendars NOW for the upcoming Pattison's Family Skate Day on Monday, February 15<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM. This event is for the whole family. There will be no charge for St Joseph families, so let them know at the ticket counter you are part of our group. We will provide pizza! Please call the parish office at 466-4991 to RSVP.

## Youth Ministry Corner

The Youth Ministry program here at St Joseph Parish welcomes any Middle School or High School student to join us for our group meetings. The Youth Group (High School) meets on Sunday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. *Altius* (Middle School) meets on Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:30 PM.



### Free Throw Contest

Friday, February 5<sup>th</sup>, 6 PM @St. Thomas More Boys and Girls 9-14 years of age. No cost to participate.

### Youth Group

Sundays @7 PM  
Jan 31: The Importance of the Sacraments  
Feb 6: Mardi Gras Party (looking for youth to help with crafts)  
Feb 7: Super Bowl Party - 2:00 PM  
(bring snacks to share; drinks, wings provided)  
Feb 10: Lenten Prayer Service after 6:00 PM Mass  
Feb 15: Pattison's Skate Party - 1:00-5:00 PM  
Feb 19: Rock & Worship Road Show - 5:45 PM, Cost is \$10  
Spokane Veteran's Memorial arena  
Feb 26: Stations of the Cross - presented by Youth Group

### Altius

Wednesdays @7 PM  
Feb 3: Project Finishing Night (Movie)  
Feb 5: Free Throw Contest  
Feb 7: Super Bowl Party  
(bring snacks to share; drinks, wings provided)  
Feb 10: Ash Wednesday Prayer Service after 6:00 PM Mass  
Feb 15: Pattison's Skate Party - 1:00-5:00 PM



*For more information about Youth Group, please contact Josh Haxton at 466-4991.*

## Community Outreach Blanket Project

Last Saturday the dining room was a buzz of activity. Several women worked together to make more than 150 fleece blankets for the women who go to Hope House in downtown Spokane for help. The fabric was paid for with a portion of the proceeds from the Craft Bazaar and Bake Sale held in December. Thank you to all of you who came to help. Wonderful job, ladies!!

## BINGO & Potluck Luncheon

On Tuesday, February 9<sup>th</sup> join the seniors of the parish for an afternoon of fun. The festivities begin at noon with a potluck luncheon. After lunch the BINGO begins. Bring a dish to share and spend the afternoon with good friends. **NOTE:** We will have a representative from Catholic Cemeteries here to give a short presentation about funeral and burial arrangements. They will be happy to answer questions you might have. After the presentation BINGO will begin!

