

**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.



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



**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



**MAKING A DIFFERENCE**

Hunger impacts millions of women, men and children around the world. Throughout Lent we have encountered communities in Guatemala, Bangladesh and Rwanda that are overcoming this problem so their members can have brighter futures.

How is your community working to address hunger or other injustices locally and globally? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.

Rice Bowl Collection– You can bring your rice bowl boxes in to the parish. There will be a basket at the entrance of the parish to drop off, you can write a check to Catholic Relief Services memo-Rice Bowl or bring by the office to be counted. Thank you for your generosity!



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

Choir Practice  
St. Joseph  
Tuesday at 7 pm

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.

**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 newborn and toddlers and preschool aged children.

We are most in need of: Newborn and size 6 diapers and 4/5T boy Pull-ups, books, pre-school age toys and bath items.

Thank you to all who have generously donated the hooded towels, burp clothes and toys. These items will make a great difference in a child’s life!



No Faith Formation

April 2<sup>nd</sup>– 10<sup>th</sup> (Spring Break)

April 11<sup>th</sup>–April 17<sup>th</sup> Holy Week/ Easter Weekend.

**APRIL Is Child Abuse Prevention Month**



LEARN MORE



**St. Joseph**

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

Reconciliation Monday, May 2 4:00–6:00 pm  
(First Communion Candidates only)

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

Confirmation Sunday, June 26 11:00 am

**St. Peter**

Reconciliation Thursday, May 5 4:00–6:00 pm  
(First Communion Candidates only)

First Communion Sunday, May 8th 8:30 am



**3rd Annual St. Hubert Catholic Church Lecture (804 Third St, Langley, WA) “Faith and Reason a Catholic Tradition” Presented by William Cahoy**

Sunday, April 24, 2022 2:00 pm

A hybrid presentation– attend in person or via zoom

Free & Open to the Public|Donations accepted

Pre-Registration Required| Register Now at <http://https://sthubertchurch.org/index.php/guest-lecture/>

“Faith and reason are often assumed to be in conflict by champions of both sides, requiring us to choose between them. This talk explores the theological, faith-based, reasons that the Catholic tradition rejects this opposition, advocating instead a harmony of faith and reason.”William Cahoy, PhD Professor Emeritus of Theology| Saint John’s University, Minnesota



**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 farm-worker 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.

Learn more about Agape at: [archseattle.org/agape](http://archseattle.org/agape)



**Coffee Hour Schedule**

- April 3 Pam Ames
- April 10 No Coffee Hour –Palm Sun.
- April 17 No Coffee Hour– Easter
- April 24 Marilyn Wyss

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



**St. Joseph Hall**

- Tuesday Nights 6:30 pm
- Wednesday Mornings 10:30 am

**Sacrificial Giving for the week ending on Sunday, March 27th**

<b>St. Joseph:</b> Budget- \$4423.00 Actual- \$ 3669.44	<b>St. Peter:</b> Budget- \$1951.92 Actual- \$2491.00
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**DAILY READINGS**

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

**Sunday, April 3, Weekend**  
Is 43:16-21/ Phil 3:8-14/ Jn 8:1-11

**Monday, April 4, Weekday**  
Dn 13:1-9,15-17,19-30,33-62,or 13:41c-62/ Jn 8:12-20

**Tuesday, April 5, Weekday**  
Nm 21:4-9/ Jn 8:21-30/

**Wednesday, April 6, Weekday**  
**Mass at St. Peter– 10:00 am**  
**Mass at St. Joseph-6:00 pm**  
Dn 3:14-20,91-92,95/ Jn 8:31-42

**Thursday, April 7, Weekday**  
**Mass at St. Joseph-9:00 am**  
Gn 17:3-9/ Jn 8:51-59

**Friday, April 8, Weekday**  
**Mass at St. Joseph– 9:00 am**  
Jer 20:10-13/ Jn 10:31-42

**Saturday, April 9, Weekend**  
Ez 37:21-28/ Jn 11:45-56