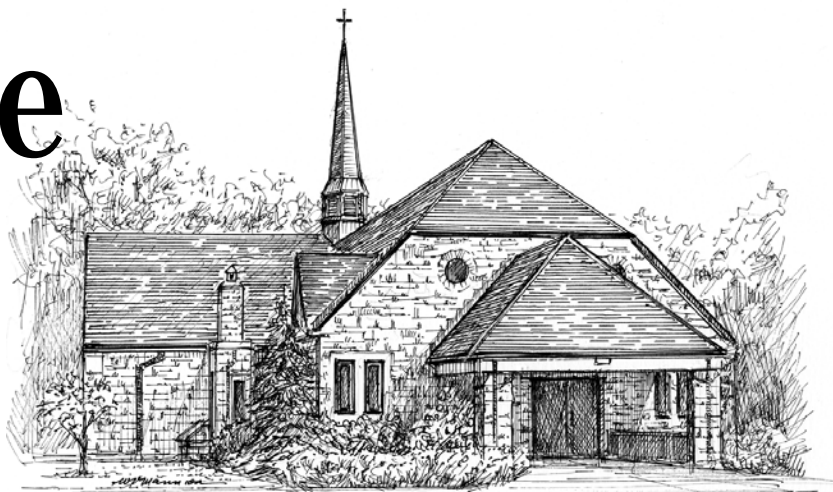


CHURCH OF
St. Jerome

380 E. Roselawn Avenue
 Maplewood, MN 55117



Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 PM
 Sunday 8:30 and 10:30 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 11:00 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

Our Lady of Fatima Novena.....Sat. 4:00 PM

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

Pastoral Staff

Fr. Cletus BasekelaPastor

Administrative Staff

Joanne Lamb.....Parish Secretary

Music

Mary Beth HessMusic Director

Faith Formation

Ryan GarrisonReligious Ed Coordinator
 Ryan Garrison..... Youth Minister
 Ryan Garrison..... Confirmation
 Geralyn BroderickSunday School

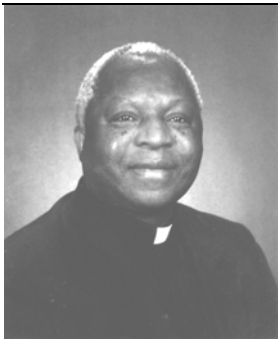
School & Kids Korner

Laureen Sherman Principal
 Kelly Sheehan.....Director.Preschool/Daycare
 David SeledicMaintenance Engineer



**They opened their treasures
 and offered him gifts
 of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.
 — Matthew 2:11b**





KING OF NATIONS

With the Epiphany, it is one of Christmas mysteries which we continue to celebrate; in fact, Epiphany is Jesus' appearance or

manifestation not only as a Unifier, but also as Light for the Nations, as someone deserving the best of donations and of honors.

God is using people, cities, nature, traditions. . . to reveal the Son; with today's Scripture readings, it is a star, Magi, gifts offered, prophets helping people to recognize the newborn Child as the Messiah.

The Church takes the opportunity of the celebration of the Epiphany to remind us in a solemn way these words of Paul to the Ephesians: "the Gentiles are coheirs, members of the same body, and copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel" (Eph. 3:6).

Epiphany is about bringing all the nations in the Kingdom of Christ; it is about using our differences and diversities to build a unique and strong family of God on the rock which is Jesus Christ.

Fr. Cletus

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

St. Jerome received the Exxon Mobil Educational Alliance Grant!

Through the sponsorship of Joe Duellman, owner of Tom's Mobil and St. Jerome parishioner, St. Jerome school received a \$500.00 grant for our science and math programs. Exxon Mobil has a long history of supporting educational programs that focus on improvements in science and math. Thank you!

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, January 15th
After the Sunday Masses
Our annual FREE pancake breakfast is our thank you to you, the parishioners and friends of St. Jerome, for your amazing support of our students and our school. Please join us!

All School Open House & Kindergarten Info Night

January 17th, 5:30pm
Come see what makes our school so great! Join us for a free pizza dinner as you learn all about our community. Meet our teachers and take a tour! There will be STEM, Literacy, and Math activities in the gym for all to enjoy.



Laurie Sherman, SJS Principal

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Acts 10:34-38; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10; Mt 3:13-17
- Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:21-28 or Heb 1:1-6 and 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:14-20 and 1:21-28
- Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Mk 1:29-39
- Thursday: Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-11; Mk 1:40-45
- Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4bc, 6c-8; Mk 2:1-12
- Saturday: Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 2:13-17
- Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34



An accredited High Quality Preschool and Daycare. Parent Aware highest rating. Three, four and five year olds are welcome. Call 651-771-1023 with any questions or just stop on by. Hope to see you soon!



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.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Catholic Schools Week Jan. 15—20**
Pancake breakfast Sunday Jan. 15th
- **Lent Fish Fry—April 7**
- **Diamonds and Denim April 29 @ 5:30pm**
Tickets are \$25 per person, includes dinner, one drink and other fun surprises.
- **Youth Mission Trip—June 27 to July 2**
Contact Ryan Garrison if you want to go.
St. Louise MO

ADULT RELIGION CLASSES

The Tuesday afternoon adult religion classes have been suspended until Feb. 14, 2017.

CATHOLIC WATCHMEN—Jan. 10, 6:30p



What does it mean to be a Catholic man? How does a man protect, provide for and lead his family? The Catholic Watchmen is a call to battle for all Catholic men. Will you answer the call?

St. Jerome Men meet on second Tuesday of the month at 6:30. It runs from 6:30—8:30pm. There will be a video presentation, time for fellowship, group discussion as well as time for adoration and confession. Food and drink will be provided. For more information contact Tim Bertsch at bertsch@yahoo.com or call 261-7574

ADORATION

Eucharistic



Adoration

Permanent adorers are needed Monday 2 - 3:30 p.m., Tuesday at 4 p.m., Wednesday at 3 p.m., Thursday at 3 p.m. and 6 p.m., and Friday at 3 p.m. If you have any questions or are able to help, please call Lorraine at 772-2997.

MARRIAGE RETREATS ENCOUNTER Feb. 18-19

Give each other and your family a Valentine gift that will keep giving for generations to come! Sign up for the February 18-19 Marriage Encounter. Register at www.marriages.org. Weekends are held at Mt Olivet Conference and Retreat Center in Farmington. Visit www.marriages.org for additional dates and information or call 651.454.3238



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's liturgy is held during the 10:30 mass. All children Kindergarten thru 4th grade are encouraged to attend.

RETREAT FOR WOMEN—Jan. 28

Transfiguration Catholic Church in Oakdale would like to invite all women of your parish community to join us for the Annual Winter Women's Retreat: Be Still and Know that I Am God on Saturday, January 28 from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. The day will include Mass, opportunities for Confession, two dynamic talks by Fr. Randal Kasel and Catholic speaker Nancy Jo Sullivan, and time for food and fellowship. Please register by going to transfigurationmn.org/womensretreat or by calling the Transfiguration Parish Office at 651-738-2646. We look forward to seeing you on January 28!

Here's the link:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/tccws-annual-winter-retreat-be-still-and-know-that-i-am-god-tickets-30705836985>

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CLASSES

A series of **Natural Family Planning (NFP)** classes will begin soon in your community or a community near you. This Church approved method is scientific and marriage building. The classes teach couples how to achieve or postpone pregnancy, while embracing the beauty of God's gift of sexuality.

A series of classes taught by a qualified instructor will begin in:

Friday, January 13, 2017 at St. Paul, Ham Lake
Tuesday January 24, 2017 at Epiphany, Coon Rapids
Tuesday, January 31, 2017 at Woodwinds Hospital, Woodbury

Register at twincities.ccli.org or for more information; please call the

Couple to Couple League at (612) 721-3791

For a complete list of classes offered throughout the Archdiocese, call (651) 291-4489 or visit www.archspm.org/family

SUNDAY TV MASSES FOR HOMEBOUND

Heart of the Nation will televise Catholic Mass at 9:30am on WUCU (CW) channel 23.

To watch Mass on-line, please visit www.heartofthenation.org



INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

Are you or someone you know interested in becoming Catholic? You may want to consider the RCIA process (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults). The RCIA process is for any adult who wishes to become a fully initiated member of the Catholic Church. Classes start in September and end at Easter.

Please call the parish office to register.

PARISH EVENT CALENDAR
Jan. 9-15

Monday		
Tuesday	6:30pm	Bell Choir
	6:30pm	Catholic Watchman
Wednesday	6:15pm	Choir practice
	6:30pm	Religious Education
Thursday	9:45am	Mplwd Nursing Home Mass
	7:00pm	Finance meeting
Friday		
Saturday	11:00am	Rosary (chapel)
	5:30pm	Baptism
Sunday		<i>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
		<i>Catholic Schools Week</i>
		<i>Pancake Breakfast (school)</i>
	6:00pm	Confirmation

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	7:15am	Communion Service
Tuesday	7:15am	John Burns
Wednesday	7:15am	Don Moran
	9:45am	Louis J. Cardinal
Thursday	7:15am	St. Jerome Eucharist Adorers
Friday	7:15am	John Burns
Saturday	8:00am	Al Nieters
	4:30pm	bob Trost
Sunday	8:30am	Members of the Parish
	10:30am	John Burns

2017 Calendars

Pick up one at the entrances of the church.



FALL FESTIVAL CHAIR COUPLE

Is God is calling you? Shouting at you to share your gifts? The Fall Festival committee is looking for a new Fall Festival Chair Couple. Could this be you? Training is provided. This first year your will co chair with the current chair couple. Please call the Parish office and lets get started.

FR. LUDESCHER LAMP

will burn this week in prayer for
Dolores Gleason



Art & Phyllis Arnold, Lucy Baker, Ellen Bovy, Kevin Broderick, Spencer Cardinal, Sara Cook, Cathy Deiman, Kirk Duellman, Tom Duellman, Al Galbraith, Salvatrice Gambino, John Gombold, David Hendricks, Clarice Holthaus, Brian Homeier, Ken Ives, Warren Jansen, Eugene Kaufhold, Lily Kehler, Robert & Mary Klutzke, Steve Lauinger, John Lawless, Irene Ling, Rose-Marie Manders, Patrick McGuigan, Michael McMonigal, Minnie McMonigal, Graham Murphy, Greg Negard, Maggie Oscarson, Lorraine Pojar, Shannon Presler, Patrick Roth, Danny Rothbauer, Tom Rothbauer, Louise Schroeder, Donald Seiberlich Jr., Gene Skok, Ava Swift, Tony Swift, Elizabeth Thayer, Greg Votel, Betty Waschbusch, Theresa Wilkes, Tom Witschen, Kevin Yackel, Lorraine Youngbauer

LITURGICAL ROLES Jan. 9-15

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

SERVERS:

Wed., Fri. Josh & J. Knauss
Tues., Thurs, Sat. A. Cardinal & G Cook
Sat. 4:30 pm A. & K. Melake
Sun. 8:30 am Guy Cardinal & T. Hannigan
10:30 am Mi. Heurung & Jo. Lamb

CANDLE BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm I. Schreier & A. Wilhelm
Sun. 8:30 am D. Hannigan & W. Holzemer
10:30 am Ja. Lamb & M. Cook

CROSS BEARERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm
Sun. 8:30 am C. Cardinal
10:30 am

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm S. Kuglin, S. Rooney, J. Zielinski
Sun. 8:30 am M. Simone, G. Votel, Y. Clintsman
10:30 am J. Lamb, C. & D. Schluender

LECTORS:

Sat. 4:30 pm J. Dostalek
Sun. 8:30 am S. Cardinal
10:30 am T. Zappa

\$CRIP SELLERS:

Sat. 4:30 pm L. Sherman, S. Heintz
Sun 8:30 am B. Murphy , L. Blomgren
10:30 am L. & J. Schroeder



**Contributions for the week of
January 1, 2017**

Weekly Contribution: \$6772.00

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

CONTRIBUTE ELECTRONICALLY!

It's easy, eliminates the need to write checks, saves on the cost of envelopes, and it provides our parish with consistent support year round.

Contact the Parish Office at 771-1209

SCRIP

Scrip (gift cards) are sold after all the weekend masses in Ludescher Hall. Stop down, we have gift cards for all your shopping needs, especially gas and grocery cards. Please support the school.

