

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 Thursday 6:00 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

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Pastoral Staff

Fr. Victor Valencia..... Pastor

Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb Parish Secretary

Music

Mary Beth Hess Music Director

Faith Formation

xxx Religious Ed Coordinator
Marie Joseph Confirmation
xxx Children's Liturgy

School

Anne Gattman Principal
Grace Zappa Preschool Director
Sue Costello School Secretary
Nay Paw School Secretary

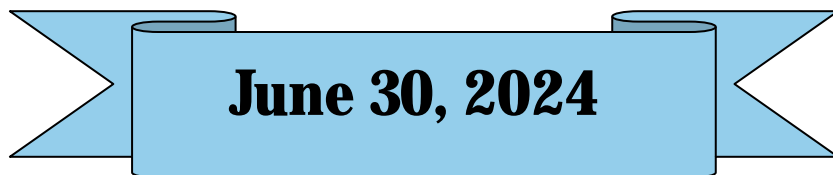
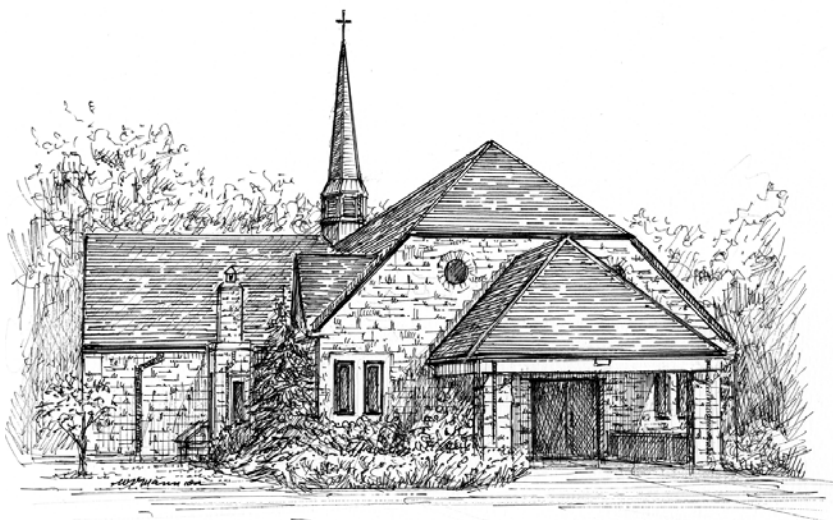
Maintenance

Chris Robinson Supervisor

Safe Environment coordinator

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



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 Sisters and Brothers,

As we move through the second half of the calendar year lets continue to celebrate the greatness of God and give thanks for his gifts to humanity. Let us reflect on Jesus' healings as God's desire to preserve, protect and enhance life. The healing of the

hemorrhage of a woman and the restoration to life of Jairus' daughter tells us of how Jesus values life and wants to protect and enhance it. Jesus is a healer and a restorer of life.

Our God is a God of life. He created it. God did not make death. Human beings do who, through our sins, bring death into the world and make death a part of our human existence.

The healing of the woman is an encouragement to us. Despite our sins we can be healed. Just have faith. The miracle of the raising of Ja'irus' daughter isn't just a miraculous healing of a particular child at a particular place, in a particular village at a particular time. It is meant to point beyond itself to what Jesus will do with every one of us in the resurrection of the dead. It parallels the rising of Lazarus in the Gospel of John, which is also a sign that points forward to the ultimate miracle and the ultimate healing which is the healing of death itself, the triumph over death itself which Jesus is going to bring through his resurrection.

What does this mean for us? That God has created us and destined us for eternity. Our life is not just a life here on earth. We look forward to a more joyful and fuller life with our triune God in eternity.

That is who we are before God. That is the good news we always want to proclaim.

Fr. Victor



PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Dear St. Jerome Parishioners,

Here's a quick update on school related items:

Our field is leveled (almost) and we will be seeding it in mid-July and employing a watering schedule to help it grow well. This is not a regulation sized field, rather a safe playing field for the students to play soccer and for our PE teacher to run outdoor classes.

The school is getting new keys for all of the doors as a part of our safety improvements. We'll also be working with Fr. Victor and his safety/security committee to look at what additional improvements we need to plan for. Later in the summer we will be adding a protective covering to the front windows of the school and office. We'll also be putting a camera and magnetic door system on the main front doors so people need to be identified to be admitted into the school.

Our summer program is going full blast! This week they had a water day and conducted a car wash. It was wet, wild and crazy. So much fun...just like summer should be.

The same generous donation that funded the field upgrade is also funding new flooring in our preschool area. That will be installed right before the start of the new school year.

We are grateful for opportunities to improve our physical space and work to ensure the safety of our students, staff and parishioners while on the grounds.



Peace and blessings to you,
Anne Gattman
Principal

ALTAR SERVER

St. Jerome Church is looking for more altar servers.

Anyone male or female, 4th grade and older, including adults, can be an altar server.

Become more involved in the Mass.
Learn more about your faith and religion.
Earn points and awards.
Go on field trips,
like bowling, swimming, baseball games.



FR. LUDESCHER LAMP
will burn this week in prayer for
Lori Lonetti

SMALL GROUPS

Do you want to know what 89 people in and around St Jerome's are doing?

They are experiencing all the wonderful things happening in our parish small groups. St Jerome's currently has 10 small groups for people of all ages. We have groups for young adults, young families, Spanish speakers, those employed in healthcare, those who like science, the Filipino community, retired folks, and the list goes on. This means we have about 9 participants in each group. Our group leaders would love to have more people in their group.

What happens in a small group? We start with prayer, and then share what God has done for us or what we have done for God during the week. We have a short church teaching moment along with a discussion about it. We pray for others in our lives and in our small group who need assistance. That is what a small group is. If you would like more information, please visit the parish website under **small groups**. Feel free to stop by any small group and sit in and see if it is something you would like to be a part of. We welcome guests! The calendar listing when the different groups meet is also on the church website.

If you have questions, feel free to email Anita Kennedy at auglie@usfamily.net or Ken Klutzke at rkkmail@comcast.net. We would be happy to provide you with further information. Can you help make the 89 grow and see your faith grow? Your Synod Evangelization Team

HOLY HOUR for BISHOP WILLIAMS

Holy Hour of Thanksgiving for Bishop Williams

Date: Sunday, July 14

Start Time: 2 p.m.

Location: Cathedral of St. Paul, St. Paul

All the faithful are invited for a holy hour and celebration of Bishop Joseph Williams and his ministry in the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis as he prepares for his new role as coadjutor bishop of Camden, New Jersey.

EUCHARIST ADORATION CHAPEL

"Jesus concealed in the Host is everything to me. From the tabernacle I draw strength, power, courage, and light. Here, I seek consolation in time of anguish. I would not know how to give glory to God if I did not have the Eucharist in my heart."

(St. Maria Faustina Kowalska of the Blessed Sacrament)



The Adoration Chapel is open 8 am Monday through 6 pm Thursday. Please stop in for a visit with Jesus in the Eucharist.

Another person committed to an additional hour of adoration. Thank you so much. Permanent adorers are needed Mondays at 9 am and 7 pm, and Tuesdays at 8 am. If you would like to commit to an hour, or if you have questions, please call Cynthia at 651-772-2221.

SCRIP— how to reload

Instructions for how to set up SCRIP so you can both purchase or reload your cards at home.



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If you want a physical gift card, you can download the RaiseRight app and then you can purchase a physical gift card which will be mailed to you for a nominal fee and takes about a week to receive.

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT—Aug. 6



National Night out is Tuesday, August 6th. We had a wonderful turnout last year with well over 100 people showing up, and we are hoping for the same this year. Please mark your calendars for an evening of fun, food, and socializing with your fellow parishioners and neighbors. There will be games and fun things for children to do, and we will be serving floats and hot dogs again.

HARVEST PACK— Aug. 14



Harvest Pack is almost here! Mark your calendars, Harvest Pack will be at St. Jerome's school gym on Wednesday, August 14th from 6 to 8 pm. We will be preparing meals for our food insufficient brothers and sisters in the Philippines through Harvest Pack. We hope to prepare 20,000 meals again, but we need each and every one of you to help. This is a wonderful way to give to those in great need. We will be setting up a donation page on our website and will have a second collection for the cost of the meals as we get closer to August 14th. Many hands make light work for all, and we are hoping to see your hands that evening!

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR

July 1—7

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| Monday | 9:30am | Small Group—library |
| Tuesday | 6:00pm | Small group |
| Wednesday | | |
| Thursday | | <i>Independence Day—Offices Closed</i> |
| Friday | 9:00am | Quilters for a Cause |
| | 6:30pm | Small Group |
| | 6:30pm | Spanish Rosary & Bible Study |
| Saturday | | |
| Sunday | 3:00pm | Small Group |
| | | <i>14th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> |

MASS INTENTIONS

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| Monday | 7:15am | Al Nieters |
| Tuesday | 7:15am | Dorothy Hedlund |
| Wednesday | 7:15am | Ed Hedlund |
| | 9:45am | Summer Vacation |
| Thursday | 7:15am | Nancy Valento |
| Friday | 7:15am | Patricia Schreier (living) |
| Saturday | 8:00am | Nancy Valento |
| | 4:30pm | Peggy Lang |
| Sunday | 9:30am | Members of the Parish |

LITURGICAL ROLES

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

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

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| Sat. | 4:30pm | M. Montie |
| Sun. | 9:30am | R. Klutzke |

LECTORS:

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| Sat. | 4:30pm | J. Therrien |
| Sun. | 9:30am | S. Cardinal |

ALTAR SERVERS:

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| Sat. | 4:30pm | P. Bonghan | M. Revering |
| | | A. Bonghan | G. Revering |
| Sun. | 9:30am | Adult servers and Izzy | |

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS



If you need low gluten hosts, please tell an usher at least 10 min before mass starts so that the priest can be told.



Contributions for the week of June 19-25

Weekly Contribution: \$6,109

Please remember St. Jerome in your will.



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Okay, Dads, and Moms. It is all about the kids. But course you know that. Log in to your Formed account for these animated videos and much more for kids. Pass on the faith with fun videos.

Christine in Action

Learn the Catholic Faith through MUSIC! Catholic Songs for children and everyone.

The Saints and Heroes Collection

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Because of the fire in the basement, all meetings will have to be moved to a new location. Please reach out to your group leader to find out where you are meeting.

PETER'S PENCE—June 29/30

Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Francis. That this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a sign of mercy to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today.

For more information, visit www.obolodisanpierto.va/en.html



SUMMER OFFICE HOURS (June, July, August)

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



PRAY
FOR US

Fr. Cletus Baskela, Tim Bertsch, Phil Brady, Patricia Cokley, Gayl Chrysler, Cathy & Don Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Karen Geretschlaeger, Sr. Clarice Gierzak, Mary Gross, Mary Heller, Clarice Holthaus, Sharon Heffernan, David Hendricks, Janis Horski, Patricia Johnson, Richard (Les) Johnson, Kevin Jones, Eugene Kaufhold, Lily Kehler, Kevin Klutzke, John & Linda Kostohryz, Mary Laumeier, Steve Lauinger, Fr. Ken Ludescher, Nancy Masson, Vern & Dorothy Mayer, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, Brian Michalitsch, Nancy Miller, Nolan Mullaney, Greg Negard, Enrico Pirri, Shannon Presler, Terri Quitter, Patrick Roth, Rick Peiffer, Theresa Richardson, Cynthia & David Schluender, John Schluender, Michelle Schoenecker, Mike Spangenberg, Craig Steineck, Joyce Theilhorn, George Valento, Greg Votel, Holly Walkner, Jim & Evelyn Wendt, Beverly Wermus, Eric Witzel, Kevin Yackel

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN



Jack Butler
Grace Wegleitner
Eric Dickson