

St. Joseph Catholic Church

602 S. 34th 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, 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. Sung 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

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

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost October 1, 2023

INTROIT *Ecclesiasticus* 36:18

Give peace, O Lord, to them that patiently wait for Thee, that Thy prophets may be found faithful: hear the prayers of Thy servant, and of Thy people Israel. Psalm. I rejoiced at the things that were said to me: we shall go into the house of the Lord. \hat{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.—Give peace . . .

COLLECT

Let the exercise of Thy compassion, we beseech Thee, O Lord, direct our hearts: for without Thee we are not able to please Thee. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee...

EPISTLE I Corinthians 1:4-8

Brethren: I give thanks to my God always for you, for the grace of God that is given you in Jesus Christ, that in all things you are made rich in Him in all utterance and in all knowledge, as the testimony of Christ was confirmed in you; so that nothing is wanting to you in any grace, waiting for the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ. Who also will confirm you unto the end without crime, in the day of the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

GRADUAL Psalm 121:1, 7

I rejoiced at the things that were said to me: We shall go into the house of our Lord. Let peace be in thy strength, and abundance in Thy towers.

Alleluia, alleluia. (Ps. 101:16.) The Gentiles shall fear Thy Name, O Lord: and all the kings of the earth Thy glory. Alleluia.

GOSPEL Matthew 9:1-8

At that time Jesus, entering into a boat, passed over the water and came into His own city. And behold they brought Him one sick of the palsy lying in a bed; and Jesus seeing their faith, said to the man sick of the palsy: Be of good heart, son, thy sins are forgiven thee. And behold some of the scribes said within themselves: He blasphemes. And Jesus seeing their thoughts, said: Why do you think evil in your hearts? whether is easier to say: Thy sins are forgiven thee; or to say: Arise and walk? But that you may know that the Son of man hath power on earth to forgive

sins (then said He to the man sick of the palsy): Arise, take up thy bed, and go into thy house. And he arose, and went into his house. And the multitude seeing it feared and glorified God who had given such power to men.—Creed

OFFERTORY Exodus 24:4,5

Moses consecrated an altar to the Lord, offering upon it holocausts, and sacrificing victims: he made an evening sacrifice to the Lord God for an odor of sweetness, in the sight of the children of Israel.

SECRET

O God, who, by Thy venerable intercourse with us in this Sacrifice dost make us partakers of the one Supreme Godhead: grant, we beseech Thee, that as we know Thy truth, so we may follow it by worthy lives. Through our Lord . . .

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 Psalm 95:8-9

Bring up sacrifices, and come into His courts: adore ye the Lord in His holy court.

POST COMMUNION

We have been renewed, O Lord, by Thy sacred Gift, and thank Thee, beseeching Thee in Thy mercy to make us worthy partakers in It. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son . . .

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sun.	October 1 18th Sunday after Pentecost
Mon.	October 2 The Holy Guardian Angels
Tues.	October 3 St. Theresa of the Child Jesus

Wed. October 4 St. Francis of AssisiThur. October 5 St. Placid and Companions

Fri. October 6 St. Bruno

Sat. October 7 Our Lady of the Rosary

Father O'Brien Father Loftus

Pro Populo Priest's Intention

Priest's Intention +Richard Eugene Lopez

Kelly Kolb Priest's Intention +Francisco J. Mendoza F. John Barlow

+Cpt. Denny Oden, USMC Souls in Purgatory

Sheila Green Joseph & Nancy Kasper 50th

+Sr. Maureena Bichler Brendan Boyle

Parish News and Events

Collection

Sunday, September 24: \$8461.87

Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration Fundraiser

The Our Lady of Guadalupe group at our parish will host a kermes on Sunday, October 15, with a variety of food to help raise money for our church and the feast in December. **Today, Sunday, October 1**, each family will be able to order their tamales in advance after each Mass. Cash only please.

Veterans' Day Dinner Tickets & 50/50 Raffle Tickets

Tickets for the 5:00 p.m. November 11 Veterans' Day dinner and 50/50 raffle will be sold after all of the Masses on Saturdays and Sundays throughout the month of October. The dinner will be provided by BBQ2U.

Dinner: \$15 per person

50/50 Raffle: \$1 per ticket, \$5 per six tickets

All veterans at our parish are invited to obtain a free dinner ticket. Pick up your ticket at one of the sale tables on Sundays.

Spiritual Conference

All adults at our parish are invited to participate in the spiritual conference and mini potluck that will be offered this Wednesday, October 4, at 6:30 p.m.

Spiritual conferences and mini potlucks will be offered each Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted in the bulletin and/or the parish news.

Men's League Meeting

The next men's league meeting will be this Thursday, October 5. We will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the church with the Rosary (in Latin), and then move downstairs to the hall for Father's lesson, followed by our meeting/social. As always, you're welcome to bring a snack to share.

First Friday and First Saturday

October 6 is First Friday. A low Mass will be offered at 8:00 a.m., and a sung Mass will be offered at 6:30 p.m.
October 7, First Saturday, is the Feast of the Holy Rosary. Low Masses will be offered at 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.

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.

First Friday Adoration

Adoration will take place on First Friday, October 6, from 9:00 to 6:00. Visit https://saintjosephtacoma.org/adoration to sign up.

Altar Server Practice

All boys at our parish who have received their First Communion are invited to participate in the altar server practice this Saturday, October 7, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass and Exposition and Benediction. Pickup is at noon.

Girls' Groups

The Little Flowers and Hospitality Program will meet in St. Joseph Hall, and the Little Sodality will meet in the upper part of the white house this Saturday, October 7, following Mass, Exposition and Benediction. Pickup is at 12:00.

Pancake Breakfast

Next Sunday, October 8, the Men's League will be hosting their annual Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser following the 10:30 a.m. Mass. The suggested donation is \$5 per person or \$20 per family. Pay at the door or online: https://www.osvhub.com/saintjosephtacoma/giving/funds/pancake-breakfast Come enjoy a good old-fashioned pancake breakfast and help replace the chairs in St. Joseph Hall. All donations are welcome.

Sung Mass & Candlelight Procession

On Friday, October 13, we will have a 6:30 p.m. Sung Mass and candlelight procession in honor of Our Lady of Fatima.

The Confraternity of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter

October 18, is the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter (FSSP). On Sunday, October 15, following all of the Masses, all new members of the Confraternity of St. Peter (i.e., those who have joined in the last year) will be invited to kneel at the altar rail for a blessing. On Wednesday, October 18, members who assist at the 8:00 a.m. Mass and the holy hour that follows, are able to receive a plenary indulgence.

For information on how to join, please visit: https://www.fssp.org/en/help-us/confraternity-of-saint-peter/

First Communion Class

First Communion classes will be offered, starting Sunday, November 5. Additional information will be available soon. If you would like to register your child(ren), ages 7 and up, for the class, please email info@saintjosephtacoma.org.



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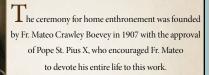
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Sing a new canticle

for the Holy Souls

De Profundis

Enthrone the Sacred Heart of Jesus in your Home



Through this enthronement of the Sacred Heart as King of the home, families are preserved and sanctified. Jesus promised St. Margaret Mary: "I will establish peace in their homes." Countless families have experienced this peace and have been drawn closer together with Christ as the King of their homes. In addition, there have been many reports of conversions of family members. Ask your parish priest for more information about this wonderful devotion.





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