

# Pope St. John XXIII

## PARISH FAMILY

JUNE 28, 2026 | THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A



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### Pope Saint John XXIII Main Campus

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Fax - (253) 475-6335

#### Vietnamese Mass:

Sunday | 7:45 AM & 4:00 PM  
Tuesday & Thursday | 7:00 PM  
First Friday | 7:00 PM

#### Vietnamese Reconciliation

Sunday | 3:00 PM

#### English Mass:

Saturday | 4:30 PM  
Sunday | 9:45 AM  
Monday to Friday | 8:00 AM

#### Reconciliation:

Mon-Fri 7:30-8:00 AM  
Saturday | 3:30 PM

#### Adoration - Thursdays:

9:00-10:00 AM and 4:00-6:00 PM

#### Anointing of the Sick:

The 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday and Sunday

### SJOW Campus

9903 24th Ave. East Tacoma, WA 98445

#### Mass Schedule:

Saturday | 6:00 PM  
Sunday | 8:00 AM & 11:30 AM  
Wed. & Friday | 9:30 AM

#### Reconciliation: Sat. | 5:00 PM

**Rosary:** Sat 5:30 PM  
Sun 7:30 AM & 11:00 AM

#### Adoration:

Mon 7:00 PM & Wed 10 AM

#### Anointing of the Sick:

The 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday and Sunday

### VIS Campus

3314 S 58th Street - Tacoma, WA 98409

#### Mass Schedule:

Thursday - 9:00 AM  
Saturday - Mass 9:00 AM  
Sunday - 9:30 AM

#### Reconciliation: Sat. 8 - 8:55 AM

**Rosary:** Mon - Fri: 8:20AM

#### Anointing of the Sick:

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday and Sunday

### St. Rita Campus

1403 S Ainsworth Ave,  
Tacoma, WA. 98405

**Rosary:** Saturday 9:40 AM

**Prayer:** Saturday 10:00 AM

#### Anointing of the Sick:

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday

### PSJ - STEM Academy

3306 S 58th St, Tacoma, WA 98409

#### School Mass:

Thursday 9:00 AM

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## Weekly Stewardship of Treasure

For the Week of June 7-14/2026

	PSJXXIII	VIS	SJOW
Sunday Donations:	\$6,868	\$3,217	\$4,870
Online Donations:	\$ 1,249	\$805	\$853
<b>Weekly Total</b>	<b>\$8,117</b>	<b>\$4,022</b>	<b>\$5,723</b>
Breakfast:	\$1,363		
Envelopes:	175	33	65

*Thank you for your generous support of our Parish Community!*

## Online Giving



PSJ Main Campus



Visitation



SJOW Campus

*Simple Steps to Make Your Donation:*

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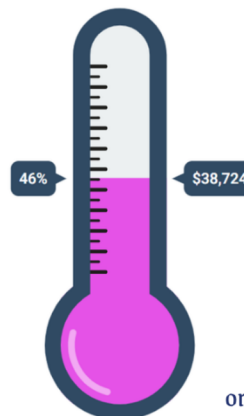
**Annual Catholic Appeal**

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**PSJXXIII**

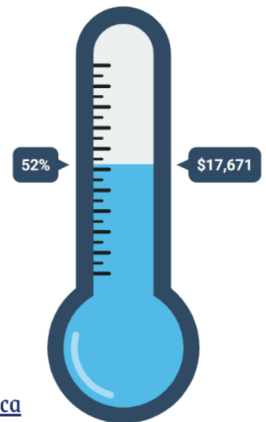
GOAL: \$84,739



Thank you 145 Donors

**SJOW**

GOAL: \$33,766



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**Dear Parishioners of Pope St. John XXIII parish faith community,**

Welcome you to the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. The liturgy of the word today invites us to reflect on our love of God that would reward us in this life and assures us of eternal life. We witness in the first reading that a pious woman because of her love of God, treats God's prophet with utmost love and care and without even asking, this holy man finds out her need and blesses her with a son. The Gospel teaches: We must love God above all else—even more than father, mother, son, or daughter. By contrasting love for God with love for family, Jesus is not diminishing familial affection; rather, He is revealing that the only way to truly love others is by loving God first.



Saint Thomas Aquinas teaches: "God must be loved above all things and before all others out of charity, for He is loved as the source of happiness, whereas our neighbor is loved as one who shares in that happiness along with us" (Summa Theologiae II-II, Q.26, A.2). In other words, God must be loved first because He is the ultimate cause and source of beatitude—the only true happiness. Though we are called to love our families and our neighbors, Christian charity dictates that we love them in relation to God—as fellow recipients of divine happiness.

We too witness in our faith community the love you have for God and His servants, the priests. I really appreciate your love and care for me the pastor and the parochial vicar who are serving you. We do experience God's blessings through your concern and care. I believe you also receive His blessings through our service as well as our prayers. We constantly keep each of your intentions in our prayers and sacrifices that we offer at the altar. Please do not hesitate to reach out to us if you need any spiritual assistance; we are eager to serve you.

We have our summer festival on the 12th of July, please mark your calendar to join us on this day from 11am to 9pm. We are preparing for lots of fun filled activities, entertainments, food and drinks etc. Please make sure to be part of this celebration. It's a once-a-year opportunity to spend some time as a community to have some social time to get to know each other and have wonderful time. We thank all our volunteers who plan and organize this event, they sacrifice their time and energy in actualizing this event. Please remember to say a prayer for them as well.

We also have other volunteers who show their love for God in volunteering their time, talent and treasure through ministries and generosity. May God bless you all for your love and grant all your hearts desires. Once again, I request you to be safe during your vacations and also remember us wherever you are for this summer.

Because we earn more in interest by keeping our funds in savings than the interest being accrued on the loan, our Finance Council has determined it is in the parish's best interest to keep the loan as is until there is resolution on the Holy Rosary recourse. The Finance Council approved a two-phase consolidation of parish family finances: Visitation, Holy Rosary, and PSJ will merge in July 2026, followed by SJOW in July 2027. For more information, see the bulletin. If you are away, you can receive it electronically by signing up with Sr. Linh or staying updated at [psj23.org](http://psj23.org). Wishing you a blessed week ahead. Thank you.

**Fr. Tuan Nguyen, D. Min, Pastor**

# About Our Parish Community

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Parish Mission Statement | Liturgy | Activities

We are one multicultural Catholic parish family of Pope St. John XXIII, united across our campuses to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ. We welcome all to come join us by living our faith as a Eucharist-centered Catholic family in worship and service to all God's people.

## PATRIOTIC ROSARY & MASS

*Come Join us in Prayer for Our Country*

**Saturday, July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

<p><b>AT VISITATION</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Rosary at <b>8:00AM</b></li> <li> Mass at <b>9:00AM</b></li> </ul>	<p><b>POPE ST. JOHN XXIII</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Rosary at <b>3:30PM</b></li> <li> Mass at <b>4:30PM</b></li> </ul>
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The Patriotic Rosary is prayed for every state in our country and for all of our legislative offices. It takes approximately 50 min and will be followed by Mass. All are invited.

**MILITARY AND VETERANS ARE ENCOURAGED TO WEAR UNIFORMS**

*God Bless America*

## POPE SAINT JOHN XXIII SUMMER 2026 FESTIVAL

**LỄ HỘI MÙA HÈ**

7025 Park Ave. S.  
Tacoma - WA 98408

- Rev. Tuan Nguyen  
Cha Đaminh Nguyễn Anh Tuấn
- Fr. Greg Celio, SJ  
Bellarmine's Jesuit Superior
- Singer- Ha Thanh Xuan  
Ca Sĩ- Hà Thanh Xuân
- Mc/Singer- Vien Nguyen  
Mc/Ca Sĩ- Viễn Nguyễn
- Mc/Singer- Thien Huong  
Mc/Ca Sĩ- Thiên Hương
- Singer-Huynh Long  
Ca Sĩ- Huynh Long
- Singer- Lyndon  
Ca Sĩ- Lyndon  
Foods, Drinks, Bingo, Martial Arts,  
Lion Dance, Entertainments, Fashion Show...

**9:45 am** Multicultural Mass  
Thánh Lễ Sắc Tộc

**11:00 am** Opening Summer Festival  
Khởi Mạc Hội Chợ Hè

**12:00 pm** Multicultural Performances  
Chương Trình Văn Nghệ

**3:30 pm** Bingo  
Chơi Lô Tô

**5:30 pm** Musical Festival Night  
Đêm Nhạc Hội

**JULY - THÁNG 7**  
**SUNDAY** Free Entry  
**CHỦA NHẬT 12** 9:45AM-8PM

Congratulations to Our Vietnamese Language Program on Completing the 2025-2026 School Year



Thank you and God Bless You, Sister Trinh, on Your New Journey



## Baptism Preparation Class

will be offered for parents and godparents who have new born babies and children under 7 years old. Next class is July 11 or August 8 (Every Second Saturday):

1:00 – 2:30pm class in English

2:30 – 4:00pm in Vietnamese

By Deacon Theman - At PSJ XXIII Parish Center.

Please call Sr. Theresa at 253- 592-2541

or email <sotheresa2022@psj23.org>

## Congratulations 7 babies have received Baptism in June

1. Ali'itasi Afele Koko Maele
2. Anna Lê Vivian
3. Liora Trúc Nguyen
4. Maria Trần Huỳnh Hazel
5. Phero Trương Daniel
6. Rozalyn Belle Taylor
7. Toma Aquino Felix Duy Nguyen



## Food Requests

- Canned Chicken / Spam
- Canned Stew / Canned Soups w/meat
- Peanut Butter – 16oz /18oz jars
- Canned Fruit
- Cup of Noodles
- Hunts canned Spaghetti Sauce 28 oz cans
- Swiss Miss Cocoa packets
- Cold Cereal boxes 12 - 15 oz
- Top Ramen Packets
- Macaroni and Cheese
- Instant Oatmeal Packets
- Canned Vegetables
- Rice - 1 lb. bags

## Ministry of the Poor



Monetary Donation

## Additional Requests

- Men's/women's shorts/ T-shirts
- Men's coats/hoodies, size M or larger
- Men's pants waist size 30 - 40, all lengths
- Men's sweat pants - all sizes
- Long sleeve shirts
- Sleeping bags and/or warm blankets
- Tennis Shoes - Men or Womens Sizes 7 -13
- Men's Underwear

## Please pray for those

### Who Are Sick or Homebound

**PSJXXIII:** Justine Fleck, Leigh Ann Gilmer, Mary Margaret Brasher, Carmela St. Pierre, Norma Vettori, Don Brock, Veronica Titalii, Krista Brown, Virginia Wooten, Marian Bronson, Helene Cordeau, Muriel & Ron Bate, Olivia Davis, Kathleen Genge, Wayne Haverkorn, Sally Ives, LeeAnn Koch, J. Mam, Nancy Jones, Jackie Lane, Gloria Montes, Terry Mathern, Doris McGuire, Wesley McMakin, Helen Murray, Peggy Neagle, Shirley Pietz, Bob & Rayanne Richardson, Eldon Weber,

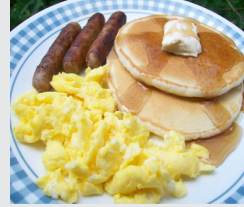
**VIS and St. Rita:** Merle Gregg, Bob Gatbunton Tom Molzan, Shirley Mazzuca, Joyce Taylor, Paul Silone, Jeanette Gatbunton, Cathy Adam, Bob Rooney, Jim SwanRay, Hasselman, Louise Peterson, Richard Baron, Elisabeth Douglas, Milo Ternes, Tony George, Rick Shurbet, Sabina Lockhart, Dick Vargo, Elaine Elliott, Lillian Albers, Odkod McMillin, Jennifer Brandt, Emma Millikan, Shirley Keyes, Mick Flynn, Philip Stumpf, John Meier, Joseph Rivera, Bob Woorley, Peter Pagano, Gene Hall, RosAnn Bridges, Petra Polequin, Brenda Gadson, Dean Lucchesi, Frank & Willie Faniel, Jerry Landridge, Jim & Karen Keithley, David Lamb, Vanessa Elmer, Lucy Romo, Benjamin & Linda Holm, Charles, Robin Mazza, Charlie Faniel, Sharon Turner and her Family. All those suffering in war and strife.

**SJOW:** Peter Calhoun, Marsha Wells, Bettie Gallaway, Janis Schmidt, Christian Blum, Lornell Soderlind, Cirila Elfleda Bardelas, Luis A. Arce Jr. Lettie Devish, Danny Sneed, Debbie DeWitt, Dixie Knoll, Elizabeth Wells, Glenna Nyegaard, Irmgard Wilcox, Joan Halmrast, Jonathan Keen, Ken Knobbe, Lynn Sneed, Marge Berntsen, Maryanne Straling, Ron Knoll, Natalie Vieira, PJ Carpenter, Vanessa Rojas, Patricia Burns.

### In Loving Memory of:

Maria Truong Le, Maria Thuc Nguyen, Kim and Jim Hartley, Peter Bui That Son, Louis Huynh Quang Hue, Maria Lê Thị Lâm, Geri Anne Nauta,

## Sunday Breakfast, and Fellowship



### PSJ Main Campus:

Join us Sundays after the 9:45am Mass at PSJ23 - Contact: Anthony Quintanilla - Grand Knight Council #15462

Island BINGO: Saturday June 27<sup>th</sup> after 4:30pm Mass Downstairs in the Parish Hall

### Viet - Sunday Foods

To purchase food, please come directly to the Parish Center or contact a team member:

- Mrs. Hùng: 253-394-8166/ Mrs. Uyên: 253-224-7726
- Mrs. Michelle: 253-327-9132

### SJOW Campus:

Coffee & Donut Sunday after 8:45 AM Mass and after 11:30 AM Mass

Visitation Campus: Coffee & Donut after 9:30 AM Sunday Mass



## Knights of Columbus®



## Office Closed

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed on Friday 3rd, in observance of the July 4th holiday weekend.

## No School Mass

There will be no School Masses during the summer break. School Masses will resume when classes begin again in the fall.

## Thank you for your time



# SUMMER FESTIVAL JULY 12

Help make our **Summer Festival** a joyful and successful celebration for our entire parish family. We are still seeking donations, sponsorships, and raffle items from individuals, families, and local businesses. Your generosity will help offset event costs and support parish family ministries.

If you would like to contribute or become a sponsor, please contact Thien Dinh at [thiendinh@psj23.org](mailto:thiendinh@psj23.org). Thank you for your support and partnership in building a vibrant parish community!

We need your donation for this Event. Thank you



Family Festival Activities



*May God Bless you*

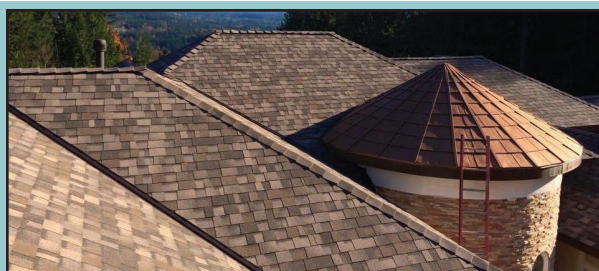


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Horace Gozon Friend, Jr., 91, of Tacoma, WA, passed away on October 1, 2022 from natural causes. He was predeceased by first spouse Aida, Christine & Catherine and is survived by spouse Teresita and children: Sandra, Geraldine, Horace III, Stella, Philip, Therese, Jeffrey, Charles & 13 grandchildren.

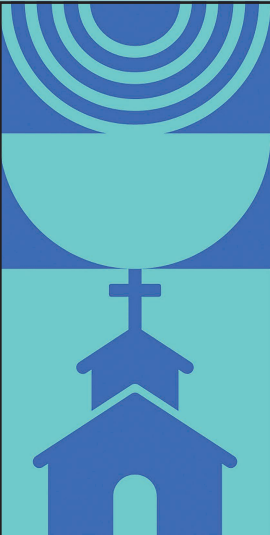
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