



Four Communities - One Parish Family

ST. JOSEPH & ST. THERESE



ST. JOSEPH PARISH

THE JESUIT PARISH IN SEATTLE

Ignited by the Eucharist to Love and Serve

St. Joseph

732 18th Ave E, Seattle, WA 98112

www.stjosephparish.org (206) 324-2522

Office Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm

Mass Times: Sunday 9am, 11am, 5:30pm

Livestream w/ASL 11 am

Reconciliation: Tue. 5pm - 6pm & by Appointment

Weekday Mass Schedule: Tues-Fri, 7am



ST. THERESE CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Worship With Joy, Work For Justice,
and Grow In God's Love*

St. Therese

3416 E Marion St, Seattle, WA 98122

www.st-therese.cc (206) 325-2711

Office Hours: Mon-Thur 9am-4pm

Mass Times: Sunday 9am and 11am

Livestream (9am) 2nd and 4th Sundays,

(11am) 1st and 3rd Sundays

Reconciliation: Tue. 5pm - 6pm at St. Joseph

& by Appointment

November 2, 2025

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

ALL SOULS' DAY



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WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH & ST. THERESE

We are delighted to welcome you to our church today. Whether it is your first time here or you have been coming for years, WELCOME!

Our communities are known for passionate social outreach, communal worship, lay leadership, faith formation, and commitment to working for justice. Whatever your interest, there is a place for you within our Parish Family. Reach out and join in!

READINGS & PREACHING INFORMATION

[This Sunday - November 2, 2025](#)

First Reading: WISDOM 3:1-9 OR ISAIAH 25:6-9
SECOND READING: ROMANS 5:5-11
GOSPEL: JOHN 6:37-40

[Next Sunday - November 9, 2025](#)

First Reading: EZEKIEL 47:1-2, 8-9, 12
SECOND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 3:9C-11, 16-17
GOSPEL: JOHN 2:13-22
ST. JOSEPH
PRESIDING & PREACHING: PHIL BOROUGHS, SJ
PREACHING: DEACON GREG McNABB
ST. THERESE
PRESIDING & PREACHING: MATTHEW PYRC, SJ

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Bulletin Submissions - Please send your article or flyer to bulletin@stjosephparish.org ten (10) days before the Sunday you want it to appear (the Friday of the week before). If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Caprice at caprices@stjosephparish.org

PARISH FAMILY SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow along with both St. Joseph and St. Therese on Facebook and Instagram!



St. Joseph - St. Joseph Parish, Seattle
St. Therese - St. Therese Parish of Seattle



St. Joseph - @stjosephparishseattle
St. Therese - @st.-therese-parish

STEWARDSHIP OF ST. JOSEPH & ST. THERESE

Please take some time to read our 2025 State of Our Parish Family annual report. If you have any feedback or questions, reach out to Erin Smith, Director of Operations, or the chairs of our Finance Councils.

Living a life of faithful stewardship is an expression of gratitude for God's blessings. Please prayerfully consider your financial gift to support the mission of our churches. Pledge cards can be found in the pews or you can make a gift using the QR code below. If you

have any questions regarding stewardship, please email stewardship@stjosephparish.org or stewardship@st-therese.cc.



St. Joseph Online Giving

Scan the QR code to make a gift.



St. Therese Online Giving

Scan the QR code to make a gift.



THANK YOU! For your continued care of St. Joseph and St. Therese!

Parish Family - Remembering Our Beloved Dead during the month of November

At St. Joseph, you are invited to bring photos of your loved ones to help create our "Saints Corner" display to be located in the Baptistry. This will be maintained as a sacred space for contemplation and prayer throughout the month. You can bring your framed or unframed photo to church during open hours and place it on the table inside the gates, or drop it off at the parish center and we place it there for you. Please write contact information on the back of the photo so it can be returned to you after November.

Also at St. Joseph, we will once again set out our traditional Parish Book of Life, containing names of loved ones who have died during the last twelve months. It will be located near the baptistery within the church for the month of November. We invite you to write the names of those recently passed friends and family for whom you wish prayer in the Book of Life. During mass, the book will be placed upon the altar.

At St. Therese, During the month of November, we remember our loved ones who have gone before us. Please take a moment to write their names on a leaf in the social hall after Mass. The leaves will then be used to decorate the church.

Sister Act Singalong Schedule Change

Due to unforeseen circumstances, our Sister Act singalong will be re-scheduled.

Stay tuned for more information and a new date!

THE WEEKLY WORD

A COLUMN WRITTEN BY A MEMBER OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

In today's second reading, St. Paul starts by saying "Hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts." As a parent, I feel like it is my "job" to ensure God's love is present to my children and provide experiences for them to see God's love. When my children were in preschool and elementary age, Catechesis of the Good Shepherd at St. Therese was a place to explore their faith and relationship with God. When my oldest child was about to graduate from CGS in 6th grade, there was no active middle school youth group. I spoke with other St. Therese parents who were looking at what was next for their children after CGS. The Parish Families had recently been announced and we decided to reach out to Deacon Steve to see what programs St. Joseph's had for middle schoolers.

We found out St. Joseph's was looking to restart their middle school youth group. Deacon Steve connected several middle school families together last spring and we hosted a getting to know you session. Parents asked middle schoolers two questions: 1) When do you feel most connected to God and 2) What activities do you want to do as a group? What I took away from the conversation was middle schoolers wanted the meetings to be FUN and to create community.

The middle school youth group is a Parent VOLUNTEER run group. We are catholic parents creating space for catholic middle schoolers to engage with each other, deepen their faith and explore how everyday activities can be a way to connect with God. Each month a few families "host" an activity for middle schoolers and their families to participate in. This month we are having FRIENDSGIVING, a chance to connect with friends and make new ones by sharing your favorite holiday side dish or dessert. If you have a middle schooler in your family please join us on November 9th at 6:30 in the St. Joseph's social hall. We'll break bread before doing a service project, making sandwiches.

Gloria Okada



T Parish Family 

 middle school youth group

Join us for Friendsgiving!
Dinner provided. Bring a dessert to share
or a favorite side dish.
Sunday, November 9th at 6:30pm
in the St. Joe's Social Hall

RSVP to youthgroup@stjosephparish.org
But please just show up, even if you didn't RSVP!

ONE CHURCH, ONE FAMILY IMMIGRATION JUSTICE VIGIL

PEOPLE OF FAITH STAND WITH IMMIGRANTS

THUR, NOV. 13TH 4PM

ON THE FEAST DAY OF ST. CABRINI CATHOLICS ACROSS THE COUNTRY WILL STAND IN SOLIDARITY WITH OUR IMMIGRANT BROTHERS AND SISTERS AND PRAY. IN SEATTLE WE WILL PRAY ON THE STEPS OF THE FEDERAL BUILDING, JOIN US!

We will also invite everyone to take the US Bishop's Cabrini Pledge. As Mother Cabrini is the patron saint of immigrants. For more information on the Cabrini Pledge visit www.usccb.org/cabrinipledge

For more information on the nationwide movement visit www.1family.us

St. Therese St. Joseph IPJC



For More Information or Questions

Reach out to Deacon Steve stevew@stjosephparish.org

4PM TO 5PM

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NOVEMBER

FEDERAL BUILDING

HENRY M. JACKSON FEDERAL BLDG
915 2ND AVE
SEATTLE, WA 98174



Love is the most necessary of all virtues; love in action is the most perfect form of it. -St. Francis Xavier Cabrini



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Both St. Joseph and St. Therese are blessed to have St. Vincent de Paul Conferences.

The generous donations of parishioners, collected after Masses (1st Sunday of the month at St. Joe's - 3rd Sunday of the month at St. T's), provide the means by which we can help people in need with food, clothing, rent, bus fare and utility bills. St. Vincent de Paul conferences have no overhead expenses, so 100 percent of donations go to help the people we visit. Supporters also donate by using the QR codes or online at either of our websites. www.stjosephparish.org or www.st-therese.cc



Donate To St. Therese St. Vincent de Paul Conference



If you are in need of help, please call the helpline at 206-767-6449.

Volunteer Corner- Volunteers are the heart and soul of everything we do in our Parish Family. Check out this spot in the bulletin each week to learn how you can get involved in the Parish Family.

St. Joseph Funeral Hospitality - Our beloved funeral hospitality coordinator is stepping down after many years serving families in this capacity. Could you step in and help this important and critical ministry? This would be a wonderful job for two people to partner on. If you are interested in joining our dedicated team of hospitality angels who help coordinate meals and receptions after funerals, please email Mary Ott at funeralhospitality@stjosephparish.org.

St. Therese Collection Counters - Are you available to help on Monday morning? We need some additional assistance, please reach out to Catherine Pagès at cpages@st-therese.cc

St. Joe's Facilities Committee - We are looking for folks who have experience in facilities management, construction, or capital planning, etc. If your expertise in any of these areas leads you to think about volunteering, please reach out to Erin Smith at esmith@stjosephparish.org

St. Therese Dusting Help - Can you assist in keeping our worship space looking beautiful? We need some help keeping the cobwebs at bay. If you are able to help, please reach out to Nicole St. Hilaire at nicoles@st-therese.cc

St. Therese Livestream Volunteers - Are you available to help on the 2nd and 4th Sunday mornings? We will happily train you for this fun and easy job during Mass. Please reach out to Nicole St. Hilaire at nicoles@st-therese.cc

St. Joseph Parish



Climate Justice Committee (CJC)



**PILGRIMS
OF HOPE FOR
CREATION**

Join Catholics of North Seattle for a **Sacred Salmon Pilgrimage of Hope to Piper's Creek / Carkeek Park** to observe spawning salmon complete their creation cycle.

Date: Saturday, November 8th - Time: 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Starting Location: Christ the King Church

405 N 117th Street, Seattle 98133

RSVP at tinyurl.com/salmon-pilgrim Additional details will be sent to you upon registration. For questions, write to: nescc.socialjustice@gmail.com.

ACTION ITEM:

ROADLESS AREA CONSERVATION ACT

Ask your Members of Congress to sponsor the Roadless Area Conservation Act

(RACA) today! S.2042 H.R. 3930



This bill would permanently codify the U.S. Forest Service's roadless rule into federal law and would protect over 50 million acres of National Forests from logging and other development.

St. Joseph Prayer Shawl Group

We welcome prospective to experienced knitters and crocheters who wish to create prayer shawls for those in need of comfort and healing. Anyone interested in joining is welcome! We meet at 7:00pm, in the Mother Teresa room in Parish Center at St. Joseph. **Our next meeting is November 4th!** If you have questions, please email us at prayer-shawl@stjosephparish.org

Seniors Ministry

Senior Mass & Luncheon - **Please join us on Friday, November 7 at 11:30am for Mass**, followed by a delicious luncheon! There is parking available in the lot. All four faith communities are welcome! Mass and lunch at St. Joseph - 732 18th Ave E, Seattle. If you have a rosary that you want to donate to for our children who are receiving their first communion this year, please bring with you! Questions about the rosaries, meredithw@stjosephparish.org

St. Therese Laudato Si Ministry

Care for Our Common Home Work Party
Saturday, November 15 2025, 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM
Join us to spruce up the grounds!
Questions or to RSVP, jvrussell85@gmail.com
Repeats every third Saturday of the month



Women's Ministry

Do you desire to build a community and pray with other women in the congregation in a more relaxed environment? Then come help create *Calming Kinship*! *Calming Kinship* is a new group for those who identify as female to share in meaningful prayer; to build a safe and calming space for connection; and to grow into a kinship of faith and support. *Calming Kinship* will offer topics throughout the months that will include various forms of prayer, personal and group reflections and low-key activities. We meet on the 3rd Tuesday of the month from 7:00 to 8:15PM, Mother Teresa room, in the St. Joseph Parish Center. Our topic on **November 18th** is "Joyful Scriptural Rosary". Bring a rosary if you have one.

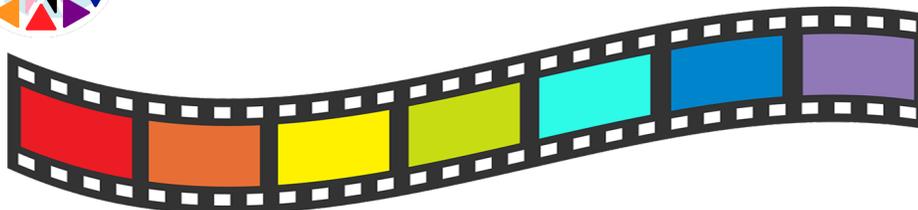
The Women's Ministry would enjoy having you to come help create Calming Kinship. Please note that this is open to women from all four of our communities! Join us! Questions? women@stjosephparish.org

Question of the Month

Give us feedback on our Parish Family. Our joint Parish Council wants to hear your thoughts and feelings! Check out our websites www.stjosephparish.org or www.st-therese.cc for November's question or you can fill out a hard copy located by the church exit doors. ©LPI



**ST. JOSEPH PARISH LGBTQ MINISTRY
DOCUMENTARY FILM & DISCUSSION SERIES**



Sunday | November 9 | 12:15-3:30 PM

Parish Center, Arrupe Room

Wonderfully Made: LGBTQ+R(eligion)

This film explores the intersection of LGBTQ+ identities and the Catholic faith through art. The film showcases the challenges and aspirations of LGBTQ+ Catholics, as they become images of Christ.



Sunday | November 16 | 12:15-3:30 PM

Parish Center, Arrupe Room

Compassion and Kinship

Greg Boyle, SJ

Gay and Christian, No Contradiction

Pastor Brandon Robertson

To RSVP or for more information email or call Theresa at theresal@stjosephparish.org or 206-508-3079



NOV 9TH AT ST THERESE

Join us at 10am!

**NEXT MEETING FOR THE
IMMIGRANTS RIGHTS:
TOGETHER WE DEEPEN
RESISTANCE & WITNESS HOPE**

Join us in taking our steps on behalf of brother and sister immigrants through prayer/service, advocacy/education, and public resistance. All are welcome!

OUR PARISH FAMILY SCHOOLS



ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL
LEARN MORE
TODAY!

Schedule a tour, attend an information night, begin an application and more!

Kindergarten - 8th grade & Early Learning Center, serving infants 3 months-5 years old.

www.stjosephsea.org/admissions



ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL
Seattle's Smart Parish School



ST. THERESE
CATHOLIC ACADEMY

STCA Thanksgiving Drive

It is time for our Thanksgiving tradition of helping 15 families at STCA have an amazing Thanksgiving meal. We are asking St. Therese parishioners to help bring this to fruition. The St. Therese parishioners can donate after both masses on November 2nd, 9th and 16th. Parishioners may also drop off donations with Brian at the front desk at the school between Nov. 3rd and 14th. You may give cash or write a check made out to Mary Brannan. You may also send a check in the mail to St. Therese Catholic Academy, 900 35th Avenue, Seattle, WA 98122.

The money will be collected, divided among 15 families, and gift cards will be purchased. We will distribute the gift cards to the families before Thanksgiving.

Thank you in advance for your compassion and generosity.

Gina Purdy, Mary Gubelman and Mary Brannan
St. Therese Catholic Academy Volunteer

St. Therese Catholic Academy Business Manager Position

St. Therese Catholic Academy (STCA) is seeking applications for a Business Manager. The Business Manager plays a critical role in the daily operations of the school, overseeing administrative functions and supporting financial management. This position will work closely with the parish Director of Operations, school principal, bookkeeper and development team to ensure efficient financial and administrative operations of the school. This position will also work closely with members of the school community and foster a welcoming environment aligned with Catholic values. The position is 30 hours per week and is benefit eligible. Application here: <https://www.applitrack.com/seattlearch/onlineapp/default.aspx?Category=Secretarial%2fClerical&AppliTrackJobId=10571&AppliTrackLayoutMode=detail&AppliTrackViewPosting=1>

PARTNER MINISTRIES



2025 Black Catholic Advisory Circle Annual Conference

THE EUCHARIST FOR INCLUSION & HEALING

Join us for a day of reflection, prayer, learning and community as we explore how the Eucharist – the source and summit of our faith – calls us to deeper unity, radical inclusion and profound healing in the Body of Christ.

“For we, though many, are one body, for we all partake of the one bread.”

– 1 Corinthians 10:17

November 15
8am–3:30pm
Mass 4pm

Conference Speakers

Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers (Keynote)

Sr. Genevieve Osayame, EHJ

Mrs. Christina (Mohini) Srinivasan, OP

\$40 by 11/14

\$50 at the door

\$10 students w/ID

Register



Archdiocese
of Seattle

St. Paul Catholic Church
10001 57th Ave. S,
Seattle, WA



archseattle.org/events/black-catholic-advisory-circle-conference

PARTNER MINISTRIES

When: Saturday, Nov. 8

9 am to 12:30 pm

Where: Our Lady of Guadalupe

Walmesley Center is 3410 SW Myrtle St.



Town Hall Conversation:
Lay Leadership and the future of the Church in Washington State

We need to hear from you!

Who should attend: All Catholics in the Northwest interested in shaping the future of our church

Why: With the declining number of priests and resulting roll out of Partners in the Gospel, the crucial moment has arrived for the Laity to become the kind of Leaders needed for the Church to move forward into the future. We, the laity, will need to step up in new ways to nurture and grow the Church in the region.



3-Part Program:

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Massimo Faggioli, one of the world's foremost experts on the challenges facing the Catholic Church.



Professor in Historical and Contemporary Ecclesiology, Loyola Institute of Religion, Theology and Peace Studies, Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland. Dr Faggioli is the author of a dozen books about the Catholic Church. He also writes for La Croix International and Commonweal magazine.

Panel Discussion:

Sarah Riggio is actually a parishioner at St. James Cathedral
 Fr. Tim's title is Parochial Vicar for West Seattle Catholic Community
 Sister Kathleen Pruitt, CSJP



and



Mass for the Deceased Homeless

You are invited to gather at St. James Cathedral on **Thursday, November 7, 2024, at 5:30 pm** for Mass in memory of the homeless men, women, and children who died in shelters, hospitals, on the streets or by violence in our community this past year.

Please join us to honor their memory, to celebrate their lives, and to pray for them. Father Ryan will preside at the Mass. All are welcome to bring an offering of winter hats, gloves, scarves, or coats to be distributed to those in need.

St. James Cathedral is located at 9th and Marion on First Hill in Downtown Seattle.
 Information, Patrick Barredo, 206-382-4515 or pbarredo@stjames-cathedral.org

www.stjames-cathedral.org

BRILLIANCE INTERFAITH GOSPEL CHOIR PRESENTS:

ROOTED IN FAITH, RISING IN UNITY

BRILLIANCE INTERFAITH GOSPEL CHOIR CONCERT

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 8, 2025 5PM

SAINT THERESE PARISH- 926 35TH AVE, SEATTLE, WA 98122
Voluntary Door Donation - Cookies and Goodies Reception Following Concert

Featuring Music Directors Kent Stevenson & Joy Jones
Elias Bullock, Guest Music Director

Supporting Partners: Baha'is of Seattle, Saint Therese and Saint Joseph's Parish
Questions: admin@brilliancepnw.org or brilliancechoir.org