

# Saint Joseph Church

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## Solemnity of the Sacred Heart

Pentecost III - June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026

*Rev. Carlos A. Ercoli - Rev. Héctor L. Romero*



*“Behold this heart, which has loved mankind so much,  
and which receives only ingratitude and coldness in return for his love.”*

*(Our Blessed Lord to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque)*

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\* **MASS TIMES THIS WEEK** \*

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Sunday, June 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>SUNDAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE SACRED HEART</b> Timothy Neer (Mrs. Yvonne Neer)	<b>5:30 P.M.</b>
Monday, June 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Within the Octave of Sacred Heart</b> ✠Mauricio Ornelas Garcia ( <i>Alejandro Rodriguez</i> )	8:00 A.M.
Tuesday, June 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Within the Octave of Sacred Heart</b> For my mother ( <i>Mrs. Lan Hoàng</i> )	8:00 A.M.
Wednesday, June 17 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Within the Octave of Sacred Heart</b> ✠Nu Nguyen Maria ( <i>Thong Nguyen</i> )	8:00 A.M.
Thursday, June 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St. Ephrem of Syria, CD</b> ( <i>conferral of Minor Orders</i> ) Our Seminarians ( <i>Holy Redeemer Chapel</i> )	<b>11:00 A.M.</b>
Friday, June 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Octave Day of Sacred Heart</b> ✠Virgil Kinzler -birthday ( <i>Mr. &amp; Mrs. Robert Lambert</i> )	8:00 A.M.
Saturday, June 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St. Mary on the Sabbath</b> Mrs. Elaine Lambert -birthday ( <i>Steven Lambert family</i> )	
Sunday, June 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST</b> Father's Day Remembrance	<b>5:30 P.M.</b>

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\* **ANNOUNCEMENTS** \*

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- **FATHER'S DAY IS NEXT SUNDAY.** Please remember to turn the Remembrance envelopes in before the Holy Mass.
  - **PRIESTS' SPIRITUAL RETREAT** given by **Bp. McGuire** starts tomorrow at St. Joseph's. Please pray for a fruitful retreat to all the priests and seminarians participating.
  - **CONFERRAL OF MINOR ORDERS & TONSURE.** Two of our Seminarians are receiving the first Minor Orders (Porter and Lector), and a third one is receiving Tonsure this **Thursday**. The Bishop's High Mass Ceremony will be at **11:00 A.M.** Please keep them in your prayers.
  - **FIRST COMMUNICANTS RECOLLECTION:** on Saturday, **June 20 - 9:00 A.M.** @ Holy Redeemer.
  - **FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS & CONFIRMATIONS:** will take place on Sunday, **June 28, at St. Joseph Church @ 11:30 A.M.** All those who have received Confirmation on 1972 and after should receive it again at least conditionally. Please see Fr. Ercoli for registration and preparation.
  - **HOLY MASS AT ST. JOSEPH'S:** Sundays at 5:30 P.M. **Potluck** every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month after Mass.
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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- ☐ **JUNE 15** ⇒ **18** Spiritual Retreat for Priests (Minor Orders)  
☐ **JUNE 28** First Communions & Confirmations // ☐ **JUNE 30** ⇒ **JULY 3** Boys' Camp

**O**h, how faithful is the beautiful Heart of Jesus: towards those He calls to His love: *He is faithful who hath called you, who also will perform* (1 Thess. 5, 24). The faithfulness of God gives us confidence to hope all things, although we deserve nothing. If we have driven God from our heart, let us open the door to Him and He will immediately enter, according to the promise He has made: *If anyone open to me the door, I will come into him, and will sup with him* (Apoc. 3, 20). If we wish for graces, let us ask for them of God, in the Name of Jesus Christ, and He has promised us that we shall obtain them: *If you shall ask the Father anything in my name, He will give it you* (Jo. 16, 23). If we are tempted, let us trust in His merits, and He will not permit our enemies to strive with us beyond our strength: *God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that which you are able* (1 Cor. 10, 13). Oh, how much better is it to have to do with God than with men! How often do men promise and then fail, either because they tell lies in making their promises, or because, after having made the promise, they change their minds: “*God is not as man,*” says the Holy Spirit, “*that he should lie; or as the son of man, that he should be changed*” (Numb. 23, 19).

I know my ingratitude, O my Jesus, and I abhor it. I know that Thou art infinite Goodness, Who deservest an infinite love, especially from me, whom Thou hast so much loved, even after all the offenses I have committed against Thee. Unhappy me if I should damn myself; the graces Thou hast vouchsafed to me, and the proofs of the singular affection which Thou hast shown me, would be, O God, the hell of hells to me. Ah, no, my Love, have pity on me; suffer me not to forsake Thee again, and then by damning myself, as I should deserve, continue to repay in hell with injuries and hatred the love that Thou hast borne me. O loving and faithful Heart of Jesus, inflame, I beseech Thee, my miserable heart, so that it may burn with love for Thee, as Thine does for me. My Jesus, it seems to me that now I love Thee, but I love Thee but little. Make me love Thee exceedingly, and remain faithful to Thee until death.

God cannot be unfaithful to His promises, because, being Truth itself, He cannot lie; nor can He change His mind, because all that He wills is just and right. He has promised to receive all that come to Him, to give help to him that asks it, to love him that loves Him; and shall He, then, not do it? *Hath he said, then, and will he not do it?* Oh, that we were as faithful with God as He is with us! Oh, how often have we, in times past, promised Him to be His, to serve Him and to love Him; and then have betrayed Him, and, renouncing His service, have sold ourselves as slaves to the devil! Oh, let us beseech Him to give us strength to be faithful to Him for the future! Oh, how blessed shall we be if we are faithful to Jesus Christ in the few things that He commands us to do; He will, indeed, be faithful in remunerating us with infinitely great rewards; and He will declare to us what He has promised to His faithful servants: *Well done, good and faithful servant; because thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will place thee over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord* (Matt. 25, 21).

Oh, that I had been as faithful towards Thee, my dearest Redeemer, as Thou hast been faithful to me. Whenever I have opened my heart to Thee, Thou hast entered in, to forgive me and to receive me into Thy favour; whenever I have called Thee, Thou hast hastened to my assistance. Thou hast been faithful with me, but I have been exceedingly unfaithful towards Thee. I have promised Thee my love, and then have many times refused it to Thee; as if Thou, my God, Who hast created and redeemed me, wert less worthy of being loved than Thy creatures and those miserable pleasures for which I have forsaken Thee. Forgive me, O my Jesus.

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\* A NOTE TO NEWCOMERS \*

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Welcome to the traditional Latin Mass, and to the unchanged Catholic Faith. The priests and parishioners of Holy Redeemer Chapel reject the changes of Vatican II. They want to preserve the Roman Catholic Faith by maintaining everything that was taught and done by the Church prior to Vatican II. In order to receive the sacraments here, it is therefore necessary that you attend exclusively the traditional Latin Mass, and avoid the new Mass and reformed sacraments. We also invite you to take our booklet entitled *The Traditional Latin Mass*, which is very informative. We encourage you to visit our bookstore for some additional reading & information about the present crisis in the Church.

\* PLEASE, OBSERVE OUR DRESS CODE \*

**For Men:** A shirt and tie, with either suit coat, jacket or sweater, and dress shoes on Sundays and holy days of obligation. No earrings. **For Ladies:** A dress or skirt is required; no pants. The skirt must at least cover the knee, and should not be tight or otherwise revealing in any way. Immodest slits are forbidden. Clothing should be loose and not form-fitting. A head covering is also required. See-through blouses are forbidden, as well as clothing which is low-cut. **For Everyone:** No tennis shoes, sandals, denim, even on weekdays. The standards of Catholic modesty must be observed.

\* APPOINTMENTS & OTHER INFORMATION \*



If you wish to make an appointment with the priest, please call the rectory at (206) 299-1522. **Baptisms** are by appointment. At least one of the **Parents & Godparents** must be practicing Catholics in good standing who reject the changes of Vatican II. If you are contemplating **Matrimony**, catechism instructions may be needed; depending on the case, you may need to contact the priest as early as one year in advance of your wedding. When making arrangements for **Funerals**, please contact the priest before contacting the funeral director. **Extreme Unction & Sick Calls**, please do not put off making arrangements until the last moment. Let us know if a member of the Chapel is sick, hospitalized or in danger of death. For any emergency, please call **Fr. Ercoli** at (586) 215-3251.

- **Confession Schedule:** Sundays & Holydays, 30 minutes before Mass. Saturdays after Mass.
- **Blessing of Religious Articles:** Every First Sunday of the month at the communion rail.
- **Mass Intentions:** For your Mass requests there are Mass Intention envelopes available in vestibule.
- **Building Fund:** A 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection is taken on the *First Sunday* of each month. This Special Collection will go toward remodeling and building expenses.
- **St. Lawrence Poor Box:** Donations will help the poor and needy. *"He who gives to the poor suffers no want, but he who ignores them shall suffer indigence."* (Prov. 28:27)
- **Purgatory League:** Holy Mass & Prayers for our deceased parishioners are offered on the First Sunday of each month. *May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*
- **Registration at Holy Redeemer Chapel:** If you intend to attend Holy Redeemer Chapel regularly, please complete the Registration Card in the vestibule.