



# ST. JOSEPH PARISH

THE JESUIT PARISH IN SEATTLE

Sunday, May 23, 2021 \* Pentecost \* [www.stjosephparish.org](http://www.stjosephparish.org)



## PENTECOST SUNDAY

Jesus said to his disciples: "When the Advocate comes whom I will send you from the Father, the Spirit of truth that proceeds from the Father, he will testify to me." - Jn 15:26



**PENTECOST**  
**MAY 23, 2021**

**Livestream Mass: 5pm Saturday**  
**on our YouTube channel**  
**(Available for viewing throughout the week)**  
**9:30 AM Sunday**  
**5:30 PM Sunday**

**Weekday Mass Schedule**  
**Tuesday - Friday, 7 am, YouTube**

**Readings for May 30, 2021**  
FIRST READING: DUETERONOMY 4:32-34, 39-40  
SECOND READING: ROMANS 8:14-17  
GOSPEL: MATTHEW 28:16-20

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## Re-Opening at St. Joe's

This weekend, as more and more of our community becomes fully vaccinated and comfortable returning to Mass, we're implementing a few new changes to weekend Masses and church open hours to more equitably accommodate everyone.

**First, we are opening up the Saturday 5pm Mass to in-person attendees!** The Mass will still be livestreamed on YouTube, but now with people in the pews. If Saturday 5pm was your usual Mass before the pandemic, or if it's simply a better time for you and your family, we invite you to join us!

Second, beginning in June, we are returning church open hours to their normal times – **Monday thru Friday, 7am – 4pm** (excluding regularly scheduled Masses, wedding, and funerals), **Saturday 11am to 4pm, and Sunday 9 am to 5 pm**. There will no longer be a church attendant present at all times, though the parish center will be staffed during normal business hours.

As more in our community get vaccinated and the positivity rates continue to fall, we will have more changes to return to a sense of normalcy this summer, such as vaccinated sections in the church (approved by the state and the Archdiocese health authorities). Stay tuned!



# PENTECOST

## Prelude

*Veni Creator Spiritus including Organ variations*

*Chant/Durufle*

## Entrance Song

*Come Holy Ghost*

*LAMBILOTTE/Maurus*

1. Come, Holy Ghost, Creator blest, And in our hearts take up thy rest;  
Come with thy grace and heav'nly aid to fill the hearts which thou hast made,
2. O Comforter, to thee we cry, thou heav'nly gift of God most high;  
Thou fount of life, and fire of love, and sweet anointing from above,

## Gloria

Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace  
to people of good will.

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

## First Reading

Acts 2:1-11

When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven staying in Jerusalem. At this sound, they gathered in a large crowd, but they were confused because each one heard them speaking in his own language. They were astounded, and in amazement they asked, "Are not all these people who are speaking Galileans? Then how does each of us hear them in his native language? We are Parthians, Medes, and Elamites, inhabitants of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the districts of Libya near Cyrene, as well as travelers from Rome, both Jews and converts to Judaism, Cretans and Arabs, yet we hear them speaking in our own tongues of the mighty acts of God."

## Psalm

### *Psalm 104*

*Proulx & Warner*

*"Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth"*

Bless the LORD, O my soul! O LORD my God, how great you are.  
How many are your works, O LORD! The earth is full of your creatures.

You take away their breath, they die, returning to the dust from which they came.  
You send forth your spirit, and they are created, and you renew the face of the earth.

May the glory of the LORD last forever! May the LORD rejoice in his works!  
May my thoughts be pleasing to him. I will rejoice in the LORD.

## Second Reading

1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

Brothers and sisters: No one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit. There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.

As a body is one though it has many parts, and all the parts of the body, though many, are one body, so also Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit.

## Gospel Acclamation

*"Alleluia!"*

*"Alleluia! Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful people.  
Kindle in them the fire of your love"*

## Gospel

John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples: "When the Advocate comes whom I will send you from the Father, the Spirit of truth that proceeds from the Father, he will testify to me. And you also testify, because you have been with me from the beginning.

"I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now. But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth. He will not speak on his own, but he will speak what he hears, and will declare to you the things that are coming. He will glorify me, because he will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you."

## Offertory Songs

*Gracious Spirit Dwell With Me*

*K. Lee Scott*

*5:30 Spirit Wind*

*Soper*

*"Spirit Wind, Breath of God, breathe new life into the world"*

## Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.



## Mystery of Faith

Save us savior of the world,  
for by your cross and resurrection, you have set us free.

## Great Amen

Amen

## Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,  
grant us peace.

## Communion

*5 & 9:30 Bread Of Life, Cup Of Blessing*

*Guimont*

"Bread of life, cup of blessing gift of Christ, the Lord! Be the body you receive now, broken for the world"

*5:30 Spirit Blowing Through Creation*

*Haugen*

"Spirit renewing the earth, renewing the hearts of all people.  
Burn in the weary souls, blow through the silent lips.  
Come now awake us Spirit of God"

## Recessional

*5 & 9:30 Instrumental: Veni Creator Spiritus*

*Durufle*

*5:30 Send Down the Fire*

*Haugen*

"Send down the fire of your justice, send down the rains of your love.  
Come send down the Spirit, breathe life in your people and we shall be people of God."



# PARISH LIFE

## Young Adult Community Events

**Planning Session**  
**May 25th 7pm on Zoom**

We will discuss events for fellowship, faith, and community involvement in June, July and August. It's OK if you don't have idea to share – your input is always welcome! For the Zoom link, contact [youngadultcommunity@stjosephparish.org](mailto:youngadultcommunity@stjosephparish.org)



**After-Mass Summer Picnic**  
**Sunday, May 23rd 7pm-8:30pm**  
**In Person: St. Joe's**

Join us Sunday, May 23, at 6:30 PM for the young adult picnic! The picnic will be at St. Joe's, and snacks and beverages will be provided. We are observing all COVID-safe precautions and will have badminton and croquet. For details or questions, please contact [youngadultcommunity@stjosephparish.org](mailto:youngadultcommunity@stjosephparish.org)

## Sister Parish Update

We have a major update regarding our Sister Parish in Arcatao, El Salvador. After 16 years as pastor at San Bartolomé, Padre Miguel, who many of us have met and love, is transitioning to a new assignment this summer.

The bishop and provincial are changing his position amid questions Padre Miguel raised about election irregularities in recent local elections. The St. Joseph Sister Parish Committee wrote a letter in support of Padre Miguel, and received a response from the Provincial, which indicates that the decision is final. (Please see the [Sister Parish website www.stjosephparish.org/4007/sister-parish.html](http://www.stjosephparish.org/4007/sister-parish.html) for both the letter from the Sister Parish Committee and the response from the Provincial.)

Padre Miguel is optimistic about his next assignment, time with his home community, and a possible sabbatical to write his memoirs. His successor will be Padre Juan José Colato, SJ who is currently serving in in Managua, Nicaragua. Originally from Honduras, Padre Colato was pastor of San Bartolomé for approximately 4 years in the early 1990's, prior to Padre Miguel's tenure. Padre Miguel has told us that he is very happy that Padre Juan José will be taking over at San Bartolomé Parish.

Padre Miguel will be sorely missed. He has served in the spirit of Archbishop Romero and has been a faithful friend to St. Joseph. There was a celebration in Arcatao in his honor on May 22nd, organized by the San Bartolomé Parish. You can find a video of the celebration on their Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/parroquiasanbartolome.apostol.2020>

In Christ's Love,

St. Joseph Parish Sister Parish Committee



Padre Miguel





Community Reflections: Art by Annette Krause-Raubvogel

"Life Post COVID-19"



Instagram: @annettekraus

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# PARISH LIFE

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## We Have a New Bus!

As part of the “Paint the Church” capital campaign, St. Joe’s also raised money to replace the aging (and often in need of repairs) parish bus. This money was set aside specifically for this purpose until we found a suitable replacement. We’re happy to announce that this week, we’ve purchased a brand-new 14-passenger Starcraft Allstar bus!

This bus has deluxe seating for comfort and loads of safety features, including individual seat belts and a back-up camera. It has a huge storage area for day trips, and even USB charging ports to keep everyone connected. Our Seniors will be travelling in style once we begin weekly Mass pick-ups again!

Want a video tour? Check out this link: <https://youtu.be/5HZet2Wmo3E>



Seniors and staff got a test-ride to check out the new ride before we bought the bus!

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## Update: Community Blessing of Fr. Glen

Some of you may have heard that we were planning of blessing and sending-forth of Fr. Glen this weekend. Unfortunately, scheduling issues arose and the blessing won’t happen this weekend. We are, however, working on creative ways that the parish can express their gratitude to Fr. Glen over the next few weeks. Stay tuned!

And as always, you can send notes and gifts to the parish center, and we will pass those along to him. Glen is doing well and looking forward to his new vocation serving the houseless in our city.



# ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL

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## SAVE THE DATE!

Save-the-date for the  
1st annual  
St. Joe's  
Party on the Hill  
Saturday, September 11

Any questions?  
Contact Erin Oest-Larsen  
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[eoestlarsen@stjosephsea.org](mailto:eoestlarsen@stjosephsea.org)

## LITURGY & WORSHIP

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### Liturgy Notes for Pentecost

It is 50 days past Easter—the Seventh Sunday—and the Feast of Pentecost. Many parishes have a tradition of people wearing red on this Sunday to remind us of the burning fire of the Holy Spirit coming into our lives.

A little history: Pentecost began as a Jewish Feast, and is still celebrated today (May 15-18, 2021). It is a Spring Harvest Festival, 50 days after Passover, when the first fruits of the spring planting are offered to God. It is a feast of gratitude for the Israelites liberation from slavery in Egypt, and it celebrates God coming down to Moses—in fire—to give the law on Mt. Sinai.

So, 50 days after the Resurrection, the Apostles would have been in Jerusalem to celebrate this feast, when the Holy Spirit descended on them in tongues of fire. The Divine Spirit was again filling hearts to go forth and preach—this time, in the name of Jesus.

A part of the liturgy for this day sometimes includes the singing of a “Sequence”. This comes after the Second Reading and is a listing of the attributes of the Holy Spirit. In song we call down the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts and send us forth in love. Here is part of this wonderful song: “You, the soul’s most welcome guest; Sweet refreshment here below; In our labor, rest most sweet; Grateful coolness in the heat; Solace in the midst of woe.”

You can read the whole Sequence here: <https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/052321-Day.cfm>

# CHILDREN'S FAITH FORMATION



<https://www.stjosephparish.org/magis>

## High School Youth Ministry Listening Sessions

All high schoolers and their parents are invited to attend 1 of the following listening sessions this spring and early summer.

- **Monday, May 24, 7pm on Zoom**
- **Sunday June 6, 11am St. Joseph Church**

Sign up at: <https://forms.gle/Y8CotexSLeulc2pL8> or contact Claire ([claireh@stjosephparish.org](mailto:claireh@stjosephparish.org)) for the link.

## Registration Open: Confirmation & First Communion

As a parish, we operate our sacramental programs in two tracks: at the church and at the school. All participants (school and church) must register for the programs through the parish website. Please contact Claire with any questions.

Registration is now open on for 7th and 8th graders to prepare for Confirmation on the [St. Joseph Parish website](#). We will begin this program in the fall, and we hope to meet in person every other week (with a parent-led activity in the by weeks). We will host a required parent meeting via Zoom in September and then our first class for candidates is tentatively scheduled for Sunday, October 10th after the Sunday morning Mass.

Registration is now open for 1st and 2nd graders to prepare First Reconciliation and First Communion on the [St. Joseph Parish website](#). Preparation for these sacraments is a 2 year process, beginning in 1st grade. We will begin this program in the fall, and we hope to meet in person every other week (with a parent-led activity in the by weeks). We will host a required parent meeting via Zoom in September and then our first class for candidates is tentatively scheduled for Sunday, October 3rd after the Sunday morning Mass.





# JESUIT CONNECTIONS

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## The Ignatian Year

[IgnatianSpirituality.com](https://www.ignatianspirituality.com) (a part of Loyola Press) is joining the Society of Jesus and all who follow the ways of Ignatian spirituality in celebrating the Ignatian Year. May 20, 2021, the starting date for the year, is the 500th anniversary of St. Ignatius Loyola's injury during the Battle of Pamplona, which ultimately led to his conversion from soldier to saint.

During the year, we'll mark the 400th anniversary of the canonization of St. Ignatius and St. Francis Xavier on March 12, 2022. The year concludes on the Feast of St. Ignatius, July 31, 2022. Visit <https://www.ignatianspirituality.com/the-ignatian-year-2021-2022/> for events, resources, and readings!



Curious about  
**Jesuit** life?

Imagine what we can do together.



Visit [www.beajesuit.org](http://www.beajesuit.org) for more information!

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Prayer  
**REQUESTS**

For the wonderful young people who received their First Holy Communion last weekend, may they always feel welcome at our table. For all those struggling with fear and anxiety over this last year of the pandemic, may the sun shine brightly on them. For a daughter-in-laws recovery. For discernment about future employment.

*"Cast all your anxiety on Him because He cares for you." ~ 1 Peter 5:7*

# FAITH JUSTICE

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## St. Francis House

St. Francis House is open and accepting donations of clothing (men, women and children), shoes, toiletries, and grocery gift cards!

Donations can be delivered to 820 18th Ave Seattle, WA 98122 (Immaculate Church Building - go to back parking lot) Visit <https://www.stfrancishouseseattle.org/> for more information.



## Food Donations: Thank You!

Thank you to all the wonderful volunteers who continue to donate food to Facing Homelessness, St. Martin de Porres, and the Blessed Sacrament food bank. You're making a huge difference!



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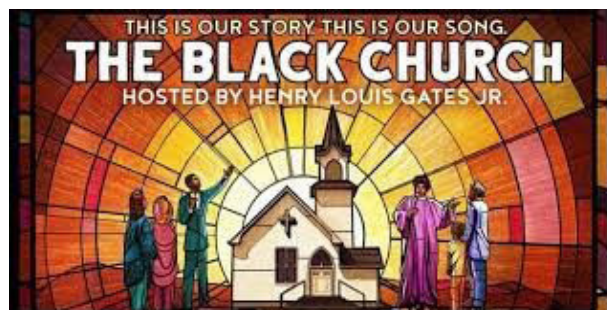
## Racial Justice Book Group

June 9th, 7pm on Zoom

Please join us for a discussion of the two-part PBS video series, *The Black Church: This is Our Story, This is Our Song* on June 9th at 7pm on Zoom. Please contact [racialjusticebookgroup@stjosephparish.org](mailto:racialjusticebookgroup@stjosephparish.org) to receive the Zoom link.

*The Black Church: This is Our Story, This is Our Song* is a two-part, four-hour documentary series from Henry Louis Gates, Jr., tracing the 400-year-old story of the Black church in America. The series examines the church as a living institution, and the changing nature of worship spaces. The churches Gates visits are both a world within a world, where Black Americans could be themselves, and the epicenter of the freedom struggle.

Watch the series here: <https://www.pbs.org/video/the-black-church-episode1/>  
<https://www.pbs.org/video/the-black-church-episode2/>





PRAYER, HEALING AND ACTION FOR RACIAL SOLIDARITY  
ON THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF GEORGE FLOYD'S MURDER



TUESDAY, MAY 25 AT 7:00PM  
ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL (804 NINTH AVENUE)

The South Seattle Deanery Racial Solidarity Team invites you to commemorate the first anniversary of George Floyd's murder by participating in a prayer service for healing and action. Archbishop Paul D. Etienne will preside. South Seattle parishes will offer their prayers and share how their parishes will commit to working for Racial Justice.

Registration to attend in person: <https://conta.cc/3vqoo0L>

Livestream the prayer service:

Vimeo: <https://vimeo.com/event/940810>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/stjamesseattle/>

# ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

We are now in our fourth week of the ACA and we have raised a total of **\$23,028** so far toward our goal of **\$160,673**. It is important to note that St Joseph is required to pay this amount regardless of how much we collect. If we collect over our goal it will come back to us in the form of a rebate. Please be sure to turn in your pledge today.

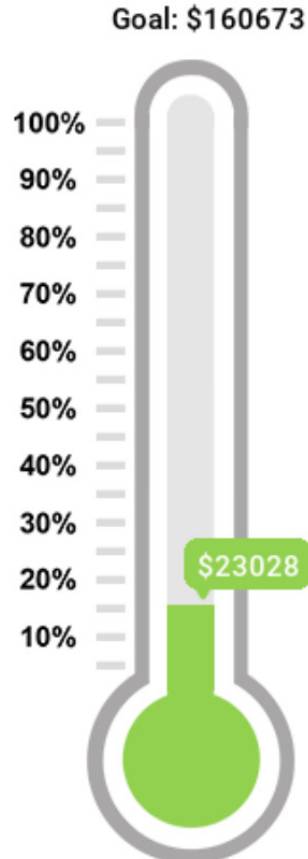
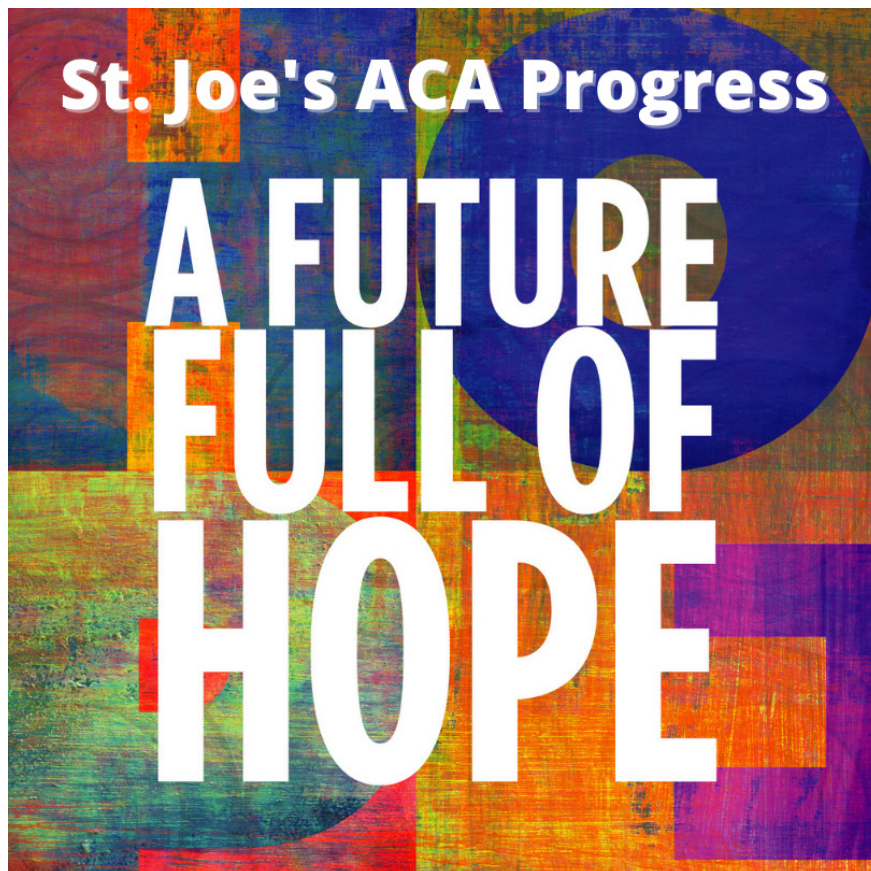
## WAYS TO GIVE TO THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

- Pledge Only – submit your pledge (through the pledge card, envelope or online) and you will be sent monthly reminders.
- Cash or Check – make checks payable to Annual Catholic Appeal
- Donate Stock – call 1-800-809-4921 for broker instructions
- Donate through your IRA – contact your IRA administrator and have your gift sent directly to the ACA Office, 710 9th Ave, Seattle WA 98104 – include your name, ACA ID# and the parish you want the gift credit to go to.
- Payroll Deduction – some employers offer this option – check with yours
- Make your “in lieu of” gift to St. Joe’s here: <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1713>

### Can my gift be doubled?

Many companies MATCH gifts to the Annual Catholic Appeal! Check if your employer has a Matching Gift program and help your parish maximize their Annual Catholic Appeal Rebate! Once your payment has been received OR pledge has been paid in full, you can apply for the match per your employer’s instructions. Contact our office for the Tax ID# to be used for this matching gift option,

All gifts have until April 2021 to be fulfilled. Thank you for your support and participation! Please reach out to Mary Wiseman at [maryw@stjosephparish.org](mailto:maryw@stjosephparish.org) or 206-965-1654 with any questions!





# FINANCIAL UPDATE

Dear St. Joe's Community,

I have some great news to share! St. Joseph has received confirmation that our Payroll Protection Program loan was forgiven. (The PPP was a Small Business Administration program unique to the pandemic.)

I'm so thankful to have received these funds. As you can see in the below numbers, even with cutting our expenses this year by \$135,000, it would not be enough to cover the huge loss of income during the pandemic. With the PPP adjustment, we will have a \$68,000 adjusted net income. This infusion allowed us to continue to support services like food pantry, opening our kitchen to PLANET WORTH (vegan meals for houseless neighbors), our partnerships with Facing Homelessness and St. Vincent de Paul shelters, and keeping the church open daily for personal prayer. Additionally, we pivoted to online programming for prayer groups, educational events, community forums, faith formation, and confirmation. We also began a parishioner buddy system ministry that is still going strong.

I know it will take time for us to grow our income to pre-pandemic levels. Our parish had a goal of an adjusted net income of \$90,000. While we are tracking about \$25,000 short of that goal (and my comfort level for a good night's sleep!), the generosity of our community has allowed us to retain a portion of our savings to use for the next fiscal year. For this, I'm extremely grateful. My ultimate goal is to be sure our staff feels secure during this time of change and uncertainty.

We have not done a special ask during the pandemic, as we just did not feel comfortable asking during this uncertain time. We also wanted to wait to be sure we needed the funds before we asked for them. As we continue a broader opening, we are asking that you continue to remember us in gifts and prayers if you are able. We have almost made it through the pandemic together and with your help we can end this year in a better financial position.

Please reach out to me with any questions or concerns. I love to get questions and talk to parishioners interested in the financial health of St. Joseph Parish.

Sincerely,

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