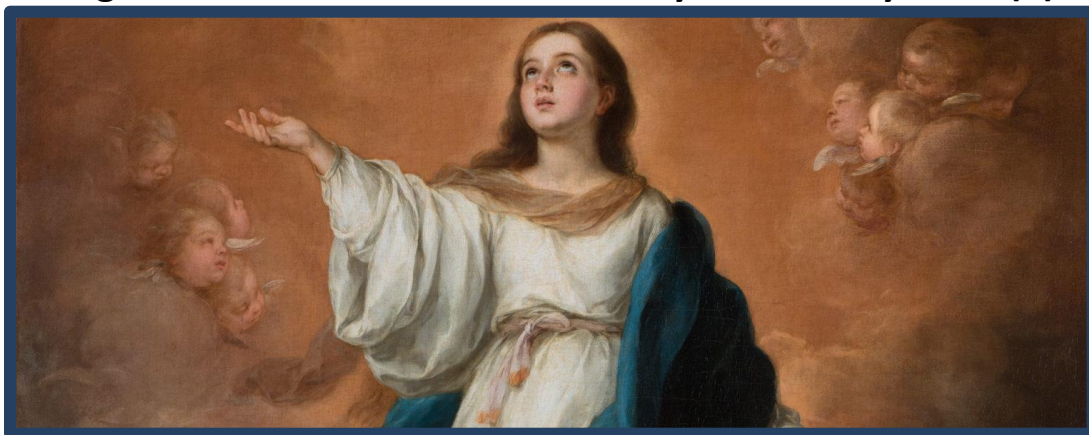


## MY PARISH FAMILY

Immaculate Conception (Colville) – Sacred Heart of Jesus (Kettle Falls)  
Pure Heart of Mary (Northport)

**August 10, 2025: Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)**



### MASS AND CONFESSION SCHEDULE

**\*\*\*There will be no daily Mass Tuesday as Father will be celebrating Mass with our Youth Group at Lake Sullivan.**

#### Tuesday, August 12

No 5:00 p.m. Confessions (Colville)

No 5:30 p.m. Mass (Colville)

#### Wednesday, August 13

12:00 p.m. Mass (Colville)

#### Thursday, August 14

7:15 a.m. Adoration/Confession (Colville)

8:30 a.m. Mass (Colville)

*John Campbell*

### Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

#### Friday, August 15 **Holy Day of Obligation**

7:15 a.m. Mass (Kettle)

*All parishioners*

11:30 a.m. Mass (Republic)

*All parishioners*

5:30 p.m. Mass (Colville)

*All parishioners*

#### Saturday, August 16

3:00 p.m. Adoration/Confessions (Colville)

4:00 p.m. Mass (Colville)

*Michael & Dorothy Gray (Anniversary)*

6:00 p.m. Mass (Kettle Falls)

*Brianna Harris (Birthday)*

#### Sunday, August 17 Luke 12:49-53

8:00 a.m. Adoration/Confessions (Colville)

9:00 a.m. Mass (Colville)

*Pro Populo*

12:30 p.m. (Northport 3rd Sunday)

*Ray Hedrick +*

4:00 p.m. Mass (Republic)

*Anthony Guertin family*

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Servants of the Sick ..... Dave Hewes

Youth Group ..... Allie and Kody Usher

PREPARES ..... Pat Taylor

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Quilt Ministry..... Dolores Cline

Religious Education ..... Sarah Marshall



**Welcome, visitors!** We are glad you are here! If you have any questions about our parish, our ministries, Mass intentions, etc., please talk with the greeters and they can direct you.



Make sure you visit our Parish website! It has a wealth of information. [www.myparishfamily.org](http://www.myparishfamily.org)



Dear parishioners and guests,

I share with you this Sunday yet another excerpt from one of my favorite spiritual books, *Divine Intimacy*, by Fr. Gabriel of St. Mary Magdalen. He writes:

“Although it may be a simple matter, it is not always easy to pray and to pray well. It is an art to be learned by studying the various forms and methods of prayer, or better still, by diligently applying ourselves to prayer itself. While the essence of prayer is always the interior movement, the elevation of mind and heart to God, the forms of it differ: there is vocal prayer and mental prayer, discursive prayer and affective prayer, private prayer and liturgical prayer. We employ one or another of these, in conformity with what is required by our duties. Thus, for example, all Christians are bound to certain vocal and liturgical prayers, such as morning and evening prayers, attendance at Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation; but after that, we are free to choose, according to the particular attraction of the moment, special circumstances, or individual needs. All these forms are good and serve to nourish our love for God, provided that we really put ourselves in touch with Him. We should always be careful about this point, because it is the substance of prayer; and if this were lacking, the form would be useless, and God could say of us: ‘This people honor Me with their lips, but their heart is far from Me’ (Matthew 15:8).

“However, a soul aspiring to divine intimacy will turn spontaneously toward a wholly interior form of prayer, a form which will facilitate an intimate contact with God, a silent, profound union. All forms of prayer will assume this special characteristic of interiority. ‘Therefore, through vocal and liturgical prayer, as well as through mental prayer, the soul will make its way toward God and dispose itself for an ever-increasing intimacy with Him, until God Himself, by means of the loving experience and the contemplative light, will introduce it into a prayer which is more profound and capable of immersing it in Him.

“Grant, O good Jesus, that my soul may always fly toward You, that my entire life may be one continual act of love. Make me understand that any work which is not done in Your honor is a dead work. Grant that my piety may not become just a habit, but a continual elevation of my heart!”

Next Sunday, I will pick up where I left off in June with my series on prayer.

Fr. Kenny St. Hilaire, Pastor

## ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturdays in Colville.....1 hour before Mass  
Saturdays in Kettle Falls..... 30 minutes before Mass  
Sundays in Colville: ..... 1 hour before Mass  
Sundays in Northport: ..... 30 minutes before Mass  
Thursdays in Colville: ..... 7:15 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.  
First Fridays in Colville: ..... 7:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
All other Fridays in Colville: ..... 7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Collections for August 2-3

Immaculate Conception (Colville): \$5,220.00  
Sacred Heart of Jesus (Kettle Falls): \$1,460.00  
Pure Heart of Mary (Northport): \$177.00  
Social Outreach: \$350.00  
ICP Capital Improvements: \$375.00

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please pray for our Colville, Kettle and Northport parishes: Fran Trail, Shelly Perkins, Penny Perkins, Janelle Stroyan, Margaret Olson, Mert Graham, Palin Driver, James Rowland, Elaine Huff, Lisa Huff, Diane Hess, Jim Miller, Loretta Bowling, Ella Sprangers & family, Father Charles Klutz, Karen Hamel, Kenzie Sackman, Mick, Greg and Luke McCrea.

(Please remember, the list rotates each week.)

**If you or someone you know is sick or homebound and would like to receive a visit, Holy Communion, or anointing of the sick, please call the Parish office.**



**MAGNIFICAT SUBSCRIPTION.** If you are a current group Magnificat subscriber with the parish, your subscription will expire with your September 2025 issue. To continue to receive the Magnificat magazine, or to start a new order, please have your check or cash for \$39.00 in the office before August 25<sup>th</sup>. If it is more convenient, you may place the money in the offering basket, in an envelope clearly marked MAGNIFICAT SUBSCRIPTION. Please make your check out to Immaculate Conception. The Magnificat is a beautiful way to follow along for the daily and Sunday Mass readings. Any questions, please call the office.



**Parish Registration:** If you are new – or not so new – to any of our three parishes, or think your contact information (address, phone number and email) needs updating, please call the office.

*Your information will **only** be used in our parish office and mailings from Father Kenny. 509.684.6223*



### Mystery of Faith (Adult faith formation)

We are watching "The Wild Goose" with Father Dave Pivonka. "Wild Goose" was a term that the ancient Celts had for the Holy Spirit. Our next session is "The Spirit and the Sacraments. "Holy Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the gateway to life in the Spirit and the door which gives access to the other Sacraments." - CCC 1213

The Sacraments are always an encounter with the Holy Spirit and each and every time we come to the Sacraments the Holy Spirit is present. Often times when we think of the Holy Spirit and His work in the Sacraments we only think of Confirmation. This is great, but the Holy Spirit is present in all of them. In this segment we will look at how the Holy Spirit is present in the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Marriage and how this can impact your life. *As there is no daily Mass on Tuesday August 12, we will meet at 5:30 p.m. in the ICP library.*



### Dedicated Prayer for Father Kenny:

Since June 2022, the Seven Sisters Apostolate Prayer Ministry has faithfully dedicated over 1,010 hours in prayer for Father Kenny. Each of the seven women offer one hour of prayer per week for

Father, demonstrating remarkable commitment. This ministry's devotion over the past three years has been a profound blessing to our parish community. Their ongoing prayers are a true gift, reflecting deep faith and selfless service. God bless the women of the Seven Sisters Apostolate for their generous hearts and unwavering dedication.



**St. Monica Prayer Group:** The next gathering is on August 13. The group will pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet on the third Wednesday this month at ICP at 11:15 a.m., lifting up family members and loved ones who have left the Church.



In our continuing efforts to grow as a community of unceasing prayer, our prayer teams will regularly be available to share in praying with and for anyone wanting to take advantage of this prayer opportunity. Teams will be available after Masses on the first and third Sundays at ICP.



The Second annual Youth Group retreat to Sullivan Lake is August 11-13. Our Youth Group along with seminarians, priests and chaperones will be making a retreat at Lake Sullivan. Please pray for them during this retreat:

*"Turn your loving gaze, O God, upon young people. They carry in their hearts a great hope: make them strong and pure, so that they can build their tomorrow with confidence. Let them receive freely the gift of the faith, accept it with gratitude, and develop it with generosity. Mother of Christ, and our Mother, help them to be now and forever faithful to Christ and the Church."*



**Pope Leo's Prayer Request for August:** For mutual coexistence. Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.



hospitality. Please contact the parish office.

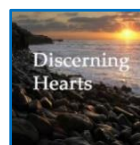
**Donut Sundays** will start again in September and volunteers are needed to make coffee, set out donuts and do some minor cleanup for coffee and donuts after Sunday Mass. Volunteering is a simple, easy way to serve the parish and provide



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### Father's pick for this week:

**Vianney Speaks**



Need something to listen to while driving, exercising, or enjoying the sun? Try discerninghearts.com for excellent audio resources for the spiritual life.

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