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THE JESUIT PARISH IN SEATTLE

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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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Holy Trinity
JUNE 4, 2023

Mass Times: Saturday, 5pm

Sunday, 9:00am, 11:00am (Livestream w/ASL) 5:30pm

Reconciliation: Saturdays 3:30 to 4:30pm

Weekday Mass Schedule: Tuesday-Friday, 7am

June 11, 2023

FIRST READING: DEUTERONOMY 8:2-3, 14B-16A

SECOND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 10:16-17

GOSPEL: JOHN 6:51-58

PREACHING & PRESIDING: FR. BOB WYNNE

Mass Intentions:

For the people of St. Joseph

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A Note from Fr. Chris

Dear Friends,

Early in life we begin lessons in sharing. The toy that is "mine" we are instructed to share with another. It doesn't make sense to our toddler's mind. Tears are likely shed; our little heart wounded. Many times the lesson is repeated as we learn, and relearn, and learn again one of life's most meaningful lessons – sharing.

Gradually our heart grows larger and we find unexpected joy in being the giver, the one who shares; more satisfying than receiving. It helps to acquire this knowledge early in life. One discovers in time that it is fundamental to the life and teaching of Jesus Christ. World-wide churches consider it a cornerstone of how to live a good life.

Here at St. Joe's we witness many examples of sharing: lectors and choir members lending their voice, ushers and servers assisting the liturgy, meals delivered to the pot-lucks, hands and 'elbow-grease' at work for "clean-up", minds and hearts gathered for discussion and synodal reflection on how to be church in the world today, catechists and aides teaching our young the story of our faith, donations given to St. Vincent de Paul, to our weekly collection, to special needs and causes, food and comfort generously given to bereaved families, food each Sunday for St. Francis House and our community food banks and refrigerator. The examples go on and on. The greatest sharing we do is at the altar: sharing together the life of Christ through his body and blood.

Thank you everyone for sharing. We are not any kind of community, no kind of church without one another and such generosity. May our sharing give us joy; may it enlarge our hearts and gladden our souls. Let the lessons learned early in life never leave us but grow and increase and bring us close to God.

"O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled, as to console; to be understood, as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; It is in pardoning that we are pardoned; And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life." (From the Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi)

Blessings,



Fr. Chris

Update Your Information

If you have moved recently, changed your phone number or email address, please let us know by scanning the QR code or calling 206-324-2522. **Registered parishioners will also receive a letter in the mail asking for updated contact information - please respond!**



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Procession

Sing Out, Earth and Skies!

Haugen



1. Come, O God of all the earth: Come to us, O Right-eous One;
2. Come, O God of wind and flame: Fill the earth with right-eous-ness;
3. Come, O God of flash - ing light: Twin - kling star and burn - ing sun;
4. Come, O God of snow and rain: Show - er down up - on the earth;
5. Come, O Jus - tice, Come, O Peace: Come and shape our hearts a - new;



Come, and bring our love to birth: In the glo - ry of your Son.
Teach us all to sing your name: May our lives your love con - fess.
God of day and God of night: In your light we all are one.
Come, O God of joy and pain: God of sor - row, God of mirth.
Come and make op - pres-sion cease: Bring us all to life in you.



Sing out, earth and skies! Sing of the God who loves you! Raise your



joy - ful cries! Dance to the life a - round you!

Gloria

Mass of St. Francis

Lynch



Glo - ry to God, Glo - ry to God, Glo - ry to God in the high - est,



And on the earth peace to all. Peace to all the peo - ple of good-will.

1. We praise you,
we bless you,
we adore you,
we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
2. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
3. For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

First Reading

Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9

Early in the morning Moses went up Mount Sinai as the LORD had commanded him, taking along the two stone tablets.

Having come down in a cloud, the LORD stood with Moses there and proclaimed his name, "LORD." Thus the LORD passed before him and cried out, "The LORD, the LORD, a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity." Moses at once bowed down to the ground in worship. Then he said, "If I find favor with you, O LORD, do come along in our company. This is indeed a stiff-necked people; yet pardon our wickedness and sins, and receive us as your own."

Psalm

Daniel 3

Guimont



Blessed are you, O Lord, the God of our forebears, praiseworthy and exalted above all forever; and blessed is your holy and glorious name, praiseworthy and exalted above all for all ages. Ref.

Blessed are you in the temple of your holy glory, praiseworthy and glorious above all forever. Ref.

Blessed are you on the throne of your kingdom, praiseworthy and exalted above all forever. Ref.

Blessed are you who look into the depths from your throne upon the cherubim,
Praiseworthy and exalted above all forever. Ref

Second Reading

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Brothers and sisters, rejoice. Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the holy ones greet you.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Gospel Acclamation

Haugen



Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Gospel

John 3:16-18

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him. Whoever believes in him will not be condemned, but whoever does not believe has already been condemned, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.

Homily

Chris Cartwright, S.J.

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us (men) and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
All bow.
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.
All stand upright.

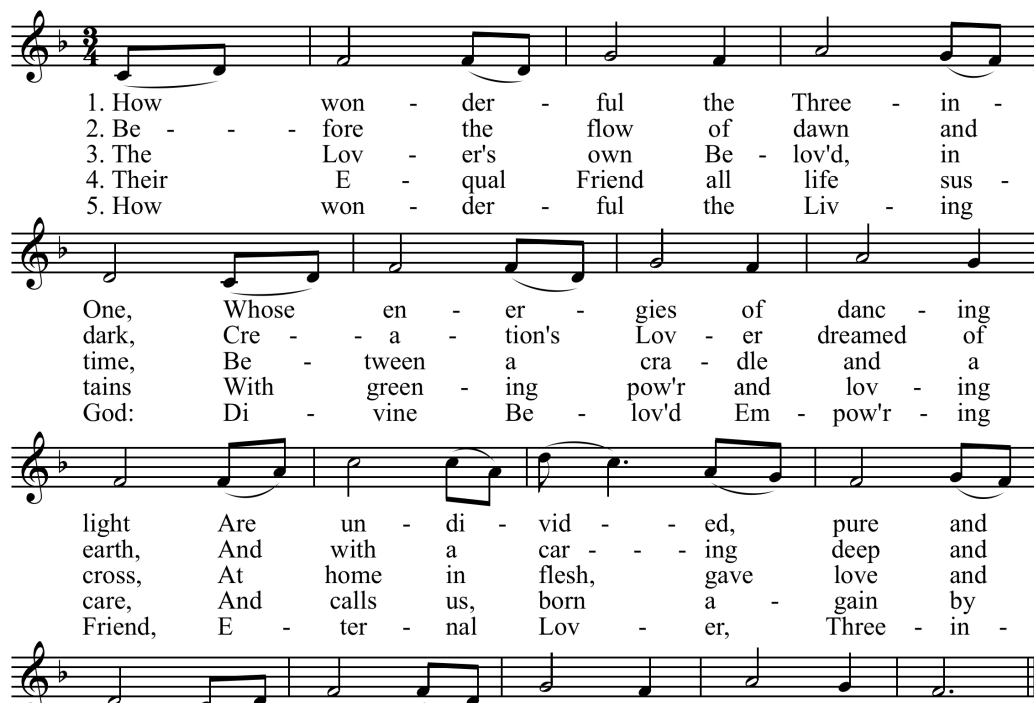
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was
buried,
and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Offertory Song

How Wonderful the Three-In-One

Wren/PROSPECT



1. How won - der - ful the Three - in -
2. Be - - fore the flow of dawn and
3. The Lov - er's own Be - lov'd, in
4. Their E - qual Friend all life sus -
5. How won - der - ful the Liv - ing

One, Whose en - er - gies of danc - ing
dark, Cre - - a - tion's Lov - er dreamed of
time, Be - tween a cra - dle and a
tains With green - ing pow'r and lov - ing
God: Di - vine Be - lov'd Em - pow'r - ing

light Are un - di - vid - - ed, pure and
earth, And with a car - - ing deep and
cross, At home in flesh, gave love and
care, And calls us, born a - gain by
Friend, E - ter - nal Lov - er, Three - in -

good, Com - mun - ing love in shared de - light.
wise, All things con - ceived and brought to birth.
life To heal our bro - ken - ness and loss.
grace, In Love's com - mun - ing life to share.
One, Our hope's be - gin - ning, way and end.

Online Giving

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Holy, Holy, Holy

Storrington Mass

Haugen

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly

Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your

glo-ry. Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na, ho -

san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

The musical score for 'Holy, Holy, Holy' is written on five staves. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a time signature of 6/8. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

Mystery of Faith

Save us, Sav-ior of the world, for by your

Cross and Res - ur - rec - tion you have set us free.

The musical score for 'Mystery of Faith' is written on two staves. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a time signature of 6/8. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

Great Amen

A - men, a - men, a - men.

A - men, a - men, a - men.

The musical score for 'Great Amen' is written on two staves. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a time signature of 6/8. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world, have

mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you

take a-way the sins of the world, grant us peace, grant us peace.

The musical score for 'Lamb of God' is written on three staves. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a time signature of 4/4. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

ALL ARE INVITED TO COME FORWARD

During communion, we invite all to come forward. If you do not ordinarily receive Eucharist, or choose not to, come for a blessing, indicating your desire by putting your hand on your heart.

If you have need of a gluten free host, please come to the presider and make that known.

Communion Song

One Bread, One Body

Foley



One bread, one bod-y, one Lord of
all, one cup of bless - ing which we bless.
And we, though man-y, through-out the earth,
we are one bod - y in this one Lord.

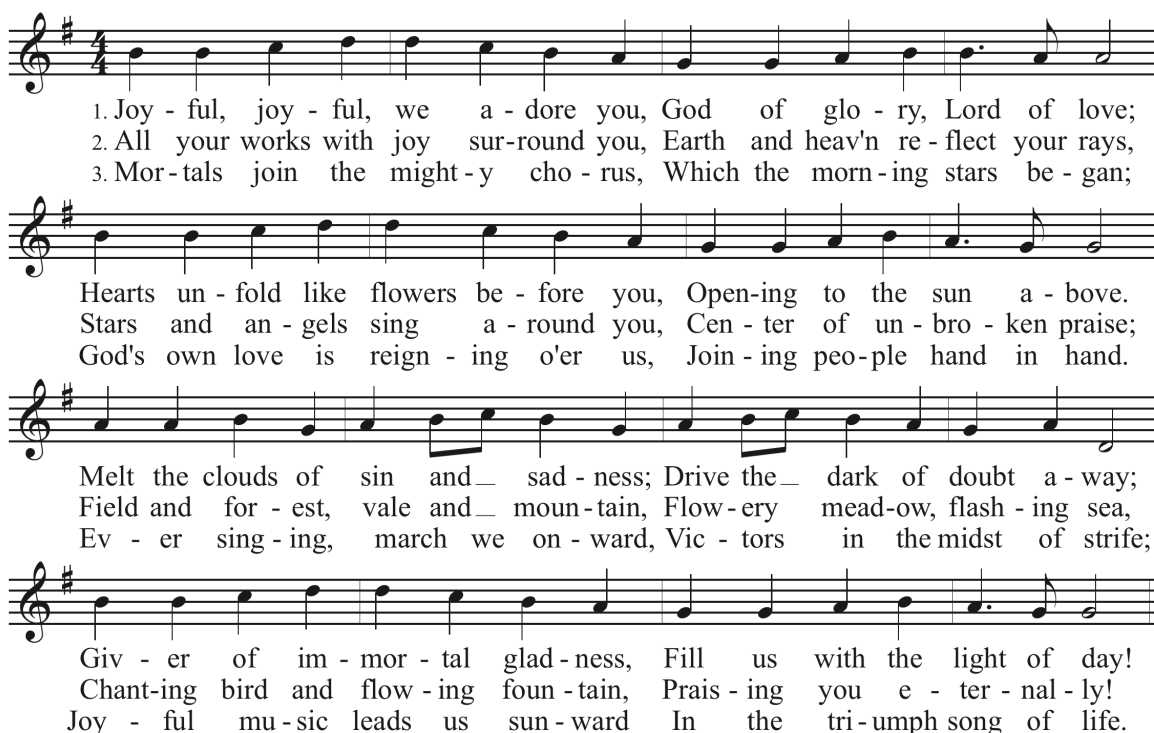
1. Gen - tile or Jew, ser - vant or free,
2. Man - y the gifts, man - y the works,
3. Grain for the fields, scat - tered and grown,
4. Bro - ken and lost, find life in Him,
5. Lead - ers of men, wom - en of strength,
6. Touch - ing our hands, join - ing our hearts,

wom - an or man no more.
one in the Lord of all.
gath - ered to one for all.
bo - dy of Christ _____ made whole. _____
serv - ing the rest, _____ the least. _____
sing - ing our songs _____ we go. _____

Fine
D.C. al Fine

Recessional

Joyful, Joyful We Adore You Van Dyke/HYMN TO JOY



1. Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore you, God of glo - ry, Lord of love;
2. All your works with joy sur-round you, Earth and heav'n re - flect your rays,
3. Mor - tals join the might - y cho - rus, Which the morn - ing stars be - gan;

Hearts un - fold like flowers be - fore you, Open - ing to the sun a - bove.
Stars and an - gels sing a - round you, Cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise;
God's own love is reign - ing o'er us, Join - ing peo - ple hand in hand.

Melt the clouds of sin and sad - ness; Drive the dark of doubt a - way;
Field and for - est, vale and moun - tain, Flow - ery mead - ow, flash - ing sea,
Ev - er sing - ing, march we on - ward, Vic - tors in the midst of strife;

Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad - ness, Fill us with the light of day!
Chant - ing bird and flow - ing foun - tain, Prais - ing you e - ter - nal - ly!
Joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun - ward In the tri - umph song of life.

Welcome Our Visitor Fr. Centurio Con-Celebrating Sunday 11am Mass

Fr. Centurio Olaboro is a Catholic Priest from the Archdiocese of Tororo in Uganda. He has served as a Parish Priest to many parishes in the 16 districts of the Tororo Archdiocese since he was ordained in 1986.

Currently, he Heads the Justice and Peace Dept. in Caritas, Justice and Peace Commission (equivalent to American Relief Services). In addition, Fr. Centurio is the Land and Property Officer of the Archdiocese of Tororo. Today, he exercises his priestly duties by serving at the cathedral and being a chaplain to the 1300 students of Great Aubrey Memorial College.

Fr. Centurio met Gretchen Rowe, a member of NW Interfaith, at the Parliament of World Religions in 2015. Through John and Silvana Hale, St. Patrick Church's Ecumenical and Multifaith Ministry, Fr. Centurio was invited by Fr. Pat Clark to engage the parish and concelebrate Mass on multiple occasions.



At St. Patrick, Fr. Centurio was delighted to witness the youth involved in movement ministry directed by Betsey Beckman. So, Fr. invited Betsey to travel to Uganda to work with the youth at the school in Tororo. When the pandemic thwarted Betsey's plans, she switched gears to begin a video cultural exchange of dance and worship with the Uganda team. Through Abbey of the Arts, Betsey has produced two videos collaborating with the students of Great Aubrey Memorial College and Ma's Junior School, under the direction of Bernard Omuse and Maria Acedo.

Associated Catholic Cemeteries - Representative Visit Next Sunday

Bengt Johnson with Associated Catholic Cemeteries will be at our parish on Sunday, June 11th after the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses to share information about the many choices and benefits available through pre-planning at your Catholic Cemetery. Planning long before there is an urgent need ensures arrangements in harmony with your faith. Pre-planning allows family members to make calm, levelheaded decisions, as opposed to making emotionally charged decisions while grieving a significant loss.

You are welcome to stop by the information table after Mass next week to get your questions answered and to sign up for the 15% discount being offered to our parishioners this week. Call Bengt at (206)979-3297 bengtjohnson@MyCatholicCemetery.org

PRIDE PICNIC

June 11, 2023

6:30pm

Parish Lawn

Join fellow parishioners as we celebrate the joy, faith and gifts that our LGBTQ+ people and families bring to our community. There will be refreshments, burgers, hotdogs, music, and yard games! Please bring a side for a post Mass Social. All are welcome to join in. If you want to volunteer to help with set up and clean up, please contact Theresal@stjosephparish.org





For Immediate Release

Archbishop Paul D. Etienne Issues Joint Letter with Archbishop of Santa Fe and the Bishops of Hiroshima and Nagasaki Urging G7 Leaders to Take Steps Toward Nuclear Disarmament

SEATTLE, May 16, 2023 – Archbishop Paul D. Etienne along with Archbishop John C. Wester of Santa Fe, New Mexico, Archbishop Peter Michiaki Nakamura of Nagasaki, Japan and Bishop Alexis Mitsuru Shirahama, of Hiroshima, Japan, issued a joint letter to the G7 leaders urging for immediate action to prevent further proliferation of nuclear arms. Together they request peace and disarmament – a sentiment echoed by millions around the world. Their appeal to the G7 leaders carries the weight of moral responsibility and represents a unified call for concrete steps towards a safe and more secure world for everyone. Please see a copy of the letter below:

May 15, 2023

Dear G7 Leaders,

We, the undersigned spiritual leaders of the Roman Catholic Church, urge you to use the upcoming summit of the International Group of Seven to undertake concrete steps toward global, verifiable nuclear disarmament.

We commend Prime Minister Fumio Kishida for choosing the City of Hiroshima, the first victim of nuclear war, as the summit venue. That alone is a powerful message. We enthusiastically welcome the meeting between G7 leaders and the *hibakusha* - the survivors of the atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki – as a step toward recognizing the long-lasting horrors of nuclear warfare.

As the Roman Catholic spiritual leaders of the diocese with the most spending on nuclear weapons in the United States (Santa Fe, NM), the diocese with the most deployed strategic nuclear weapons in the United States (Seattle, WA), and the only two dioceses in the world to have suffered atomic attacks (Hiroshima and Nagasaki, Japan), we are compelled by providence to speak out.

As Prime Minister Kishida observed, the summit presents a unique opportunity “to deepen discussions so that we can release a strong message toward realizing a world free of nuclear weapons” and to “demonstrate a firm commitment to absolutely reject the threat or use of nuclear weapons.”

We strongly agree. We, therefore, urge you to use the summit to center international attention on the importance of nuclear arms control and disarmament and demonstrate a global commitment to nonproliferation efforts. Rather than viewing the war in Ukraine as an overwhelming impediment toward making substantial progress, we view it instead as a clear demonstration of the absolute need to do so.

Specifically, we encourage G7 leaders to:

- acknowledge the tremendous, long-lasting human suffering the Hiroshima and Nagasaki atomic bombings inflicted upon the *hibakusha*; acknowledge the tremendous, long-lasting human

suffering that production and nuclear weapons testing caused to downwinders around the world;

- reiterate a nuclear war cannot be won and must never be fought, as well as emphasize that, as the G-20 agreed to in November 2022, the use and the threat of use of nuclear weapons are “inadmissible”;
- reaffirm the goal of a future world free of nuclear weapons;
- announce and commit to concrete steps to prevent a new arms race, guard against nuclear weapons use, and advance nuclear disarmament;
- reiterate that serious talks should be restored between the United States and Russia to renew full implementation of the New Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty and to negotiate a follow-on treaty; and finally,
- honor the international mandate to enter into serious multilateral negotiations leading to nuclear disarmament, pledged more than a half-century ago in the 1970 Non Proliferation Treaty.

Throughout the years, world leaders have spoken about the need to eliminate the threat of nuclear weapons, prevent a new nuclear arms race, and avoid the ultimate catastrophe that is potentially civilization-ending nuclear war. These calls have long been echoed by many notable world leaders, such as Mikhail Gorbachev, Ronald Reagan, and Pope Francis. But it is now time to translate rhetoric into action.

We believe today’s new nuclear arms race is more dangerous than the first arms race, given multiple nuclear actors and the advent of new cyber and hypersonic weapons and artificial intelligence. Former U.S. Defense Secretary Robert McNamara asserted that humanity survived the Cuban Missile Crisis only by luck. Luck is not sufficient to ensure the continuing survival of the human race.

We strongly urge world leaders at the G7 Summit to show by example how international leadership is ready, willing, and able to work with nuclear weapons and non-nuclear weapons states to ensure no country or city ever suffers the horrors of nuclear war again.

Yours in the hopes of humanity for lasting peace on earth,

Most Reverend John C. Wester
Archbishop of Santa Fe, NM

Most Reverend Paul Etienne
Archbishop of Seattle, WA

Most Reverend Peter Michiaki Nakamura
Archbishop of Nagasaki, Japan

Most Reverend Alexis Mitsuru Shirahama
Bishop of Hiroshima, Japan

End of Letter

With the looming threat of nuclear conflict, the bishops advocate for a comprehensive approach that includes transparency, dialogue, and cooperation among nations. Their plea highlights the moral imperative of prioritizing human security, fostering trust-building measures, and investing in peaceful alternatives.

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The difference between the Annual Catholic Appeal & Parish Stewardship



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- ◆ Supports the Regional Church of WW
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- ◆ Donations processed through Archdiocese
- ◆ Monthly reminders sent from the Archdiocese
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 - Parish Financial Services
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 - Social Justice Work
 - Faith Formation
 - Children's Religious Education
 - Youth & Young Adult Ministry
 - St. Joseph School
 - Facility Maintenance
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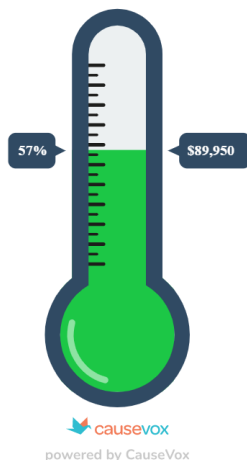
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BULLETIN 4

WE'RE MORE THAN HALFWAY THERE!

GOAL: \$156,661



**As of this week, we have raised \$89,950 towards our goal of \$156,661.
Thank you to the 160 families who have contributed so far!**

If you received Archbishop Etienne's letter this past week, please prayerfully consider your gift to the Annual Catholic Appeal. In addition to the many ministries that support those in need, your gift also supports the staff of St Joseph Parish and Fr Chris, on a regular basis with a range of centralized services such as seminarian support, continuing education for our priests, deacons, and lay leaders and much more. Thank you to the many of you who have chosen to make your best gift by pledging over several months.

To date, we have heard from 160 families, about 12% of our parish.

Thank you to the many of you who have chosen to make your best gift by pledging over several months, helping us reach our goal in short time. Make your pledge using the QR code, or the pew envelope which may be mailed or included in the collection.

PARISH LIFE & FAITH FORMATION

St. Pat's Outdoor Work Party - June 10th



Volunteers Needed for an Outdoor Work Party at St. Pat's

Saturday, June 10th, 9am – 1pm - Lunch provided!

As part of the merger with St. Patrick's, we continue to be responsible for the upkeep of the buildings and grounds. We are looking for 4-7 volunteers to join with the St. Pat's Facilities Committee on June 10th from 9am – 1pm to do some spring cleaning and weeding. **To sign up, email Deacon Steve Wodzanowski at steve@stjosephparish.org or call 206-965-1646.**

St. Joe's Is Hiring!

Pastoral Assistant for Children and Family Faith Formation

This person will develop, implement, and direct Faith Formation Programs for preschool and elementary children and their families. In addition, this person will coordinate the Sacramental Preparation Programs for First Reconciliation, First Communion and elementary RCIA. Interested candidates should have a passion for evangelization and enthusiasm for forming the faith of young children and families.

Full job description and instructions for applying can be found at www.stjosephparish.org/employment

Join our Senior Ministry

Wednesday, June 21st - Day out to Golden Gardens! Meet at the Parish Center at 10 am and we'll spend the day picnicking on the beach, we've got a backup if it rains so don't hesitate to come with us. The parish will provide hot dogs with all the fixings! Bring a beverage and snack or dessert to share.



The Seniors Group had a wonderful outing to the Woodland Park Zoo last month!



ANTI-RACISM COMMITTEE

WHAT WE DO

We engage in regular discernment about areas of focus — the decision to focus on one project at a time is the result of a thoughtful conversation about how best to maintain focus and direct our energy towards systemic issues and specific solutions within our parish. If you're interested in shaping the direction of our next area of focus, please reach out! If you have an event or initiative you'd like to plan and lead beyond our current area of focus, we are also here to support you. You can contact us at antiracism@stjosephparish.org

Here are some highlights of things we're doing and have done:

We raise awareness about Indigenous histories and advocacy—during Native American Heritage Month (November) we showed a documentary about tribal recognition, gathered signatures for the removal of the Snake River dams, and shared the new Parish Land Acknowledgment.

We lift up stories of Black Catholic leaders like Sr. Thea Bowman, FSPA—we hosted a gathering to watch videos and learn about Sr. Thea Bowman, who challenged her church to accept her as “fully black and fully Catholic.” She is currently a Servant of God (a candidate for sainthood). In addition, we have facilitated book groups and JustFaith modules, set up the Say Their Names project, as well as marched in Black Lives Matter demonstrations.

We facilitate open discussions about parish culture, art, iconography, and representation in the church building — last year, we organized an Anti-Bias Training for parish staff and volunteers, focusing on what it means to be an inclusive place. We plan on continuing these conversations, along with other topics, during Allyship Trainings later this year that will be open to the parish. Our current focus is working on how to contextualize some of the icons and artworks in the church, and also about ways to bring greater diversity and representation to church art and visuals.



St. Joseph Parish Anti-Racism Committee Mission Statement: “Confronting white supremacy and dismantling institutional racism in our Parish and our community.”

Organizational Statement: “The St. Joseph Parish Anti-Racism Committee is a committee of the Faith Justice Commission that organizes in support of the St. Joseph Parish mission statement: Ignited by the Eucharist to Love and Serve.”

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9 AM - 3 PM

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Now that we are reaching the midpoint of the year, the ISC invites you to join us for a silent mini retreat to reflect on the first half of 2023 and support you in embracing the journey ahead with hearts full of grace and hope. Presenter Sharon Spence-Wilcox will lead us through a day of reflection structured around the four movements of the Ignatian Examen. Each movement consists of a brief presentation, followed by abundant time for quiet prayer and journaling supplemented by questions, art, music, poetry, and scripture passages for reflection.

For more information and to register, visit

<https://www.ignatiancenter.org/summer-day-of-reflection>

Please register Monday, June 12, 2023.



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