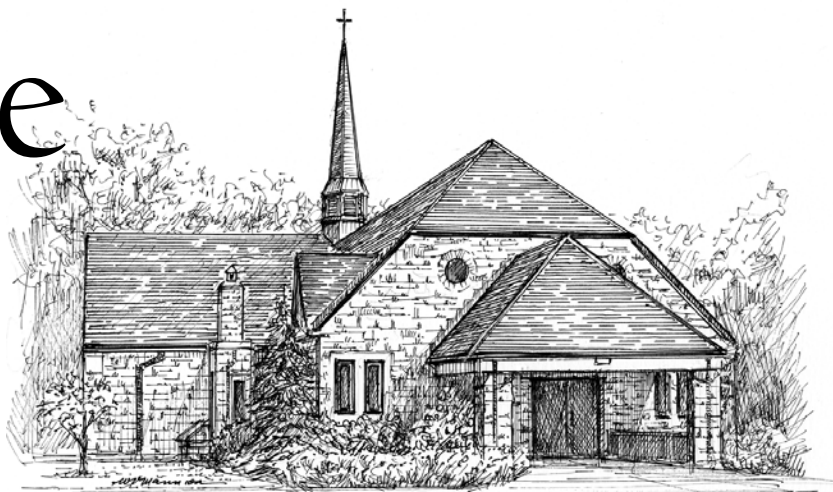


CHURCH OF
St. Jerome

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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 Elizabeth Tollefson School Secretary

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Bob Hoisington Supervisor

Victim Assistance Hotline 651-291-4475



Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem!
Your light has come,
the glory of the Lord shines upon you.
 — Isaiah 60:1





KING OF ALL NATIONS

God's revelation to the world started with the people of Israel and continued with their patriarchs, priests and prophets till the time Jesus was born. Reflecting on the Sacred Scriptures, you discover that the choice of Israel was never meant as exclusion of others, there are always claims and statements suggesting that Sion is a mother with sons and daughters all over the world.

All nations are made by God and they will come to bow before God and give honor to His name (PS. 86:9); from Babylon, Egypt, Philistia, Ethiopia, Tyre. . . I count those who acknowledge the Lord (PS. 87:4).

There are also some striking moments in Jesus' life and in Apostles' ministry highlighting the unity of all nations in God: Epiphany; the Good Samaritan; the 10 lepers; Pentecost; Paul's conversion and ministry; Cornelius' conversion; the baptism of the Ethiopian by Philip. . .

Epiphany is a reminder that we are all members of one family, God's family; we are all coheirs to the promises made to Abraham and his descendants and we are also expected to bring the Lord our gold, our frankincense and myrrh.

Fr. Cletus

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22 — 4:6; Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a;
Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18; Ps 72: 1-2, 10, 12-13;
Mk 6:45-52

Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19 — 5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15bc, 17;
Lk 4:14-22a

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 5:12-16

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 3:22-30

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 29:1-4,
3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-4, 24-25, 27-30;
Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7;
Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Dear St. Jerome Parish,

Over here at the school we turn our focus to 2019 and even begin planning for the next school year. This is the time when parents begin thinking about schools for their little ones. If you have neighbors, grandchildren, or friends with school age children, please send them our way. St. Jerome School is a faith-filled, excellent education for all children. You know this already, but please help us spread the word.



We celebrate Catholic Schools Week January 22-27. We hope to celebrate with you, our parishioners, on Sunday, January 27 at the 10:30am mass. The pancake breakfast is back! We'd love to host you in our school gym following the 10:30 mass.

Gratefully,
Anne Gattman
Principal



January 22-27, 2019



MISSION TRIP 2019
Duluth MN
July 28-Aug. 2

This year the Mission Trip is going to Duluth through Youthworks. It is open to 6-12th graders. A deposit of \$100 is needed by Jan. 23rd to hold your spot. Contact Monica Broz for more information.
mbroz@stjermeschool.org



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.



NET Lifeline Mass with Archbishop Hebda & Father David Blume

Vocations Focus – “The Call of a Lifetime”
Saturday, February 2, 6-9 p.m. at NET Ministries
110 Crusader Ave. W., West St. Paul



For 8- 12th graders in Minnesota! NET Ministries celebrates Net Lifeline with a focus on Vocations. Archbishop Hebda will celebrate the Lifeline Mass. Doors open at 5:15 p.m. Father David Blume, Director of Vocations will team up with great priests, dynamic sisters and brothers and seminarians who are specially called to be witnesses of hope to a world in desperate need of the Good News! It's a Call of a Lifetime! Save the date. Bring a friend. Expect great things. The event will conclude at 9:30 p.m.

RCIA

INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic? You may want to consider the RCIA process (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). The RCIA process is for any adult who wishes to become a fully initiated member of the Catholic Church. Classes start in September and end at Easter.

Please call the parish office to register.

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY



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. Please call the parish office if interested.



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.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

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



CHURCH LIBRARY

'Tis the season to watch some good Christmas videos. Downstairs, in our church library, there are dozens of wonderful Christmas videos. There are tapes for grown-ups, big kids and even little, little kids. They are excellent and You will enjoy them. Check one out.

RETREAT FOR MEN

Our “Be Patient in Affliction” silent weekend retreat for men will be held at Christ the King Retreat Center in Buffalo, Mn on January 11-13, 2019. The retreat begins on Friday Jan. 11 at 8:00pm and concludes on Sunday Jan. 13 at 12:45pm. It will be presented by the preaching team of Christ the King retreat Center. The suggested offering for this retreat is \$160 per person. For all high school and post-secondary students, the suggested offering is \$100 per person. Both suggested offering include a non-refundable deposit of \$30 to reserve a room. Join us for a peaceful, prayerful and affordable experience. Please call (763) 682-1394 for a registration form and more information. www.kingshouse.com or lpolman@kingshouse.com

ANNUAL PRAYER SERVICE FOR LIFE

Please join us at the Cathedral of Saint Paul, Tuesday, January 22, 10:30 a.m. for the Annual Prayer Service for Life, followed by MCCL's March for Life at the State Capitol. This prayer service commemorates the millions of lives lost to abortion and the many women and men wounded by abortion's aftermath. All are invited and welcome. Please consider carpooling or utilizing buses as parking and street access are limited. For more information, please contact the Office for Marriage, Family & Life at 651-291-4488.



FR. LUDESCHER LAMP
 will burn this week in prayer for
James Fitzgerald

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR
Jan. 7-13

Monday		
Tuesday	7:00pm	Home and School
	7:00pm	Men's club meeting
Wednesday	6:00pm	Choir
	6:00pm	Confirmation
	6:30pm	Religious Education
	6:30pm	Handbell choir
Thursday	7:00pm	Parish council
	7:00pm	School Advisory
Friday	6:00pm	Pine Wood Derby
Saturday	11:00am	Pine Wood Derby
Sunday		<i>Baptism of the Lord</i>

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	7:15am	Fr. Tom Vaughan
Tuesday	7:15am	
Wednesday	7:15am	Elaina Nevue
	9:45am	Louise Schroeder
Thursday	7:15am	Ronald Valento
Friday	7:15am	Peter Gaertner
Saturday	8:00am	Danny Wallner
	4:30pm	Cecilia Gresback
Sunday	8:30am	Members of the Parish
	10:30am	John Phillippi

PARISH OFFICE Volunteers needed



The parish office is in need of a few people who can help with answering the phone, sorting the mail, copying and other office tasks. Computer skills are helpful but not required. Hours would be from 9 to 1, 1 or 2 days a week. Please call the parish office if interested. 771-1209

St. Agnes High School Open House—Jan. 8 6:30

Please visit www.SaintAgnesSchool.org for more information.



Phyllis Arnold, Jacqueline Benjamin, Spencer Cardinal, Alden Clintsman, Sue Connolly, Sara Cook, Marilyn Cunningham, Cathy Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Tom 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, Danny 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 Jan. 7—13

Schedules can also be found at
[www.stjerome-church.org \(calendars/schedules\)](http://www.stjerome-church.org/calendars/schedules)

SERVERS:

Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat Adult servers
Tues., Thurs, B. Akoh & R. Sutton
Sat. 4:30 pm P. Bonghan & R. Sutton
Sun. 8:30 am Josh Knauss & J. Weakley
 10:30 am E. Akoh & Mi. Heurung

CANDLE BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm A. Wilhelm & J. Knauss
Sun. 8:30 am Ch. Bergthold
 10:30 am B. Akoh & W. Heurung

CROSS BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm
Sun. 8:30 am
 10:30 am J. Akoh

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm M. Ponsolle, K. & S. Yackel
Sun. 8:30 am Y. Clintsman, N. Valento, M. Simone
 10:30 am T. Petersen, C. Anyanwu, J. Lamb

LECTORS:

Sat. 4:30 pm S. Maldonado
Sun. 8:30 am S. Cardinal
 10:30 am R. Klutzke

SCRIP SELLERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm
Sun 8:30 am D. Burns
 10:30 am A. Twaroski

CONTRIBUTE ELECTRONICALLY!

You are strongly encouraged to make use of our automatic withdrawal option to make it easier to continually support St Jerome. It is safe, convenient, and reliable way of making your stewardship contributions. Only the amount you authorize will be deducted once a month on the 15th. Contact the parish office for a form.

What kind of legacy will you leave?

A bequest is perhaps the easiest and most tangible way to leave a lasting legacy to the people and charitable organizations that mean the most to us. A bequest is a gift made through your will or trust.

There are several ways to make a bequest:

- Specific dollar amount
- Percentage of your estate
- Specific asset
- Residue of your estate

SCRIP—shopping after Christmas deals?

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

Please support the school.

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Where Creativity Happens



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That's more like it.

