

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

## Contact Information

Parish Office ..... 651-771-1209

Fax ..... 651-771-3466

Website ..... [www.stjerome-church.org](http://www.stjerome-church.org)

Email..... [secretary@stjerome-church.org](mailto:secretary@stjerome-church.org)

FB ..... [www.facebook.com/stjeromecatholic](http://www.facebook.com/stjeromecatholic)

School. .... 651-771-8494

Fax ..... 651-771-3466

Website ..... [www.stjermeschool.org](http://www.stjermeschool.org)

Kids' Korner Daycare..... 651-771-1023

## Pastoral Staff

Fr. Victor Valencia..... Pastor

## Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb ..... Parish Secretary

## Music

Open..... Music Director

## Faith Formation

Open ..... Religious Ed Coordinator

Florence Amenia ..... Confirmation

Open..... Children's Liturgy

## School

Anne Gattman ..... Principal

Grace Zappa ..... Preschool Director

Sue Costello ..... School Secretary

Nay Paw ..... School Secretary

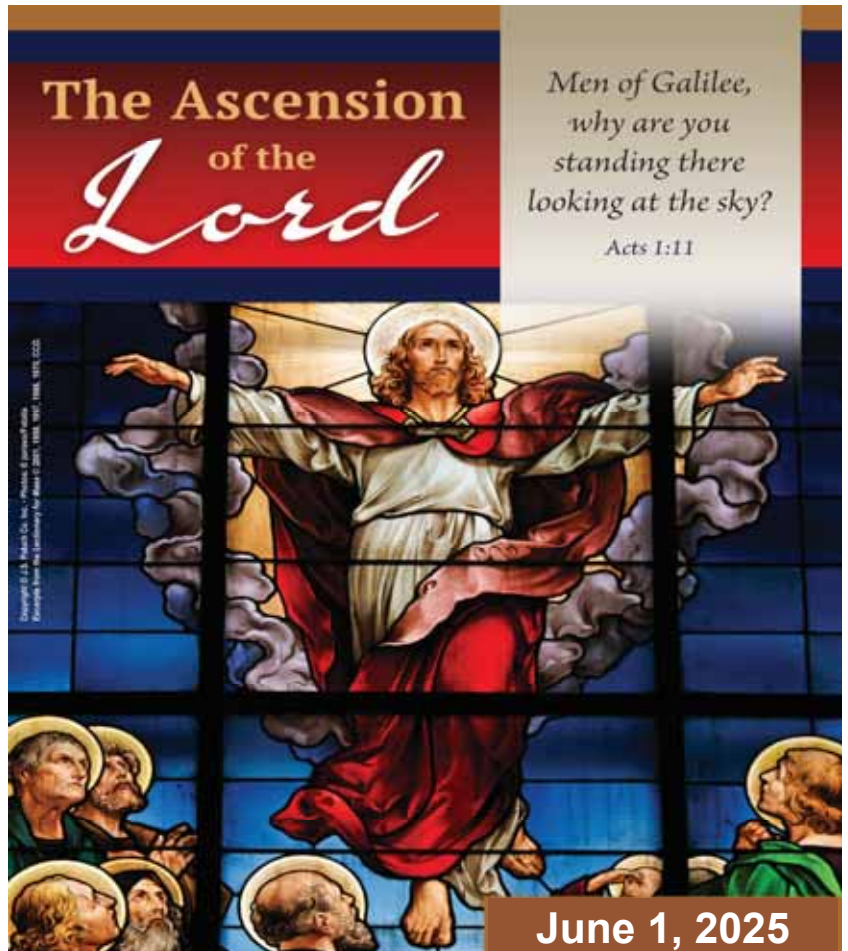
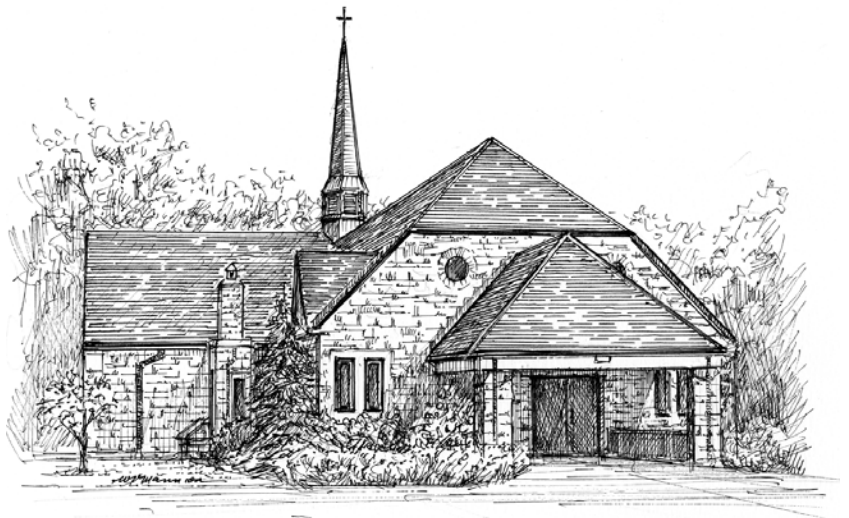
## Maintenance

Rick Gahm..... Supervisor

## Safe Environment coordinator

Marie Joseph..... 651-771-8494

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



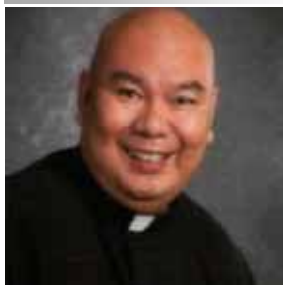
June 1, 2025



## 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,

We are now at the height of our Easter Celebration remembering the day when the apostles of Jesus witnessed his ascension into heaven. While we take time to reflect on the death and resurrection of Jesus, the story of the ascension of Jesus completes and

brings to a high point our celebration of the mystery of the resurrection. Traditionally this is celebrated forty days after Easter Sunday. It usually falls on a Thursday but in many dioceses throughout the United States, the feast (the solemnity) gets moved to Sunday so that the greater community and join in the celebration.

The very important message of Jesus on his Ascension day is about the mission of evangelization, bringing the Good News of his Passion, Death, Resurrection and the forgiveness of sins to all the peoples of the world, starting with Jerusalem. They are to give witness to this and so are we.

As we read closely what Jesus said about evangelization, Jesus talks about "bringing the gospel", "bearing witness to the Good News of his Resurrection, his Passion and Death", you'll notice what he says that repentance (number 1) and forgiveness of sins (number 2) should be preached in his name. It is important to point this out because it's easy, in our modern day, to forget that repentance from sin is an essential part of the gospel. That is absolutely fundamental.

The celebration of Ascension is a joyful celebration not just because it proves the truth about Jesus but more importantly it gives us a clear message of the mission of the church. We are called to become "witnesses" of the good news and to be examples of conversion, "a change of heart".

Fr. Victor

## PENTECOST— June 7-8



Please sign up to light one of the red candles during the petitions on Pentecost weekend.

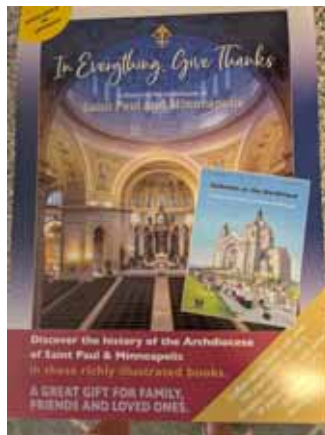
Sign up is in the entrance of the church.

## PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Busy week coming up. Monday is the 8th grade graduation. Please pray for our graduates and they begin their journey in high school. Tuesday is field day. Always a fun day for the students. Wednesday is the last school mass and the last day of school. Thursday is day to celebrate the staff. We start with mass and end with a picnic. Friday is the last day for the teachers.



8th Grade trip to Duluth.



St. Jerome is selling this high quality hard cover History of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. We also have a softcover Illustrated History of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis. Each book is available in Spanish.

You will be able to view and purchase the books after the weekend masses.

**Cost:**

**\$36 for the hardcover**

**\$16 for the softcover.**



**Did you know that the school collects aluminum cans?**

Please put them in a bag and leave them behind the school next to the red shed.





## QUILTERS FOR A CAUSE

1st Friday in June :  
**June 6 from 9:00 till 2:30**

Do you like to sew? Would you like to spend a few hours with some fun people and eat some good food? We can find a task for you - quilting experience is not necessary but basic machine sewing skills are helpful.

We will meet again **Friday, June 6 from 9:00 till 2:30**. Come whatever hours you can and bring something to share for potluck lunch.

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, children baptized at St. Jerome and Kids Korner. If you have any questions please call Mary Selby at 651-489-4177.



## SCRIP

June is right around the corner and with that, our next physical sale. Let's see if we can top the \$500 we made off the March sale. I plan on starting the sale the weekend of June 7th and 8th with the order form in the bulletin that weekend. You will have until Monday, June 23rd to get your order and check to the parish office, or you can put it in the collection basket marked, "Scrip." In the meantime, feel free to shop online. The website is [raise right.com](http://raise.right.com). I would be happy to provide you with the easy instructions for shopping scrip online, just call me at 651-587-0582 or my email is [auglie@usfamily.net](mailto:auglie@usfamily.net). With that, there is no need to wait for a physical card, you can print out ecards which you can use at restaurants, retail stores, etc. Have fun during these beautiful spring days. Anita Kennedy



## GARAGE SALE

**Annual Garage Sale**

**June 25 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. &  
June 26 from 9 a.m.-noon (bag sale)**



**Donation drop offs**

**June 21, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. &  
June 23, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.**

**Items not accepted include but are not limited to:**

Exercise equipment, ski's and poles, computer equipment, electronics, TVs, large appliances, large furniture, automobiles, encyclopedias, baby equipment

## 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.

Summer is a great time to train to be an Altar Server.  
Please call the parish office if you are interested.



## BASILICA of ST. MARY Indulgence



The Basilica of St. Mary has been identified as a site to gain an indulgence for this Jubilee Year. St. Jerome Parish has scheduled a date with the Basilica to visit it for this purpose on Saturday, Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>.



## WATCHMEN'S ANNUAL HOG ROAST



**June 17, 2025**

Rosary at 6:00 PM;

Meal at 6:30 PM;

Program begins at 7:00 PM.

Please consider joining us for this special event.



Can you help with any of the following tasks:

- **Water outside plants:** We need someone who can help water the outside plants on the weekends. This includes around the church, the parish office and the school. This is not every weekend. Please contact Eileen Schoenecker at 651-253-1998 or [elstrs@comcast.net](mailto:elstrs@comcast.net)
- **Weed whipping:** There is a lot of fence line and building that need trimming. If you can help out, just trim when you are available. You can bring your own equipment or call the parish office and we will set you up.
- **Live streaming:** Can you help live stream the 4:30pm Mass on Saturdays? We need a couple of people to run the camera. Its pretty easy and doesn't take much set up or need much training. Please call the parish office if you can help out.

## PARISH EVENT CALENDAR June 2-8

<b>Monday</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Small Group</b>
	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>8th Grade Graduation</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Men's Club</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Last Day of School</b>	
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Staff Mass</b>
	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Mass at nursing home</b>
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Small Group</b>
	<b>11:45am</b>	<b>Fatima Prayer Group</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Quilters for a Cause</b>
	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Small Group</b>
<b>Saturday</b>		
<b>Sunday</b>		<b>Pentecost Sunday</b>

## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Monday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Glenda Scow</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Ann Rinehart</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Frances &amp; John Bogut</b>
	<b>9:45am</b>	
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Deceased Kruger family members</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Patricia Schreier (living)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>Fr. Joseph Kureh (living)</b>
	<b>4:30pm</b>	<b>Members of the Parish</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Al Galbraith</b>

## LITURGICAL ROLES

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

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm	J. Dickson
Sun. 9:30 am	T. Schoenecker

## LECTORS:

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

## ALTAR SERVERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm	L. Anyanwu	S. Anyanwu
	A. Bonghan	
Sun. 9:30 am	A. Vigonte	G. Murphy
	M. Revering	R. Vigonte

Weekly  
Offering



**Contributions for the week of  
May 21-27**

Weekly Contribution: \$3,196.26

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

## MESSAGE OF FATIMA—June 5



## SPREAD THE MESSAGE OF FATIMA— June 5

Thursday, June 5 at 11:45 at St. Jerome upper church. Members responding to Our Lady's requests for prayer, penance and sacrifice in a spirit of reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary and for the conversion of poor sinners. Please join us.

## To subscribe

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4. Find **St Jerome Catholic Church** by parish name, address, or zip code
5. Enter your email - and you're in!



He is risen! He is risen indeed! The resurrection is the climax of holy week one of the most joyful events in the church year. Make time to watch this lecture.

## The Resurrection with Dr. Michael Barber

Dr. Michael Barber is a bestselling author. An associate professor of sacred scripture and theology at the Augustine Institute. Dr. Michael Barber unpacks the biblical account of Jesus Resurrection from the dead.

## EUCCHARIST ADORATION CHAPEL

The Adoration Chapel is open  
**8 am Monday through 6 pm Thursday.**

**Permanent adorers are needed  
Mondays at 1 pm and Wednesdays at 2 pm.**

If you have questions,  
please call Lorraine at 651-772-2997



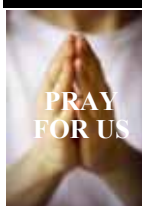
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## LOW GLUTEN HOSTS



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



PRAY  
FOR US

Fr. Cletus Baskela, Bill Baumgarten, Debbie Bibeau, Rick Brilla, Patricia Cokley, Gayl Chrysler, Cathy & Don Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Thomas & Patricia Frazer, Shawn Gadwa, Karen Geretschlaeger, Mary Gross, Robert Haas, Sharon Heffernan, David Hendricks, Clarice Holthaus, Janis Horski, Richard (Les) Johnson, Kevin Jones, Eugene Kaufhold, Von Kern, Mary Kishish, Kevin Klutzke, John & Linda Kostohryz, Mary Laumeyer, Steve Lauinger, Morgan Lenze, Fr. Ken Ludescher, Nancy Masson, Dorothy Mayer, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, Brian Michalitsch, Nancy Miller, Nolan Mullaney, Greg Negard, Louise Nieters, Alida Peltier, Enrico Pirri, Shannon Presler, Terri Quitter, Patrick Roth, Rick Peiffer, Theresa Richardson, Cynthia & David Schluender, John Schluender, Michelle Schoenecker, Don Schwantes, Gretchen Skinner, Mike Spangenberg, Craig Steineck, Lori Storla, Joyce Theilhorn, George Valento, Greg Votel, Danica Weller, Jim & Evelyn Wendt, Beverly Wermus, Eric Witzel, Kevin Yackel

## PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN



Jack Butler  
Grace (Wegleitner) Kelley  
Eric Dickson  
Jared Anderson