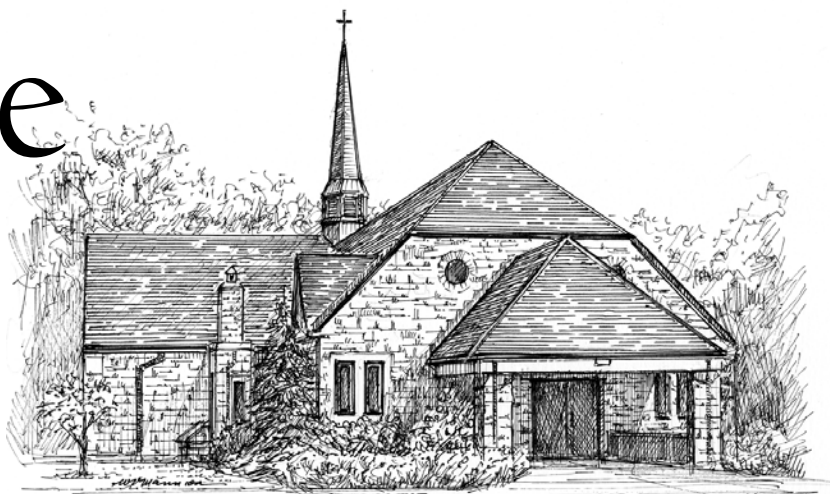


CHURCH OF
St. Jerome

380 E. Roselawn Avenue



Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 PM
 Sunday 9:30 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 2:30 to 3:30 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

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 FB..... www.facebook.com/stjeromecatholic
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 Fax 651-771-3466
 Website www.stjermeschool.org
 Kids' Korner Daycare.....651-771-1023

Pastoral Staff

Fr. Victor Valencia Pastor

Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb..... Parish Secretary

Music

Mary Beth Hess Music Director

Faith Formation

????..... Religious Ed Coordinator
 Marie Joseph..... Confirmation
 Pat Birkey Children's Liturgy

School

Anne Gattman..... Principal
 Bella Eckert School Secretary
 Nancy McGraw..... School Secretary
 Staci Meyers..... School Secretary

Maintenance

Bob Hoisington..... Supervisor

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

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

All of you are children of the light and children of the day. We are not of the night or of darkness. Therefore, let us not sleep as the rest do, but let us stay alert and sober.

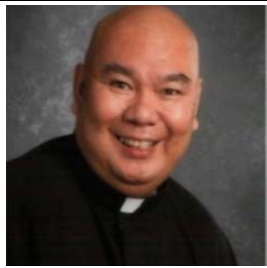
1 Thessalonians 5:5-6

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MISSION STATEMENT

The people of St. Jerome Church are a Catholic parish community united in the love and grace of Jesus Christ; to celebrate the sacraments and our faith, to proclaim and teach the Gospel values of Christ and His Church, to nurture our faith community, and to respond to the needs of those in and beyond our parish through worship and service.



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Last Sunday we began printing our bulletins. Bulletins are available for pick up at the back of the church. If your senior family members do not have access to internet a hard copy is definitely for them. Take one for your pe-

rusal otherwise you can read the bulletin electronically through our website.

We shall continue to livestream our Saturday evening mass. We improved our video system to better serve our community. We appreciate our members who chipped in some money to buy a new and better camera. It is important that we invest on the video since it has become a significant means of evangelization. While other communities are now beginning to move away from livestreaming, to us, it is a significant vehicle to connect with so many of our homebound parish members.

Next week we will celebrate and honor Jesus Christ King of the Universe. Let us gather as a faith community and spend an hour of adoration and praise to Christ Jesus, our Lord and King. It is our way as well to conclude our 2020 Liturgical year and pray that the coming Liturgical Cycle B will also be a meaningful and faith formative journey in Eucharistic Celebration and study of his teachings.

Looking forward to the coming of the kingdom the gospel message once again tells us to get ready for the return of the master and be ready to make a report about how we have used his many different gifts to form our selves according to his own image and likeness and how we built God's church to become a redeemed community of his faithful disciples.

As we see each other every Sunday we can just imagine the many gifts our God has entrusted to each of us. We become stewards of his gifts and one day we shall have to make an inventory of those graces.

Fr. Vic

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43
 Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10
 Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28, or
 (for the memorial of the Dedication)
 Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6;
 Mt 14:22-33
 Thursday: Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44
 Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131;
 Lk 19:45-48
 Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40
 Sunday: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17; Ps 23:1-3, 5-6;
 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28; Mt 25:31-46

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Hello St. Jerome Parish,
 Busy week for us coming up. Please join us when you can.

Our annual bread mass is Wednesday Nov. 18 at 9:45am and Friday Nov. 20 at 1:15pm. The bread collected will go to the Merrick Community Center.

The word companion comes from the Latin words "with" and "bread" -the one you share your bread with.



Wednesday is also the St. Jerome Give Day. Join our efforts to raise \$25,000 in 24-hours in our first Giving Day campaign.

Four easy ways to give.

1. Donate online sjsgiveday.givesmart.com
2. Mail your check: St. Jerome School, 384 Roselawn Ave E, Maplewood, MN 55117
3. Become a sustaining donor: consider an online monthly gift by visiting sjsgiveday.givesmart.com
4. Call the school

Peace and blessings,
 Anne Gattman, Principal



Our parish runs on volunteers. This week we would like to recognize a few volunteers who keep us going, but you don't see.

Money counters: Tim Gage, Harold Schultz, Sue Butler, Yvonne Clintsman, Anita Kennedy, Brenda Murphy, Jeanne Hermes, Chris McKenzie, Tom Anton, Lee Clintsman, Ken Newton, Al Willenbring, Dennis Selby.

Decorating Church: Angela Lillemo and family, Mary Heurung and family.

Wash Altar Towels: Mary Jo Erickson

Outside flowers: Eileen Schoenecker

Archives/History: Mary Selby, Yvonne Clintsman

Office Help: Lorraine Willenbring, Paul Mordorski, Chris Pirri, Nancy Valento

People who make schedules:

Lectors: Susanne Maldonado

Eucharistic Minsters: Tim Bertsch and Tom Zappa

Altar Servers: Kim Berghold



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.



VIRTUAL FOOD DRIVE: Month of November

Our goal is to collect 3,000 pounds of food: \$1 = 3 pounds. We are collecting \$1,000, which equals 3,000 pounds of food.

A pandemic is not a good time to exchange canned goods personally, so help us FEED OUR NEIGHBORS with a financial contribution to help us reach our goal of 3,000 pounds.

Bring your donation to Mass any day during November; OR mail to the parish office.

QUILTERS SALE—Nov. 22 & 23

The Church of St. Jerome Quilters for a Cause will be hosting a Holiday Sale. Blankets made by Quilters for a Cause are donated to charities in the Maplewood area. Proceeds of the sale will be used to further the charitable work of the Quilters for a Cause.



Items for sale include both holiday themed and non-holiday themed, kitchen items, table runners, pillow cases, baby items and much more.

Face coverings and maintaining social distancing will be required.

Saturday, November 21, 2020: 10:00 am to 5:45 pm

Sunday, November 22, 2020: After Mass



Congratulations to Ricky and Virginia Revering as they were named the 2019-20 Family of the Year by the Knight of Columbus local council.



WEEKEND SANTIZER

Would you like a job sanitizing the church? It is about an hour after every weekend mass/event. Please call the parish office if you can help.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Permanent adorers are needed for: Tues. 4 p.m., Wed. 4 p.m., Thurs. 12 noon, 2 p.m., and 7 p.m. If you are able to help with any of these hours or have questions, please call Lorraine 772-2997.



SCHOOL NEEDS

There are two areas where the school needs additional help:

1. **Math Enrichment;**
2. **Leadership Development.**

We have many talented youth who would benefit from a math club and chess club. Might you be able to run a math club or facilitate chess club for us? We also have students who are ready to take on serious ideas and learn how to talk about important things and lead others. Might you be interested in helping us with leadership development? Please shoot an email to Mrs. Gattman (agattman@stjeromeschool.org) if you would like to talk more.



SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS

We find ourselves needing to grow our pool of guest teachers. Do you have a college degree? Would you be interested in making \$125/day to come in and be a guest teacher?

Please contact Mrs. Gattman. As you know, we are following safety protocols to minimize the Covid-19 risk. So far, we have zero cases. Yet, our teachers get sick with other ailments and we need reliable people to step in. Thanks!



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 the fall and end at Easter.

Please call the parish office to register.

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Please welcome Preston Huddleston, Catie McKenzie and Chris Cardinal our newly elected members of the Parish Council. Each will serve a 3 year term.



Please thank the outgoing members for their service: Harold Schultz, Ted Leonard, and Christy Wozny.



PARISH EVENT CALENDAR
Nov. 16-22

Monday
Tuesday 7:00pm Home and School
Wednesday *St. Jerome Give Day*
6:00pm Confirmation
7:00pm Bell Choir
7:00pm Board Meeting
Thursday 6:30pm Finance meeting
Friday Picture retake day
Saturday 10:00am Quilters Sale
Sunday *Feast of Christ the King*
3:00pm Adoration

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 7:15am Cyril Palen
Tuesday 7:15am Giovanni Gambino
Wednesday 7:15am Tom Rooney
9:45am Herman Deiman
Thursday 7:15am Dill & Dolores Gleason
Friday 7:15am Jim Fitzgerald
1:15pm Donald Tadich
Saturday 8:00am Carolyn Schluender
4:30pm Louie Hermes
Sunday 9:30am Members of the Parish

LITURGICAL ROLES

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

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm A. Gattman, B. Murphy
Sun. 9:30 am J. Schroeder, G. Votel

LECTORS:

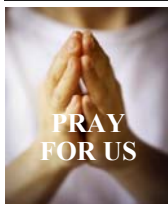
Sat. 4:30 pm M. Ahles
Sun. 9:30 am K. Faschingbauer



Contributions for the week of
Nov. 2-8, 2020

Weekly Contribution:\$4080

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



Jacqueline Benjamin, Spencer Cardinal, Sue Connolly, Marilyn Cunningham, Cathy Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Sharon Heffernan, David Hendricks, Clarice Holthaus, Richard (Les) Johnson, Kevin Jones, Eugene Kaufhold, Lily Kehler, Mary Klutzke, Mary Laumeyer, Fr. Ken Ludescher, Edward Lunzer, RoseMarie Manders, Philip Maus, Vern & Dorothy Mayer, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, MaryAnn McMonigal, Brian Michlitsch, Nolan Mullaney, Greg Negard, Louise Nieters, Shannon Presler, Bernie Przybylski, Josh Richter, Patrick Roth, Danny Rothbauer, Cliff Sandmeyer, Rosa Santos, David Schluender, Michelle Schoenecker, Donald Seiberlich Jr., Mike Spangenberg, Ava Swift, Tony Swift, Ted Testen, George & Nancy Valento, Jim & Evelyn Wendt, Theresa Wilkes, Delores Witschen, Lorraine Youngbauer

CHESTERTON ACADEMY—OPEN HOUSE

Chesterton Academy of the Saint
Croix Valley Open House: Tuesday,
November 17th 6:30 to 8:00 pm

Students at Chesterton Academy
enjoy a cohesive, integrated classical
education in the Catholic tradition
centered on Jesus Christ. Our high
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who learn to draw on faith and reason for the purpose of
building a joy-filled culture of life.



Web: www.chestertonscv.org | Phone: 651.504.2638
1835 Northwestern Ave Stillwater, MN 55082

Or schedule a private family tour and curriculum overview:
chestertonacademyscv@gmail.com

RETROUVAILLE MARRIAGE HELP:

Thinking about Separation or divorce? Hurting? Angry?
Feel helpless?

Retrouvaille is a lifeline for troubled marriages. Couples
learn the tools to rediscover each other and heal their
marriage. 100% confidential.

When:

December 4-6, 2020

February 5-7, 2021

Where: Best Western Dakota Ridge Hotel

3450 Washington Dr, Eagan, MN 55122

800-470-2230

info@tcr-mn.org

<http://www.helpourmarriage.org>

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