

C H U R C H O F

# St. Jerome

380 E. Roselawn Avenue  
Maplewood, MN 55117

Celebrating  
**85**  
years

**April 12, 2026**



### 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. Peter Ly ..... Interim Parochial Administrator

### Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb ..... Parish Secretary

### Music

Open..... Music Director

### Faith Formation

Open ..... Religious Ed Coordinator  
Florence Amena ..... 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





**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.

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—April 12th**



"The Feast of Divine Mercy - Sunday, April 12th  
St. Jerome will host an afternoon of prayer beginning at 1:30 and ending with 4:00 Sunday (fulfillment) Mass. Confessions from 1:30-3:30pm

[www.feastofmercy.net](http://www.feastofmercy.net)  
for more information."

**CONFIRMATION—Rite of Sending**



**CONGRATULATIONS!**  
*to our 2026 Confirmands  
who will be  
Confirmed at the Cathedral  
Saturday April 18, 10am*

*Simon Anyanwu      Robbie Berthiaume  
Annabell Holzemer      Isaiah Kennedy*

**New Address for Fr. Ken**

Fr. Ken has moved to the Little Sisters of the Poor.

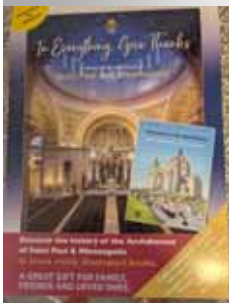
**New Address:**  
330 Exchange St. S. #262  
St. Paul, MN 55102



**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.

**ARCHDIOCESE 175th Anniversary BOOKS**



The coffee table book, History of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis and the softcover Illustrated book are available for purchase at the entrance of the church.

**Cost:**  
**\$36 for the coffee table edition**  
**\$16 for the graphic novel**  
**\$50 for both**

**PRINCIPAL'S CORNER—Mrs. Gattman**



**Mr. Pat Wallner  
is retiring!**



After 30+ years of service to St. Jerome School, Mr. Wallner will be rolling up his maps and moving on.



Please help us fill his SJS mailbox with letters from former students.

St. Jerome Parishioners, please share this request with your children who had Mr. Wallner as a teacher.



Please send letters to:  
**Mr. Pat Wallner**  
c/o St. Jerome School  
384 Roselawn Ave. E  
Maplewood, MN 55117

**by June 1, 2026**

*Thank you!*



**PARTY WITH A PURPOSE**  
MAKE A DIFFERENCE



**PURCHASE  
TICKETS  
TODAY!**

A fundraising event for the students of St. Jerome School.

*Saturday, April 18th*

Join us for our annual Spring Gala and connect with the faculty, staff, and students who bring our mission to life!




Scan Me

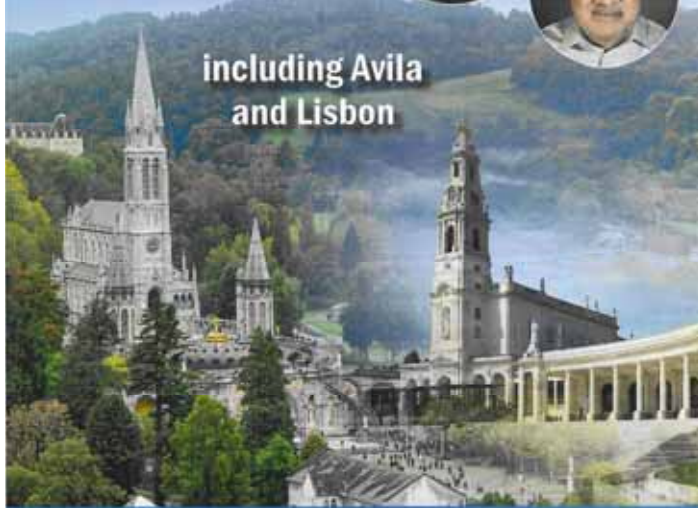
# FRANCISCAN BROTHERS OF PEACE PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES & FATIMA

with Fr. Seraphim Wirth, fbp  
and Mark Miller



**11 Days  
October 12-22, 2026**



including Avila  
and Lisbon



For More Information Contact:  
Select International Tours  
800-842-4842  
rberes@selectintl.com  
selectinternationaltours.com

## Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe

On Saturday May 16, 2026 we will be travelling by Coach Bus to La-crosse WI to visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe. This event will include the parishes of St. Jerome and Presentation of the BVM. We will leave St. Jerome at 8:00 AM and arrive at the Shrine by 11:00. We will spend 4.5 hours at the shrine. At the Shrine there will be an opportunity to pray the Rosary, attend Confession, Attend Mass, Venerate the Relic of St. John Nepomucene, participate in a Church Pilgrimage, and wander the grounds to see various shrines and eat lunch. We will leave the Shrine at 3:30 PM and arrive back by 6:30 PM. There is space on the bus for 56 attendees.



**Cost for transportation and boxed sub sandwich lunch will be \$50 per person.**

Sign up for this event will be after Masses on the weekends of April 18/19 and April 25/26. Or in the parish office. Cash or check only.

## SCRIP

A big thanks to all of you who support Scrip. A number of you bought cards with our recent physical gift sale and many of the cards are reloadable. Take a Cub card for instance. If you would rather reload than wait for the next physical sale, it is very easy to do. You would set up an online account by going to [raiserright.com](https://raiserright.com) on your browser. Click on *join an existing program*. Enter enrollment code **B89AB59714377**. Click on *enroll*. Type in your first and last name only and then the *next* button. Add your email address and create a password. Pick your 2 security questions and fill in the answers. Set up your recovery phone (mobile phone number). Pick your contact method by either selecting text or phone call and you will receive a 6 digit code to enter. Click on *get started*. Follow the prompts. If you have any trouble at all setting up you account, please email me at [auglie@usfamily.net](mailto:auglie@usfamily.net).



One last reminder. You can only order e-gift cards (paper) or reload new gift cards because if you order physical gift cards, the church is charged a \$16.25 delivery fee. Thank you again for your support of St Jerome! Anita Kennedy

## SPRING CLEAN UP—April 18

**8:30 to Noon**

Please join us on Saturday as we spruce up the campus.

Bring tools: rakes, leaf blowers, chain saws, hedge trimmers, brooms, shovels, wheelbarrows, tarps, etc.



## THE HOLY WATER

Holy water is a powerful symbol of grace and blessing. It is one of our symbols of faith, a visible sign of God's grace to humankind through the years. The waters that flowed from the rock quenched the thirsting Israelites and saved them from death. In the rivers of Jordan the Jews received the grace of repentance and cleansing. Water that flowed from the side of Christ was a symbol of new life given after the sacrifice of Christ. The water in baptism cleanses us from our sins to make us become worthy children of God. Water is life.

When we make the sign of the cross with water it reminds us of our baptismal identity and the grace of life. The gesture speaks a lot about faith, of devotion and grace and protection. Because water is a sacred symbol of God's life and salvation, we use holy water also as protection from the evil one. The blessing of things with holy water comes from the faith that those that are touched by holy water are touched with the life giving grace of God. Holy water connects all these things to the memory and mystery of our involvement in the life of Christ in the Church."



**PLEASE TAKE A BOTTLE OF HOLY WATER HOME WITH YOU TODAY.**

**PARISH EVENT CALENDAR**  
**April 13-18**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Small Group</b>
	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Decorators</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>		
<b>Wednesday</b>		
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Anointing of the sick</b>
	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Service at Nursing Home</b>
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Small Group</b>
	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Liturgy Committee</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Small Group</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Spring Clean-up</b>
	<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Confirmation at Cathedral</b>
	<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>Party with a Purpose</b>
<b>Sunday</b>		<b>3rd Sunday of Easer</b>
	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>CCD</b>
	<b>11:00am</b>	<b>Hall Rental</b>

**MASS INTENTIONS**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Florence Leahy</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Todd Watson</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>April Becker</b>
	<b>9:45am</b>	<b>Romona Medina (living)</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Mike Steele</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>7:15am</b>	<b>Patricia Schreier</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>Laura Schoenbauer</b>
	<b>4:30pm</b>	<b>Lorraine Frenning</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Members of the Parish</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	M. Montie
Sun. 9:30 am	J. Lamb

**LECTORS:**

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

**ALTAR SERVERS:**

Sat. 4:30 pm	I. Kennedy	W. Heurung
Sun. 9:30 am	G. Revering	G. Murphy
	M. Revering	



**Contributions for the week of**  
**April 1-7**

Weekly: \$8,468

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



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**Divine Mercy 101 with Fr. Chris Alar, MIC**

Divine Mercy is the urgent message of hope for our world. Learn the powerful devotion and graces associated with it in this dynamic presentation with Fr. Chris Alar, MIC. Divine Mercy 101 provides a clear and concise overview of Divine Mercy and the role and mission of St. Maria Faustina Kowalska (1905-1938)

**EUCCHARIST ADORATION CHAPEL**

**Permanent adorers are needed for**  
**Tuesdays at 5 pm and Wednesday at 2 pm.**

Please prayerfully consider helping with one of these hours. If you would like to commit to an hour of adoration or if you have questions, please call Lorraine at 651-772-2997.



**The Chapel is open Monday at 9am**  
**to Thursday at 10pm.**

**PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE**  
**MEN AND WOMEN**



Jack Butler  
 Grace (Wegleitner) Kelley  
 Eric Dickson  
 Jared Anderson



Fr. Cletus Basekela, Debbie Bibeau, Patricia Cokley, Gayl Chrysler, Cathy & Don Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Connie Dufresne, Shawn Gadwa, Marilyn Galbraith, Karen Geretschlaeger, Mary Gross, Robert Haas, Sharon Heffernan, David Hendricks, Clarice Holthaus, Richard (Les) Johnson, Kevin Jones, Eugene Kaufhold, Von Kern, John Kerske, Mary Kishish, Christine Klein, Kevin Klutzke, John & Linda Kostohryz, Mary Laumeyer, Steve Lauinger, Morgan Lenze, Fr. Ken Ludescher, Nancy Masson, Dorothy Mayer, Patrick McGuigan, Chad McLellan, Romona Medina, Brian Michalitsch, Nancy Miller, Nolan Mul-laney, Greg Negard, Zachary Olberding, Alida Peltier, Paul Peltier, Christine Pirri, Enrico Pirri, Shannon Presler, Terri Quitter, Patrick Roth, Theresa Richardson, Mary Rinehart, Sharon Ryan, Cynthia & David Schluender, John Schluender, Michelle Schoenecker, Don Schwantes, Gretchen Skinner, Mike Spangenberg, Craig Steineck, Lori Storla, Joyce Theil-horn, Dave Thomalla, George Valento, Danica Weller, Jim Wendt, Beverly Wermus, Eric Witzel, Kevin Yackel

**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.