



Four Communities - One Parish Family

ST. JOSEPH & ST. THERESE



ST. JOSEPH
CATHOLIC CHURCH
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 11am

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

Weekday Mass Schedule: Tue-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

March 1, 2026
Second Sunday of Lent



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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! www.st-therese.cc or www.stjosephparish.org

READINGS & PREACHING INFORMATION

[This Sunday - March 1, 2026](#)

First Reading: Genesis 12:1-4a
SECOND READING: 2 TIMOTHY 1:8B-10
GOSPEL: MATTHEW 17:1-9

[Next Sunday - March 8, 2026](#)

First Reading: Isaiah 58:7-10
SECOND READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 2:1-5
GOSPEL: MATTHEW 5:13-16

[ST. JOSEPH](#)

PRESIDING & PREACHING: MIKE BAYARD, SJ

[ST. THERESE](#)

PRESIDING & PREACHING: PHIL BOROUGHS, SJ

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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

A MESSAGE FROM DEACON STEVE - PART 2

Dear Parish Family,

Walking as companions on the journey means that discernment is never done alone. It happens through prayer, listening, silence, and shared reflection.

Community Conversations: What We've Heard So Far

In the past month, our Parish Family gathered for a series of **Community Conversations**, rooted in the Church's synodal tradition of spiritual conversation—listening for the Holy Spirit through one another rather than debating or persuading. I am grateful to share that more than **150 parishioners participated**, offering thoughtful, prayerful insights about the challenges, opportunities, and hopes they see as we become one Parish Family. These conversations followed a structured process of:

- Personal reflection and prayer
- Sharing from lived experience
- Listening for what resonated
- Attending to the movement of the Holy Spirit

The wisdom shared in these conversations will help shape the next phase of **Partners in the Gospel**, as parish leadership continues to discern a shared vision for our future. We also recognize that not everyone was able to attend a Community Conversation. In the spirit of inclusion and transparency, we invite those who could not participate to share their reflections through an online input form, so that as many voices as possible can be heard.

Parish Family Pilgrimages and Shared Worship

As companions on the journey, we continue to gather across parish communities in visible ways:

- **Parish Family Pilgrimages** will continue as opportunities to pray, walk, and grow together in relationship.
- We will celebrate key liturgies as one Parish Family:
 - **Easter Vigil** at **St. Joseph**
 - **Pentecost** at **St. Thérèse**

These celebrations are not about one parish hosting another, but about witnessing together to the risen Christ who gathers us into one Body and sends us forth in mission.

Summer Mass Schedule: Discernment in Progress

I also want to share, in a spirit of transparency, that parish leadership is currently engaged in a discernment process regarding a possible summer Mass schedule. This discernment is not about choosing options behind closed doors, nor is it driven by convenience alone. It is rooted in prayerful listening and careful reflection on questions such as:

- How can our Mass schedule best support participation and parish unity?
- How do we steward our spaces, resources, and volunteer ministries responsibly?
- What allows us to remain flexible, simple, and attentive to real pastoral needs?
- How do we make decisions that serve both the present moment and the future of our Parish Family?

At this stage, specific options are being proposed, but no decisions have been made. What I want you to know is that this discernment is happening prayerfully and intentionally, using a synodal process of listening and reflection. A decision regarding a summer Mass schedule will be made by Easter, allowing ample time to communicate clearly and thoughtfully with everyone well before summer begins.

As we continue this Lenten journey, may we remain companions to one another—rooted in Christ, attentive to the Spirit, and open to the transforming work God desires to do in us and through us. I remain in gratitude for your faith, your patience, and your willingness to walk together.

In Christ,
Deacon Steve Wodzanowski

For part one of Deacon Steve's message to the Parish Family, see last week's bulletin.

PARISH FAMILY NEWS & EVENTS

Online Feedback Form

If you were unable to attend one of our Community Conversations, we still want to hear from you! Please use this QR code to give us your feedback on "Who we want to become" as a Parish Family.



Companions on the Journey

Parish Family
Lenten Pilgrimage:
a journey
celebrating our
Parish Family



Sundays 1 pm - 2:30 pm

March 1st - **St. Therese** - 900 35th Ave

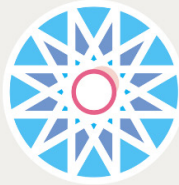
March 8th - **St. Mary** - 611 20th Ave S

March 15th - **St. Patrick** - 815 E Edgar St

March 22nd - **St. Joseph** - 732 18th Ave E

Join us this Lent as we embark on a pilgrimage across our four campuses. As we journey together, we will pray together, learn from one another, and grow in unity as one Parish Family. Each community has its own spiritual charisms and traditions and this pilgrimage is an opportunity to honor those differences and discover the richness they bring to our shared identity.

If you have questions or would like to request an interpreter, email caprices@stjosephparish.org



Pray the Stations of the Cross

JOIN US WEEKLY DURING LENT TO PRAY AND
WALK TOGETHER IN JESUS FOOTSTEPS

11:00AM, WEDNESDAYS, FEB 25 TO MARCH 25
AT ST. JOSEPH CHURCH



Beginning Feb. 19th,
Tuesday through
Friday, before daily
Mass. Meet at the
Chapel in the Parish
Center at St. Joseph
at 6:30am to pray the
Rosary.

*Pray with Faith.
Pray with Love.*



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE
WORD

Palm



SUNDAY

PROCESSION



SUNDAY, MARCH 29TH DURING THE 9AM MASS AT ST.
JOSEPH. ALL YOUTH ARE WELCOME, IF KIDS ARE
UNDER THE AGE OF 7, PARENTS ACCOMPANY YOUR
CHILD.

JOIN US AS WE JOURNEY THROUGH JERUSALEM WITH
JESUS!

QUESTIONS? MEREDITHW@STJOSEPHPARISH.ORG

Seniors Ministry

Senior Mass & Luncheon - **Please join us on Friday, March 6 at 11:30am for our Anointing Mass**, followed by our popular Lenten 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.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

6:00 pm
St. Joseph Church

PARISH FAMILY YOU'RE INVITED!

FRIDAY, MARCH 20
AT ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

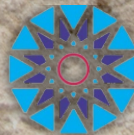
LENTEN FISH FRY

6:30 pm
In the St. Joe's Social Hall

**THANK YOU TO GLOBAL
SEAS FOR THE FISH
DONATION!**

IF YOU WANT TO VOLUNTEER,
PLEASE EMAIL
CAPRICES@STJOSEPHPARISH.ORG

**TO PURCHASE
PRESALE TICKETS
SCAN HERE:**



THE IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY CENTER & SEATTLE UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY MINISTRY INVITE YOU

Novena of Grace 2026

CLAIMING OUR HOPE TODAY



THURSDAY, MARCH 5 - FRIDAY, MARCH 13

WEEKDAYS: 12:30-1:30 PM
SATURDAY & SUNDAY: 11 AM-12 PM

CHAPEL OF ST. IGNATIUS, SEATTLE UNIVERSITY

LIVESTREAM & RECORDINGS AVAILABLE



PRESENTERS STEPHANIE RAGLAND, ROSS HAYS, JOSEPH DICKAN, SJ

Journey with us this Lent for a nine-day retreat amid daily life! Join us for any or all nine days of beautiful music, scripture, inspiring preaching, reflection, and heartfelt prayer within the context of a contemplative service. Pray with a faith-filled community for God's healing and hope in our lives. Be nourished and inspired each day as you open yourself to the Spirit and experience a grace that transforms.

For more information visit ignatiancenter.org/novena2026
Questions? Email maria@ignatiancenter.org



SEEL BOOK GROUP: *Seeing With the Heart*

SEEL Puget Sound warmly invites you to an online book group that explores eight key dimensions of our life as faith-filled pilgrims. Written by Kevin O'Brien SJ, this accessible book invites us to view the Spiritual Exercises as a way to live with purpose, questions, depth, freedom, great desires, compassion, hope and discernment. We will meet for one hour each Monday (4:30-5:30pm) from Feb 24 to Apr 14. Participation is free and while attendance is encouraged for all 8 sessions, you are welcome to join as you are able. For more information and to register for zoom link, please email info@seelpugetsound.org.

Dates Feb 23 - Apr 13 Mondays 4:30-5:30pm on Zoom Feb 23, Mar 2, Mar 9, Mar 16, Mar 23, Mar 30, Apr 6, Apr 13

ST. JOSEPH CLIMATE JUSTICE

Lent 2026: Weekly Laudato Si' Actions for Lent



With this Lenten guide, CJC invites you to **pray, contemplate** how we are living on the earth, **take steps** to improve habits, and **grow in community** as stewards of God's Creation. Also, to **Fast from SINGLE-USE PLASTIC!**

Click here
or go to:



<https://st-therese.cc/Lent2026>



to follow week by week or
to get your downloadable
and printable PDF of the
Lenten guide.

St. Joseph Parish



Climate Justice Committee (CJC)

Next CJC meeting: **MON MARCH 9 at 7 PM / Arrupe Room. Parish Center.**

For more info or a zoom link, write to: climatejustice@stjosephparish.org

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY



Both St. Joseph and St. Therese are blessed to have
**St. Vincent de Paul Conferences. Collection are: 1st Sunday of the month at St. Joe's - 3rd
Sunday of the month at St. T's**

The generous donations of parishioners, collected after Masses, 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

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

Donate To St. Therese
St. Vincent de Paul Conference



Donate to St. Joseph
St. Vincent de Paul Conference



Pax Christi

I would like to invite you to a very practical and frequently unappreciated form of abstinence: that of refraining from words that offend and hurt our neighbor. Let us begin by disarming our language, avoiding harsh words and rash judgement, refraining from slander and speaking ill of those who are not present and cannot defend themselves. Instead, let us strive to measure our words and cultivate kindness and respect in our families, among our friends, at work, on social media, in political debates, in the media and in Christian communities. In this way, words of hatred will give way to words of hope and peace.



Pope Leo XIV, Lenten Message 2025

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Our ministry was founded in the Fall of 2013 by a group of parishioners wishing to come together to knit and crochet prayer shawls for those in need of comfort and healing. We have since provided over 400 shawls, each one blessed, to those with illness, suffering a loss, or approaching the end of life, as well as to those who care for them. To request a shawl please email prayershawlgroup@stjosephparish.org.



We welcome new members of all knitting and crocheting levels and from all of our Parish Family communities. We have supplies and patterns available. Meeting are usually the first Tuesday of each month at 7 pm downstairs in the St. Joseph Parish Center. If you would like more information or to join us, please email prayershawlgroup@stjosephparish.org.

We are currently overstocked with yarn and not accepting yarn donations.



St. Therese Laudato Si Ministry

Care for Our Common Home Work Party
Saturday, March 21, 2026, 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

Northwest Catholic Collection

This weekend is the annual NW Catholic Collection that supports the magazine and newsletter produced by the Archdiocese of Seattle. To support this vital ministry, envelopes can be found in the pews or you can give online at NWcatholic.org/give

PARISH FAMILY FAITH & JUSTICE COMMISSION



Learn about and keep current with all the Faith & Justice ministries in our Parish Family! Use this QR code to navigate to our pages from your phone.



PASSION & RESURRECTION
Through Mary's Eyes...



...we see Jesus
as our companion
in suffering
and our hope
for healing

LENT 2026

Women's Stations & Soup Supper

Friday, March 13

6:30 p.m.

Gathering in St. Joseph Church
Soup supper and social
following in the Arrupe Room.

BRING A FRIEND!

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Even if you have never attended a Women's Ministry Event, all who identify as women, all ages and ethnic backgrounds are encouraged to join us for prayer and a Lenten meal

- There is *no cost* to attend, but free will offerings are always gratefully accepted.
- Please RSVP so we know how many to plan for...

To RSVP or

for Questions, email:

women@stjosephparish.org

women's



ministry



**Just
Haiti**

100% Profit Sent
to Growers!

JustHaiti.org

Sunday March 15
after 9:00 and 11:00 masses
at St Joseph

Come and sample coffee from Haiti.

Learn about the coffee growers and their struggle to maintain their human dignity and their livelihood amidst the ongoing tragedy of violence and civil unrest that exists in their country.

Learn how you can subscribe to buy coffee from Just Haiti to support these farmers, their families and their communities.

Haiti was the first country to abolish slavery, writing it into their constitution when they declared their independence from France. US President Thomas Jefferson, an owner of enslaved persons himself, pursued a policy of isolating and impoverishing Haiti from the start, because he and some European leaders feared the Haitian Revolution would expand. From trade embargo to occupation, to later support for Haiti's bloody dictatorships and interfering in democratic elections, the United States has prevented the people of Haiti, once France's most productive colony, from achieving economic independence.



Fair and Direct Trade

We purchase their coffee at the fair trade price, then return all the profit. More money goes into the pockets of the Haitian growers and their families.

Be a part of the solution!

ST. THERESE CATHOLIC ACADEMY



To learn more, make a donation, become a sponsor, or purchase tickets <https://stthereseseattle.ejoinme.org/2026>

THRIVING TOGETHER: Care, Community, and Creation

TOWN HALL



Saturday • March 7th
10am – 11:30am
LeRoux Conference Center
Student Center
Seattle University
901 12th Ave., Seattle, 98122

Join the IPJC Youth Action Team Interns and Seattle University students for a town hall focused on healthcare, housing, immigration, and ecological justice. They will share their vision for a flourishing community in King County with Councilmembers Rod Dembowski and Jorge L. Barón!



2025 Town Hall

REGISTER HERE!*

bit.ly/thriving-together-town-hall-registration

If you have already registered for the town hall through the NW Ignatian Advocacy Summit registration, you do not need to register here.*



Councilmember Rod Dembowski
Attendance Tentative



Councilmember Jorge L. Barón
Attendance Confirmed



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