



# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**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

7:00 a.m. Low Mass      10:30 a.m. Sung Mass

8:30 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

8:45 a.m. Holy Hour

### Friday

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

5:30 p.m. Exposition & Benediction

6:30 p.m. Low Mass

### Saturday

9:00 a.m. Low Mass

### First Saturday

7:00 a.m. Low Mass

8:00 a.m. Exposition & Benediction

9:00 a.m. Low Mass

### Holy Days of Obligation

Please check the bulletin one week in advance.



## Confession

30 minutes prior to each Mass

## Baptism & Wedding Preparation

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

## Priests

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

# THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

## JANUARY 26, 2025

*Observe the humble faith of the leper: "Lord, if Thou wilt, Thou canst make me clean." He is so certain that Jesus can heal him that he feels nothing else is necessary for his cure other than the Lord's will. Christian faith does not wander about in subtle reasonings; its logic is simple: God can do all that He wills; therefore, His will alone is necessary. Yet the leper does not insist; one who lives by faith knows that God always wills whatever is best for him, even if it brings suffering. Therefore instead of insisting, he prefers to abandon himself to God's good pleasure.*

### INTROIT *Psalm 96:7, 8*

Adore God, all you His angels: Sion heard, and was glad; and the daughters of Juda rejoiced. Ps. The Lord hath reigned; let the earth rejoice: let many islands be glad. *V.* 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.

### COLLECT

Almighty, eternal God, look with mercy upon our infirmities, and stretch forth the right hand of Thy majesty to protect us. Through Our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end.

### EPISTLE *Romans 12:16-21*

Brethren, be not wise in your own conceits. To no man rendering evil for evil: providing good things not only in the sight of God, but also in the sight of men. If it be possible, as much as it is in you, having peace with all men. Revenge not yourselves, my dearly beloved; but give place unto wrath, for it is written, Revenge is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord. But if thy enemy be hungry, give him to eat; if he thirst, give him to drink, for doing this, thou shalt heap coals of fire upon his head. Be not overcome by evil, but overcome evil by good.

### GRADUAL *Psalm 101:16, 17*

The gentiles shall fear Thy name, O Lord, and all the kings of the earth Thy glory. *V.* For the Lord hath built up Sion, and He shall be seen in His majesty. Alleluia, alleluia. Ps. 96:1. The Lord hath reigned, let the earth rejoice: let many islands be glad. Alleluia.

### GOSPEL *Matthew 8:1-13*

At that time, when Jesus was come down from the mountain, great multitudes followed Him; and behold a leper came and adored Him, saying, Lord, if Thou wilt Thou canst make me clean. And Jesus stretching forth His hand, touched him, saying, I will, be thou made clean: and forthwith his leprosy was cleansed. And Jesus saith to him, See thou tell no man: but go, show thyself to the priest, and offer the gift which Moses commanded for a testimony unto them. And when He had entered into Capharnaum, there came to Him a centurion beseeching Him, and saying, Lord, my servant lieth at home sick of

the palsy, and is grievously tormented. And Jesus saith to him, I will come and heal him. And the centurion making answer, said, Lord, I am not worthy that Thou shouldst enter under my roof: but only say the word, and my servant shall be healed. For I also am a man subject to authority, having under me soldiers: and I say to this man, Go, and he goes: and to another, Come, and he cometh: and to my servant, Do this, and he doth it. And Jesus hearing this, marveled; and said to them that followed him, Amen I say to you, I have not found so great faith in Israel. And I say to you, that many shall come from the east and the west, and shall sit down with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven; but the children of the kingdom shall be cast into the exterior darkness: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth. And Jesus said to the centurion, Go, and as thou hast believed, so be it done to thee: and the servant was healed at the same hour.—Creed.

### OFFERTORY *Psalm 117:16, 17*

The right hand of the Lord hath wrought strength, the right hand of the Lord hath exalted me: I shall not die, but live, and shall declare the works of the Lord.

### SECRET

May this offering, we beseech Thee, O Lord, wipe out our sins, and sanctify the bodies and minds of Thy servants for the celebration of the sacrifice. Through Our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. Amen.

### COMMUNION *Luke 4:22*

They all wondered at these things, which proceeded from the mouth of God.

### POST COMMUNION

O Lord, Who dost give freely the enjoyment of so great mysteries, we beseech Thee that Thou wouldst vouchsafe to render us truly worthy to receive their effects. Through Our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. Amen.



## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

|   | <b>Father O'Brien</b>          | <b>Father Kasak</b>            |
|---|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Sun. January 26 Third Sunday after Epiphany | Pro Populo                     | Priest's Intention             |
| Mon. January 27 St. John Chrysostom         | Priest's Intention             | The Trimble Family             |
| Tues. January 28 St. Peter Nolasco          | Troy Lee                       | Priest's Intention             |
| Wed. January 29 St. Francis de Sales        | Gerard SN Perez                | Elisha Nims                    |
| Thur. January 30 St. Martina                | J. Guadalupe Zacarias & Family | J. Guadalupe Zacarias & Family |
| Fri. January 31 St. John Bosco              | Bernadette Boyle               | Issabella Gascoyne             |
| Sat. February 1 St. Ignatius                | The Trump Administration       | +Ruth Wett                     |

## PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

### COLLECTION

Sunday, January 19: \$11,181.25

### January 29—SPIRITUAL CONFERENCE

The next spiritual conference and mini potluck is this Wednesday, January 29. Please join other adults from our parish in St. Joseph Hall (a.k.a. the church basement) at 6:30 p.m. to learn more about the Faith.

### February 1—FIRST SATURDAY

February 1 is First Saturday. Masses will be offered at 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. A holy hour followed by Benediction will take place from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m.

### February 1—BLESSING OF SACRAMENTALS

The Blessing of sacramentals will take place at the altar rail or in St. Joseph Hall following both Masses on First Saturday.

### February 2—CANDLEMAS

Next Sunday, February 2, is the Feast of Candlemas. Candles will be blessed before the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Candles need to be labeled with your name, contain at least 51% beeswax, and be given to a server prior to the Sung Mass in order to be blessed. Weather permitting, a procession will take place at the beginning of the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Unless it rains, the coffee hour will be canceled.

### February 3—FEAST OF ST. BLAISE

Next Monday, February 3, is the Feast of St. Blaise. The blessing of throats will take place at the altar rail following the Mass.

### LOST & FOUND

The lost and found, located in St. Joseph Hall, is overflowing with coats, backpacks, mantillas, missals, beautiful rosaries, baby blankets, and more. If you have lost or misplaced something, please take the time to look through all of the lost and found items before January 31. **All items still in the lost and found after January 31 will be donated to a charity.**

### ALTAR SERVER PRACTICE

Altar server practice will take place following the 9:00 a.m. Mass on First Saturday, February 1. All boys who have received their First Communion are welcome to participate. Pick up is at noon.

### LITTLE FLOWERS, MYSTICAL ROSE SOCIETY, LITTLE SODALITY OF MARY

On First Saturday, February 1, the girls' groups will meet after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please pick your daughters up at 11:30 a.m.

### NOVENA TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

From Sunday, February 2, through Tuesday, February 11, we will join other FSSP parishes throughout the world in a novena by praying a decade of the Holy Rosary followed by the Memorare after each Mass. The novena will conclude with the consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary taking place on Tuesday, February 11. The novena is available at the entrances to the church and on the homepage of our website: <https://saintjosephstacoma.org>.

### 5-ON-5 BASKETBALL WITH NAM



St. Joseph and NAM are taking it to the court once again. Join the fun on Saturday, February 8, from 11:00-3:00 for 5-on-5 boys' and men's basketball tournaments. We will meet in the St. Mark Catholic School gym, 18033 15th Ave NE, Shoreline. Please bring a potluck item to share. Those wishing to play should show up early. The gym will open an hour prior to the start of the first game.

### YOUNG ADULTS' GROUP

The St. Joseph young adult group meets most Fridays at 6:30 p.m. for Mass, followed by a talk in St. Joseph Hall or another activity. The group is made up of a community of St. Joseph parishioners in their twenties and thirties. Please contact [youngadults@saintjosephstacoma.org](mailto:youngadults@saintjosephstacoma.org) for more info.

# 5-ON-5 BASKETBALL

## Tournament

**DATE**  
**FEBRUARY**  
**8**

**LOCATION**  
ST. MARK  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL  
18033 15TH AVE NE  
SHORELINE

**TIME**  
**10:00-4:00**

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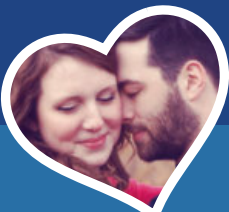
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