



# 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

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

**Pastor: Fr. Timothy O'Brien**

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**Rectory: 253-301-2416**

**Sacramental Emergencies: 253-234-5714**

## Office Hours

Monday to Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

## Charity

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
253-474-0519

## Parish Staff

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

# THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

## SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

“To keep unity in the bond of peace” is easy and difficult at the same time. It is easy because when the heart is truly humble, meek, and patient, it bears everything with love, carefully trying to adapt itself to the feelings and desires of others, rather than asserting its own. It is difficult because as long as we are here below, self-love, even when mortified, always tends to rise and assert its rights, thus creating continual occasions, the avoidance of which calls for much self-renunciation and much delicacy toward others. We should be persuaded that all that disturbs, weakens, or worse still, destroys fraternal union, does not please God; it does not please Him even if done under pretext of zeal. We should always prefer to renounce our own ideas—although they be good—rather than dispute with our neighbor, except when it is a question of fulfillment of duty or respect for the law of God. An act of humble renunciation for the sake of union and peace among our brethren gives much more glory to God than a glorious deed which might cause discord or disagreement.

### INTROIT *Psalm 118:137, 124*

Thou art just, O Lord, and Thy judgment is right; deal with Thy servant according to Thy mercy. Psalm. Blessed are the undefiled in the way: who walk in the law of the Lord. V̄. 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.—Thou art just . . .

### COLLECT

Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that Thy people may shun all the wiles of the devil: and with pure mind follow Thee, the only God. Through our Lord Jesus Christ . . .

### EPISTLE *Ephesians 4:1-6*

Brethren: I, a prisoner in the Lord, beseech you that you walk worthy of the vocation in which you are called. With all humility and mildness, with patience, supporting one another in charity, careful to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. One body and one spirit, as you are called in one hope of your calling. One Lord, one faith, one baptism. One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in us all, who is blessed for ever and ever. Amen.

### GRADUAL *Psalm 32:12, 6*

Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord: the people whom He hath chosen for His inheritance. By the word of the Lord the heavens were established; and all the power of them by the spirit of his mouth. **Alleluia, alleluia.** (*Ps. 101:2.*) O Lord, hear my prayer; and let my cry come to Thee. Alleluia.

### GOSPEL *Matthew 22:34-36*

At that time, the pharisees came to Jesus, and one of them, a doctor of the law, asked Him, tempting Him: Master, which is the great commandment of the law? Jesus said to him: Thou shalt love the lord thy God with thy whole heart, and with thy whole soul and with thy whole mind. This is the greatest and first commandment. And the second is like to this: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments dependeth the whole law and the prophets. And the Pharisees being gathered together, Jesus asked them, saying: What think you of Christ? whose son is He? They

said to Him: David's. He saith to them: How then doth David in spirit call Him Lord, saying: The Lord said to my Lord: Sit on My right hand, until I make Thine enemies Thy footstool? If David then call Him Lord, how is He his son? And no man was able to answer Him a word; neither durst any man from that day forth ask Him any more questions.—Creed

### OFFERTORY *Daniel 9:4, 17-19*

I, Daniel, prayed to my God, saying: Hear, O Lord, the prayers of Thy servant; show Thy face upon Thy sanctuary, and favorably look down upon this people upon whom Thy Name is invoked, O God. SECRET We humbly entreat Thy Majesty, O Lord: that these holy Mysteries which we celebrate, may set us free from both past and future sins. 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 75:12-13*

Vow ye, and pay to the Lord your God, all you that round about Him bring presents: to Him that is terrible, even to Him who taketh away the spirit of princes; to the terrible with all the kings of the earth.

### POST COMMUNION

By Thy sanctifying Gifts, O almighty God, may our vices be healed and eternal remedies made available to us. Through our Lord Jesus Christ . . .

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

	Father O'Brien	Father Kasak
Sun. September 15 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost	Pro Populo	Priest's Intention
Mon. September 16 Ss. Cornelius and Cyprian	Priest's Intention	+Winifred Bellanca
Tues. September 17 Feria or Stigmata of St. Francis	Anastasia Boyle	Priest's Intention
Wed. September 18 Ember Wednesday in September	+James Aburto	Gaven M. Cesario
Thur. September 19 St. Januarius	+Marie Durocher	Susana G. Espinosa
Fri. September 20 Ember Friday in September	+John & +Joanne Ford	Colleen Cleek
Sat. September 21 St. Matthew	+Ron Hoksbergen	Maureena Dudschus

## PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

### COLLECTION

Sunday, September 1: \$10,585.75

Sunday, September 8: \$11,606.74



### September 15 - Our Lady of Guadalupe Cookout

The feast of Our Lady of Sorrows gives glory to God for the salvific work accomplished in Our Blessed Mother Mary. Her Maternal union with Our Lord Jesus Christ brought forth the greatest joy and suffering and is a reminder of the love The Mother of God has for us all. On this special feast, 15 September, the Our Lady of Guadalupe Auction team would like to invite everyone at St. Joseph Parish to celebrate with a cookout after the 10:30 a.m. Mass and also announce the winning bids, including the 50/50 raffle. Please feel free to bring either a side, drinks, desert, or meat to share with others. "Ad Jesum per Mariam!"

### September 29 - Michaelmas Blackberry Pie or Cobbler & Ice Cream Social

On Sunday, September 29, the Little Sodality of Mary invites you to a Blackberry Pie or Cobbler and Ice Cream Social for the feast of St. Michael in St. Joseph Hall following the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Please bring a blackberry pie or cobbler to share.

### SPIRITUAL CONFERENCE

Our next spiritual conference and mini potluck is this Wednesday, September 18, at 6:30 p.m. in St. Joseph Hall. Fr. O'Brien will continue to discuss the Liturgical Year.

### CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Starting next Sunday, **September 22**, Confirmation classes will be offered at noon on Sundays in the upper part of the white house. If you would like to **register** your son(s) and/or daughter(s), ages 12 and up, please email their name and age to [info@saintjoseph Tacoma.org](mailto:info@saintjoseph Tacoma.org) **by today, Sunday, September 15**. Kindly include Confirmation Class in the subject line.

### ST. JOHN BOSCO BOYS' GROUP HIKE

The St. John Bosco Boys' Group is planning a Mount Rainier National Park hike near Mowich Lake on Saturday, 28 September. We will hike on the Tolmie Peak Trail—5.6 miles round trip, covering 1,500 feet of elevation. The day will begin with Mass at 7:00 a.m. at St. Joseph. Please see the announcement in Flocknote for additional info, including a packing list. For questions, contact Andre Zante or Tony Braun. **RSVP via Flocknote by this Saturday, September 21**, if your son(s) are planning on participating.

### MEN'S SILENT IGNATIAN RETREAT

**From:** September 30, 4:00 p.m.

**To:** October 2, 5:00 p.m.

**Who:** Men 18 and older are invited

**Retreat Master:** Fr. Timothy O'Brien, FSSP

**Cost:** \$275 per person (includes lodging and food)

**What:** A three-day silent retreat going through the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola with the Traditional Latin Mass on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 1 and 2, and time for confessions.

**Bring:** Rosary, sleeping bag and pillow, spiritual book to read, a pen and paper to take notes


**Where:** Pleasant Valley Christian Camp, 2675 State Route 7, Mineral, WA

**Register:** [archseattle.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/3303/responses/new](http://archseattle.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/3303/responses/new)

**Registration Closes:** **September 20**

### FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES

First Communion classes will be offered at 12:00 p.m. on Sundays in the lower part of the white house, beginning October 20. If you would like to register your son(s) and/or daughter(s), ages 7 and up, please email their name and age to [info@saintjoseph Tacoma.org](mailto:info@saintjoseph Tacoma.org) by October 13. Kindly include First Communion Class in the subject line.



**MICHAELMAS**  
**Mass &**  
**Blackberry Pie or**  
**Cobbler and Ice**  
**Cream Social**

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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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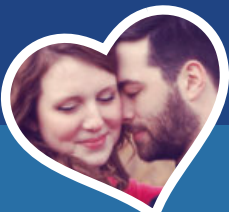
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