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
7:00 a.m. Low Mass
8:30 a.m. Low Mass
10:00 a.m. Low Mass
11:30 a.m. Low Mass
1:00 p.m. Low Mass

Monday-Thursday
8:00 a.m. Low Mass

Friday
8:00 a.m. Low Mass
6:30 p.m. Low Mass, Exposition & Benediction

Saturday
9:00 a.m. Low Mass

First Saturday
9:00 a.m. Low Mass
11:00 a.m. Low Mass, Exposition & Benediction

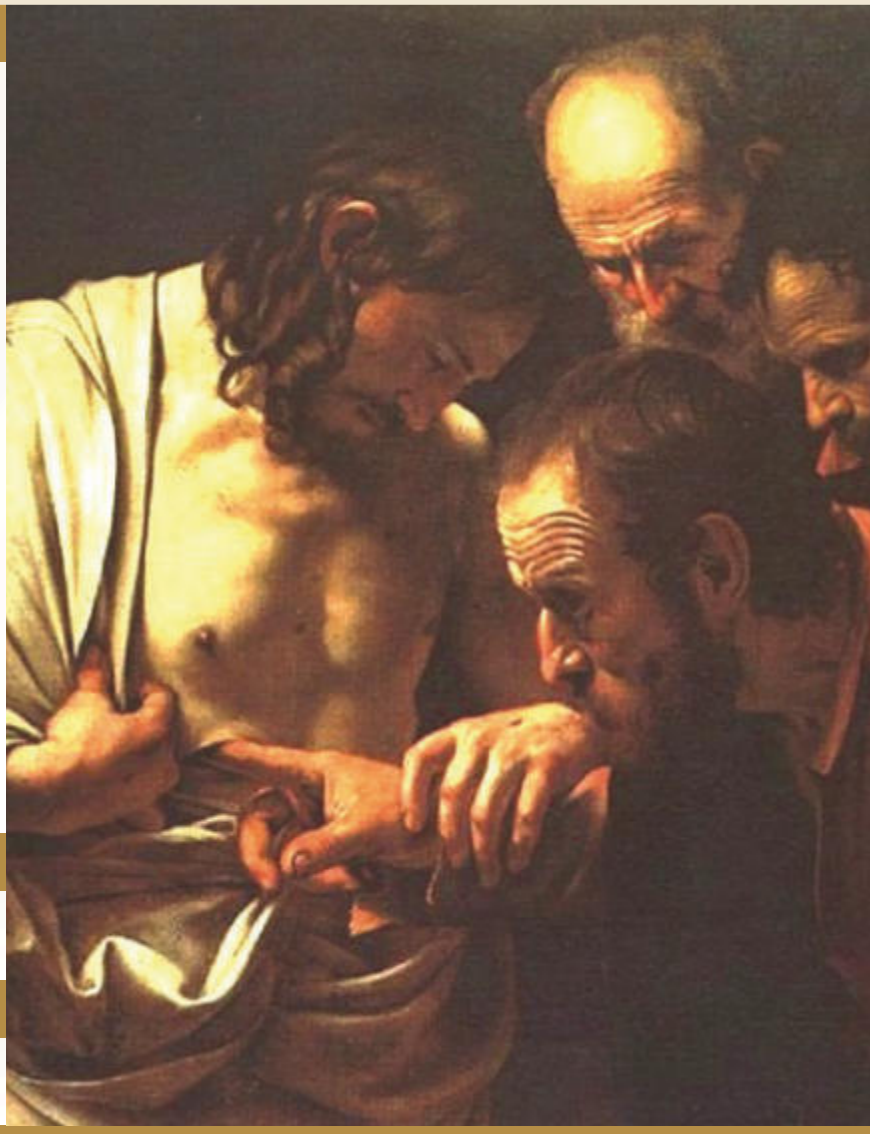
Feast Days
8:00 a.m. Low Mass
7:00 p.m. Sung Mass if Monday - Thursday

Confession

10 to 30 minutes prior to each Mass
or by appointment

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.

Low Sunday
April 11, 2021

This Sunday is called "in albis" because those who had been baptized at Easter had put aside their white garments. It is also named "Quasimodo" from the first words of the Introit, and "Low Sunday" in contrast to Easter, prototype of all Sundays.

INTROIT ***I Peter 2:2***

As newborn babes, alleluia, desire ye the rational milk without guile, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. *Psalm.* Rejoice to God our Helper; sing aloud to the God of Jacob. ℣. 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. —As newborn babes...

COLLECT

Grant, we beseech Thee, almighty God, that we who have celebrated the Paschal Feast, may, by Thy bounty, retain its fruits in our daily habits and behavior. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, who with Thee liveth and reigneth in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end.

EPISTLE ***I John 5:4-10***

Dearly beloved: Whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory, which overcometh the world, our faith. Who is he that overcometh the world, but he that believeth that Jesus is the Son of God? This is He that came by water and blood, Jesus Christ: not by water only, but by water and blood. And it is the Spirit which testifieth that Christ is the truth. And there are three who give testimony in heaven: the Father, the Word and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one. And there are three that give testimony on earth: the Spirit and the water and the blood; and these three are one. If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater: for this is the testimony of God, which is greater, because He hath testified of His Son. He that believeth in the Son of God hath the testimony of God in himself.

ALLELUIA

Alleluia, alleluia. *(Matthew 28:7)* On the day of My Resurrection, saith the Lord, I will go before you into Galilee. Alleluia. *(John 20:26)* After eight days, the doors being shut, Jesus stood in the midst of His disciples and said: Peace be to you. Alleluia.

GOSPEL ***John 20:19–31***

At that time, when it was late that same day, the first of the week, and the doors were shut, where the disciples were gathered together for fear of the Jews, Jesus came, and stood in the midst and said to them: Peace be to you. And when He had said this, He showed them His hands and His side. The disciples therefore were glad, when they saw the Lord. He said therefore to them again: Peace be to you. As the Father hath sent me, I also send you. When He had said this, He breathed on them, and He said to them: Receive ye the Holy Ghost: whose sins you shall forgive, they are forgiven them: and whose sins you shall retain, they are retained. Now Thomas, one of the twelve, who is called Didymus, was not with them when Jesus came. The other disciples therefore said to him: We have seen the Lord. But he said to them: Except I shall see in His hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the place of the nails, and put my hand into His side, I will not believe. And after eight days, again His disciples were within, and Thomas with them. Jesus cometh, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said: Peace be to you. Then He saith to Thomas: Put in thy finger hither, and see My hands, and bring hither thy hand, and put it into My side; and be not faithless, but believing. Thomas answered and said to Him: My Lord and my God. Jesus saith to him: Because thou hast seen Me, Thomas, thou hast believed; blessed are they that have not seen, and have believed. Many other signs also did Jesus in the sight of His disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written, that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that, believing, you may have life in His Name.—Creed.

OFFERTORY ***Matthew 28:2, 5, 6***

An angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and said to the women: He whom you seek is risen, as He said, alleluia.

SECRET

Receive, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the gifts of Thine exultant Church: and to whom Thou has given cause for so great joy, grant the fruit of perpetual happiness. Through our Lord Jesus Christ...

COMMUNION ***John 20:27***

Put in thy hand, and know the place of the nails, alleluia; and be not faithless, but believing, alleluia, alleluia.

POST COMMUNION

We beg Thee, O Lord our God, that these sacred and holy mysteries which Thou hast given us to safeguard our rebirth, may be for us a remedy both now and in the future. Through our Lord Jesus Christ Thy Son...

Mass Intentions for the Week

			Father O'Brien	Father Brodsky
Sun.	April 11	Low Sunday	Pro Populo	Priest's Intention
Mon.	April 12	Feria in Paschaltide	+Vince Bartuccio	Priest's Intention
Tues.	April 13	St. Hermengild	Priest's Intention	+Charles Wallace
Wed.	April 14	St. Justin	+Brother William	Sandra Darling
Thur.	April 15	Feria in Paschaltide	+Dallas & Victoria Dudschus	+Donald Tucker
Fri.	April 16	Feria in Paschaltide	Anna Saul	+Clint & Betty Sheard
Sat.	April 17	Saturday of Our Lady	John the Baptist Thuy	Sheard Family

Parish News and Events

Collection

March 28: $7817.89
April 4: $13,129.23

Rosary Makers

The rosary makers will meet after the 9:00 a.m. Mass on Saturday, April 17, at Holy Rosary convent, 424 S 30th St. to make rosaries for the missions. All supplies are provided. New members, ages 13 and up, are encouraged to join. Adults must be safe-environment compliant.

Welcome

Welcome to all of our visitors. We are happy to have you join us. Missalettes are available in the pews to help you follow along with the Latin Mass. If you would like to register as a parishioner, you may do so by taking a blue registration form from the entrance to the church or online at https://saintjosephtacoma.org/register.

If you would like more information about our parish, please visit our website at https://saintjosephtacoma.org

Bulletin Submissions

If you have a submission for the bulletin, please send it to info@saintjosephtacoma.org on the Thursday a week prior to the Sunday when it needs to appear in the bulletin.

Calling All Men

If you would like to volunteer as an usher, please contact Dave Fitzpatrick at davelfitz@comcast.net.

Sacred Liturgy Conference

The 9th annual Sacred Liturgy Conference will take place in Spokane, from June 1-4. This year's theme "The Incarnation in the Holy Eucharist" will illuminate the Incarnation as inseparable from the Cross, Resurrection, and the Holy Eucharist. For more information and to register, please visit https://sacredliturgyconference.org.

Thank You

Thank you to the altar servers, choir, ushers, those who designed the Altar of Repose, everyone who made donations for and of flowers for the Triduum and Easter liturgies, and all those who helped in ways not mentioned.
May God reward all of you!

Three Hearts Pilgrimage

The Three Hearts Pilgrimage will take place in Hulbert, Oklahoma, from Thursday, October 21, through Saturday, October 23. The pilgrimage is comprised of a 35-mile trek to the Benedictine monastery, Our Lady of Clear Creek Abbey. The pilgrimage is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and the Most Chaste Heart of St. Joseph. For more information or to register, please visit https://www.eventbrite.com/e/three-hearts-pilgrimage-formerly-our-lady-help-of-christians-pilgrimage-tickets-142377846973

Prayers for Parishioners

We continue to pray for our Military Personnel:
SSgt. Nickolas Dery, CPT Mark Salinas,
2nd Lt. Rachel Gonzales, PO2 Steven Perez,
SPC Ethan Lund, SPC Abel McNece, LNCPL Anthony Poe

For the sick and homebound:
Amy Alexeev, Nicole Bamba, Janice Boutte, MaryAnn Coble, Donald Drake, Pat Fickel, Camille Johnasen, Vince Johnsen, Jen Jonker, Janice Marshall, Jane Pearson, Giovanni Seaman, Michael Vavrek

For those who have died:
†Theresa Peters, †Derek Wood, †Francine Poe, †Victoria Dudschus, †Marietta Abelgas, †Aleecia McAskill, †Donna Lowry, †Michael Mauss, †Paul Chromey, †Donna Garcia, †Marsha Grimwood, †Carolina Brachi, †Madelyn Tesar, †Shane Tesar, †Dennis Paulson, †Barbara Hunhoff

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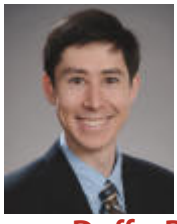
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