

Mission Statement

St Joseph Roman Catholic Church and St Peter Mission

recognizes that God is with us in our diverse parish family.

We follow Jesus who said,

“As the Father has Sent me, So I send you.”

Inspired by the lives of Mary and the saints, we love one another and serve those in need. We build our community by hearing, living, and sharing the

gospel message of compassion, justice and peace.

There is an English language radio station!

Sacred Heart Radio

www.sacredheartradio.org or

AM 1050 Seattle/AM 970 Spokane /AM 1240

Receive, Lord, in tranquility and peace, the souls of your servants who have departed out of this present life to be with you. Give them the life that knows the good things that do not pass away, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

- Kevin “Michael” Foster
- Kim Wing
- Andrea Shearer
- Enrique Macias
- Emilio Garcia Chavez
- Jorge Meneses
- Jose Garcia
- Jeanette Anderson
- JoAnne Smith
- Aaron Cooper
- Alonzo David Olivo
- Jose Cardona
- Jose Esquivel
- Julita Guillen
- Eleanor Gendron
- Judy Plucinski

We also pray that our sick and injured that are wrapped in God’s arms and tender mercies.

- Alyssa Grodotzki
- Joe Cussia
- Henry Thomas
- Kerensa Thomas
- Marianne Olson
- Andrew Hiblar
- Jacqueline Lisiecki
- Carol Vander Graft
- Rosemary May
- Rachelle May
- Wyatt Zender
- Dan Overcast
- Dean Par-auve
- Noel Choquette
- Dory Allen
- Mary Michael
- Edith Arrellano
- Debbie Halverson
- Frank McCormick
- Carmen Minaker
- Troy Baisden
- Stephan Panatex
- Gilberto Aguilar
- Rigoberto Castillo
- Joseph Visbeek
- Jonathan Perez
- Christian Perez
- Eduardo Perez
- Antonio Garcia
- Apollo Green
- Maria Perez Luna
- Athena Larsen

- Leonard Warner
- Bergen Isaacson
- Dora Salcido
- Ila Mary Brann
- Ken Yarab
- Nicolás Kordich
- Paul Heneghan
- Jennifer Rasavage
- Ascension Rodriguez
- Mary Lindeman
- Nita Wright
- Wilma Baisden
- Margaret Thorpe
- Sister Maureen Plotts
- Gwen Rodriguez
- Julie Jaramillo
- Armando Fuentes
- Anthony Furtado
- Sarah O’Donnell
- Maria Lopez
- Cooper Family
- Kelli Larsen
- Juan Rodriguez
- Fr. Mauricio Hurtado

If you would like to add or remove names, email or call the office.



Father John Francis Bentley from the Archdiocese of San Antonio, Texas belongs to the Order of Brothers of the Beloved Disciple. He will be joining us on a 2 day Lenten Retreat. The retreat will be available at St. Peter and St. Joseph. So please join us on this journey and let us grow in our faith with the Lord.

Monday, March 28th
St. Peter 6 pm
St. Joseph 8 pm

Tuesday, March 29th
St. Peter 6 pm
St. Joseph 8 pm



Family Promise would like to thank Martha Hagen, Maureen Wilson, Jonni Galarza, Debra Jones, Sharon Walsh, Laura Comiskey, Pam Ames, Mary Jensen, and Sue Obermayer for volunteering to provide meals for homeless families in the Family Promise program at the Interfaith Coalition of Whatcom County. Your generosity and commitment to this program means so much to these families. You are an inspiration to us all.

Thank you,
Marie Gillies



Lenten Confessions/ Confesión de Cuaresma
St. Joseph

Monday, April 4th, 6-8 pm
4 Priests will be available

Father Francisco deeply apologizes but due to scheduling conflicts with other Priests, we were not able to offer Lenten Confessions at St. Peter. However, we will offer confessions at another date after Holy Week. You are cordially invited to participate on April 4th at St. Joseph, make an appointment with Father or on a regularly scheduled date.



Stations of the Cross| El Via Crucis
St. Joseph

Every Friday during Lent through Good Friday

9:30 am (after 9 am Mass)-English Lead by Tom Jones

6:00 pm (Spanish) Lead by Missionaries

St. Peter

7:00 pm Lead by Frank Cain



DRIVEN BY A DREAM

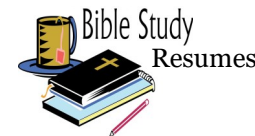
Malnutrition is widespread in Rwanda, but Glorioso and her husband are doing everything they can to keep their children healthy and set them up for success. From learning to grow a kitchen garden to participating in a micro-savings group, Glorioso and Karekezi know it takes many resources to help their children thrive. How have you helped others access what they need this Lent? Visit crsrice-bowl.org to learn more.



MUSIC MINISTRY IS BACK AND WE ARE NEEDING TO REGROUP OUR CHOIR

At St. Joseph we will begin choir practice every **Tuesday at 7 pm** at the church starting this Tuesday, March 22nd. Anyone who is musically inclined and wanting to join is welcome!

If you know how to read music, we would love to have you onboard. For any information on music/choir please contact Leona Foster.



Adult Bible Study Resumes this week!

Finally we are able to begin the Adult bible study on Jesus we signed up last fall! Everyone should have their books!

St. Joseph Hall
Tuesday Nights– 6 pm
Wednesday Mornings– 10 am

Any questions, please speak to Richard Eddy.



Save the Dates
St. Joseph

RCIA|RICA– Saturday, April 16
(Easter Vigil) 8:30pm

First Communion– Saturday, May 7 (bilingual) 10:00 am

Confirmation– Sunday, June 26 11:00 am

St. Peter

First Communion– Sunday, May 8th 8:30 am

ST. PETER SOCIAL ACTION GROUP

Our Social Action **Thursday afternoon** program is in need of some supplies. We will be putting a basket at the back of the church so you can easily drop of items.

Thank you and our **Thursday afternoon** friends thank you!

God Bless your generosity!

small pkg of cookies, tea, coffee, kuerig coffee cups, tuna, dry cereal, cake mix& frosting, dressings for salads, cup of soup, Chow Mein noodles bowls, mayo, salsa, bbq sauce, crackers, juice



Prepares Donation Drive through LENT

Taking donations for birth– 5 years old
We would like to fill bags for new borns, toddlers and preschool aged

We are most in need of:

- Newborn diapers, size 6 diapers, Baby hooded towels, Wipes
- Toiletries– shampoo, baby wash, etc.

Can use:

- *Books, Baby hand/lap toys, Bottles, pacifiers, Burpees, and other baby items.*



Support Agape Food Bank with Mini Golf!

Agape Food Bank, a self-funded ministry of the Archdiocese of Seattle serving in Whatcom County, fosters dignity, community, and justice by increasing access to culturally-appropriate food, hygiene items, educational supplies, & resources for the farmworker community of Whatcom County.

Go mini golfing with your family or friends and financially support the food bank every Sunday in April at Flatstick Pub Bellingham. \$2 from every round of mini golf and \$2 from every adult beverage will be donated to Agape Food Bank. All ages welcome at Flatstick until 7pm.

Agape staff will be onsite each Sunday 1-4pm to answer questions and share more about our work. Learn more about Agape at: archseattle.org/agape



Coffee Hour Schedule



March 27 Dona Ordello
April 3 Pam Ames
April 10 No Coffee Hour– Palm Sun.

If you are interested in hosting coffee hour, you can contact Bambi or Paula by calling the office or emailing.



Sacrificial Giving for the week ending on Sunday, March 13th

St. Joseph: Budget- \$4423.00 Actual- \$ 3417.60
St. Peter: Budget- \$1951.92 Actual- \$ 1067.00

Sacrificial Giving for the week ending on Sunday, March 20th

St. Joseph: Budget- \$4423.00 Actual- \$ 8532.79
St. Peter: Budget- \$1951.92 Actual- \$ 1706.50

DAILY READINGS

also available at <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/>

Sunday, March 27, Weekend
Jos 5:9a,10-12/2 Cor 5:17-21/
Lk 15:1-3,11-32

Monday, March 28 , Weekday
Is 65:17-21/ Jn 4:43-54

Tuesday, March 29, Weekday
Ez 47:1-9,12/ Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday, March 30, Weekday
Mass at St. Peter– 10:00 am
Mass at St. Joseph-6:00 pm
Is 49:8-15/ Jn 5:17-30

Thursday, March 31, Weekday
Mass at St. Joseph-9:00 am
Ex 32:7-14/ Jn 5:31-47

Friday, April 1, Weekday
Mass at St. Joseph– 9:00 am
Wis 2:1a,12-22/ Jn 7:1-2,10,25-30

Saturday, April 2, Weekend
Jer 11:18-20/ Jn 7:40-53