



# St. Joseph Catholic Church

602 S. 34<sup>th</sup> 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. Sung Mass

### Monday-Thursday

8:00 a.m. Low Mass

### Friday

6:30 p.m. Low Mass, Exposition & Benediction

### Saturday

9:00 a.m. Low Mass

### First Friday

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

### First Saturday

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

### Feast Days

8:00 a.m. Low Mass  
6:30 p.m. Sung Mass if Monday - Thursday



## Confession

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

**Pastor: Fr. Timothy O'Brien**  
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## Office Hours

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

## Charity

**St. Vincent de Paul**  
253-228-4817

## 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.*

# 24th or Last Sunday after Pentecost

## November 21, 2021

### INTROIT *Jeremiah 29:11, 12, 14*

The Lord saith: I think thoughts of peace, and not of affliction: you shall call upon Me, and I will hear you; and I will bring back your captivity from all places. Psalm. Lord, Thou hast blessed Thy land: Thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob. 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.—The Lord saith...

### COLLECT

Stir up, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the wills of Thy faithful to seek more earnestly this fruit of the divine work, that they will receive more abundantly healing gifts from Thy tender mercy. Through our Lord...

### EPISTLE *Colossians 1:9-14*

Brethren: We cease not to pray for you, and to beg that you may be filled with the knowledge of the will of God, in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; that you may walk worthy of God, in all things pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God; strengthened with all might according to the power of His glory, in all patience and long suffering with joy; 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.

### GRADUAL *Psalms 43:8-9*

Thou hast saved us, O Lord, from them that afflict us: and hast put them to shame that hate us. In God we will glory all the day long: and in Thy Name we will give praise for ever.

**Alleluia, alleluia.** *Ps. 129:1, 2.* Out of the depths I have cried to Thee, O Lord: Lord, hear my voice. Alleluia.

### GOSPEL *Matthew 24:13-25*

At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: When you shall see the abomination of desolation, which was spoken of by Daniel the Prophet, standing in the holy place; (he that readeth, let him understand:) then they that are in Judea, let them flee to the mountains; and he that is on the housetop, let him not come down to take anything out of his house; and he that is in the field, let him not go back to take his coat. And woe to them that are with child and that give suck, in those days. But pray that your flight be not in the winter, or on the sabbath: for there shall be then great tribulation, such as hath not been found from the beginning of the world until now, neither shall be: and unless those days had been shortened, no flesh should be saved; but for

the sake of the elect, those days shall be shortened. Then if any man shall say to you: Lo here is Christ, or there; do not believe him; for there shall arise false Christs, and false prophets, and shall show great signs and wonders, insomuch as to deceive (if possible) even the elect. Behold I have told it to you beforehand. If therefore they shall say to you: Behold He is in the desert, go ye not out; Behold He is in the closets, believe it not. For as lightning cometh out of the east, and appeareth even into the west, so shall also the coming of the Son of man be. Wheresoever the body shall be, there shall the eagles also be gathered together. And immediately after the tribulation of those days, the sun shall be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers of heaven shall be moved; and then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven, and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn; and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with much power and majesty. And He shall send His angels with a trumpet and a loud voice, and they shall gather together His elect from the four winds, from the farthest parts of the heavens to the utmost bounds of them. And from the fig tree learn a parable: when the branch thereof is now tender, and the leaves come forth, you know that summer is nigh. So you also, when you shall see all these things, know ye that it is nigh even at the doors. Amen I say to you that this generation shall not pass till all these things be done. Heaven and earth shall pass away, but My words shall not pass away.—*Creed*

### OFFERTORY *Psalms 129:1, 2*

Out of the depths have I cried to Thee, O Lord; Lord, hear my voice. Out of the depths have I cried to Thee, O Lord.

### SECRET

Be gracious, O Lord, to our humble entreaties: receive the offerings and prayers of Thy people, and turn to Thyself the hearts of us all; and thus freed from earthly covetings, may we be caught by heavenly desires. Through our Lord...

**COMMUNION** *Mark 11:24* Amen I say to you, whatsoever you ask when you pray, believe that you shall receive and it shall be done to you.

### POST COMMUNION

Grant unto us, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that through these Sacraments which we have received, whatsoever is in our minds corrupt, may be cured by the gift of their power to heal. Through our Lord...

## Mass Intentions for the Week

		<b>Father O'Brien</b>	<b>Father Loftus</b>
Sun.	November 21 24th Sunday or Last Sunday after Pentecost	Pro Populo	Priest's Intention
Mon.	November 22 St. Cecilia	+Jim Lowry	Priest's Intention
Tues.	November 23 St. Clement I	Priest's Intention	Special Intention for all
Wed.	November 24 St. John of the Cross	+Elmer Esch	Luis Ulloa
Thur.	November 25 St. Catherine of Alexandria	Peter John Kesling	+Kathleen Therese Weber
Fri.	November 26 St. Sylvester	+Donna Lowry	+John Jerome Weber
Sat.	November 27 Saturday of Our Lady	+Anna Emma Esch	Laramie Ann McHugh

## Parish News and Events

 <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Collection</b></p> <p>November 14: unavailable at time of printing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Extension of Plenary Indulgence for the Holy Souls in Purgatory</b></p> <p>The Apostolic Penitentiary has extended the plenary indulgence for the holy souls in purgatory for the entire month of November by visiting a cemetery on any day in November and praying for those who have died.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Adult Catechism Class</b></p> <p>There will be an adult catechism class on Wednesday, November 24, in St. Joseph Hall (a.k.a. the basement), at 7:00 p.m. The subject will be on the English Reformation, the Book of Common Prayer, and the Mass.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Save the Date!</b></p> <p>Please mark your calendars. On First Saturday, December 4, a Rorate Mass will be offered at 6:30 a.m. The Mass is a Votive Mass of the Blessed Virgin, and so it is celebrated in white, rather than Advent purple. In the dimly lit setting, priests and faithful prepare to honor the Light of the world, Who is soon to be born, and offer praise to God for the gift of Our Lady. As the Mass proceeds and sunrise approaches, the church becomes progressively brighter, illumined by the sun as our Faith is illumined by Christ.</p> <p>The men's league will be hosting an outdoor breakfast at Holy Rosary convent following the Mass.</p> <p>A low Mass will be offered at 9:00 a.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>St. Joseph Turkey Bowl</b></p> <p>On Saturday, November 27, all boys of the parish ages 10+ are invited to come out and play in the first annual St. Joseph Turkey Bowl—a friendly flag football game to be played at nearby Verlo Playfield, 4321 E McKinley AVE, Tacoma, starting at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>Parents, siblings, and parishioners are encouraged to come out and watch.</p> <p>Hot cocoa and hot apple cider will be available. Families are encouraged to bring snacks to share.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Prayers for Parishioners</b></p> <p><b>We continue to pray for our Military Personnel:</b>            CPT Mark Salinas, 2nd Lt. Rachel Gonzales, SSgt. Nickolas Dery, Sgt. Zach Sanford, PO2 Steven Perez, SPC Ethan Lund, SPC Abel McNece, LNCPL Anthony Poe</p> <p><b>For the sick and homebound:</b>            Amy Alexeev, Nicole Bamba, MaryAnn Coble, Donald Drake, Camille Johnasen, Janice Marshall, Jane Pearson, Gerard Perez, Michael Vavrek</p> <p><b>For those who have died:</b>            †Theresa Peters, †Derek Wood, †Francine Poe, †Victoria Dudschus, †Donna Lowry, †Michael Mauss, †Paul Chromey, †Donna Garcia, †Carolina Brachi, †Madelyn Tesar, †Shane Tesar, †Dennis Paulson, †RoseMary Delaney, †Pat Fickel, †Priscilla Miller, †Donna Rush</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Thanksgiving Baskets</b></p> <p>If you or someone you know in the parish is in need of a Thanksgiving basket, please contact Joan Faranda at 253-460-9579.</p> <p>Requests must be received no later than the 19th of November.</p> 	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mexico City Pilgrimage</b></p> <p>Join Fr. O'Brien, FSSP, and Kristine Mauss on a Traditional Catholic pilgrimage to Mexico City with Select International Tours from December 8-14, 2021. Mass will be celebrated each day. Please take a brochure at the entrance of the church for more information or to register.</p>	

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