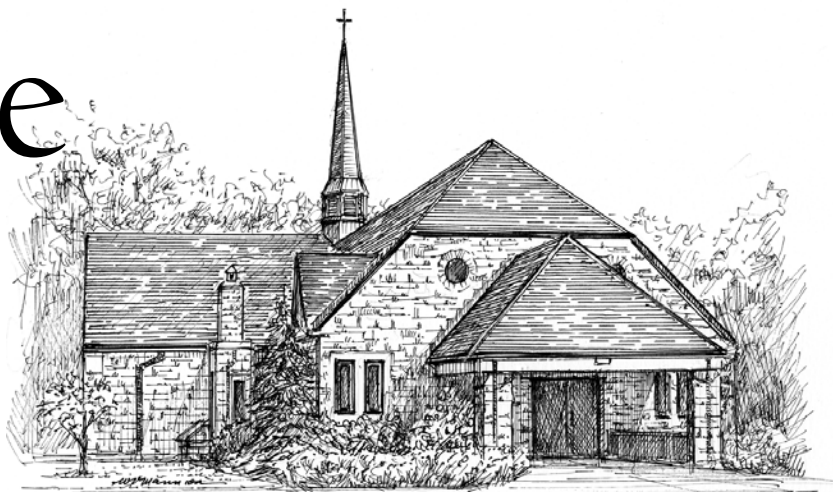


CHURCH OF
St. Jerome

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

Fr. Victor Valencia Pastor

Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb Parish Secretary

Music

Mary Beth Hess Music Director

Faith Formation

Shelly Berthiaume Religious Ed Coordinator
 Maddy McCarthy Confirmation
 Geralyn Broderick Sunday School

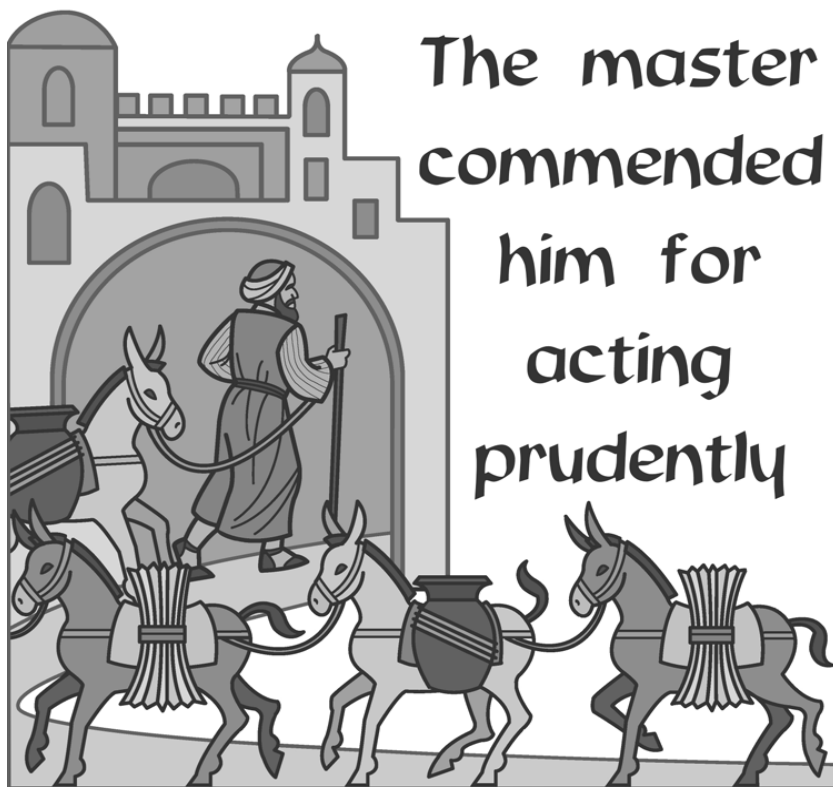
School

Anne Gattman Principal
 Nancy McGraw School Secretary
 Staci Meyers School Secretary

Maintenance

Bob Hoisington Supervisor

Victim Assistance Hotline 651-291-4475



**The master
 commended
 him for
 acting
 prudently**

**God . . . wills everyone to be saved
 and to come to knowledge of the truth.
 — 1 Timothy 2:4**





Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I love parish festivals. It is so joyful to watch members of our church community gather together from set up to clean up. Working together and celebrating together build up our family of faith. It was some-

thing to bless those vegetables and see the people work on them!

During the festival I marvel at the coordination from welcoming to cleaning dishes. The sharing of wonderful talents from singing, playing to dancing were amazing. All these put together we can thank the Lord for the gifts of talents, family and community. What a sense of belongingness and oneness!!

The celebration of the Eucharist in the tent feels more like a gathering of a family praying together. We recognize the unity of a faith tradition and a common journey. Let us give thanks to everyone who has shared their time, talent and treasure to make our festival meaningful and successful!

Power is a gift of God to man. We can use it to further ourselves and the community. The proper use or abuse of power can make or break a person or community. With all the gifts that God has given us, we are stewards of them. As stewards we are watchmen and women to nurture of the gifts given to us and make use of them appropriately. Let us recognize how powerful we can be given the gifts from God and use them so that we all can live as children of the light.

Fr. Victor



faithful + beginnings

St. Jerome School



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

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Hello St. Jerome Parish,
We are three weeks into the school year so I thought I'd share some of the highlights:

- 148 children (possibly 151 by the end of the week) dear children of God are attending St. Jerome School.
- Our school masses have been wonderful! Last week Grade 5 shared the Beatitudes by drawing our attention to the beautiful stained glass windows above the altar. We also remembered the loss of many American lives on 9/11; and we left with HOPE. The hope that only our faith in Christ and his love for us can bring.



(Memorial 9/23)

- Our school community joined the parish for a fabulous Festival. It was great to see so many of us... parish, school, and neighborhood, gathered having good old' fashioned fun. Thank you, everyone, who contributed to a successful Festival.
- We have an amazing staff! Young teachers who are sharing their content like true experts. Seasoned teachers coming back with new ideas and continued energy. I am just honored to be working with this group of educators.

We are getting our outreach program going for the year. Would you like to receive letters from one of our students...and write back? Please call the school office and give us your address.

Thanks for your prayers and support!
Anne Gattman
Principal



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.

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. susannepmaldonado@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



THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED WITH THE FALL FESTIVAL. IT TAKES A COMMUNITY TO MAKE IT A HAPPEN.

SWEEPSTAKES



Congratulations to our Fall Festival Sweepstake winners:

- \$2000 - Judy Morrison
- \$500 - Margaret Butler

QUILTERS FOR A CAUSE- Oct 4

We will meet Friday, October 4 from 9:00 till 2:00. Come whatever hours you can and bring something to share for potluck lunch.



Quilting experience is not necessary but basic machine sewing skills are helpful. Please bring your creativity, basic sewing supplies, scissors, pins and needles. If you have no quilting experience we can put you to work tying quilts or give you some lessons in quilting if you desire.

This is a good way to socialize with and meet other parishioners while doing something for others. The quilts go to charities in the Maplewood area, baptisms and Kids Korner at St. Jerome. If you have any questions please call Mary Selby at 651-489-4177

17th ANNUAL CANDELIGHT ROSARY PROCESSION

**October 4, 7 pm,
Gather at the State Capital at 6:30 p.m.**



In honor of Our Lady of Fatima, join us for the annual Candlelight Rosary Procession on Friday, October 4, led by Archbishop Bernard Hebda. Gather at the State Capitol at 6:30 p.m. The procession to the Cathedral of Saint Paul begins at 7 p.m. Those who cannot walk the route may go directly to the Cathedral to pray the Rosary.

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. You may call 763-755-5335 or visit www.growingthroughloss.org for more information.

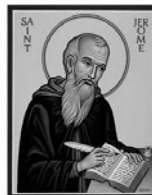
ARCHDIOCESAN SYNOD

Upcoming Prayer and Listening Events

What's working and what's not in the Archdiocese? Archbishop Bernard Hebda wants to hear from you! Please prayerfully consider attending an upcoming Prayer and Listening Event, as part of the Pre-Synod Process and make your voice heard. Your input will help guide the Archdiocese over the next 5-10 years.

- **Friday, October 11, 6 – 9 p.m. at Guardian Angels (Oakdale)**

Learn more about the Synod and see a full listing of Prayer and Listening Events at archspm.org/synod.



**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.

A novena is a nine-day period of private or public prayer to prepare for a major feast of the Church, obtain special graces, to implore special favors, or to make special petitions. (Novena is derived from the Latin "novem", meaning nine.) As the definition suggests, the novena has always had more of a sense of urgency and neediness.



FR. LUDESCHER LAMP
will burn this week in prayer for
Dick Schreier

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR
September 23-29

Monday	
Tuesday	<i>School Picture Day</i> 7:15am Anointing of the Sick 6:30pm Maintenance Meeting
Wednesday	6:00pm Confirmation info 6:30pm Religious Education
Thursday	<i>Life Line Screening—both rooms</i> 7:00pm Liturgy Committee
Friday	
Saturday	
Sunday	<i>26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> <i>Feast of St. Jerome Celebration</i>

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	7:15am	Delbert Vann
Tuesday	7:15am	Dick Schreier
Wednesday	7:15am	Joe Soler (living)
	9:45am	Warren Nentwig
Thursday	7:15am	Tom Duellman
Friday	7:15am	Bill & Delores Gleason
Saturday	8:00am	Warren Rinehart
	4:30pm	James Duchaine
Sunday	8:30am	Members of the Parish
	10:30am	Pres. Donald Trump (living)

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

There will be the **Sacrament of Anointing for the Sick** **this Tuesday September 24th**, at the 7:15am Mass. This sacrament is administered in case of serious illness, frailty of old age, and before a serious surgery; it is for healing of the body and spirit; and for forgiveness of sins.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION for Grades 1-8 & CONFIRMATION for Grades 9 and up.

Information and registration forms for Confirmation and Religious Education can be found on line. Classes have started.



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 Laumeier, Irene Ling, Edward Lunzer, RoseMarie Manders, Philip Maus, Vern & Dorothy Mayer, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, Minnie McMonigal, Nolan Mullaney, Greg Negard, Shannon Presler, Bernie Przbyski, 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 23-29

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

SERVERS:

Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat Adult Servers
Tues., Thurs, G. Marshall & Z. Maya
Sat. 4:30 pm M. Kinning & L. Bonghan
Sun. 8:30 am J. Knauss & S. Cook
 10:30 am G. Revering & Kim Zorobi

CANDLE BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm C. & E. Shelby-Vazquez
Sun. 8:30 am J. Weakley & R. Sutton
 10:30 am M. Revering & Kevin Zorobi

CROSS BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm P. Bonghan
Sun. 8:30 am
 10:30 am C. Zorobi

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm J. Zielinski, S. Rooney, I. Schreier
Sun. 8:30 am J. Dickson, E. Schoenecker, N. Valento
 10:30 am T. Petersen, P. St. George, S. Skelton

LECTORS:

Sat. 4:30 pm J. Dostalek
Sun. 8:30 am K. Faschingbauer
 10:30 am T. Zappa

\$CRIP SELLERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm L. Sherman, S. Heintz
Sun. 8:30 am J. & M. Heller
 10:30 am



Contributions for the week of
September 15, 2019

Weekly Contribution: \$4429

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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 8:16-18
Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-5;
 Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Tb:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8;
 Lk 9:1-6
Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 9:7-9
Friday: Hg 2:1-9; Ps 43:1-4; Lk 9:18-22
Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13;
 Lk 9:43b-45
Sunday: Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16;
 Lk 16:19-31

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.



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