



# 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. Sung 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  
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

unless otherwise noted

8:00 a.m.  
12:00 p.m.  
6:30 p.m.



## 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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## Office Hours

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

# EXTERNAL SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

June 2, 2024

## INTROIT *Psalm 80:17*

He fed them with the fat of corn, alleluia; and filled them with honey out of the rock, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Ps. *ibid.* 2. Rejoice to God our helper; sing aloud to the God of Jacob. *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.—He fed . . .

## COLLECT

O God who under a wonderful Sacrament hast left us a memorial of Thy Passion: grant us, we beseech Thee, so to venerate the sacred mysteries of Thy Body and Blood that we may ever feel within us the fruit of Thy Redemption. Who livest and reignest . . .

## EPISTLE I *Corinthians 11:23-29*

Brethren, I have received of the Lord, that which also I delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread, and giving thanks, broke, and said: Take ye and eat, this is My Body, which shall be delivered for you; this do for the commemoration of Me. In like manner also the chalice, after He had supped, saying: This chalice is the new testament in My Blood; this do ye, as often as you shall drink, for the commemoration of Me. For as often as you shall eat this bread and drink the chalice, you shall show the death of the Lord until He come. Therefore whosoever shall eat this bread, or drink of the chalice of the Lord unworthily, shall be guilty of the Body and of the Blood of the Lord. But let a man prove himself; and so let him eat of that bread, and drink of the chalice. For he that eats and drinks unworthily, eats and drinks judgment to himself, not discerning the Body of the Lord.

## GRADUAL *Psalm 144:15-16*

The eyes of all hope in Thee, O Lord, and Thou gives them meat in due season. Thou opens Thy hand, and fills every living creature with blessing.

Alleluia, alleluia. (*John 6:56-57*) My Flesh is meat indeed and My Blood is drink indeed: he that eats My Flesh and drinks My Blood, abids in Me, and I in Him. (Alleluia).

## SEQUENCE

Praise thy Savior, O Sion! praise thy guide and Shepherd, in hymns and canticles.

As much as thou hast power, so also dare; for He is above all praise, nor canst thou praise Him enough.

This day there is given to us a special theme of praise—the living and life-giving Bread.

Which, as our faith assures us, was given to the twelve brethren, as they sat at the table of the holy Supper.

Let our praise be full, let it be sweet: let our soul's jubilee be joyous, let it be beautiful;

For we are celebrating that great day, whereon is commemorated the first institution of this Table.

In this Table of the new King, the new Pasch of the new Law puts an end to the old Passover.

Newness puts the old to flight, and so does truth the shadow; the light drives night away.

What Christ did at that Supper, that He said was to be done in remembrance of Him.

Taught by His sacred institutions, we consecrate the bread and wine into the Victim of salvation.

This is the dogma given to Christians — that bread passes into Flesh,

and wine into Blood.

What thou understands not, what thou seest not, that let a generous faith confirm thee in, beyond nature's course.

Under the different species, which are signs not things, there lie hidden things of infinite worth.

The Flesh is food, the Blood is drink; yet Christ is whole under each species.

He is not cut by the receiver, nor broken, nor divided; He is taken whole.

He is received by one, He is received by a thousand; the one receives as much as all; nor is He consumed, Who is received.

The good receive, the bad receive, but with the difference of life or death.

'Tis death to the bad, 'tis life to the good: lo! how unlike is the effect of the one like receiving.

And when the Sacrament is broken, waver not! but remember, that there is as much under each fragment, as is hid under the whole.

Of the substance that is there, there is no division; it is but the sign that is broken; and He Who is the signified, is not thereby diminished, either as to state or stature.

Behold! the Bread of angels is made the food of wayfarers; verily it is the Bread of the children, not to be cast to dogs.

It is foreshown in figures: when Isaac is to be slain, when the Paschal Lamb is prescribed, when Manna is given to our fathers.

O good Shepherd! true Bread! Jesus! have mercy upon us: feed us, defend us: give us to see good things in the land of the living.

O Thou, who knows and can do all things, who feeds us mortals here below, make us to be Thy companions in the banquet yonder above,

and thy joint-heirs, and fellow-citizens with the saints!

Amen. Alleluia.

## GOSPEL *John 6:56-59*

At that time, Jesus said to the multitudes of the Jews: My Flesh is meat indeed, and My Blood is drink indeed. He that eats My Flesh, and drinks My Blood, abides in Me, and I in him. As the living Father hath sent Me, and I live by the Father, so he that eats Me, the same also shall live by Me. This is the bread that came down from heaven. Not as your fathers did eat manna, and are dead. He that eats this bread shall live for ever.—Creed.

## OFFERTORY *Leviticus 21:6*

The priests of the Lord offer incense and loaves to God, and therefore they shall be holy to their God, and shall not defile His Name. Alleluia.

## SECRET

Graciously bestow on Thy Church, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the gifts of unity and peace, which are mystically shown forth in the offerings now made. Through our Lord . . .

## COMMUNION I *Corinthians 11:26-27*

As often as you shall eat this Bread, and drink the Chalice, you shall show the death of the Lord, until He come: therefore whosoever shall eat this Bread or drink the Chalice of the Lord unworthily, shall be guilty of the Body and Blood of the Lord. Alleluia.

## POST COMMUNION

Fill us, we beseech Thee, O Lord, with that eternal enjoyment of Thy Divinity, which is prefigured by the reception in this life of Thy precious Body and Blood: Who livest and reignest with God the Father . . .

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

	Father O'Brien	Father Loftus
Sun. June 2	External Solemnity of Corpus Christi	Pro Populo
Mon. June 3	Feria	Priest's Intention
Tues. June 4	St. Francis Caracciolo	Joe & Lindsay Kozitza's Children & Godchildren
Wed. June 5	St. Boniface	Intentions of the Confraternity of St. Peter
Thur. June 6	St. Norbert	Aaron Bedker
Fri. June 7	Sacred Heart of Jesus	+Martha Doan Thi Quan
Sat. June 8	Our Lady on Saturday	Coralie Mitchell
		Priest's Intention
		Isabella Barry
		Priest's Intention
		Rosemary F. Delaney
		Gary Meyer
		+Deborah Milledge
		Nicholas Fotou

## PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

### June 2 - Corpus Christi Procession

A Corpus Christi Procession will follow the 10:30 a.m. Mass this morning.

### June 5 - Spiritual Conference

Our next spiritual conference and mini potluck will be this Wednesday, June 5, at 6:30 p.m. in St. Joseph Hall (a.k.a. the church basement). Fr. O'Brien will continue his lessons on the Early Church Fathers. All adults at the parish are welcome.

### June 7 - Young Adults Celebrate the Feast of the Sacred Heart

Following the First Friday 6:30 p.m. Mass on Friday, June 7, the Young Adults group will meet at 7 Seas to celebrate the Feast of the Sacred Heart! 7 Seas Brewery is a family friendly establishment so young adults with children and young adults under 21 are all welcome to join us! Please reach out to [youngadults@saintjoseptacoma.org](mailto:youngadults@saintjoseptacoma.org) with any questions.

### June 8 - Archconfraternity of Christian Mothers

The Archconfraternity of Christian Mothers will meet in the parish basement on Saturday, June 8, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please join us as we celebrate our final meeting before we break for summer!

### June 29 - Annual Joint Parish Picnic

Please mark your calendars. On Saturday, June 29, from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., North American Martyrs and St. Joseph will meet for a barbeque, games, and fun at Hidden Valley Park, 1903 112th Ave NE, Bellevue. The men of each parish will compete in a Softball game at 5:00 p.m. Men interested in joining the softball team, should speak with Fr. O'Brien or Jerry Grandbois. As always, burgers and hot dogs will be provided. Families are asked to bring sides—fruit, salads, chips, drinks, etc.

### COLLECTION

Sunday, May 26: unavailable at time of printing

*"For in one Spirit were we all baptized into one body..."*

- Corinthians 12:13 -

As we celebrate the External Solemnity of Corpus Christi, we are also starting to wrap up the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal here at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Father O'Brien will be sending his follow-up letter this week to those who have yet to make a commitment and to reiterate the importance of the appeal. Each one of us makes up the body of Christ, and all gifts matter.

Thank you to those of you who have already given. If you have not yet given, you can use the QR code, fill out a pew envelope which may be mailed or included in the collection, or go online to the link below.

**TOTAL PLEDGES AND GIFTS RECEIVED TO DATE: \$26,174.84**

**TOTAL PARTICIPANTS TO DATE: 67**



It is easy to give to the 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal:

- Give online at <https://archseattle.org/GiveACA>
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Kindly specify **St. Joseph Parish-144-Tacoma** as your parish.

### COACHING YOUR TEEN THROUGH ANXIETY & DEPRESSION

All parents at the parish, especially those of teenagers and young adults, are invited to a presentation by local Catholic counselor, Rachel Ford, on First Friday, June 7, following the 6:30 p.m. Mass. Parents, join us as we delve into questions about normal teenage angst versus heavier emotions and provide tools for parents to coach their teens to process heavy emotions in a healthy way. Rachel has dedicated herself to working with youth aged 10 to 18, particularly in addressing issues of anxiety and depression. If you plan to attend, please bring a **potluck** dish to share. Please note, this presentation is for adults only. If you have questions or would like additional information, contact [info@saintjosephtacoma.org](mailto:info@saintjosephtacoma.org).

### FOOTSTEPS OF ST. PAUL WITH FR. ZACHARY AKERS, FSSP

September 20 – October 1, 2024

Walk with the FSSP in the footsteps of Saint Paul, Saint John the Apostle, and the Blessed Mother as they travel to Greece and Turkey on this "New Testament Part II" pilgrimage, the standalone sequel to the Footsteps of Our Lord in the Holy Land. Climb the Areopagus. Daily Masses will be sung. **To register and for more info, please visit <https://bestourhl.travel/traditional-catholic-pilgrimage-to-greece-turkey> | password: bestour2024**



We are switching from our current online giving platform, Our Sunday Visitor, to a new system called Pushpay.

If you are already giving online AND have a recurring gift set up, it will need to be canceled.

If you manually give online each week, you do not need to do anything.

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