



# St. Joseph Catholic Church

602 S. 34<sup>th</sup> St., Tacoma, WA 98418

**Served by the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter**

St. Joseph Catholic Church was established on October 1, 2015 as a personal parish of the Archdiocese of Seattle for the celebration of the Traditional Latin Mass.

## Mass Times

### Sunday

7:30 a.m. Low Mass      10:30 a.m. Low Mass  
9:00 a.m. Low Mass      1:00 p.m. Low Mass

### Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

### Wednesday

8:00 a.m. Low Mass, Exposition & Benediction

### Friday

8:00 a.m. Low Mass  
6:30 p.m. Low Mass, Exposition & Benediction

### Saturday

9:00 a.m. Low Mass

### First Friday

8:00 a.m. Low Mass, Exposition & Benediction  
6:30 p.m. Low Mass

### First Saturday

7:00 a.m. Low Mass  
9:00 a.m. Low Mass, Exposition & Benediction

### Feast Days

8:00 a.m. Low Mass  
6:30 p.m. Sung Mass if Monday - Friday



## Confession

30 minutes prior to each Mass

## Baptism & Wedding Preparation

Call the parish office  
(at least 6 months in advance for weddings)

## Priests

**Pastor: Fr. Timothy O'Brien**

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## Office Hours

Monday to Thursday  
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*Saint Joseph, foster-father of our Lord Jesus Christ and the spouse of Mary the Virgin, pray for us.*

# The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

## August 27, 2023

### **INTROIT** *Psalm 73:20, 19, 23*

Have regard, O Lord, to Thy covenant, and forsake not to the end the souls of Thy poor: arise, O Lord, and judge Thy cause, and forget not the voices of them that seek Thee. Psalm. O God, why hast Thou cast us off unto the end: why is Thy wrath enkindled against the sheep of Thy pasture? V̄. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.—Have regard . . .

### **COLLECT**

Almighty everlasting God, give to us increase of Faith, Hope and Charity: and that we may deserve to obtain what Thou dost promise, make us love what Thou dost command. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son . . .

### **EPISTLE** *Galatians 3:16-22*

Brethren: To Abraham were the promises made, and to his seed. He saith not: and to his seeds, as of many; but as of one: And to thy seed, which is Christ. Now this I say, that the testament which was confirmed by God, the law which was made after four hundred and thirty years, doth not disannul, to make the promise of no effect. For if the inheritance be of the law, it is no more of promise. But God gave it to Abraham by promise. Why then was the law? It was set because of transgressions until the seed should come, to whom He made the promise, being ordained by angels in the hand of a mediator. Now a mediator is not of one, but God is one. Was the law then against the promises of God? God forbid. For if there had been a law given, which could give life, verily justice should have been by the law. But the Scripture hath concluded all under sin, that the promise by the faith of Jesus Christ might be given to them that believe.

### **GRADUAL** *Psalm 33:2, 3*

Have regard, O Lord, to Thy covenant, and forsake not to the end the souls of Thy poor. Arise, O Lord, and judge Thy cause: remember the reproach of Thy servants. Alleluia, alleluia. *Ps. 89:1* Lord, Thou hast been our refuge, from generation to generation. Alleluia.

### **GOSPEL** *Luke 10:23-37*

At that time, as Jesus was going to Jerusalem, He passed through the midst of Samaria and Galilee: and as He entered into a certain town, there met Him ten men that were lepers, who stood afar off, and lifted up

their voice, saying: Jesus, Master, have mercy on us. Whom when He saw, He said: Go, show yourselves to the priests. And it came to pass, that, as they went, they were made clean. And one of them, when he saw that he was made clean, went back, with a loud voice glorifying God: and he fell on his face before His feet, giving thanks: and this was a Samaritan. And Jesus answering said: Were not ten made clean? And where are the nine? There is no one found to return and give glory to God, but this stranger. And He said to him: Arise, go thy way; for thy faith hath made thee whole.—Creed

### **OFFERTORY** *Psalm 30:15-16*

In Thee, O Lord, have I hoped: I said, Thou art my God, my times are in Thy hands.

### **SECRET**

Look graciously, O Lord, upon Thy people: graciously look upon our gifts: and, appeased by this offering, mayest Thou grant us pardon and give us what we ask. Through our Lord Jesus Christ . . .

### **PREFACE OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to Thee, holy Lord, Father almighty, eternal God: Who, together with Thine only begotten Son and the Holy Ghost, art one God, one Lord: not in the Oneness of a single Person, but in the Trinity of one Substance. For what by Thy revelation we believe of Thy glory, the same do we believe of Thy Son, the same of the Holy Ghost, without difference or separation; so that in confessing the true and eternal Godhead, in It we should adore distinction in Persons, unity in Essence, and equality in Majesty: in praise of which Angels and Archangels, Cherubim also and Seraphim, day by day exclaim, without end and with one voice, saying:—Sanctus

### **COMMUNION** *Wisdom 16:20*

Thou hast given us, O Lord, bread from heaven, having in it all that is delicious, and the sweetness of every taste.

### **POST COMMUNION**

We who have received the heavenly Sacraments beseech Thee, O Lord, that we may steadily advance towards eternal redemption. Through our Lord . . .



## Mass Intentions for the Week

		<b>Father O'Brien</b>	<b>Father Loftus</b>
Sun.	August 27 13th Sunday after Pentecost	Pro Populo	Priest's Intention
Mon.	August 28 St. Augustine	Priest's Intention	+Dean von Kellenbach
Tues.	August 29 Beheading of St. John the Baptist	Sanctification of the Priesthood	Priest's Intention
Wed.	August 30 St. Rose of Lima	+Sheila Cole	Joseph Stübbers
Thur.	August 31 St. Raymond Nonnatus	For the Enemies of the Church	Shovan Family Godchildren
Fri.	September 1 Twelve Holy Brothers	The McKee Family	Gaven Michael Cesario
Sat.	September 2 King St. Stephen of Hungary	Chant Camp Volunteers	Serena Mitchell

## Parish News and Events

### Collection

Sunday, August 20: \$12,196.71

### Joint Parish Picnic

You are invited to the St. Joseph and North American Martyrs picnic **today, Sunday, August 27, at 4:00 p.m.** at Hidden Valley Park in Bellevue. In addition to softball, there will also be volleyball and ultimate frisbee. **Please bring a dish or drink to share.**

### First Friday

This Friday, September 1, is the first Friday of the month. A Low Mass will be offered at 8:00 a.m., and a Sung Mass will be offered at 6:30 p.m.

### First Friday Adoration

Adoration will take place on First Friday, September 1, from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. If you would like to sign up for an hour or more of Adoration, please visit <https://saintjosephptacoma.org/adoration>.

### First Saturday

Saturday, September 2, is First Saturday. Low Masses will be offered at 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament and Benediction will follow the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

### The Blessing of Sacramentals

On First Friday and First Saturday, the blessing of sacramentals will take place after all of the Masses either in the church or in St. Joseph Hall.

### Sunday Sung Masses Resume

Summer is winding down which means that it is time for the Sung Masses to resume. Starting next Sunday, September 3, the 10:30 a.m. Mass will be a Sung Mass.

### Altar Server Practice Changed in September

Due the number of families who are out of town around Labor Day, the altar boys will not meet on First Saturday; instead, they will meet on Saturday, September 9.

### Pilgrimage to the Grotto in Portland

Join us next **Tuesday, September 5**, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. as we pilgrimage to the Grotto in Portland for a day of fun, prayer, and thanksgiving, as we kick off another school year! Bring a sack lunch. Please see the Flocknote parish news for additional information, including the schedule.

### St. John Bosco Boys' Group

Do you have a teenage son? If so, he is invited to participate in St. John Bosco Boys' Group. The group is open to boys at our parish ages 13 through 17. The boys will meet for an activity on Saturday, September 23; starting in October, the St. John Bosco boys will meet on the third Saturday of each month. If you are a registered parishioner and would like your teenage son(s) to participate, please visit and request to join <https://saintjosephcc.flocknote.com/teenboys>.

### First Communion Class

First Communion classes will be offered, starting in October. If you would like to register your child(ren), ages 7 and up, for the class, please email [info@saintjosephptacoma.org](mailto:info@saintjosephptacoma.org).

### St. Joseph Homeschool Group Children's Choir

St. Joseph children's choir is accepting new students. The choir is open to all 1st-12th grade children of families who are part of St. Joseph Homeschool Group. The children will sing for at least two Sunday Masses and two Thursday Masses during the 2023-2024 school year. They learn to sing Gregorian chant, Catholic hymns, and solfege (which is a tool for learning to read chant notation). The choir meets from **September 7 through May 30 on Thursday mornings** in the church with this schedule:

**10:00 - 10:30 a.m. - 1st - 2nd grade**

**10:30 - 11:00 a.m. - 3rd - 5th grade**

**11:00 - 11:45 a.m. - 6th - 12th grade**

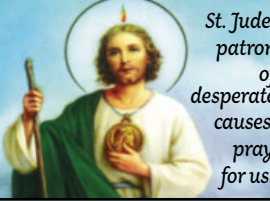
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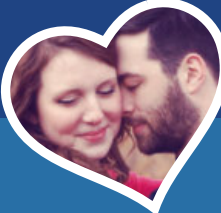


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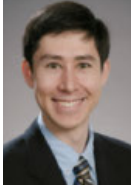
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