



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.

Christ the King

October 29, 2023

Jesus is our King in the true sense of the word: He has created us, redeemed us, vivified us by His grace, He nourishes us with His Flesh and Blood, He governs us with love, and by love He draws us to Himself. In the face of such considerations, the cry of St. Paul rises spontaneously from our heart: "Giving thanks to God the Father . . . Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom we have redemption, the remission of sins." Christ's Kingdom is not of this world. His Kingdom is so sublime that no dishonor, no insults can eclipse it. But, He prefers to manifest His Kingship far more as a conquest of His Blood than as a title belonging to Him in virtue of His divine nature. We should go to meet this divine King with all the yearning of our soul. He presents Himself to us under an appearance so human, so loving, so welcoming, stretching out His arms on the Cross to invite all to come to Him, showing us the wound in His side as the symbol of His Love. Far from trying to escape His dominion, we should beseech Him to be the sole Ruler of our mind and heart, and the complete Master of our will.

INTROIT *Acts 5: 12; 1: 6*

The Lamb that was slain is worthy to receive power and divinity and wisdom and strength and honor; to Him be glory and empire for ever and ever. Psalm. Give to the King, O God, thy justice, and to the King's Son Thy judgment. *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.—The Lamb that was slain is worthy to receive power and divinity . . .

COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, who in Thy beloved Son, the King of the whole world, hast willed to restore all things, mercifully grant that all the families of nations now kept apart by the wound of sin, may be brought under the sweet yoke of His rule: Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end.

EPISTLE *Colossians 1: 12-20*

Brethren: Giving thanks to God the Father, who hath made us worthy to be partakers of the lot of the Saints in light: who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom we have redemption through His Blood, the remission of sins; who is the image of the invisible God, the first born of every creature: for in Him were all things created in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible: whether thrones, or dominations, or principalities, or powers, all things were created by Him and in Him; and He is before all, and by Him all things consist, and He is the head of the body of the Church, who is the beginning, the first-born from the dead, that in all things He may hold the primacy because in Him it hath well-pleased the Father that all fullness should dwell; and through Him to reconcile all things unto Himself, making peace through the Blood of His cross, both as to the things on earth, and the things that are in heaven, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

GRADUAL *Psalm 71: 8, 11*

He shall rule from sea to sea, and from the river to the ends of the earth. And all kings shall adore Him, all nations shall serve Him. **Alleluia, alleluia.** *Ps. 7:14* His power shall be an everlasting power, which shall not be taken away; and His kingdom a kingdom that shall not decay. Alleluia.

GOSPEL *John 18: 33-37*

At that time: Pilate said to Jesus: Art Thou King of the Jews? Jesus answered: Sayest thou this thing of thyself, or have others told it thee of Me? Pilate answered: Am I a Jew? Thine own nation and the chief priests have delivered Thee up to me: what hast Thou done? Jesus answered: My kingdom is not of this world. If My kingdom were of this world, My servants would certainly strive that I should not be delivered to the Jews; but now My kingdom is not from hence. Pilate therefore said to Him: Art Thou a king then? Jesus answered: Thou sayest that I am a King. For this was I born, and for this came I into the world, that I should give testimony to the truth. Every one that is of the truth, heareth my voice.—Creed

OFFERTORY *Psalm 2: 8*

Ask of Me, and I will give thee the nations for thine inheritance, and the ends of the earth for thy possession. **SECRET** O Lord, we offer Thee the Victim of man's redemption: grant, we beseech Thee, that Jesus Christ Thy Son our Lord, whom we are immolating in this sacrifice, may Himself bestow on all nations the gifts of unity and peace: Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost . . .

COMMUNION *Psalm 28:10*

The Lord shall sit as King for ever: the Lord shall bless His people in peace.

POST COMMUNION

We have received the food of immortality and beg, Lord, that we who are proud to fight under the banner of Christ our King, may reign with Him for ever in His realm above: Who liveth and reigneth . . .

Mass Intentions for the Week

		Father O'Brien	Father Loftus
Sun.	October 29 Christ the King	Pro Populo	Priest's Intention
Mon.	October 30 Feria	Priest's Intention	Dave Pair
Tues.	October 31 Feria	+Jim Kesterson	Priest's Intention
Wed.	November 1 All Saints	Brian Osgood	The Duffy Family
Thur.	November 2 All Souls	+Larry Hart	Annabell Buchert
Fri.	November 3 Feria	+Deceased Members of the FSSP	+Deceased Members of the FSSP
Sat.	November 4 St. Charles Borromeo	Altar Boys	Brian Weber

Parish News and Events

Collection

Sunday, October 22: \$12,436.48
Kermes: \$4205.85

Feast of Christ the King

The Feast of Christ the King is today, Sunday, October 29. Following the 10:30 a.m. Sung Mass, we will have a procession proclaiming the glory of the King of all saints, in heaven, in purgatory, and on earth—Christ the King. The consecration of the human race to the Sacred Heart will take place following each Mass. October devotions will take place at 2:30 today.

October Devotions

The October devotions will end on Tuesday, October 31, with a 6:30 p.m. Holy Hour and Rosary.

All Saints' Day

All Saints' Day, Wednesday, November 1, is a Holy Day of Obligation. Low Masses will be offered at 8:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. A sung Mass will be offered at 12:00 p.m.

All Saints' Day Party

Celebrate the saints! All of the children at the parish are invited to dress as a saint and come to the All Saints' Day Party on Wednesday, November 1, following the 12:00 p.m. Mass. There will be pizza, games, candy, and holy cards. Activities will take place in St. Joseph Hall and the upper and lower part of the white house. Children should know three facts about their saint.

Spiritual Conference Canceled on All Saints' Day

Due to the 6:30 p.m. Low Mass on All Saints' Day, Wednesday, November 1, the spiritual conference will not take place on this day. The next spiritual conference will be Wednesday, November 8.

Gain a Plenary Indulgence for the Holy Souls in Purgatory

During the octave of All Saints, from November 1 to November 8, you can gain a plenary indulgence for the holy souls in Purgatory by visiting a cemetery and there praying, mentally or verbally, for the departed.

First Communion Class

First Communion classes begin Sunday, November 5. Please email info@saintjosephnacoma.org by today to register your child(ren), ages 7 and up, for the class.

All Souls' Day Masses

On All Souls' Day, Thursday, November 2, three Masses will be offered in succession starting at 8:00 a.m. with a Sung Requiem Mass with absolution at the catafalque. The second Mass will begin around 9:00 a.m. and the third Mass will begin around 9:30. Please note, the time for the Low Masses is approximate.

First Friday & First Saturday

On First Friday, November 3, a Sung Mass will be offered at 8:00 a.m., and a Low Mass will be offered at 6:30 p.m. Exposition and Benediction will follow the evening Mass. On First Saturday, November 4, Low Masses will be offered at 7:00 and 9:00 a.m. with adoration from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. The blessing of sacramentals will take place after all four Masses. After Mass and Benediction, please kneel at the altar rail with the items that you want blessed.

Altar Boys & Girls' Groups

The altar servers, Little Flowers, Little Women Hospitality Program, and the Little Sodality will meet after the 9:00 a.m. Mass and Benediction on First Saturday, November 4.



Fall Back

Sunday
November 5
12:00 a.m.

Be on time for Mass
Set Clocks Back One Hour
Before Bed on Saturday Night

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 Masses on Saturdays and Sundays throughout the month of October. The dinner is being catered by BBQ2U. Dessert will be provided by the altar society and the men's group.


Dinner: \$15 per adult

50/50 Raffle: \$1 per ticket, \$5 per six tickets—Need not be present to win.

Veterans and active duty military are free, but please stop by to obtain a ticket and sign in, space is limited to 125 seats: First come, first served. Pick up tickets at one of the sale tables on Sundays.



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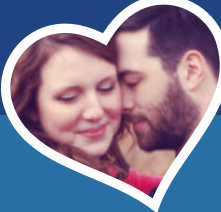
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Enthroned the Sacred Heart of Jesus in your Home

The ceremony for home enthronement was founded by Fr. Mateo Crawley Boevey in 1907 with the approval of Pope St. Pius X, who encouraged Fr. Mateo to devote his entire life to this work.

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.

Sing a new canticle for the Holy Souls
De Profundis



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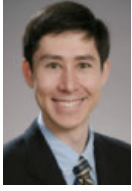


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