



### 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.

### NUESTRA MISIÓN

Iglesia católica romana de San José y la Misión de San Pedro

reconocer que Dios está con nosotros en nuestra diversa familia parroquial.

Seguimos a Jesús que dijo:

“Como el Padre me envió, así también yo os envío”.

Inspirados por la vida de María y los santos, nosotros

amarnos unos a otros y servir a los necesitados.

Construimos

nuestra comunidad escuchando, viviendo y compartiendo la

mensaje evangélico de compasión, justicia y paz.



### WEEKLY GIVING FOR JUNE

#### JULY 28:

	St. Joseph	St. Peter
<b>Budget</b>	\$4,673.08	\$1850
<b>Sacrificial Giving</b>	3630.7	\$3661.58
<b>Online</b>	\$405.44	\$143.08
<b>Children's Collection</b>	\$10	\$9
<b>In Office</b>	\$566	\$60

### MISSIONARIES:

We are so thankful for Jesus Oswaldo, Olegario, and Angel for serving these past 4 months, they will be returning to the formation house with a group of young adults for a vocational retreat, and new missionaries will be assigned to us and return in mid to late August, be sure to thank them for their service. Estamos muy agradecidos con Jesús Oswaldo, Olegario y Ángel por servir estos últimos 4 meses, ellos regresarán a la casa de formación con un grupo de jóvenes adultos para un retiro vocacional, y se nos asignarán nuevos misioneros que regresarán a mediados. hasta finales de agosto, asegúrese de agradecerles por su servicio.

### SAINT OF THE DAY: ST. JOHN VINNAEY, THE CURE OF ARS

FEAST DAY: AUGUST 4TH

PATRON OF PARISH PRIESTS

If we really understood the priest on earth, we would die: not of fear, but of love.” St John Vianney’s whole life could be summed up in this saying attributed to him.

Known as the “Curé d’Ars,” Jean-Baptiste-Marie Vianney was born on 8 May 1786 in France in the town of Dardilly, near Lyons. His devout Catholic parents were farmers, and from an early age, John worked in the fields. Without formal education, as a young man he was functionally illiterate; but thanks to his mother’s teaching, Vianney was able to memorise and understand numerous prayers, and live a devout religious life. “I would win many souls for God”

At that time in France, the winds of Revolution were blowing. Young John made his Confession at home, rather than in a church, to a “non-juring” priest – that is, a priest who had not sworn loyalty to the revolutionary government. The same priest gave him his First Communion in a barn, during an “underground” Mass. At the age of 17, John Vianney felt the call to the priesthood. “If I am to be a priest,” he said, “I will win many souls for God.”

But the path to ordination was not an easy one, due to the corrupted morals of the day. It was only thanks to some wise priests – including Father Balley, the parish priest of d’Écully, that he finally received Holy Orders on 13 February 1815, at the age of 29. Having given his whole life for God and his parishioners, John Vianney died on 4 August 1859. He was 73 years old. His relics can be found in Ars, in the sanctuary dedicated to him, which is visited by some 450,000 pilgrims every year. He was beatified by Pope St Pius X in 1905, and canonized twenty years later by Pope Pius XI. In 1929, the same Pope proclaimed him the “heavenly patron of all parish priests throughout the world.”

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en/saints/08/04/st--john--m--vianney-the-cur-of-ars--patron-of--parish-priests.html>



PREPARES: Shop the PREPARES Wishlist using the QR code. We are in need of Size 4.5, 6 diapers, wipes, boys clothes NB-5t and new or gently used children’s shoes. Donations can be brought to the front office or online donations can be made. We are so thankful for our community’s generous support. **We currently serve 180 families in Whatcom County!** PREPARES: Compre en la lista de deseos de PREPARES utilizando el código QR. Necesitamos pañales talla 4,5,6, toallitas húmedas, ropa para niños NB-5t y zapatos para niños nuevos o en buen estado. También necesitamos bolsas de supermercado en las que ponemos los pañales. Las donaciones se pueden llevar a la oficina principal o se pueden hacer donaciones en línea. Estamos muy agradecidos por el generoso apoyo de nuestra comunidad. ¡Actualmente atendemos a 180 familias en el condado de Whatcom!

#### July update

Thanks to our Generous Parish we were able to serve 75 families at our June 3rd Friday Diaper Giveaway and Kids Boutique. We are excited to announce a partnership with Miracle Food Network to provide parishable and non-perishable food to our clients.

We need more bilingual (Spanish/English) Volunteers. To get involved to whatever degree YOU choose, with this awesome ministry please call Pam Ames at 360)510-2334.

Are you subscribed to our monthly envelopes? Be sure to check out our new PREPARES social action envelopes!

**Next Diaper Giveaway: August 16th from 2-4pm**

**Próximo sorteo de pañales: August 16th de Julio de 2 a 4 p.m.**

**Our families are so thankful for the support you give to our program!**



SCAN ME!



### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND SACRAMENTAL PREP

SCAN ME!



Religious education is open for the 2024-2025 school year. Here are the classes offered at St. Joseph: Pre-Kindergarten, First Year First Communion, Second Year First Communion, Confirmation, Children’s RICA in English and Spanish, English and Spanish RICA. We will also be offering youth group for post first communion and for high school, this allows students to enjoy religious education classes in a fun setting. Inscripción abierta para educación religiosa: La educación religiosa está abierta para el año escolar 2024-2025. Estas son las clases que se ofrecen en St. Joseph: Pre-Kindergarten, Primera Comunión de primer año, Primera Comunión de segundo año, Confirmación, RICA para niños en inglés y español, RICA en inglés y español. También ofreceremos un grupo de jóvenes para post primera comunión y para la escuela secundaria, esto permite a los estudiantes disfrutar de clases de educación religiosa en un ambiente divertido.

**St. Peter:** Communion and grades k-12, as well as youth group for all ages.

**Marriage Validations:** Were you not married in the Catholic Church but want a sacramental Catholic Marriage? We offer marriage preparation classes in English and Spanish! If you are interested, please get into contact with Marisol!

**Validaciones de matrimonio:** ¿No estaba casado por la Iglesia católica pero desea un matrimonio católico sacramental? ¡Ofrecemos clases de preparación matrimonial en inglés y español! Si estás interesado, ¡ponte en contacto con Marisol!

**RICA/RICA:** Are you an adult missing Baptism, Communion or Confirmation? Join RICA. Classes meet on Sunday!

**RICA/RICA:** ¿Es usted un adulto que falta al Bautismo, Comunión o Confirmación? Únase a RICA. ¡Las clases se reúnen el domingo!

**Baptism:** Interested in Baptising your child? Contact Marisol to learn more about the process! Bautismo: ¿Interesado en bautizar a su hijo? ¡Contacta a Marisol para conocer más sobre el proceso!

### DAILY READINGS

Sunday, August 4th: Memorial Saint John Vianney, Priest :Ex 16:2-4, 12-15Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 Eph 4:17, 20-24Jn 6:24-35

Monday, August 5th , Jer 28:1-17 PS 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102 Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday, August 6thDN 7:9-10, 13-14PS 97:1-2, 5-6, 9Mk 9:2-10

Wednesday, August 7th JER 31:1-7 JER 31:10, 11-12AB, 13 MT 15:21-28

Thursday, August 8th, Memorial of Saint Domine: Jer 31:31-34 Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19Mt 16:13-23

Friday, August 9th:NA 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7DEUTERONOMY 32:35CD-36AB, 39ABCD, 41MT 16:24-28

Saturday August 10th , Feast of Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr, 2 COR 9:6-10,PS 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9JN 12:24-26



### SEMINARIANS AND NOVICE NUNS WE ARE PRAYING FOR

Two members from our community Glendy and Jennifer are novice Nuns and are in the formation house in Rhode Island, with the MSP community. Angel, a former missionary here in Lynden is an aspirant for the seminary, and Cesar a former missionary in Lynden, is currently a Seminarian with the MSP community. From the St. Peter community Maria Cronk will begin an internship with the Nuns on Shaw Island.

Dos miembros de nuestra comunidad, Glendy y Jennifer, son monjas novicias y están en la casa de formación en Rhode Island, con la comunidad MSP. Ángel y César son dos ex misioneros en el Seminario de la comunidad MSP. We thankful the Missionaries for highlighting the importance of vocations to our community and continue to pray for more seminarians and novice nuns. What is your vocation? <https://archseattle.org/living-catholic/god-is-calling-you-vocations/>

LAST CHANCE



DONATE

Annual Catholic Appeal



St. Joseph Goal: 32,000

Received: 28,649, Pledged Total 89%

Amount of families who participated: 89 Participation rate: 12%

If we do not reach our goal will be taken out of our yearly budget by the Archdiocese, please make your pledge!

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ST. PETER WHO HAS MET 198% OF THEIR ACA GOAL!**

### SOULS WE ARE PRAYING FOR/ALMAS POR LAS QUE ESTAMOS ORANDO

Jimena Puentes, Gladys Libolt, John Zender, Luz Belvo, Marianne Olson, Jim Skillman, Ed Chase, Alredo Guillen, Harold Cronk, Ken Yarab, Bert Gendron, Lois Zender, Vera Todahl, Eusebio Pareja Ortega, Jennifer Rasavage, Rosemary May, Frank McCormic, Leonard Warner, Leslie Choquette, Sr. Maureen Plotts, Frank Sweeney, Louise Ehlers, Nancy Kuelz, Red Zender, Eliz Duran, Indelisa Duran, Tom Broz, Ruth Lyles, Mary Michael, Philip Howell

### PRAYER LIST/LISTA DE ORACIÓN

Beth Merideth, Roachelle May, Karen Maas, Henry Thomas, Bertha Arreola, Kerensa Thomas, Ana Luisa Arreola, Apollo Green, Maira Ortega Martinez, Wyatt Zender, Guillermina Ortega Martinez, Noel Choquette, Athena Larsen, Carmen Minaker, Peter Sterbitzky, Troy Baisden, Mary Lindeman, Wilma Baisden, Elijah Hilgart, Stephan Panatex, Maria Lopez, Joseph Visbeek, Jaelyn Hilgard, Mary Michael, Jansma Family, Mary Ditolo, Roger Jervis, Carol Vandergraft, Kathleen Hilgart, Jennifer Gassman, Sarah O'Donnell, Anna Gospodareva, Nicolas Kordich, Carolyn Blakeway, Francisco Santeclies, Judith Kopak, Margaret Perugini, Judith Boss, Chris Regis, Lucas Hilgart, Melissa Weiss, Kelli Larsen, Jesus Hurtado, Angela Cardenas, Heather Hodgson, John Major, Alenda Micheal, Gordon Sund, Shufeqe Rahman, Mark Tyburski, Turner Family, Jose Galvez, Vialesh Jee, Fr. Sebastian Vincent, Michael McCormic, Fr. Mauricio Hurtado, Mona Romero, Tom Rippchen, San Farabou, Camila Sanchez Medin, Cory Plotts, and Daisy Phillips

### WEEKLY EVENTS

**Monday:** Eucharistic Adoration from 1-2pm  
**Tuesday:** Parenting Class on the Tuesday after the Third Friday Diaper Giveaway  
**Wednesday:** Eucharistic Adoration from 1-2pm  
**Thursday:** Patriotic Rosary at 11:30, Adoration from 9:30-11am  
 Thursday Afternoon Friends at St. Peter 3-5pm  
**Friday:** Adoration from 1-2pm  
 Divine Mercy Chaptlet at 3pm/ Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia a las 3:00pm Horas  
 Diaper Giveaway/sorteo de pañales: 3rd Friday of the Month/ 3er viernes del mes  
 Young Adult Group from 6-7pm (in the Parish Hall), Grup de Juvenes Adultos 6-7pm  
**Saturday:**  
 Little Giants--Teenager youth group 11am-12:30/  
 Pequenos Gigantes Juvenil edades ) 11am-12:30pm  
 Sunday:

*Want your weekly group added? Contact the office*