

C H U R C H O F

380 E. Roselawn Avenue
Maplewood, MN 55117

St. Jerome

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 AM

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.stjeromeschool.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

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

School

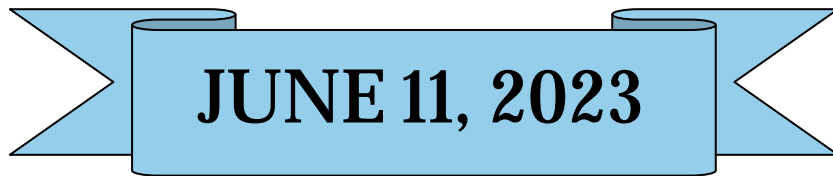
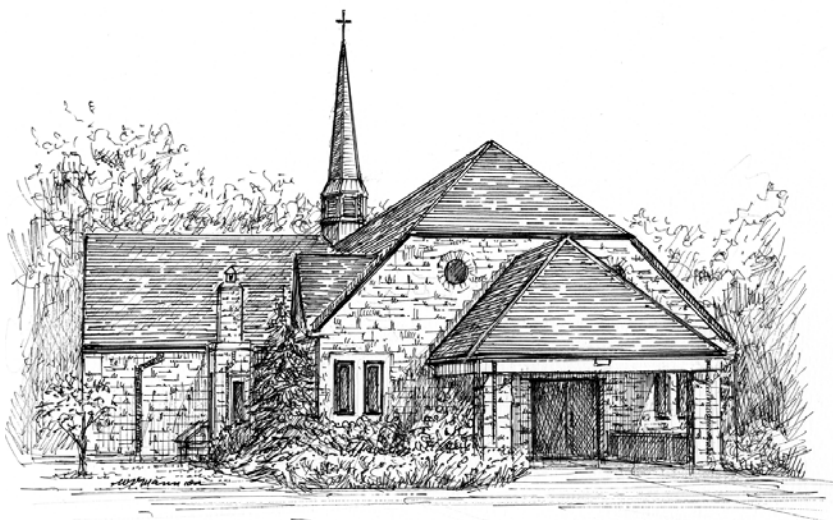
Anne Gattman Principal
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Safe Environment coordinator

Marie Joseph..... 651-771-8494
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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

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.

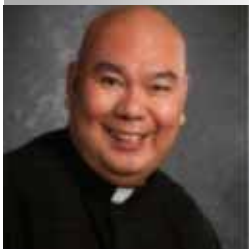




WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF ST. JEROME

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.

MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As we celebrate the solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, at St. Jerome we also celebrate the first holy communion of seven of our children. Let us give emphasis this week why the Eucharist is central to our faith life especially that seven of our children now begins their Eucharistic life.

This feast is important to us. Our catechism teaches us that the Eucharist is “the source and summit of the Christian life.” The Lord’s supper is NOT JUST A MEMORIAL of Jesus. The reason why the Eucharist is the source and summit, it is the fount of our Christian life is because we believe that Jesus is truly, really present, body and soul and divinity. The Eucharist therefore is not something. The Eucharist is someone: Jesus Christ.

From the gospel reading this week we hear Jesus identifying himself as bread from heaven. He calls us not just to believe but to eat his flesh. His listeners were horrified and rejected the idea of him becoming the bread of life. It was like cannibalism. Despite the reaction, Jesus did not back down. In fact Jesus emphasized some more the realism of his presence under the form of food and drink, that he was the real food and drink. Then on the last supper he repeated the same making his body and blood real food and real drink. That is necessary for us to have eternal life, Jesus said.

It is important for us to endeavor to learn about the Eucharist. I encourage you to register at formed.com and learn more about the Eucharist. In our spiritual journey, Jesus in the Eucharist is our lifeline.

Fr. Victor

FR. LUDESCHER LAMP
will burn this week in prayer for
Al & Marilyn Galbraith

PRINCIPAL’S CORNER—Mrs. Gattman

Dear St. Jerome Parishioners,

What’s happening during the summer at St. Jerome School?

~ Our fabulous summer program starts in Kids Korner on June 12

~ June 17 and 18 **Garage Sale Drop off**
~ June 20 and June 21 **Garage Sale ~ in the gym**

~ June 26-July 7 My husband, Jim, and I are going on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land

~ June 28-July 3 The Karen Youth Conference will be meeting at St. Jerome School

~ Summer School Office Hours: M-Th 9am-3pm, most Fridays will be closed beginning June 16. Full office hours will resume on August 14, 2023.

If you need to reach someone outside of office hours please email me at agattman@stjeromeschool.org.

Peace and blessings to you,
Anne Gattman
Principal



There is a time for everything, a season for every activity under heaven.

Summer is a time for ice cream cones, driveway basketball games, neighborhood swimming, and lazy afternoons.

May the joyous season of summer reflect God’s loving care for our children.

Let us enjoy our times of sun, relaxation and leisure with our friends and family.

WANT TO BECOME CATHOLIC?



I would like to learn more about the Catholic Church, what should I do?

I would like to become Catholic, what should I do?

For both of these questions, and all others, please start by calling the parish office and we will get answers. 651-771-1209



Please pray for our
Youth as they
receive First Eucharist

Congratulations and God's
Blessings to:

Isaac Almazán
Donna Navarro Jimenez
Evelyn Nagalla
Henry Nagalla
Emely Hernandez Navarro
Austin Vigonte
Raphael Vigonte

EUCHARIST ADORATION CHAPEL

"O God-Man present in this sacrament for me—what a comfort, what a privilege to know I kneel before God! And to think that this God loves me!...Mary, my mother, help me to love Him in return."
(St. Alphonsus Liguori)



Adorers are needed for Tuesdays at 9 am every other week and Thursdays at 8 am. The Adoration Chapel is open 8 am to 6 pm Monday through Thursday. Feel free to stop by for a visit with Jesus.

If you would like to commit to an hour, or if you have questions, please call Lorraine at 772-2997.

EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL RESOURCES

This national, three-year effort, led by Bishop Cozzens, is focused on reviving belief in the Real Presence in the Eucharist.

Learn more about the Revival at
<https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/>



SUMMER OFFICE HOURS
(June, July, August)

Closed on Monday and Friday
Open 9:30-1:30 Tues—Thurs.



LIVE STREAMING THE MASS

St. Jerome is looking for someone to coordinate live streaming of the mass on the weekends.

- Duties would include: Training will be provided.
- Setup sound system for streaming.
 - Rewire the sound system when not streaming.
 - Schedule individuals to run the camera during the Mass.
 - Setup YouTube link for each of the Masses that will be streamed.

Please all the Parish office if you are willing to help



We have celebrated Pentecost which is the birth of the church. And so, begins the spread of Christianity. Here are two learning opportunities that show how it was done in the early Church and in the Church of today. Now God is asking us to work with Him to continue to spread the Kingdom of God.



The Early Christians: This in-depth new film series produced in Europe explores this amazing story of the witness of the early Christians and the spread of Christianity. In this nine-part series you will explore the first 1000 years of the spread of Christianity.
Lectio: Evangelization with Dr. Mary Healy: In this 10-part Bible Study, Dr. Mary Healy combines insightful biblical study with Church teaching and practical advice to show how modern Catholics can effectively impact their world for Jesus Christ.

To subscribe

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2. Click Sign Up
3. Select "Sign Up As A Parishioner"
4. Find **St Jerome Catholic Church** by parish name, address, or zip code
5. Enter your email - and you're in!



WEDNESDAY JUNE 21
9-4

THURSDAY JUNE 22
9-noon
Bag sale

Drop off donations

Saturday June 17
10am—1pm.
Monday June 19
10am—4pm

We are accepting CLEAN clothing.

Items not accepted:

Exercise equipment	Ski's and poles
Electronics including TVs,	Computer equipment
Large furniture	Large appliances
Automotive	Encyclopedias
Baby equipment (car sets, cribs, swings)	

We reserve the right to refuse items.



WEED TRIMMING

We need a few people to help with the weed trimming.

WATERING FLOWERS

Can you help water the many plants on the campus? Please contact Eileen Schoenecker. 651-253-1998

GARAGE SALE

We need many people to help sort the items that are donated to the garage sale. See the drop off times above and come when you can. Both men, women and children (who are old enough to help) are always welcome.

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR
June 12-18

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday 7:15am **Anointing of the Sick**
Friday
Saturday 9:00am **Garage Sale Drop off**
Sunday 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Happy Father's Day

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 7:15am **Mary Margaret Ecker**
Tuesday 7:15am **Jennifer Kehler (living)**
Wednesday 7:15am **Richard Cardinal**
9:45am **No school mass (summer)**
Thursday 7:15am **Jerome Mailand**
Friday 7:15am **Patricia Schreier (living)**
Saturday 8:00am **Jerome Mailand**
4:30pm **Harold Frenning**
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 J. Dickson
Sun. 9:30 am Y. Clintsman

LECTORS:

Sat. 4:30 pm K. Faschingbauer
Sun. 9:30 am S. Cardinal

ALTAR SERVERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm M. Holzemer O. Olberding
W. Heurung
Sun. 9:30 am Adult Servers



Are you homebound? Would you like communion brought to you? Please call the parish office to make arrangements. 651-771-1209



SCAN ME

GIVE HERE:

Scan this QR Code to donate Weekly Offerings or any donation direct via our secure online site

SCRIP



The physical gift card sale is back! Get your gift cards for your summer needs here. Fresh Thymes has been added as well as Dairy Queen to the list of cards you can order. Most cards on this form are eligible for reloading once you spent the original amount. There are some great places with great earning percentages for St. Jerome's. We get back up to 8%, 10% or more on these vendors. Let's see if we can break the \$300 mark in earnings for St. Jerome's. Our last sale earned us over \$280 for church, let's top that. If you have any questions, please let me know, my email is auglie@usfamily.net. Please return your form with your check no later than Sunday, June 18th in the collection basket. I will put the order in on the 19th and should have our orders available by the end of the week.

Thank you for your purchase! ANITA Kennedy

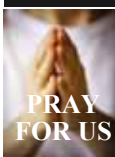
HARVEST PACK—Aug. 9

We have invited Harvest Pack to St. Jerome's on Wednesday, August 9th to pack food for those suffering with food insufficiencies in the Philippines. We have had two successful events doing this the past two years and would like to carry on this wonderful tradition. We will have sign-up boards at church in the near future as well as on-line. There will also be a donation site online on our church website for donations for purchasing the food to pack. We need to raise \$5000 for the ingredients to make 20,000 meals. You can also drop your donation in the collection basket anytime for Harvest Pack with your check made available to them anytime between now and the first week of August.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK— June 15



There will be the **Sacrament of Anointing for the Sick this Thursday May 15** after 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.



Fr. Cletus Basekela, Sue Connolly, Patricia Cokley, Don & Cathy Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Kathleen Faschingbauer, Lindsey Fellner, Karen Geretschlaeger, Mary Gross, Sharon Hefernan, Sue Heifort, David Hendricks, Catherine Henry, Anne Holthaus Clarice Holthaus, Janis Horski, Richard (Les) Johnson, Kevin Jones, Eugene Kaufhold, Lily Kehler, Kevin Klutzke, Jan Kohler, Geno Lamberta, Mary Laumeyer, Steve Lauinger, Fr. Ken Ludescher, Nancy Masson, Vern & Dorothy Mayer, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, Brian Michalitsch, Nolan Mullaney, Greg Negard, Shannon Presler, Terri Quitter, Ann Rinehart, Patrick Roth, Danny Rothbauer, David Schluender, John Schluender, Michelle Schoenecker, Mike Spangenberg, Craig Steineck, Ava Swift, Tony Swift, Ted Testen, Joyce Theilhorn, George & Nancy Valento, Greg Votel, Jim & Evelyn Wendt, Beverly Wermus, Eric Witzel, Kevin Yackel

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN



Jack Butler
Grace Wegleitner