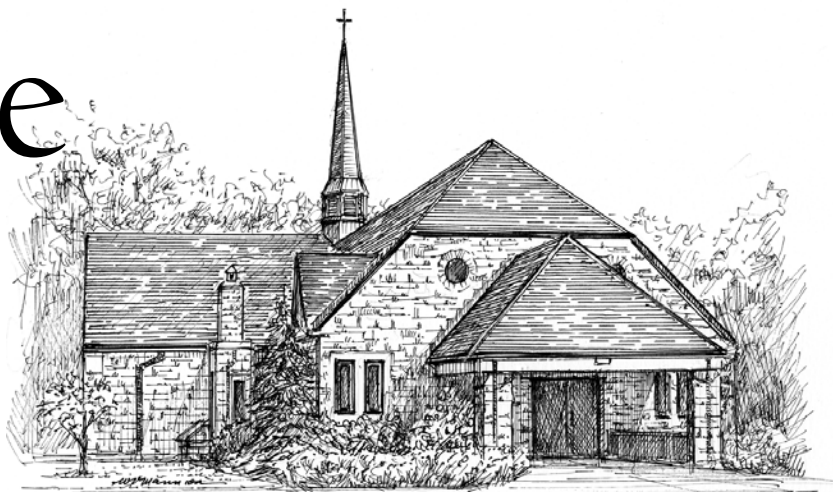


CHURCH OF
St. Jerome

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 Baskela Pastor

Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb Parish Secretary

Music

Mary Beth Hess Music Director

Faith Formation

Shelly Berthiaume Religious Ed Coordinator
 Monica Broz Confirmation
 Geralyn Broderick Sunday School

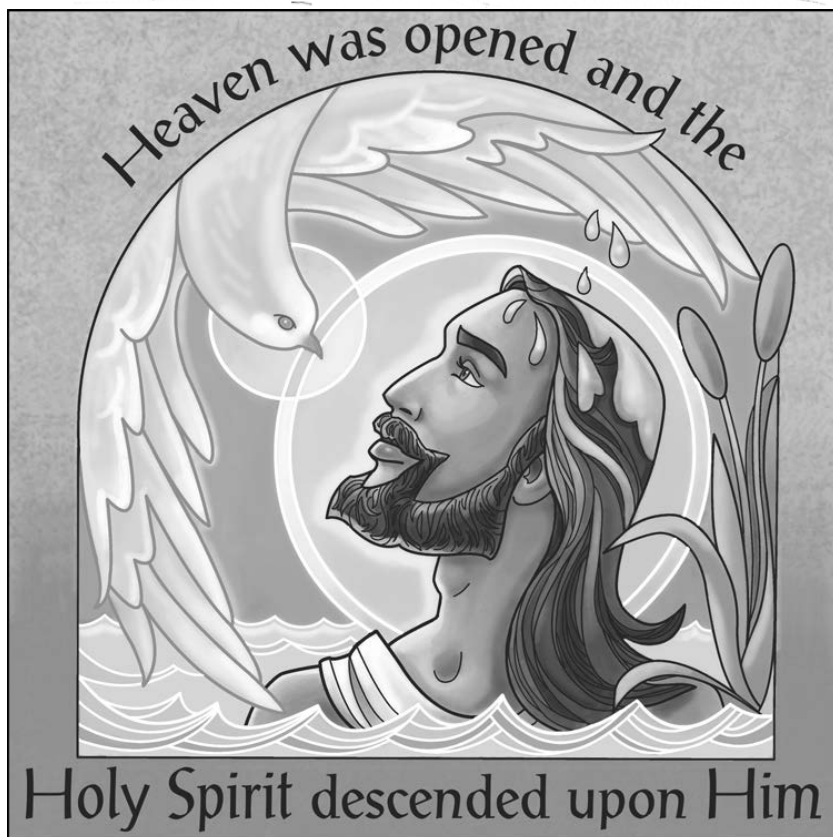
School

Anne Gattman Principal
 Nancy McGraw School Secretary
 Elizabeth Tollefson School Secretary

Maintenance

Bob Hoisington Supervisor

Victim Assistance Hotline 651-291-4475



**He saved us through the bath of rebirth
 and renewal by the Holy Spirit.**

— *Titus 3:5*





ANOTHER EPIPHANY

For all of us, baptism has always been the starting point of our journey as Jesus' disciples, baptism is even symbolically repeated at the end of this journey on earth when the casket or the urn is sprinkled with holy water and covered with a white pall.

The revelation of Jesus Christ today comes together with His baptism. Jesus, even without any sin and despite the fact that John is baptizing only with water, takes the initiative of submitting Himself to the ceremony in the Jordan river as a way of highlighting the importance of this rebirth. It is just when He is baptized that heaven is opened and that the Holy Spirit in the form of a dove descends upon Him and that a special voice introduces Him as the Beloved Son of God.

All this happens only because of God's love and mercy for His people: God always puts the best He has at the service of His people; God is even requesting everybody to comfort His people and speak tenderly to Jerusalem, trying to convince all listeners that a new life has started for them, that the grace of God has appeared in Jesus Christ and that they have a Shepherd caring for them.

Fr. Cletus



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1, 2b, 6, 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20
- Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:21-28
- Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Mk 1:29-39
- Thursday: Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-11; Mk 1:40-45
- Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4bc, 6c-8; Mk 2:1-12
- Saturday: Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 2:13-17
- Sunday: Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-3, 7-10; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Dear St. Jerome Parish,

Our 7th grade started the new year by following a sacred Epiphany tradition asking for our Lord's blessing upon their classroom. They wrote the following above their door:

+ 20 C M B 19 +
this stands for, in Latin,
Christus mansionem benedicat
and in English:
"May Christ Bless this House"

I hope to gather our students to pray for this blessing upon our school also. I pray your new year is off to a good start and that the peace and joy of Christmas will be with you well into 2019.

Upcoming for our school:

Catholic Schools Week is January 22-25. We'll be tying fleece blankets. If you would like to donate fleece to this project, we'll happily accept. Please drop it off at school or in the back of church.

St. Jerome School Mass and Pancake Breakfast

We hope you'll join school families for the 10:30 mass on January 27, followed by a pancake breakfast in the school gym. It's a small way for us to say "thank you" for your support of our school.



Winter Blast Open House: Tuesday, January 29, 5-7pm. 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!

Gratefully,
Anne Gattman
Principal



**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.

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.

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.

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.



THANK YOU!

The family of Tom Duellman would like to thank all those who took part in Tom's funeral, especially Fr. Cletus and Fr. Ken, the altar servers, the ushers, the Eucharistic Ministers, the musicians, the lunch servers, and the maintenance crew. Thank you for celebrating with us.
The Duellman family

WOMEN UNITE— your faith journey

Join us for a fun night as we launch our non-profit, Your Faith Journey! You will learn more about what we are doing, where we are going in 2019 and how we can, when we give collectively, make a huge impact on our local communities! Uniting together we can make a difference! We live in a world where we are more "connected" than ever, but finding ourselves feeling isolated and not having authentic conversations. Our mission is to bring women together through workshops, webinars, dive deeper retreats, coffee talks, and women do lunches by connecting local groups and ministries that have awesome and exciting things to connect us. We want to help you discover your passion and live it out. This is YOUR faith journey!

January 19, 2019, 6 - 9 pm

Mounds View High School, Arden Hills, MN 55112
 Register online: yourfaithjourney.org/womenunite



POINSETTIA

Please take a poinsettia home with you after the 10:30 Mass on Sunday.

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.

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR
Jan. 14-20

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday 6:00pm **Choir**
 6:00pm **Confirmation**
 6:30pm **Religious Education**
 6:30pm **Handbell choir**
Thursday 7:00pm **Finance meeting**
Friday
Saturday
Sunday *2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

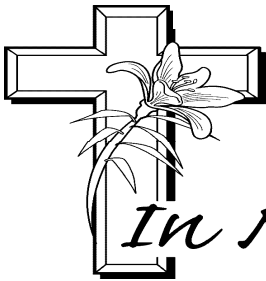
MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 7:15am
Tuesday 7:15am **Elaina Nevue**
Wednesday 7:15am
 9:45am
Thursday 7:15am **Paula Cusick**
Friday 7:15am **Cecilia Gresback**
Saturday 8:00am
 4:30pm **Jim Fitzgerald**
Sunday 8:30am **Members of the Parish**
 10:30am **Pat Hermes**

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.



*We ask your prayers for the
repose of the soul of
Tom Duellman
and for the consolation
of his family.*

In Memoriam



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 Jan. 14-20

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

SERVERS:

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

CANDLE BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm M. Holzemer & 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 Christina Zorobi

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm S. Rooney, I. Schreier, R. Schreier
Sun. 8:30 am G. Votel, M. Schuh, T. Schoenecker
10:30 am R. Klutzke, C. & D. Schluender

LECTORS:

Sat. 4:30 pm J. Dostalek
Sun. 8:30 am Y. Clintsman
10:30 am T. Zappa

\$CRIP 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
January 6, 2018

Weekly Contribution: \$9712

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

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 shopping needs, especially gas and grocery cards.

Please support the school.

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