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JULY 12, 2026 | 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY MASS TIMES
& SATURDAY VIGIL MASSES

ST. JOSEPH
• Sequim •

Sunday | 11:00 AM
Sunday | 1:00 PM

QUEEN OF ANGELS
• Port Angeles •

Saturday | 5:00 PM
Sunday | 8:30 AM

ST. ANNE
• Forks •

Saturday | 6:00 PM (español)
Sunday | 8:30 AM

ST. THOMAS
MISSION
• Clallam Bay •

Sunday | 11:00 AM

ST. MARY
STAR OF THE SEA
• Port Townsend •

Saturday | 5:00 PM
Sunday | 8:30 AM (español)
Sunday | 11:00 AM

**Brothers and sisters:
I consider that the sufferings of
this present time are as nothing
compared with the glory to be
revealed for us.**

- Romans 8:18



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Liturgy Schedule

DAILY MASS	MON JULY 13	TUE JULY 14	WED JULY 15	THU JULY 16	FRI JULY 17	SAT JULY 18
ST. JOSEPH <i>Sequim</i>		11:00 AM	6:30 PM	6:30 PM		
QUEEN OF ANGELS <i>Port Angeles</i>	9:30 AM			9:30 AM	11:00 AM FUNERAL	
ST. ANNE <i>Forks</i>		6:30 PM (Spanish)	12:00 NOON	12:00 NOON		9:00 AM (1 st Saturday only)
ST. THOMAS <i>Clallam Bay</i>						
ST. MARY SS <i>Port Townsend</i>			5:30 PM	12:00 NOON	12:00 NOON (except 2 nd Fridays)	

CONFESSION	MON JULY 13	TUE JULY 14	WED JULY 15	THU JULY 16	FRI JULY 17	SAT JULY 18
ST. JOSEPH <i>Sequim</i>		10:00 AM	5:00 PM			
QUEEN OF ANGELS <i>Port Angeles</i>						3:00-4:30 PM
ST. ANNE <i>Forks</i>						4:30-5:00 PM
ST. THOMAS <i>Clallam Bay</i>						
ST. MARY SS <i>Port Townsend</i>			4:45-5:15 PM	11:15-11:45 AM	11:15-11:45 AM	3:30-4:30 PM

Mass Intentions JULY 13—JULY 19

MON	9:30 am	QA † Anthony Chiacchio
TUE	11:00 am	SJ † Peggy Staley
WED	6:30 pm	SJ † Pablo Flores
	5:30 pm	SM † Nancy Cuddebach
THU	9:30 am	QA Father's Discretion
—	12:00 am	SM † Paola Duran
	6:30 pm	SJ Lay Carmelites
FRI	11:00 am	QA † Dorothy Holman
	12:00 am	SM † the Mother of Aron Willians
SAT	5:00 pm	QA For the faculty and staff of our parishes and school SM For the faculty and staff of our parishes and school
SUN	8:30 am	QA, SM Olympic Peninsula Catholic parishioners
—	11:00 am	SJ, SM For those in our community called to the priesthood
	1:00 pm	SJ Pablo & Elsy Hernández



**Do you have a question
for the pastor?**

Please call 1-360-912-7339 x250
and leave a voicemail.



CARMELITE CORNER OF THE OLYMPICS HOLY EXAMPLE OF THE MONTH

Saint Titus Brandsma was born in 1881 in the Netherlands to committed Catholic farmers. Having taken advice on his vocation, he joined the Carmelite Order in 1898. A gifted scholar, Titus helped found the Catholic University at Nijmegen where he became a beloved Professor of Philosophy and Mysticism. He also, as Chaplain to the Union of Catholic Journalists, strongly opposed Nazi propaganda and anti-Semitism. His advocacy for press and religious freedom soon got the attention of the Nazis.



He was arrested and ended up in Dachau Concentration Camp where he was killed by lethal injection on July 26th, 1942. At his last moments, Titus gave his Rosary to the nurse administering his injection. When the nurse protested that she didn't know how to pray, he instructed her to simply repeat, "Pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death," assuring her that it would be enough. The encounter left a profound impact on her and she later left Nazism and returned to the Catholic faith.

Feast Day: July 27th

Words of wisdom: *"My deepest peace I find in Thee."* — St. Titus Brandsma, O.Carm

Has God called you to Carmel?

Please contact Janet Flatley at ascendcarmel@gmail.com

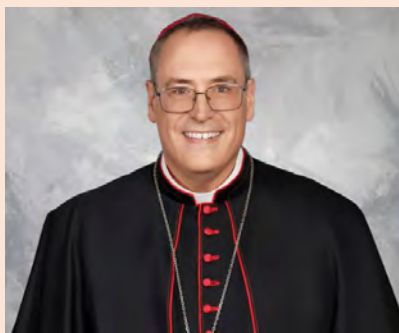
Parish Ministry Information

Please consider submitting a brief description, as well as contact information, for your ministry. When laying out the calendar, it is helpful for parishioners to know what each ministry is about. Please send submissions to the parish office at bulletin@clallamcatholic.org.

Welcome, Bishop Schuster!

Bishop Schuster will be joining us for Mass at **St. JOSEPH** on June 19th at both the 11:00 am and 1:00pm Masses.

Join us after the 11:00 am Mass for a social hour hosted by the Hispanic Community.



Sacramental Life

RETURNING CATHOLICS Have you been away from the Church for some time? Are you thinking about coming home? **Jesus waits for you** with arms open wide! Please contact the parish office for more info.

READY TO BECOME CATHOLIC? Whether you're just curious, or are ready to jump in and get started, please contact the parish office and we'll get you in touch with the right folks. **You are welcome here.**

ANOIDING OF THE SICK is a Sacrament administered by a priest to a Catholic "who, having reached the age of reason, **begins** to be in danger due to sickness or old age." Please call the parish office **as soon as possible.**

CHRISTIAN BAPTISM—whether of adults or infants—requires a time of reflection and preparation. Please call the parish office for info on how to get started. **Every journey begins with a single step!**

FUNERAL / CHRISTIAN BURIAL Jesus is with you in your time of loss. Please call office before setting a final date.

CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE **Six months' notice** is required, as well as **preparatory classes**, which are provided. Please contact the office before setting any firm dates.



WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?

- Father Jacob Maurer

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face;
I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

Cf. Ps 17 (16): 15

The Parable of the Sower of course invites us to examine what kind of soil we are - or if we are even on the path of the Lord. How terrible it would be to separate ourselves from Christ!

At times we fail to consider *why* our efforts fail to produce good fruits. We try and we try, but the Lord of course will not bless that which is apart from His will. I must confess that it often doesn't even occur to me to ask the Lord if I am on the wrong path myself!

'Lord, what is Your will?' is a prayer best



offered daily,
before all else -
and we can be
sure that
whatever He
desires will be
better than we

can imagine! Below is one such prayer we can offer to invite the Lord to guide us.

Morning Offering Prayer

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, for the salvation of souls, the reparation of sins, the reunion of all Christians, and in particular for the intentions of the Holy Father this month. Amen.

This Thursday, July 16, the Church celebrates the feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

In our communities (especially Port Townsend, Sequim, and Port Angeles), we have many members of the Order of Lay Carmelites - and we want to celebrate this day with special solemnity! We will have **an extra Mass at 6:30 pm this Thursday at Saint Joseph** - all are invited!



May we (re)dedicate ourselves to the intercession of Mary, our friend and mother, asking for her help and following her example of faithful discipleship.

One of the challenges of our time is the impact of divorce & remarriage in our communities. Many of us come from families broken by divorce and some of us have suffered divorce in our own marriages - at times in silence and without support.

If this is the case for you, I want to offer a special invitation: there is hope! Please give me - or one of the vicars - a call. While there will be work to be done, we are anxious to help you to receive healing and celebrate the sacrament of marriage!





¿POR QUÉ LOS CATÓLICOS HACEN ESO?

- Padre Jacob Maurer

Yo aparezco ante ti con la justicia,
y me saciaré mientras se manifestará tu gloria.

Cf. Ps 17 (16): 15

Por supuesto la parábola del sembrado no invita examinar que tipo de tierra somos - o si siquiera estamos en el camino del Señor. ¡Que horrible sería separarnos de Cristo!

A veces fallamos considerar *porque* nuestros esfuerzos no dieron fruto, en cambio, van mal. Intentamos y tratamos, pero el Señor no bendice lo que es aparte de Su voluntad. ¡Tengo que confesar que no se me ocurre preguntarle al Señor si tal vez estoy en el camino equivocado!



'¿Señor, que es *Tu* voluntad?' es una oración bien ofrecida diariamente, antes de todo - ¡y

podemos estar seguro de que lo que Él quiere será mejor que cualquier podamos imaginar! Abajo es un oración que se puede usar para invitar al Señor guiarnos.

Oración de la Mañana

Oh, Jesús, a través del Inmaculado Corazón de María, te ofrezco mis oraciones, trabajo, alegrías, sufrimientos de este día, en unión al Santo Sacrificio de la Misa para el mundo. Te los ofrezco por los méritos de tu Sagrado Corazón: la salvación de las almas, enmienda de los pecados, la reunión de todos los cristianos; te los ofrezco por nuestros obispos y por los Apóstoles de la oración y de manera particular por aquellos que el Santo Padre escogió durante este mes. Amén.

El jueves (16 julio), la Iglesia celebra la fiesta de la Bienaventurada Virgen María del Carmen. En nuestras comunidades (especialmente de Port Townsend, Sequim, y Port Angeles), tenemos miembros del Orden de los Carmelitas Seglares, ¡quienes celebran este día con solemnidad especial! Tendremos una misa extra el jueves a las 6:30 pm en San José - ¡todos están invitados!



Que nosotros nos dedicamos a la intercesión de María, nuestra amiga y madre, pidiendo su ayuda y siguiendo su ejemplo de discipulado.

Unos de las dificultades de nuestra edad es el efecto de divorcio y nuevo matrimonio en nuestras comunidades. Muchos de nosotros vienen de familias desintegradas por el divorcio, y algunos de nosotros han sufrido divorcio en nuestros propios matrimonios - a menudo en silencio y sin apoyo.

Quiero ofrecer una invitación a todos que no son casado por la Iglesia: ¡Hay esperanza! Por favor, ¡llámame! (o llama unos de nosotros sacerdotes). Si, hay trabajo por hacer, pero estamos ansiosos por ayudarte recibir sanación y celebrar el sacramento de matrimonio.



PARISH OFFICE

ST. JOSEPH

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OFFICE HOURS

MON	9:00 am – 2:00 pm
TUE	9:00 am – 2:00 pm
WED	9:00 am – 2:00 pm
THU	9:00 am – 2:00 pm
FRI	9:00 am – 2:00 pm

St. Joseph Church is open during office hours.

Devotions

TUE Adoration | 6:00-7:00 pm

FRI Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy | 2:30 pm

Misa en español

Spanish Masses at **St. Joseph** are at **11:00am** on the **3rd Sunday** of each month.

*Las misas en español en **San José** son a las **11:00 a.m.** el tercer domingo de cada mes.*

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL,
SEQUIM

Emergency Assistance
(360) 683-2112

If you or someone you know needs emergency assistance, please call!

This Week

SUNDAY, JULY 12
SOCIAL HOUR | **NO COFFEE HOUR** After **11:00 AM** MASS

MONDAY
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CONFERENCE MEETING | Parish Hall **9:30 AM**

WEDNESDAY
WSJ HEARTS 'N HANDS SEWING & CRAFTS | Parish Hall **10:00 AM**

THURSDAY
WOMENS PRAYER GROUP | Parish Hall **1:00 PM**

SUNDAY, JULY 19
SOCIAL HOUR | *Hispanic Community* After **11:00 AM** MASS

Sacristans Needed for St. Joseph Parish

Have you ever considered serving the Lord in a special way behind the scenes at Mass? **St. Joseph Parish** is seeking faithful volunteers to serve as Sacristans, assisting in the preparation and care of the sacred vessels, liturgical books, vestments, and sanctuary before and after Mass.

The ministry of the sacristan is a vital service that helps ensure our liturgies are celebrated with reverence, dignity, and attention to detail. Training will be provided for all new volunteers.

If you are prayerful, dependable, and interested in supporting the worship life of our parish, we invite you to consider this rewarding ministry.

If you are interested, please contact Cristina Hernández, Volunteer Coordinator, at vc@clallamcatholic.org or calling the St. Joseph's parish office at 360-683-6076.

Lector Co-Coordiators Needed!

Our Central Region parishes are seeking two Lector Co-Coordiators—one for **St. Joseph Parish** and one for **QUEEN OF ANGELS PARISH**—to serve the ministry of proclaiming God's Word. This role fosters the reverent proclamation of Sacred Scripture at Mass through the coordination, formation, and support of our lectors.

Co-Coordiators will assist with scheduling, onboarding, and communication, helping ensure that each liturgy is prayerfully prepared and the Word is proclaimed with clarity and devotion

If you feel called to help foster a deeper love for the Word of God within the parish community, please contact Cristina Hernández, Volunteer Coordinator at vc@clallamcatholic.org.

SUNDAY, JULY 12.....
SOCIAL HOUR | *Knights of Columbus*After **8:30 AM**

TUESDAY.....
ST. PHILIP NERI FELLOWSHIP COMMUNITY NIGHT | *St. Anne Room*.....**6:00 PM**

THURSDAY
WOMENS PRAYER GROUP | *St. Mary Room* **1:00 PM**

FRIDAY
FELLOWSHIP BIBLE STUDY | *St. Benedict Room***10:15 AM**

SUNDAY, JULY 19.....
SOCIAL HOUR | *Filipino Community*.....After **8:30 AM** MASS

Faithful Departed - Funeral on Friday, July 17

QUEEN OF ANGELS We bid a fond farewell and godspeed to our beloved parishioner and friend.

Eternal light grant unto her, Lord, and may she rest in Your peace.

† **Dorothy Holman**

QA | **Rosary 10:30 am** | **Funeral 11:00 am** | **Reception to follow**

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WED	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
THU	9:00 am – 3:30 pm
FRI	9:00 am – 3:30 pm

Queen of Angels Church is open during office hours.

Devotions

FRI **Rosary & Chaplet of Divine Mercy** | **2:30 pm**

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FLORAL DONATIONS

Looking for a way to participate in the beautification of our church?

Our floral team would love donations of flowers for our altar arrangements.

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PARISH OFFICE**ST. ANNE**

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sast@clallamcatholic.orgAppointments available Tuesday
through Friday. Please call the**OFFICE HOURS****WED** 10:00 am – 2:00 pm**THU** 10:00 am – 2:00 pm**ST. THOMAS MISSION**

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[No office hours at this location.]

This Week**SUNDAY, JULY 12.....****ST | SOCIAL HOUR |**After **11:00 AM** Mass**SUNDAY, JULY 19****ST | SOCIAL HOUR |**After **11:00 AM** Mass***Devotions*****SA | TUE** Adoration | 7:00 pm
(Spanish)**SA | WED** Adoration | after Mass**SA | THU** Adoration | 6:45 am - 7:45 am**CONGRATULATIONS!**

We offer our prayers
and best wishes to
Mr. Bernie Balsis and
his beautiful bride,
Mrs. Julia Balsis!

A packed **St. Thomas Mission** in Clallam Bay shared in their joy and the couple enjoyed a mutual “kick” as they shared their kiss!

This Week

SUNDAY, JULY 12
NO SOCIAL HOUR | Parish Hall AFTER **8:30 AM** MASS

WEDNESDAY
BIBLE STUDY | Parish Hall AFTER **5:30 PM** MASS

SUNDAY, JULY 19
NO SOCIAL HOUR | AFTER **8:30 AM** MASS

INTERESTED IN A PARISH MEN'S GROUP?

We would like to thank those who attended our men's meeting discussion group for their input on June 28!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CATECHISTS NEEDED!

Please consider whether God is calling you to help us with Religious Education for the 2026/2027 school year. We currently need lead catechists for teaching the Confirmation prep class, the Beloved (ages 4-6 years old) class, and the 1st Communion prep class under the list of lead catechists needed. We're trying to get two catechists per class so we can share the load. We could also use co-catechists for several other age groups and aides as well. Please contact the office or email lsabo@opcatholic.org if you are interested.

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WED	10:00 am – 4:00 pm
THU	10:00 am – 4:00 pm
FRI	10:00 am – 4:00 pm

CHURCH HOURS

MON	10:00 am – 4:00 pm
TUE	10:00 am – 4:00 pm
WED	10:00 am – 5:30 pm
THU	10:00 am – 4:00 pm
FRI	10:00 am – 8:00 pm

Devotions

FRI Adoration | 12 noon- 7:30 pm
Divine Mercy Chaplet | 3:00 pm
Hispanic Prayer Group | 6pm-9pm

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