

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR  
August 10-16

|           |                                                                          |
|-----------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday    | 9:30am Small Group<br>6:30pm Decorators                                  |
| Tuesday   | 4:30pm All School family picnic                                          |
| Wednesday | Life Line screening<br>3:30pm Harvest Pack set up<br>5:30pm Harvest Pack |
| Thursday  | 10:00am Rosary at nursing home<br>6:30pm Small Group                     |
| Friday    |                                                                          |
| Saturday  | Assumption                                                               |
| Sunday    | 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time                                             |

MASS INTENTIONS

|           |                                              |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------|
| Monday    | 7:15am Don Tomsche (liv)<br>& Hao Dang (liv) |
| Tuesday   | 7:15am Cathy Deiman (living)                 |
| Wednesday | 7:15am Ken Newton                            |
|           | 8:45am No School—Summer                      |
| Thursday  | 7:15am Al Spangenberg                        |
| Friday    | 7:15am Patricia Schreier                     |
| Saturday  | 8:00am Patricia Schreier                     |
|           | 4:30pm Members of the Parish                 |
| Sunday    | 9:30am Zach Olberding                        |

LITURGICAL ROLES

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

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|-------------------------|------------------|
| EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: |                  |
| Sat. 4:30 pm            | K. Yackel        |
| Sun. 9:30 am            | E. Schoenecker   |
| LECTORS:                |                  |
| Sat. 4:30 pm            | K. Faschingbauer |
| Sun. 9:30 am            | S. Cardinal      |
| ALTAR SERVERS:          |                  |
| Sat. 4:30 pm            | S. Anyanwu       |
| Sun. 9:30 am            | M. Murphy        |
|                         | G. Revering      |
|                         | I. Kennedy       |
|                         | G. Murphy        |



Weekly Offering

Contributions for the week of  
July 29—August 4

Weekly Contribution: \$5,234.30

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



OFFICE HOURS

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS  
(June, July, August)

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

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.

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!

THIS WEEK ON FORMED

**Into the Breach: The Mission of the Family**  
This five-episode video series explores God's incredible design for marriage and the family. Be inspired by the encouraging stories of spouses and families living out the Lord's plan for their holiness.

EUCCHARIST ADORATION CHAPEL

Permanent adorers are needed for  
Thursdays at 11am

Long term substitutes are needed to fill in for this hour until a permanent adorer is found. If you are able to help, even for a month, or if you have questions, please call  
Monica at 651-442-1673 or  
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 Baskela, Debbie Bibeau, Patricia Cokley, Gayl Chrysler, Cathy & Don Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Connie Dufresne, Shawn Gadiwa, 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, Bishop Kevin Kenney, Mary Kishish, Christine Klein, Kevin Klutzke, John & Mary 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, Alida Peltier, Paul Peltier, Christine Pirri, Enrico Pirri, Shannon Presler, Patrick Roth, Theresa Richardson, Mary Rinehart, Sharon Ryan, Cynthia & David Schluender, John Schluender, Michelle Schoenecker, Don Schwantes, Denny Selby, Laurie Sherman, Gretchen Skinner, Mike Spangenberg, Lori Storka, Joyce Theilhorn, Dave Thomalla, Don Tomsche, George Valento, Danica Weller, Jim Wendt, Beverly Wermus, Eric Witzel, Kevin Yackel



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CHURCH OF

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           |
| Email         | .....secretary@stjerome-church.org     |
| FB            | .....www.facebook.com/stjeromecatholic |

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|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| School               | .....651-771-8494           |
| Fax                  | .....651-771-3466           |
| Website              | .....www.stjeromeschool.org |
| Kids' Korner Daycare | .....651-771-1023           |

Pastoral Staff

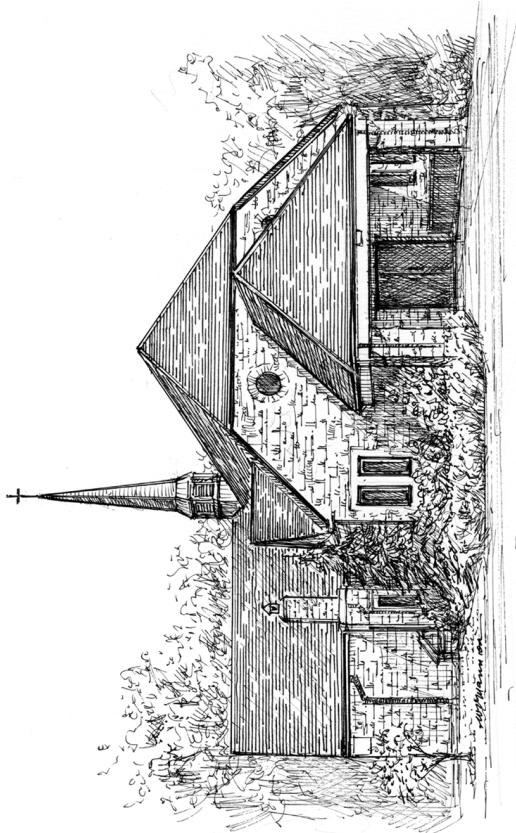
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| Fr. Bijou Mathew     | .....Pastor                   |
| Fr. T.J. McKenzie    | ..... Canonical Administrator |
| Administrative Staff |                               |
| Joanne Lamb          | .....Parish Secretary         |

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        |

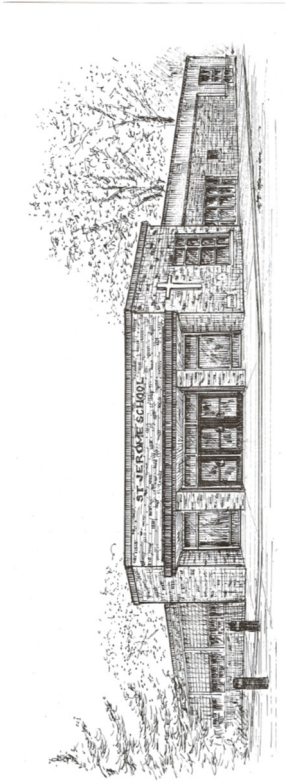


August 9, 2026

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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 Fr. Peter

“The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.” Psalm 145

Dear brothers and sisters,

As Psalm 145 reminded us this past weekend, our Lord answers all our needs. I want to take a moment to thank you for your prayers and patience this past year with the sudden passing of Father Vic and my role as your Canonical Administrator. Certainly things in life don't go as expected, but the important thing is to try and remain faithful to Jesus and the work he has asked us to be part of.

So, it is with joy that I share with you that two priests have raised their hands to continue to shepherd the work at Saint Jerome: Fr. Biju Matthew has been named Pastor of Saint Jerome Church. This is a change from what was initially announced that he would just be the Sacramental Minister. Fr TJ McKenzie, has been named the Canonical Administrator of Saint Jerome School, this includes his normal duties as the pastor of the Church of Saint Pius X in White Bear Lake.

Their duties will begin immediately and I ask that you pray for them and support them as they use their gifts to support the good work that has been done at Saint Jerome. As for myself, I will be returning to my fulltime duties at Presentation of Mary, but be assured of my continued prayers for you. Please also keep me in your prayers. Saint Jerome, pray for us! Fr Peter

SCRIP

Do you know you don't have to wait for one of our physical sales to purchase scrip? You can set up your own account either on your computer or in a mobile app and get what you need anytime. The beauty of scrip is that you can also purchase paper gift cards you can use immediately. Are you taking the family to Outback for dinner? You can purchase a gift card for any amount and then either provide the code off your phone to the waiter or give them the print copy of your certificate. If you don't want to that do but would like to get a paper gift card, you can connect with me about what you want, drop the money for the gift certificate off at the parish office and Joanne will have your paper gift card.

Please contact me at [auglie@usfamily.net](mailto:auglie@usfamily.net) if you need any help or have any questions about using scrip. I will gladly provide you with instructions for setting up your own account with scrip. Thank you for supporting St Jerome through scrip. Anita Kennedy

ANNOUNCEMENTS WE HAVE A PASTOR!

Archbishop Bernard Hebda has announced the following appointments:

Effective August 1, 2026

Fr. Biju Mathew has been assigned as pastor for the Church of St. Jerome. Fr. Biju will also continue as chaplain for M Health Fairview Saint John's Hospital in Maplewood and Woodwinds Hospital in Woodbury. This is a six year term and will expire June 30, 2032.

Fr. T.J. McKenzie has been assigned as the Canonical Administrator of St. Jerome School. Fr. T. J will also continue as pastor of the Church of St. Pius X in White Bear Lake.



Happy 86th Anniversary Church of St. Jerome August 9, 2026

HARVEST PACK—Aug 12 @ 5:30pm

Help us this, Wednesday August 12, to pack rice meals for 20,000 people. We will need plenty of help to make this night a success both in packing the food and with your financial donation. The cost of each packet is \$0.30. Each packet we make feeds five people. Our goal is to raise \$6000 to pay for the cost of these meals. We can do it! With God's blessing, we have reached our goal the previous 5 years. You can donate by putting your check in an envelope in the collection basket marked, "Harvest Pack", or drop your donation off at the parish office, We will be collecting between now and the packing event. Sign up at the entrance of the church for Harvest Pack, OR go to the parish website and sign up. Bring your family and friends with you as well! Thank you and God bless you!



Next weekend, Aug 15/16 the Knight of Columbus will be doing their annual charity campaign to support people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.



AUGUST 11

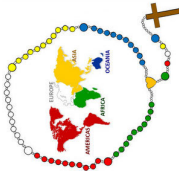
Autumn Retreats in Prior Lake



- September 8-10 Women's Midweek Retreat
- September 17 Embodying Sacred Presence: A Day of Yoga and Contemplation
- September 18-20 Grief Retreat with Hope United Grief Group (HUGG) (Men and Women)
- September 24-27 Silent Retreat (Men and Women) (October 2-4) Women's Weekend
- (October 16-18) Women's Weekend
- (October 23-25) Friends of Francis
- (October 30 - Nov 1) Women's Weekend

FranciscanRetreats.net 952-447-2182

Gift Certificates Available



There are 75,000 rosaries needed for the beatification Mass of Archbishop Fulton Sheen.

For information on how to make rosaries:

<https://www.archspm.org/help-make-75000-rosaries-for-the-beatification-of-archbishop-fulton-j-sheen/>

For information on the world mission rosary pilgrimage:

<https://www.archspm.org/events/world-mission-rosary-pilgrimage>.

ALTAR SERVER



St. Jerome Church is looking for more altar servers. Anyone male or female, entering 5 grade and older, including adults, can be an altar server. Become more involved in the Mass.

Learn more about your faith and religion.

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

It's almost fall which means it time to sign up for

FAITH FORMATION:

Please call or email the parish office if you have a child that will be attending Faith formation for grades 1-7 or for Confirmation grades 8 and up.



651-771-1209

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



THE RETREAT DAY WILL INCLUDE

- Coffee & light breakfast
- Four wonderful Catholic Speakers
- Mass, Adoration & Rosary
- Catered lunch by Crisp & Green (salad choices on registration page)
- Social Hour, Door Prizes & Treats
- Shopping at various Catholic Vendors

Retreatants will receive a leather journal, pen & bookmarks

COST: \$50 per person / \$25 Religious REGISTER AT [STPATRICK-EDINA.ORG](http://STPATRICK-EDINA.ORG) or scan the QR Code

TWO GRAND PRIZES!

Mother Mary Leather tote bags!



Must be present to win. Grand prize will include 2 books on women of the Bible & a tumbler. (2nd entry for those who donate to SWOW!)