ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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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. Exposition & Benediction

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.

Vespers

2:00 p.m. each Sunday

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.

THE CREATION AND CORONATION OF A POPE May 18, 2025

"Peace be with you!" This is the peace of the Risen Christ, a disarmed peace and a disarming peace, humble and persevering. It comes from God, God who loves us all unconditionally. - Pope Leo XIV

INTROIT *Ecclesiasticus* 45:30

THE Lord made to him a covenant of peace, and made him a prince; that the dignity of priesthood should be to him for ever. (P.T. Alleluia, alleluia.) Ps. 131. 1. O Lord, remember David: and all his meekness. ①. 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. — The Lord made to him a covenant of peace . . .

COLLECT

O GOD, the Shepherd and Ruler of all the faithful, graciously look upon Thy servant N. whom Thou hast been pleased to ap point pastor over Thy Church: grant, we beseech Thee, that by both word and example he may edify those over whom he is set, and together with the flock com mitted to his care, may attain to eternal life. Through our Lord Jesus Christ . . .

EPISTLE I Peter 1:1-7

PETER, an apostle of Jesus Christ, to the strangers dispersed through Pontus, Gala tia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia, elect according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, unto the sanctification of the Spirit, unto obedience and sprinkling of the blood of Jesus Christ: grace unto you and peace be multiplied. Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy hath regener ated us unto a lively hope, by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, unto an inheritance, incorruptible and undefiled and that cannot fade, reserved in heaven for you, who by the power of God are kept by faith unto salvation, ready to be revealed in the last time. Wherein you shall greatly rejoice, if now you must be for a little time made sorrowful in diverse temptations: that the trial of your faith, much more precious than gold (which is tried by the fire), may be found unto praise and glory and honor, at the appearance of Jesus Christ our Lord.

GRADUAL Psalm 106:32, 31

LET THEM EXALT him in the church of the people; and praise him in the chair of the ancients. Let the mercies of the Lord give glory to him: and His wonderful works to the children of men. **Alleluia, alleluia.** (*Matt. 16. 18.*) Thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build My Church. Alleluia.

GOSPEL Matthew 6:13-19

AT THAT TIME, Jesus came into the quarters of Cæsaréæ Philíppi, and He asked His disciples saying: Whom do men

say that the Son of Man is? But they said: Some, John the Baptist, and other some, Elias, and others, Jeremias, or one of the prophets. Jesus saith to them: But whom do you say that I am? Simon Peter answered, and said: Thou art Christ, the Son of the living God. And Jesus answering, said to him: Blessed art thou, Simon Bar-Jona, because flesh and blood hath not revealed it to thee, but my Father who is in heaven: and I say to thee: That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build My Church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it; and to thee I will give the keys of the kingdom of heaven; and whatsoever thou shalt bind upon earth, it shall be bound also in heaven; and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth, it shall be loosed also in heaven.—Creed.

OFFERTORY Matthew 16:18-19

THOU ART PETER, and upon this rock I will build My Church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it; and I will give to thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven. (P.T. Alleluia.)

SECRET

FAVORABLY accept, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the gifts we offer, and by Thy contin ual protection govern Thy servant N. whom Thou hast been pleased to appoint as pastor over Thy Church. Through our Lord . . .

PREFACE FOR EASTER

It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, at all times to praise Thee, O Lord, but more gloriously at this time above others when Christ our Pasch was sacrificed. For He is the true Lamb Who took away the sins of the world: Who by dying destroyed our death, and by rising again hath restored us to life. And therefore with Angels and Archangels, with Thrones and Dominations, and with all the hosts of the heavenly army, we sing a hymn to Thy glory, evermore saying:—Sanctus

COMMUNION Matthew 16:18

THOU ART PETER, and upon this rock I will build My Church. (P.T. Alleluia.)

POST COMMUNION

WE beseech Thee, O Lord, may the partaking of this divine Sacrament protect us, and ever save and defend Thy servant N. whom Thou hast been pleased to appoint as pastor over Thy Church, together with the flock committed to his care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son . . .

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

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Sun.	May 18 Fourth Sunday after Easter	Pro Populo	Priest's Intention
Mon.	May 19 Pope St. Peter Celestine	Priest's Intention	Betty
Tues.	May 20 St. Bernardine of Siena	Christina Linkul	Priest's Intention
Wed.	May 21 Feria of Paschaltide	Kay Whitehead	Jackie Fickel
Thur.	May 22 Feria of Paschaltide	+Paola Barbanti	Rick Fickel
Fri.	May 23 Feria of Paschaltide	The Trump Administration	The Trimble Family
Sat.	May 24 Our Lady on Saturday	+Henry & +Gloria Herrera	Patricia Jafari

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

COLLECTION

Sunday, May 11: \$9015.71

May 21—SPIRITUAL CONFERENCE

Please join other parishioners this Wednesday, May 21, at 6:30 p.m. in St. Joseph Hall (the church basement) for the spiritual conference and mini potluck.

May 24—MEN'S LEAGUE

The Men's League will meet this Saturday, May 24. All men of the parish are invited to meet in the church at 8:30 a.m. to pray the rosary in Latin together. Following the 9:00 a.m. Mass, we will move to the upper white house for a talk, meeting, and social. Please remember to bring your Little Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Coffee and donuts provided.

May 24—ROSARY MAKERS

The rosary makers will meet in the church basement this Saturday, May 24, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass. All parishioners, ages 13 and up, are invited to join us in making rosaries for the missions. A rosary kit is provided only to those who are participating for the first time. If this is not your first time, please bring your own supplies.

June 4—PARTNERS IN THE GOSPEL

Parishioners are invited to a consultative meeting on Wednesday, June 4, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. This meeting is part of the Partners in the Gospel program for the Archdiocese of Seattle. This is a sort of "State of the Parish" meeting.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL: TOGETHER IN FAITH

Through the Annual Catholic Appeal, our parish has been answering the call to support our shared mission—to help one another encounter Christ and put the Gospel into concrete action. Your gift is integral to bringing faith formation programs to life, inviting youth and young adults into the Church, fostering a welcoming community, and providing for the spiritual and physical needs of every person we encounter.

Thank you to all who have returned your Annual Catholic Appeal pledges and gifts, as well as those who are recurring monthly donors. All funds received over our goal will go to support paving and making other necessary improvements to the gravel lot.

For more information and contribution statistics for our parish, please visit https://saintjosephtacoma.org.

It is easy to give to the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal:



- Give online at https://archseattle.org/GiveACA
- Scan the QR code
- Specify St. Joseph Parish 144 Tacoma as your parish

WOMEN'S SILENT RETREAT

All women at St. Joseph and North American Martyrs are invited to register for the second annual three-day women's silent retreat, July 1-3, at the Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center at the Palisades. The retreat topic will be "Union with Christ". The cost is \$440 per person. Register online by visiting the link below or scanning the QR code with your phone: archseattle.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/4503/responses/new.

Registration closes May 25.

CHILDREN'S CHANT CAMP

Chant camp will take place on June 18, 19, and 20 this year. All youth at St. Joseph and NAM, ages 9 through 17, are invited to participate.

Register at https://saintjosephtacoma.org/chantcamp.

Registration closes May 25.

MEN'S RETREAT

The second annual men's retreat is scheduled for Thursday, September 25, through Saturday, September 27, at Pleasant Valley Camp. The cost is \$175 per person. Scan the QR code to register. https://archseattle.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/5147/responses/new



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