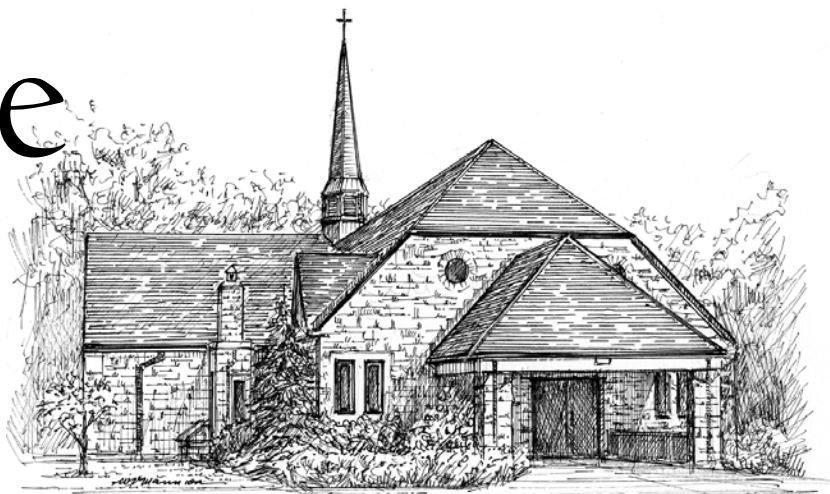


CHURCH OF  
**St. Jerome**

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

**Contact Information**

Parish Office ..... 651-771-1209  
 Fax ..... 651-771-3466  
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 Email ..... [secretary@stjerome-church.org](mailto:secretary@stjerome-church.org)  
 FB ..... [www.facebook.com/stjeromecatholic](http://www.facebook.com/stjeromecatholic)  
 School. .... 651-771-8494  
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 Website ..... [www.stjermeschool.org](http://www.stjermeschool.org)  
 Kids' Korner Daycare ..... 651-771-1023

**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

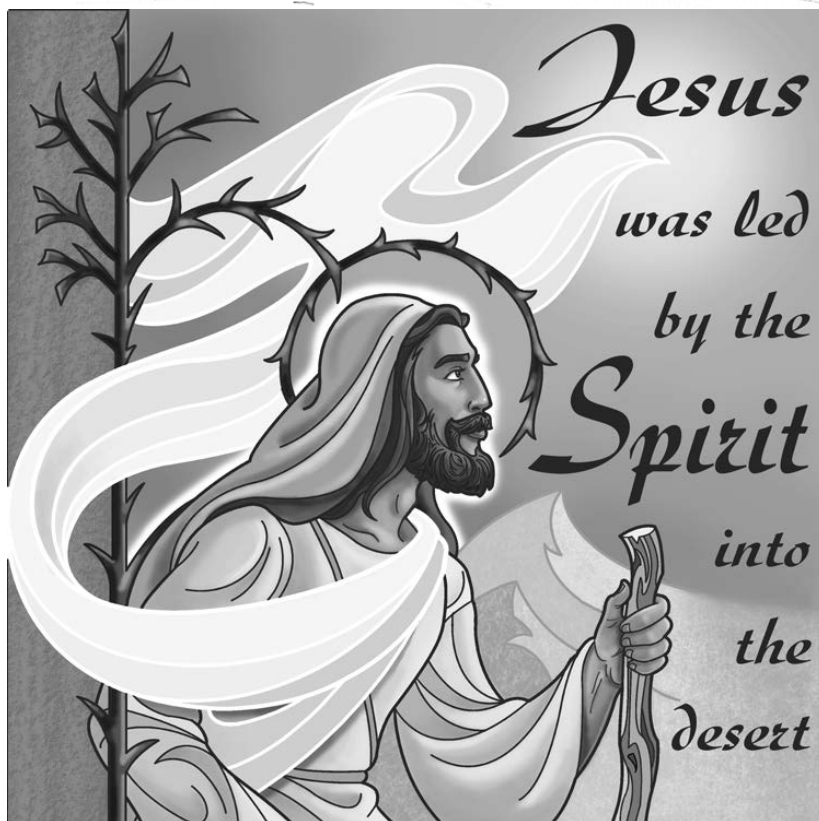
**School**

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

**Maintenance**

Bob Hoisington ..... Supervisor

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



**The word is near you,  
 in your mouth and in your heart.  
 — Romans 10:8**





LENTEN GUIDANCE

As Jesus and the people of Israel did, Lent is our time in the desert, time supposed to be mostly spent in prayer and meditation, in fight against what is the worst within us with special efforts aiming at putting God at the center of everything and at serving Him and our neighbor generously with what we got from Him.

With Jesus' temptations, we discover that Satan goes after the best of people, offering them what is appealing to most: the desire to satisfy our bodies in different ways, the desire to be first and to always have the last word, the desire to impose our wishes on God.

Moses is inviting the people of Israel to always have in mind the journey that the Lord God walked with them from Egypt to the promised land, letting them so walk from oppression and hunger to freedom and abundance, reason for the people to give back with generosity their first fruits.

This journey is the symbol of our journey as Christians: since baptism, the Word of God is near us, in our mouth and in our heart, our confession of faith feeds us and leads us to salvation in Jesus Christ.



May Lent strengthen our faith, improve the way we give back to God and prepare us to resist temptations.

Fr. Cletus



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.

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Notes from the principal: (she was out last week)



Development/Advancement Team

I am attending a class to learn how to move beyond fundraising (like candy sales) to ensuring the long term future financial health of our school. Would you be interested in working with me on development/advancement efforts for St. Jerome? Or, do you know someone who might be interested? We need a team. Please contact me for more information.



Coffee with the Principal Join me for a casual coffee/chat/catch up time on Fridays from 9:30-10:30am. Here's a chance to offer suggestions and hear what is going on at SJS and why. I hope you'll stop in.



Join the school on Friday at 2:00 for Stations of the Cross



School registration is going on now for all grades. Please turn in your registration by April 15.



Would you like to sponsor a student for the Eagle Bluff Environmental Learning Trip? We have a need for full and partial scholarships. The cost is \$150/child for 2 nights/3 days of programming. Please call the office, 651-771-8494, if you are willing to sponsor a student.

With gratitude, Anne Gattman, Principal

SPRING FUND RAISER PARTY WITH A PURPOSE: PORTRAITS OF ST. JEROME April 27

Get your tickets now for our spring fundraiser. Tickets are \$30 and can be purchased in the school office.



DONATIONS WANTED: Can you donate or do you know of a business that can donate to our silent auction.

- Gift cards
• Goods or services
• Monetary contributions to offset the cost of holding the event
• You can buy Scrip cards and donate them back to the school. We will buy items for the silent auction.

Questions or if you can help: events@stjeromeschool.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.

### BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

The school is collecting box tops for education. Please drop them off at the school, in the collection basket or in the box tops container in the back of the church. Please drop off often so that the tops don't expire.



### COME HOME WITH ME

The come home, sit with me cards are available at the entrances of the church. Lent and Easter are the perfect time to invite someone to join you for Mass. Give a card to a family member or friend.

### MASS CLASS—Sunday March 10

The Mass class is for everyone. Even if you attend Mass every week there will be information in the class you didn't know. You might leave the class saying "wow, I have been Catholic my entire life and I never knew that is why the priest did that."

### DAILY MASS LESSON—Relevant Radio

<https://relevantradio.com/father-rockys-40-lenten-lessons-mass/>

### ST. AGNES HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE -

**Sunday, March 10, 1:00 PM.** We invite you to join us for our all-school Open House to learn about our challenging classical curriculum; tour our campus, with \$25M in student-focused facility renovations Saint Agnes School is located at 530 Lafond Avenue in St. Paul. Please visit [www.SaintAgnesSchool.org](http://www.SaintAgnesSchool.org) for more info.

### TOTINO GRACE SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Monday, April 8. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

The Open House offers your family the opportunity to:

- Meet TG Faculty and explore our academic programs
- Interact with our students and hear from current parents
- Meet our coaches and moderators and learn about our co-curricular programs
- Tour the school

Talk with other prospective families

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mt 25:31-46  
 Tuesday: Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-7, 16-19; Mt 6:7-15  
 Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Lk 11:29-32  
 Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12  
 Friday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4-6; Mt 16:13-19  
 Saturday: Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48  
 Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-9, 13-14; Phil 3:17 — 4:1 [3:20 — 4:1]; Lk 9:28b-36

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

The hours needing 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.



### WHY BE CATHOLIC—FREE EVENT

"Patrick Madrid, the author of 23 books and a daily Catholic radio host, is hosting a free event called "Why Be Catholic?" on **Friday, March 22 from 7:00-9:30 PM at St John's in Little Canada.** This lively event is perfect for friends or family members unsure about the Catholic Church or who need a boost in their faith. Register today at [sjolc.org](http://sjolc.org)."

### PRESENTATION ON DEMENTIA

The St. Odilia Parish Pastoral Care Council is sponsoring a presentation on dementia entitled "Maintain Your Brain: Promote Mental Fitness through 2nd Half with Lyngblomsten."

Topics will include: normal aging versus a changing brain; Alzheimer's facts and figures; the MIND diet; challenging Your brain, Dementia Friendly Faith Communities; and 2nd Half with Lyngblomsten life enrichment centers, including The Gathering group respite. Presenters: Carolyn Klaver, RN, Community Dementia Care Specialist and Shelli Beck, CVA, Lead Volunteer Coordinator.

This FREE presentation will take place on **March 18 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM in the Courtyard at St. Odilia's** (3495 Victoria Street North, 651-484-6681). Everyone is invited and advance registration is not required. Light refreshments will be served.



### FATHER CLETUS IS RETIRING

His last Mass will be on Sunday June 30th.

A new priest will start on July 1.

Would you like to help plan his retirement party?

Please contact the parish office.



### "STATIONS OF THE CROSS" with Mystery Soup Supper

*Join us this Thursday, March 14  
Stations are at 5:30.*

*This week's Mystery Soup Supper will  
be hosted by the  
Parish Council*



**PARISH EVENT CALENDAR**  
**March 11—17**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Self Defense</b>
	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Fall Festival Planning mtg</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Home and School</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Confirmation</b>
	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Choir</b>
	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Religious Education</b>
	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Sacramental Prep mtg (lib)</b>
	<b>7:15pm</b>	<b>Handbell choir</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Stations of the Cross</b>
	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Soup Supper</b>
	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Parish council (library)</b>
	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>School advisor (t. lounge)</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>2:00pm</b>	<b>Stations of the cross</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>4:30pm</b>	<b>Rite of Sending</b>
	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Hall rental</b>
<b>Sunday</b>		<b>2nd Sunday in Lent</b>
		<b>Bible Study</b>
	<b>2:00pm</b>	<b>Confirmation @ Cathedral</b>

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Ann Rinehart family</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Peter Gaertner</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	
	<b>9:45am</b>	<b>Louis Cardinal Jr.</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Ronald Valento</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>Barbara Nathanson</b>
	<b>4:30pm</b>	<b>Cecil Gresback</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Tom Duellman</b>
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Members of the Parish</b>

**SACRAMENTAL PREP PARENT MEETING**



If your child is preparing for 1st Communion, there is a parent meeting this Wednesday, March 13 at 6:30 in the school library.

**Fall Festival Planning Meeting, Extra Day of Fun!**

Monday March 11 at 7pm school library.

Come help us plan an extra day of fun. We would like to plan an event on the Saturday of Fall Festival weekend. We have the tents. Come with many ideas.



Jacqueline Benjamin, Spencer Cardinal, 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, Steve Lauinger, Mary Laumeyer, Irene Ling, Edward Lunzer, RoseMarie Manders, Vern & Dorothy Mayer, Toy McGee, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, Minnie McMonigal, Judy Morrison, Nolan Mullaney, Greg Negard, Carol P, 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 & Nancy Valento, Evelyn Virnig, Greg Votel, Betty Waschbusch, Theresa Wilkes, Delores Witschen, Gene & Laura Woehrl, Kevin Yackel, Lorraine Youngbauer

## LITURGICAL ROLES March 11-17

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

### SERVERS:

Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat Adult servers  
Tues., Thurs, B. Akoh & R. Sutton  
Sat. 4:30 pm W. Holzemer & A. Wilhelm  
Sun. 8:30 am Ch. Bergthold & Josh Knauss  
10:30 am N. Anyanwu & Kim Zorobi

### CANDLE BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm M. Holzemer  
Sun. 8:30 am J. Weakley  
10:30 am Kevin Zorobi & M. Revering

### CROSS BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm M. Kinning  
Sun. 8:30 am  
10:30 am Christina Zorobi

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm K. & S. Yackel, M. Ponsolle  
Sun. 8:30 am J. Dickson, M. Schuh, M. Simone  
10:30 am D. & C. Schluender, T. Petersen

### LECTORS:

Sat. 4:30 pm S. Maldonado  
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  
March 3, 2019

Weekly Contribution: \$6306.25

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



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### 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.**