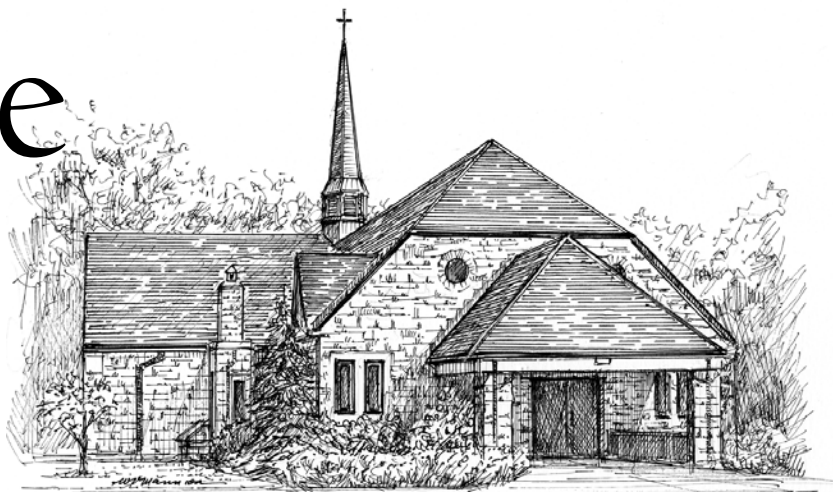


CHURCH OF
St. Jerome

380 E. Roselawn Avenue
 Maplewood, MN 55117



Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 PM
 Sunday 8:30 and 10:30 AM

Weekday Masses

Mon. thru Fri..... 7:15 AM
 Wed. (Sep.-May) All School 9:45 AM
 Saturday 8:00 AM
 Holy Days 7:15 AM & 5:30 PM

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday 5:00 AM to Friday 8:00 PM

Baptisms By appointment

Sacrament of Reconciliation *by appointment* or
 Saturday 3:30 to 4:00 PM

Marriage (*available to parishioners of 6 months or greater*). Arrangements must be made at least 9 months before proposed marriage date.

Anointing of the Sick, as announced/requested

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Pastoral Staff

Fr. Cletus BaskelaPastor

Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb..... Parish Secretary

Music

Mary Beth HessMusic Director

Faith Formation

Shelly BerthiaumeReligious Ed Coordinator
 Monica Broz Confirmation
 Geralyn BroderickSunday School

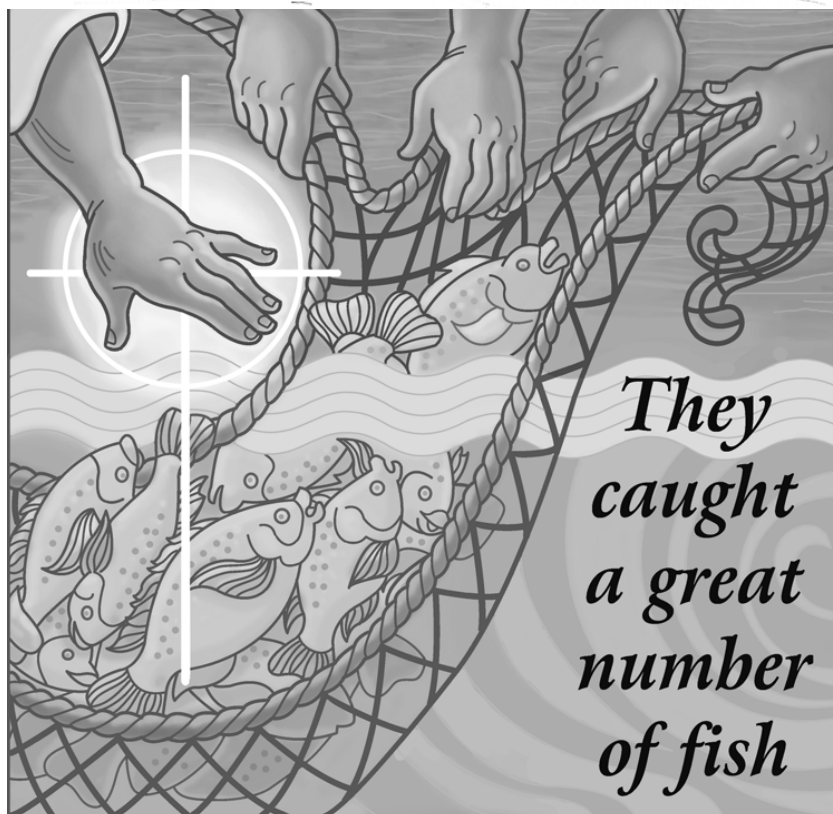
School

Anne Gattman..... Principal
 Nancy McGraw..... School Secretary
 Elizabeth Tollefson School Secretary

Maintenance

Bob Hoisington.....Supervisor

Victim Assistance Hotline.....651-291-4475



**Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying,
 “Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?”
 “Here I am, “I said, “send me!”
 — Isaiah 6:8**





NEW ENERGIES

It would be an amazing thing if our will and wishes would always be supported by a body which is fit and a brain functioning and running at full speed at any age; moreover diocesan policies don't always leave you the last word.

This coming July I will have spent twelve years of ministry at St. Jerome and so reaching the end of my two six-year terms. In agreement with the Most Reverend Bernard Hebda, our Archbishop, I will be then stepping down as Parochial Administrator and start a new journey as a retired priest of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis, although a priest never completely retires.

Not only did I enjoy all these years spent in your midst, I also continue to consider my priesthood as a precious gift from God to His Church through an unworthy servant like me. I will leave with a heart full of gratitude to the many of you who have appreciated and supported my ministry.

I am sure that a new and younger pastor will bring so much difference and so much energy to St. Jerome community and I am happy to know that the Archdiocese is already in search for my replacement. I wish long life to St. Jerome community

Fr. Cletus

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Dear St. Jerome Parish,
We're back at it after winter dealt us a frigid blow resulting in 4 days off! Luckily, that does not happen too often. We dig in and get a lot of learning done in the next few months. We also have special field trips. One was our 5th grade heading off to Starbase. They were able to experience virtual reality, experiments with energy and other science in action activities. Here are a few of our 5th graders:



Let's keep building our school!
Winter Blast Open House: RESCHEDULED for Tuesday, February 19 (due to the cold weather school closures)
Pizza, soft serve ice cream sundaes, and fun activities in classrooms. This is an opportunity to introduce new families to St. Jerome. Please spread the word among your families, neighbors and friends. Let's continue to grow our school!



Candy bars are for sale beginning last Thursday. Watch for our SJS Lions after church ready to sell you just the right thing for your sweet tooth.

February's VIRTUE of the MONTH is *cheerfulness*! Help us spread cheer around our SJ community.

**Party with a Purpose:
Portraits of St. Jerome School
Saturday, April 27**

Please consider **donating something for the Silent Auction** or **money to cover the costs** of the event.

Please join us for a fun and meaningful evening.



If we can raise \$20,000, the Catholic Schools Center of Excellence (CSCOE) will match it! Mark your calendars for an important evening supporting our mighty and wonderful school.

Gratefully,
Anne Gattman
Principal



FR. LUDESCHER LAMP
will burn this week in prayer for
Warren Rinehart



WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF ST. JEROME

The Church of St. Jerome would like to welcome all visitors and anyone who has recently moved into our community. We invite you to become members of our parish. If you are interested in joining our parish or have any questions, please contact the parish office at 771-1209.

WANTED: ADULTS to be ALTAR SERVERS

Adults: please consider becoming an adult altar server. We are looking for adults (men & women) to serve during the weekend 8:30 am Mass, as well as the morning 7:15 am weekday masses. We will train you. If you have any questions about this ministry, please contact Yvonne Clintsman at 651-771-3387 or email yclintsman@gmail.com.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's liturgy if offered during the 10:30 mass. All children Kindergarten thru 4th grade are encouraged to attend.

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR PRE-SCHOOLERS

Sunday school for preschoolers is offered in the school, in Kids Korner. All preschoolers who are toilet trained to Kindergarten are encouraged to attend. Drop your kids off before mass and pick them up immediately after. Cost is \$30 for the year.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

The hours needing permanent adorers are Wed. 2 p.m. and 11 p.m., Thursday 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. and Friday 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. If you can help, please call Lorraine at 772-2997.



EUCHARIST CDs

"HIDDEN TREASURES of the Eucharist can be discovered while listening to the CD "Seven Secrets of the Eucharist". Copies of this FREE CD are at both of the church entrances. Listen to this CD two or three times to help you understand at a deeper level the gift of Jesus present every time you receive Him in Holy Communion. If there are no CDs left for you, call the parish office."

CATHOLIC WATCHMEN RALLY

Tuesday, February 12, 6:30 - 9 p.m., Church of St. Henry, Monticello

Men are invited to the Catholic Watchmen Rally. The evening includes adoration, confession, dinner and talk. International Speaker Matt Fradd's presentation is titled "The Man Talk." Register at TheCatholicWatchmen.com. A free-will offering will be collected. Questions? Contact Enzo Randazzo at randazzo@archspm.org or 651-291-4483.



CHARISMATIC RENEWAL CONFERENCE

Come! to The Twin Cities Catholic Charismatic Renewal Winter Teaching Conference - *Anchored in Unshakable Hope* - with Bishop Cozzens as the opening speaker. Come to the *Life in The Spirit Seminar for more of the Holy Spirit*, and attend several teachings and testimonies regarding clinging to Hope being poured into us by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Saturday, February 23, 8:30am-4:30pm, Church of the Epiphany, Coon Rapids, MN 55433. Pre-registration with lunch: \$40/ At the door: \$50/ Students, Religious, those over 70: \$20/ Over 80: \$5

For more information or to register, visit the website: www.ccro-msp.org or call 763-571-5314.



FOREVER 55 VALENTINES DAY LUNCH- Feb. 14, Noon

Join us on Valentine's day for lunch. Orange chicken and rice. Please call the parish office to RSVP



St. Jerome's Fish Fry "kick-off" meeting will be today, Sunday, Feb. 10th after the 10:30 am Mass.

The meeting will begin approximately at 11:45 with a meal to follow. Pasta with red sauce and beverages will be provided. Please bring a salad or dessert to share. A lot of volunteers will be needed to make this a success and your input is encouraged, please step up and join us.

MARRIAGE RETREAT : Feb. 16-17

Give the Valentine gift that keeps giving for generations to come! Plan to attend the February 16-17 Marriage Encounter to discover a new and deeper love for each other. Weekends are held at Mt Olivet Conference and Retreat Center in Farmington. Visit www.marriages.org for additional information or call 651.454.3238.



PARISH PICTURE DIRECTORY

Can you believe it? It has been 5 years since our last picture directory. Its time for a new one. Mark your calendar for May 7 - 11 for pictures. More information will be coming.



We need a person to layout the "extra" picture pages in the directory. We have the pictures, you just need to design the pages. You will need a computer. Please call the parish office if you can help.

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY - Feb. 10



Were you married outside the Catholic church? Would you like to receive the sacrament of Matrimony from the Catholic church. Couples may seek to have their union officially recognized by the Church. In technical Church terms, this is known as *convalidation* of a marriage. This is a fairly simple process, but you need to be a registered member of the parish to begin. Please call the parish office if interested.

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR
Feb. 11-17

Monday	6:30pm	Self Defense
Tuesday	7:00pm	Home and School
Wednesday	6:00pm	Confirmation
	6:00pm	Choir
	6:30pm	Religious Education
	7:15pm	Handbell choir
Thursday		<i>Valentine's Day</i>
	12:00pm	Forever 55 lunch
	7:00pm	Parish Council meeting
Friday		
Saturday		
Sunday		<i>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	7:15am	
Tuesday	7:15am	Rinehart Family
Wednesday	7:15am	Al Nieters
	9:45am	
Thursday	7:15am	Dick Schreier
Friday	7:15am	Ronald Valento
Saturday	8:00am	Lucy & Martin Rinehart
	4:30pm	Dorothy & Achille Pirri & Dick Peiffer
Sunday	8:30am	Members of the Parish
	10:30am	Jim Fitzgerald

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Gn 1:1-19; Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c; Mk 6:53-56
Tuesday:	Gn 1:20 — 2:4a; Ps 8:4-9; Mk 7:1-13
Wednesday:	Gn 2:4b-9, 15-17; Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mk 7:14-23
Thursday:	Gn 2:18-25; Ps 128:1-5; Mk 7:24-30
Friday:	Gn 3:1-8; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 7:31-37
Saturday:	Gn 3:9-24; Ps 90:2-4abc, 5-6, 12-13; Mk 8:1-10
Sunday:	Jer 17:5-8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26



Phyllis Arnold, Jacqueline Benjamin, Spencer Cardinal, Alden Clintsman, Sue Connolly, Sara Cook, Marilyn Cunningham, Cathy Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Al Galbraith, Salvatrice Gambino, David Hendricks, Clarice Holthaus, Kevin Jones, Eugene Kaufhold, Lily Kehler, Robert & Mary Klutzke, Marvella Lackner, Steve Lauinger, Mary Laumeyer, Irene Ling, RoseMarie Manders, Dorothy Mayer, Toy McGee, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, Edward Lunzer, Minnie McMonigal, Judy Morrison, Nolan Mullaney, Graham Murphy, Greg Negard, Lorraine Pojar, Shannon Presler, Patrick Roth, Dany Rothbauer, Rosa Santos, David Schluender, Michelle Schoenecker, Donald Seiberlich Jr., Gene Skok, Mike Spangenberg, Ava Swift, Tony Swift, George Valento, Nancy Valento, Evelyn Virnig, Greg Votel, Betty Waschbusch, Theresa Wilkes, Delores Witschen, Gene and Laura Woehrle, Kevin Yackel, Lorraine Youngbauer

LITURGICAL ROLES Feb. 11-17

Schedules can also be found at
www.stjerome-church.org (calendars/schedules)

SERVERS:

Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat Adult servers
Tues., Thurs, M. Holzemer & M. Revering
Sat. 4:30 pm O. Olberding & M. Holzemer
Sun. 8:30 am O. Smith & M. Cook
 10:30 am Kim Zorobi & N. Anyanwu

CANDLE BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm M. Kinning
Sun. 8:30 am S. Cook
 10:30 am M. Revering & Kevin Zorobi

CROSS BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm W. Holzemer
Sun. 8:30 am
 10:30 am C. Zorobi

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm J. Zielinski, S. Rooney, M. Ponsolle
Sun. 8:30 am J. Dickson, t. Bertsch, G. Votel
 10:30 am C. & D. Schluender, T. Zappa

LECTORS:

Sat. 4:30 pm C. Pirri
Sun. 8:30 am S. Cardinal
 10:30 am T. Zappa

SCRIP SELLERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm L. Sherman, S. Heintz
Sun 8:30 am B. Murphy, L. Blomgren
 10:30 am J. Schroeder



**Contributions for the week of
February 3, 2018**

Weekly Contribution: \$6161.35

Please consider adding the Church of St. Jerome to your will.

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Paul and Minneapolis Area (CSAF) works as Christ's hands and feet throughout the 12-county area. An independent non-profit organization, CSAF partners with 20 varied outreach ministries, thousands of individual donors, and over 185 Catholic parishes to serve the poor, support life, and strengthen the Catholic faith. We invite you to learn more about each of the vital ministries supported by the Foundation, and to join us in transforming lives through the Gospel! Visit www.csafspm.org to learn more, and please prayerfully consider how you might give back via the CSAF.

SCRIP—GIFT CARDS

Scrip (gift cards) are sold after all the weekend masses in Ludescher Hall. We have gift cards for all your shopping needs, especially gas and grocery cards.

Please support the school.