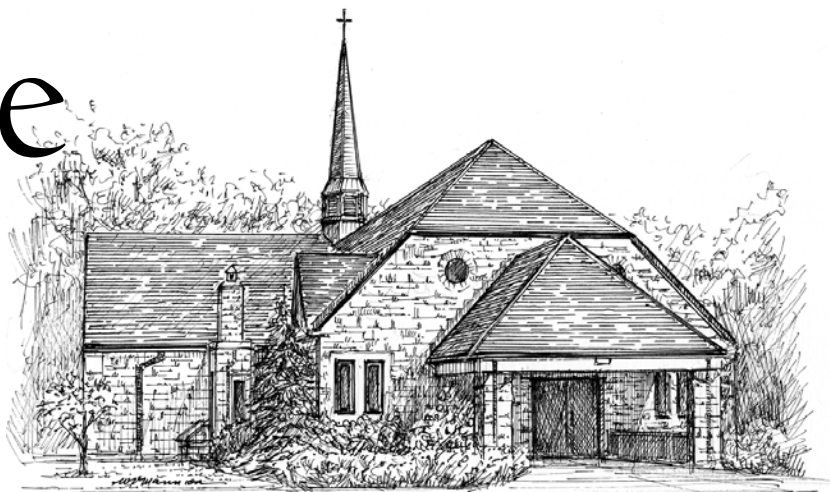


CHURCH OF
St. Jerome

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

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 School. 651-771-8494
 Fax 651-771-3466
 Website www.stjermeschool.org
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Pastoral Staff

Fr. Victor ValenciaPastor

Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb..... Parish Secretary

Music

Mary Beth HessMusic Director

Faith Formation

Shelly BerthiaumeReligious Ed Coordinator
 Maddy McCarthy..... Confirmation
 Geralyn BroderickSunday School

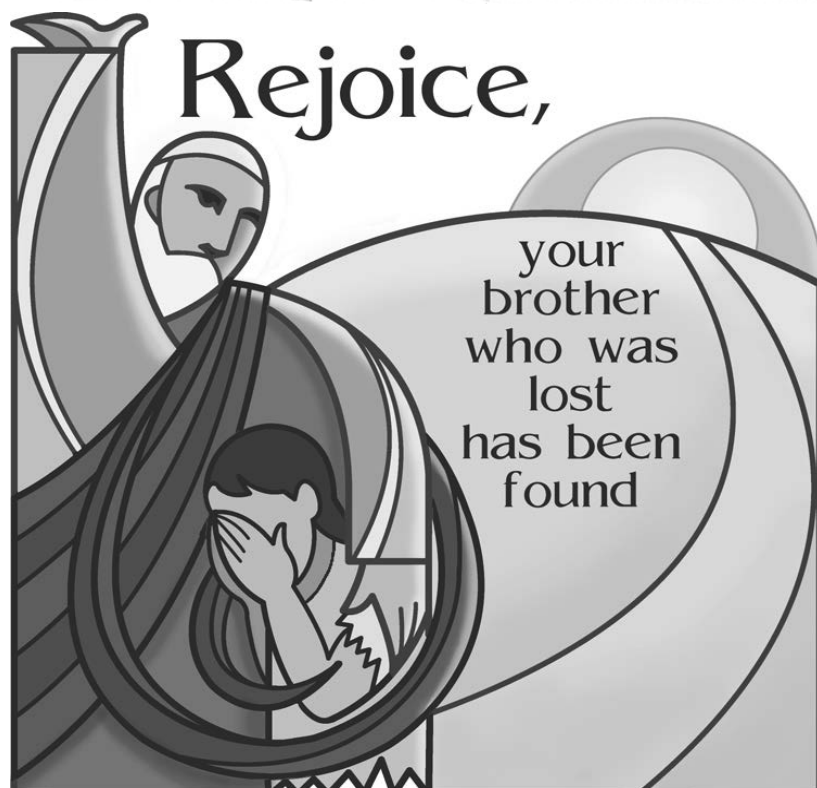
School

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

Maintenance

Bob Hoisington.....Supervisor

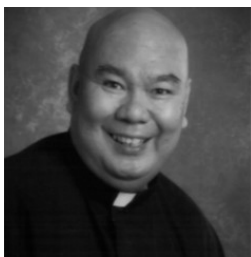
Victim Assistance Hotline.....651-291-4475



**A clean heart create for me, O God,
 and a steadfast spirit renew within me.**

— *Psalm 51:12*





Dear Brothers and Sisters,

It is good that we gather for our fall festival and celebrate our being a faith community journeying in joyfully discovering Jesus Christ in our lives. It is my prayer that this gathering will be an opportunity to

affirm our belongingness, renew old friendships and building new ones. We do not see success only in terms of numbers but most especially in strengthening relationships as faithful believers.

I missed to mention last week how it was so pleasant to meet and greet our students as they came in for the first day of school. It was exciting and hopeful to see all of them with their back packs and other school implements. They were busy saying their hi's and hello's as they met their old friends and seeing what was going to be new and different. I was happy to meet them for the first time. I was one of the "new" in school. Indeed as a parish this is another adventure and journey in formation. Yes, I always see school work not only as transfer of knowledge but formation of character and integration of faith and knowledge. I am confident that our teachers led by our principal can be God's 'formators' for our children.

"Loving and forgiving are you, O Lord. Slow to anger, rich in kindness, loving and forgiving are you."

Those are lyrics of a song that should remind us of a very distinctive character of our God: Patient, kind, understanding, redeeming and healing. Let that be an overriding thought of who our God is. It is a defining character of our journey in faith. We journey towards forgiveness, healing and redemption. Let us together work for our own healing and offer forgiveness and compassion for others.

As we celebrate being a community let forgiveness, healing and redemption be a distinctive of our faith community. Together let us work on that.

Fr. Victor

TABERNACLE

Our tabernacle is being replated/redipped in gold. It will be back in a few weeks.



CATHOLIC WATCHMEN

Tuesday, Sept. 17, 6:30 at St. John Evangelist, Little Canada

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Hello St. Jerome Parish,

By the time you are reading this, our St. Jerome Festival will be underway. Hopefully many hands will be making light work of the efforts required to make Festival happen. Many of our teachers and school families are attending and/or helping. If you see someone "new" to St. Jerome please introduce yourselves. We'd love to have more of our school families also attend our church.

Healey Education Foundation

St. Jerome School has been invited to become part of a cohort of schools with the Healey Education Foundation. This impacts us in 2 important ways: 1. We will have grant assistance to hire a development position that will work to find money, donors and support from outside our school and parish community; and 2. We will establish a Board of Education with specified jurisdiction. Healey works within Archdioceses to ensure the future of Catholic education. They see many great things happening at St. Jerome and they are eager to see us thrive for many years to come. **Job Opportunity: Senior Level Advancement Director** (see the website for full job description).

Groves Literacy Partnership

Our school was chosen for a literacy partnership with Groves. Groves has a 50-year history of working with students who struggle with reading. We will be offering a systemic phonics/reading program to all K-2 (and next year 3) students to set a strong foundation in reading skills. The effects of this program are off the charts! We are grateful for CSCOE and Cretin-Derham Hall for their financial support of literacy in the Catholic schools.



Most gratefully,
Anne Gattman
Principal



FR. LUDESCHER LAMP
will burn this week in prayer for
Pat and Lou Hermes



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.



WELCOME TO ST. JEROME

SATURDAY:

5:30 Food truck items, craft beer and other beverages for sale

6:30 - 8:30 - SWING DANCE in the tent

Music by the RED ROCK SWING BAND.

SUNDAY:

IN THE SCHOOL

Bingo is in the day care

Silent auction is in the school library.

Cherry tree is the kindergarten room

Booya is for sale in the school gym

Boutique and Sweepstakes are in the entryway.

OUTSIDE

Cheese curds, French fries, hamburgers, brats

Beer & pull tabs

Kid games, Face painting & air brush tattoos.

Car Show

GOD GIVEN TALENT TENT SCHEDULE

12:15 -**Roxanne Britz** – *Wishing You Were Somehow Here Again*

Don't Rain on My Parade

12:21 – **Nan Gresback & Emily Spear** –

Mozart Rondeau for Violin and Viola

12:27 – **Grace Cardinal & Judy Schultz** – *Pie Jesu*

12:31 – **Simon Anyanwu** – *Fur Elise*

12:33 – **Rose Birkey** – *Tu Lo Sai*

12:36 – **Sara Lillemo** – *Seitz Violin Concerto*

12:39 – **Simon Anyanwu** – *Just Fine*

12:42 – **Levi Bowe** – *Autumn Leaves*

12:45 – **Grace Cardinal** – *O! Mio Babbino*

12:48 – **Collide Theatrical Dance Company** –

Professional Jazz dance

1:08 – **Grace Marshall** – *Beethoven Sonata*

1:13 – **Karen Singers** – *Youth singers and dancers*

1:30 – **Tipper Road** – *Irish Band*

2:00 – **Car Show Awards**

2:20 – **Tipper Road** – *Irish Band*

3:00 – **Rinca Na Chroi** – *Irish dancers*

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITES

LECTORS: We are in need of a few more lectors, especially at the 4:30 mass. If you can help out please call or email Susanne Maldonado.

susannemaldonado@gmail.com or 651276-4127

COFFEE AND DONUT HOSTS: We need a few people willing to set up and clean-up for coffee and donut Sundays. This is a great activity for a family. Please call or email the parish office

WOMEN'S LIFE CARE CENTER Culver's night!!!

Tuesday, September 17, 5 PM – 8 PM
2880 Rice St Little Canada MN 55113



Growing Through Loss –

Support for Those Experiencing Loss in Their Lives

The fall series will be held on Monday Sept. 16—Oct. 21 from 6:45 - 9 pm, at St Odilia, 3495 N. Victoria, Shoreview, MN 55126. Each session offers an educational presentation by a professional from the community, followed by peer support groups facilitated by leaders who understand the grieving process. Each session is complete in itself, so you may attend any or all sessions. Registration takes place each evening before the session. There is no cost, although donations are welcome. they . You may call 763-755-5335 or visit www.growingthroughloss.org for more information.



CONGRATULATIONS to

Leo LaManna

Son of

Alexei and Gina LaManna

who was baptized Aug. 31st.



ST. JEROME FEAST DAY SEPTEMBER 30

The St. Jerome novena starts on Sept. 21st. Please pick up a novena card at the entrances of the church.

faithful + beginnings

St. Jerome School



Fall
Registration

Do you have a child ready for preschool, or know someone looking for a preschool program?

St. Jerome has a few spots remaining for the 2019-2020 school year. We offer affordable preschool and daycare Monday through Friday, around your family's needs. We offer a fun environment, rich curriculum, and loving staff: creating the space needed to support your child through the most critical and fundamental years of life.

Call Grace for more information or to schedule a tour:
651-771-1023

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR
September 16-22

Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday	6:00pm	Confirmation info
	6:30pm	Religious Education
Thursday	6:30pm	Middle Curriculum Night
	7:00pm	Finance Council
Friday		
Saturday		
Sunday		25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	7:15am	Rinehart family
Tuesday	7:15am	Ron Valento
Wednesday	7:15am	bill & Dolores Gleason
	9:45am	Joe Seeger
Thursday	7:15am	Cecilia Gresback
Friday	7:15am	Danny Wallner
Saturday	8:00am	Burnham Philbrook
	4:30pm	Al Nieters
Sunday	8:30am	Members of the Parish
	10:30am	Lorraine Pojar



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION for Grades 1-8

Registration forms for Wednesday night religious education can be found on-line. Classes start September 11th.



CONFIRMATION
for Grades 9 and up

The confirmation program is open to all youth in grades 9-12 who have received the Sacraments of Baptism and First Eucharist. Registration forms and information be found on-line. Classes start Sept. 18



Gary Becker, Jacqueline Benjamin, Spencer Cardinal, Gail Chrysler, Sue Connolly, 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, Philip Maus, Vern & Dorothy Mayer, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, Minnie McMonigal, Nolan Mullaney, Greg Negard, Shannon Presler, Bernie Przbylski, Terri Quitter, Josh Richter, Patrick Roth, Danny Rothbauer, Mel Rothstein, Sharon Ryan, Cliff Sandmeyer, Rosa Santos, David Schluender, Michelle Schoenecker, Donald Seiberlich Jr., Gene Skok, Mike Spangenberg, Ava Swift, Tony Swift, George & Nancy Valento, Evelyn Virnig, Greg Votel, Theresa Wilkes, Delores Witschen, Laura Woehrle, Kevin Yackel, Lorraine Youngbauer

LITURGICAL ROLES September 16-22

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

SERVERS:

Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat Adult Servers
Tues., Thurs, G. & M. Revering
Sat. 4:30 pm W. & Mi Heurung
Sun. 8:30 am C. Cardinal & O. Smith
 10:30 am N. & L. Anyanwu

CANDLE BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm O. Olberding & M. Holzemer
Sun. 8:30 am A. Cardinal
 10:30 am B. & E. Akoh

CROSS BEARERS:

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

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm S Rooney, S. Rowe, A. Gattman
Sun. 8:30 am Y. Clintsman, T. Bertsch, B. Cardinal
 10:30 am T. & T. Zappa, C. Anyanwu

LECTORS:

Sat. 4:30 pm S. Maldonado
Sun. 8:30 am S. Cardinal
 10:30 am H. Schultz

\$CRIP SELLERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm R. Schreier & T. Testen
Sun 8:30 am A. Kennedy
 10:30 am M. Petersen & H. Younce



**Contributions for the week of
September 1, 2019**

Weekly Contribution: \$5968.50

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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7-9; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-3ab, 5-6;
 Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35
Thursday: 1 Tm 4:12-16; Ps 111:7-10; Lk 7:36-50
Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13
Sunday: Am 8:4-7; Ps 113:1-2, 4-8; 1 Tm 2:1-8;
 Lk 16:1-13 [10-13]

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.

