

St. Jerome Catholic Church

As parishioners of St. Jerome and as Catholic disciples of Jesus Christ, we respond to our Lord's invitation to walk with Him in the Sacraments and prayer, to deepen our faith through lifelong formation, to serve those in need, and to invite others to the fullness of the Catholic faith through His Holy Word and the teaching of His Church.

PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Tom Morgan
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Msgr. Brendan Muldoon
Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Gregory Reisert, OFM Cap.
Assisting Priest

Msgr. Dacian Dee
Assisting Priest

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Permanent Deacon

Sr. Lucia Brady, OSC
Pastoral Care / Outreach
Life Long Formation

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Lisa Brett-Reeves
Coordinator of Catechesis
of the Good Shepherd

Tina Bowen
Youth and Family Coordinator

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Karen Kurt

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Tom Kurt, Music Director
Erica DiCeglie, Asst. Music Director

BETHLEHEM CENTRE

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Denise Roach, Administrator
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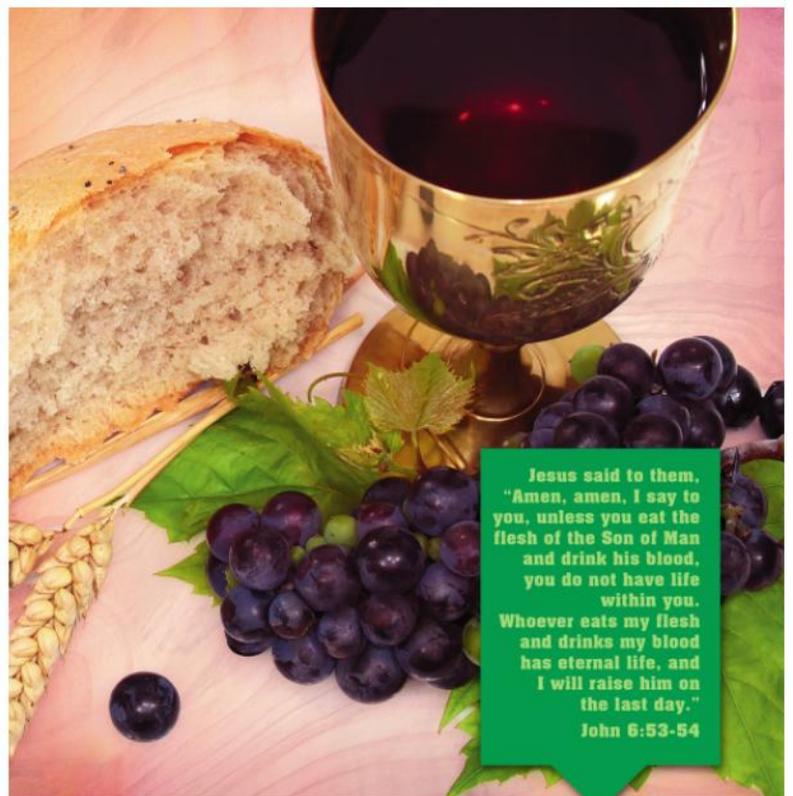
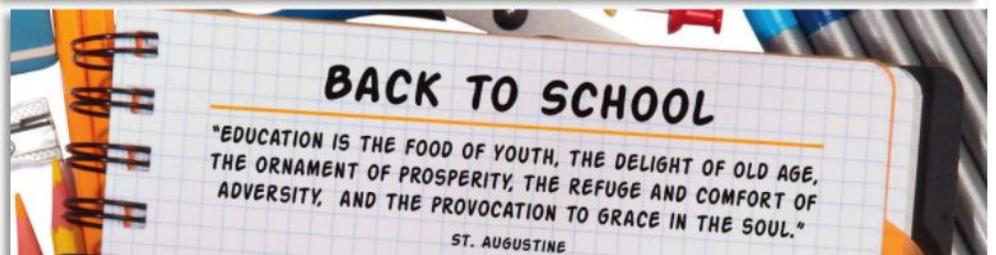
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Saturday Vigil Mass: 4pm & 5:30pm
Sunday Mass: 7:30am, 9am, 10:45am, 12:30pm & 5pm
Daily Mass, Monday - Saturday: 7am & 9am in the Holy Family Chapel

Holy Family Chapel open 24 hours every day;
Confessions, Saturday: 3pm - 3:45pm; **Anointing of the Sick**, last weekend of the month Saturday 9:30am & Sunday 1:30pm;
Holy Hour and Benediction, 1st & 3rd Friday 9:30am - 10:30am



August 19, 2018



Jesus said to them, "Amen, amen, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day."
John 6:53-54

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ORDINARY
TIME

Dear Friends:

We are blessed to have two of our young adults engaged in mission work for the Lord. I would once again like to introduce you to Brennan Robinson and Kaitlyn Russo. Brennan is serving as Mission Leader at Saint Paul's Outreach Minnesota at the University of St. Thomas, and Kaitlyn is a Student Missionary at the Catholic Student Union at Florida State University. I am happy to include "Part One" of how these young Catholics are engaged in bringing the message of Jesus Christ and His Church to those around them. I encourage you to pray for them and consider supporting the efforts they are engaged in.

Sincerely yours in Christ,


Fr. Tom Morgan



Part 1: Mission Reports from Kaitlyn Russo and Brennan Robinson



Hello St. Jerome Parish Family! My name is Kaitlyn Russo. I am a senior at Florida State University where I am double majoring in French and Religious Studies. I feel very blessed (and admittedly a little proud) to call St. Jerome's my home parish. Attending the 9:00am Sunday Mass with my parents, my two younger sisters, and my younger brother is always a highlight of my time spent at home. Since moving up to Tallahassee in 2015, a priority of mine has been to find an equally vibrant and faith-filled community. As always, the Lord provided and has gifted me with an incredible community to belong to. This group, the Catholic Student Union, (known around campus as CSU), has played a tremendous role in leading me to Christ and in my own personal conversion. It is a group of hundreds of college-aged men and women who are on fire for Christ, dedicated to bringing His light onto FSU's campus. Trust me when I say, this group is as countercultural as it sounds. Right in the heart of a large, secular, college campus, this community strives for excellence by responding to Jesus' call to discipleship in today's world. As a group, we meet several times each week for prayer, worship, adoration, Scripture study, Mass, volunteering, and often to hang out and enjoy one another. It is hard to say just how much of an impact this group has had in my college career and, more broadly, in my life. CSU has provided the space, the tools and the support for me to grow in my personal relationship with Jesus, while also providing me with many of what I can confidently say are lifetime friendships. This year, I am so excited to say that I have been given an opportunity to give back to this group that has changed my life by serving as their Vice President.

(Part II: To be continued next week)

Kaitlyn Russo

Student Missionary
Florida State University
ker15@my.fsu.edu

If you would like to see what we are doing or learn more about us, please check us out at fsucatholic.org. Thank you immensely for all your support. St. Jerome's is in my prayers!



Hello Brothers and Sisters, my name is Brennan Robinson, and I am a fellow parishioner at St. Jerome Catholic Church. I am currently serving with Saint Paul's Outreach (SPO), which is a college campus ministry dedicated to bringing the Gospel life to the college culture. I first encountered SPO at Florida State where I received my undergraduate degree (Spring of 2017), and have been sent since to the University of Saint Thomas in Minnesota as a Missionary. Being a Missionary on this college campus has been one of the biggest joys of my life. From 200 person retreats, to one-on-one Bible studies and discipling, to taking a 15 person van 22 hours to Zion National Park, there is no shortage of adventure. Through it all I have come to realize that Jesus is tenacious in his love, calling people out of sinful lifestyles and into the joy of a relationship with him. I have been able to witness students' lives being transformed, as well as my own, and I am overjoyed to continue this mission. The mission is not possible without the prayers and support of many of you, whom are both financially and prayerfully with me everyday. Please know that you are in my prayers! May the Peace of Christ be with you. Alleluia!

(Part II: To be continued next week)

Brennan Robinson,

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 18

Vigil for the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm † **Claire Grace Margaret Coughlin** - 1st Anniversary Fr. Waters
 5:30 pm † **Erin Skala** - 3rd Anniversary Fr. Waters

Sunday, August 19

The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am † **Joseph St. Germain** Fr. Tom
 9:00 am † **Geri Morgan** Fr. Reisert
 10:45 am **All the People of the Parish** Fr. Reisert
 12:30 pm † **Peter Windishman** Fr. Tom
 5:00 pm † **Tom Downen** Fr. Tom

Monday, August 20

7:00 am † **Arno Maria Arriazola** Fr. Malloy
 9:00 am † **Tom Crabtree** Fr. Tom

Tuesday, August 21

7:00 am **Intentions of Joe & Irene Dressel** Fr. Reisert
 9:00 am † **Sally L. McGee** Fr. Tom

Wednesday, August 22

7:00 am **Intentions of Christel Thyssen** Fr. Malloy
 9:00 am † **Joseph Blasse** Fr. Tom

Thursday, August 23

7:00 am † **Jacqueline Rybka** Fr. Tom
 9:00 am † **Fred Abbot** - Anniversary Fr. Reisert

Friday, August 24

7:00 am † **Regina Crabtree** Fr. Tom
 9:00 am † **Deceased members of Greco Family** Fr. Reisert

Saturday, August 25

7:00 am † **Geri Morgan** Fr. Reisert
 8:45 am **Novena** Fr. Reisert
 9:00 am † **Joseph Blasse** Fr. Reisert

Saturday, August 25

Vigil for the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm † **Elwood Showalter** Fr. Tom
 5:30 pm † **Ingrid Arthur** Fr. Tom

Sunday, August 26

The Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am † **Marie Grilli** Fr. Waters
 9:00 am † **Ingrid Arthur** Fr. Tom
 10:45 am † **Edward Kaliszewski** Fr. Tom
 12:30 pm **All the People of the Parish** Fr. Reisert
 5:00 pm † **Miguel M. Rodriguez Fernandez and Isla A. Gort Perez** Fr. Tom

**Priest Schedule subject to change. **If there is a Mass intention error, please contact Pat Cummings in the Parish Office.*



Scripture Readings

Prepare & Pray the Word of God



Today's Readings: August 19, 2018
The 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34;
Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

Monday, August 20

Ez 24:15-24; Dt 32:18-21; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday, August 21

Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35cd-36ab;
 Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday, August 22

Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday, August 23

Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14

Friday, August 24

Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145; Jn 1:45-5Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51, 18-19; Mt 22:1-141

Saturday, August 25

Ez 43:1-7a; Ps 85; Mt 23:1-12

Next Sunday's Readings:

August 26, 2018

The 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jos 24:1-2a,15-17,18b; Ps 34;
Eph 5:21-32; Jn 6:60-69

First Reading — The Lord, our God, protected us along our entire journey (Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b).

Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

Second Reading — Christ nourishes and cherishes the church because we are members of his body (Ephesians 5:21-32 [5:2a, 25-32]).

Gospel — We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God (John 6:60-69).

PRAY: FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY

For our Sick, especially ...Antoinette Brenner, Elizabeth Gavin, Staff Sergeant Jason George, Karelene Tellone, Carla Levesque, Brian Johns, Margaret Mary Brody, Matt Johnson, Jose Ocasio, Edgar L'Ecuyer, Jeanne Holden, Vincent Cisternas, Frances Brown, Bob DiNicola, Patricia Kane ... *May they again experience health of mind and body.*

For our Deceased, especially ...

Anna Marie Donnelly, Maryanne "Marnie" Gabbard, Nancy Comey

May their souls & the souls of all the faithful departed, through the Mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Altar flowers this weekend are in honor of the Birthday of Peggy Abbott.



A Journey of Discovery!

If you would like to explore the possibility of becoming Catholic or if you are Catholic and want to better understand your faith, we invite you to join us on a journey of discovery. St. Jerome RCIA will have an inquiry session August 22nd in the Education Bldg. and will have regular sessions beginning September 19th. We journey together and that is exactly what the RCIA is all about, journeying together toward a deeper relationship with Christ and a deeper understanding of our Catholic Faith. For more information contact Deacon Fred Kunder at the office 727-595-4610. You need not wait any longer, our Lord waits for you and he longs for you to know him better.



Bible Study Every Thursday 10-11am

Please join us for Bible Study in the Education Building every Thursday.

LEGION OF MARY



The object of the Legion of Mary is the Glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active cooperation in Mary's and the Church's work. The Legion sees as its priority the spiritual and social welfare of each individual. The members participate in the life of the parish through visitation of families, the sick, both in their homes and in hospitals, nursing facilities, ALFs, and through collaboration in apostolate and missionary works sponsored by the parish. Every Legionary is required to carry out a weekly apostolic work in the spirit of faith and in union with Mary. We meet weekly in the Ed Kilroy Center on Thursday at 10am. For more info call Rhea Gasway 727-815-6400 or Elrita Basak 727-421-7894.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

The homebound ministry is an outreach service of St. Jerome Parish to all our parishioners. When those in our parish are sick, disabled or confined to their homes due to temporary or chronic illness, this ministry strives to reach out to them through the visit of a lay Eucharistic Minister or a priest. We encourage all our parishioners who are in need of this service to kindly call our parish office 727-595-4610. We would also appreciate more volunteers for this important ministry.

*"...when I was sick you visited me."
Matthew 25:36*

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Please join us for our study of St. Paul's Letters.

- DATE:** September 9th
We will meet to hand out a schedule and study books.
- PLACE:** Ed Kilroy Outreach Center
- TIME:** 10:15am – 11:45am

Please contact the Parish Office if you did not register by July 30th.

We will try to order books for you!



Once Weekly Boost!

Are you dragging by the end of the day? The St. Jerome Music Ministry can give you a boost... Come join one of our music groups and sing for the Lord! It will invigorate you, and give you more energy. Not only will you have more strength and vigor, but the Lord will also bless you. Call Tom or Erica at 727-595-4610 ext 304.

Come let us sing joyfully to the Lord; let us acclaim the rock of our salvation. Psalm 95:1-2

SHARE: THANK YOU FOR YOUR SACRIFICE!

Offertory Collection as of August 5, 2018

Offertory Envelopes	\$	13,796.00
Loose Cash	\$	2,968.00
Loose Checks	\$	1,775.00
e-giving	\$	3,838.00
Total Offertory	\$	22,377.00



Thank you for your faithful stewardship to our parish!

**Annual Pastoral Appeal Update
As of August 9, 2018**

2018 Goal	\$292,644.00
Pledged	\$114,707.00
Paid	\$108,040.00
# Participating Families: ..	335



We appreciate all who made pledges to the 2018 Annual Pastoral Appeal. Thank you!

Tax Free Charitable Distribution from your IRA Account at age 70 ½!



Congress has permanently enacted qualified charitable distributions from your traditional IRA accounts. These distributions can be used to satisfy all or a portion of your Required Minimum Distribution. These distributions are free of federal and state income tax. Additionally, these gifts help you avoid the Medicare high income surcharge and can help to reduce taxes on your social security benefits. Distributions must be made directly from your IRA account to St. Jerome.

St. Jerome Legacy Society

Consider naming St. Jerome as the beneficiary of one of your life insurance policies or adding as a contingent beneficiary to an existing policy. Beneficiaries can also make Stock or Bond Gifts For complete details, contact Roger Swaine at 727-567-2904. Consider naming St. Jerome the beneficiary, or contingent beneficiary of one of your IRA accounts. For owners of a single IRA account, consider adding St. Jerome as a percentage beneficiary.

A Charitable Gift Annuity enables interested individuals to support the ministry of St. Jerome Parish through an irrevocable gift. By doing so you receive fixed payments at a rate higher than standard bank products and obtain substantial tax savings. To learn more, call Meehan Wright at the Diocesan Stewardship Office 341-6825.

Proper Method for Naming the Church in Your Will. Please ask your attorney to use the following terminology:

"I give devise, and bequeath (amount, article, stock, etc.) to Gregory Parkes, as Bishop of the Diocese of St. Petersburg, and his successors in office, a Corporation Sole, for the use of St. Jerome Catholic Church, 10895 Hamlin Blvd., Largo, FL 33774."



LEGACY SOCIETY



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

2018/19 Registration for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Pre-K-age12) will be held Sunday, **August 26th**, from 8:30am until 10:30am in the Education Building. Atrium spots will be assigned on a first come, first served basis. Due to the enthusiastic response to early registration last April, we now have a waiting list for Level 2. Level 3 is growing, and catechists have stepped up to offer two additional atrium times. In all levels we have been busy this summer training catechists and working on materials. As we look forward to our **August 26** registration date, this is our current enrollment status:

- CGS Level 1, 3 - 6 year olds, 14 vacancies
- CGS Level 2, 6 - 9 year olds, completely full; applicants will be put on waiting list
- CGS Level 3, 9 - 12 year olds, 10 vacancies

For more information about registration on **August 26**, please email faithformation@stjeromeonline.org.



FUN FRIDAY
SEPTEMBER 7TH
6:00-8:00 PM

Smugglers Cove
Indian Shores

Mini-Golf

19463 Gulf Blvd. Indian Shores, FL 33785

Calling all 6th – 12th grade youth...

Join us at Smugglers Cove Adventure Golf course which feature 18 Holes of adventure style golf in which you'll navigate through caves, pirate ships, waterfalls and live alligators! Parents will drop off & pick up their child at Smugglers Cove – there will be sign in/out required. Youth are welcome to bring a friend with permission slip completed.

Cost: \$8 per person

ALL are welcome
 BRING A FRIEND

Pre-Registration &
 Permission Slip
 Required

Come have fun with
 friends

For more information
 contact:

Tina Bowen

YOUTH AND FAMILY
 COORDINATOR

727-595-4610

[YOUTHANDFAMILY@
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FROM 1:30PM TO 4:30PM

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 BAKE OFF WITH LOTS OF DELICIOUS DESSERTS TO CHOOSE FROM



ADULTS TICKETS ARE \$10.00 PER PERSON
 CHILDREN FROM 5 - 12 YEARS OF AGE ARE \$5.00 PER CHILD
 ALL CHILDREN UNDER 5 YEARS ARE FREE
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 SOFT PRETZELS & SODA SUGGESTED DONATION PRICE OF \$.50 EACH

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 BRING YOUR LAWN / BEACH CHAIRS AND COME JOIN
 US FOR A FUN FILLED DAY OF FELLOWSHIP

50 / 50 RAFFLE
 PHOTO BOOTH AVAILABLE - MAKE MEMORIES, TAKE PICTURES
 GERMAN MUSIC WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR SINGING AND DANCING
 TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE AFTER ALL MASSES AND IN THE PARISH OFFICE

TICKET SALES SATURDAY, AUGUST 18TH THRU SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH
 TICKETS WILL NOT BE SOLD AT THE DOOR

Youth Ministry Registration 2018/2019: Registration for our Middle School & High School Youth Programs will be held on Sunday, August 26th from 8:30 am – 10:30 am in the Education Building. Our Middle School Edge program will meet on Sundays at 10:15 am & 12:00 pm in the Education Building – TV Lounge beginning 9/16 with a parent meeting/open house on 9/9. Our High School Youth Group will meet on Sunday evenings after the 5pm Mass (from 6:00 -8:00pm) in the Education Building – John Paul II room beginning 9/9. Come join us as we grow in faith & friendship! For more information, please contact Tina Bowen at youthandfamily@stjeromeonline.org or 595-4610.

Music Ministry

Tom Kurt, Music Director
 Erica DiCeglie, Assistant Music Director

Tel: 727-595-3100, ext 304
www.stjeromeonline.org

Music Ministry is in full recruiting mode for the upcoming season. We are looking for participants in all our choirs. Which one will you be joining?



Singers are needed for all our choirs:

- Adult
- Children
- Contemporary
- Cantabile
- Praise Band



We are also looking for musicians for the Praise Band and to play at some of the Masses.



After receiving so many blessings from our Lord, isn't it time for you to give back?

Please call Tom or Erica at 727-595-3100 ext 304 to join. Operators are standing by to take your call!

St. Jerome Early Childhood Center

Denise Roach, ECC Administrator
preschool@stjeromeecc.org

Tel: 727-596-9491
stjeromeearlychildhoodcenter.org



St. Jerome Early Childhood Center: School is back in session! Space available in our three and four year old classes for this school year! St. Jerome ECC offers a faith-filled, developmentally appropriate, and nurturing Catholic environment for children ages two, three, and four. Our VPK classes are free to all eligible four year olds. Full and half day options are available. St.

Jerome ECC is the only nationally accredited (NAEYC) Catholic preschool in Pinellas County and was voted Best Preschool by

TBN. All are welcome! For additional information and forms, please call the ECC office at 727-596-9491, email at preschool@stjeromeecc.org or visit our website at stjeromeearlychildhoodcenter.org.



Daily Rosary

The Holy Rosary is prayed Monday through Saturday at 7:30am in the Reservation Chapel. Every Wednesday after the Rosary join us for the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Every Friday after the Rosary we will have the Stations of the Cross.

Weekly Rosary

The Holy Rosary is prayed every Wednesday at 7pm in the Holy Family Chapel for Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life.

Morning Prayer

You are welcome to join us for Morning Prayer in the Liturgy of the Hours Monday through Friday at 8:40am.

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

The Mother of Perpetual Help Novena is held every Saturday at 8:45 am.



FEEDING THE HOMELESS

The Homeless Ministry ...

gathers in the Parish Center on Mondays at 1:30pm to prepare food to be taken to Pinellas Hope for the Homeless of our county. Currently we have approximately 40 volunteers who assemble

160 PB & J sandwiches, 240 deviled eggs, 2 trays of stuffing, 2 trays of veggies and 4 trays of a main course. Unsold bread and pastries are picked up and sorted for distribution. Many pounds of clothing and bedding are also donated.

Our group of 12 leaves the Parish Center at 6:15pm. Thanks to the generosity of St. Jerome parishioners, we are able to feed approximately 200 homeless at Pinellas Hope each week. If you have questions, call Rich or Pat Jennings at 727-289-7550 .

Lifeline is continually in need of the following non-perishable food items which can be left in the LIFELINE bins in the church:

- boxed macaroni and cheese
- boxed mashed potatoes
- beef stew
- hearty canned soups
- canned pork and beans
- peanut butter and grape jelly
- canned vegetables (corn, beans, carrots, tomatoes)
- pasta/spaghetti
- pasta sauce
- canned fruit
- canned tuna
- rice (2 lb. bag)
- cereal

Thank you for your generosity!

Do you need food? In addition to every Wednesday 8:30am – 11:30am, St. Jerome LifeLine food pantry will be open on the last Saturday of each month for you or someone you know who needs food assistance. We are thankful to Catholic Relief Services for this new program. Our next Saturday is July 28th from 9:30am – 11:30am.



50+ Singles

Hello fellow senior singles! We will not be meeting during the month of August. There are calendars in the gathering space listing some planned activities for the summer. Our next meeting is on Tuesday, September 25th in the parish center at 6:30pm. Enjoy the summer and "See you in September...!" For more information contact Barbara Austin (coordinator) at 727-459-7664.

P.S. Save the date! Saturday, December 1st – Christmas Party!



The Martha and Mary Guild cordially invites all women of the Parish to attend a complimentary lunch on Wednesday, September 5, at 11:00am in the Parish Center. The Martha and Mary Guild is a Social Ministry which donates money to St. Jerome through our fundraisers.

You are also welcome to join us at 10:45am Mass on Sunday, September 2nd, which we attend as a group. Our Annual Dues of \$10.00 will be collected from existing members at our September 5th meeting. The dues offset the cost of publishing our member directory.



Occasionally, various items belonging to a parishioner or visitor are found in the church, one of our buildings, or on church property. If you find something, please bring the item to the sacristy or the front office so it can be placed in the Lost and Found drawer. The front office will be notified of all found items. If you lose something, call 727-595-4610 or stop by the front office to inquire about the lost item. Don't forget St. Anthony: "Dear St. Anthony, look around, something's lost and must be found."



The Bethlehem Centre invites all of our senior parishioners and friends to join in the activities listed above in the Education Building. For info on classes or to register, please call Joanne Biamonte at 727-596-9394.

Bethlehem Centre

Art (Acrylic)	Fr	10:00 am - 2:00 pm	Rm 5/6
Bridge	Tu, Fr	11:45 am - 3:00 pm	Hall
Exercise	Tu, Fr	9:00 am - 10:00 am	Hall
Pinochle	Tu, Fr	12:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Lounge
Tai Chi	Tu & Fr	10:30 am - 11:30 am	Hall
Yoga	We/Fr	10:30 am - 11:30 am	Lounge
Zumba	We	9:30 am - 10:30 am	Hall

Bingo is a fun, social and good time every Thursday in the Parish Center. Doors open at 10am.

Early bird begins at 12pm followed by the regular games, ending around 3pm.

In keeping with the generosity of our church, if you bring in a can or a box of food for the poor, we will give you a free bingo card for a special game. One card per can every week!

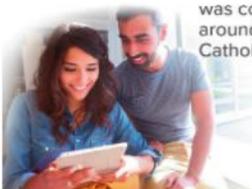
We could use your help! We are looking for more BINGO volunteers. If interested, please contact the Parish Office 727-595-4610.

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

Convinced

Why Would Anyone Become Catholic?

Why would intelligent, successful people give up careers, alienate friends, and cause havoc in their families...to become Catholic? As he was considering his own move into the Church, Donald Johnson traveled around the country to get answers from some of today's most prolific Catholic converts.



Watch on formed.org



"My own faith has been strengthened through these heartfelt and articulate accounts. Thank you!"

—Alison M.
Our Lady of the Mount, NJ

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FREE ... FREE ... FREE

Now that we have your attention!

It doesn't cost a thing to join the St. Jerome Music Ministry.
It is free to join any of our choirs:

The Chorale, Bell Choir, Spirit Singers, Lifeteen Band,
Cantabile Ensemble or Contemporary Choir.

Please call Tom 727-595-4610 ext 304 for more information.



St. Jerome Health Ministry



For the parishioners of St. Jerome our Faith Community Nurses are providing

Blood Pressure Readings

Sundays starting August 5th
10am - 11am in the Parish Center

Volunteer Nurses wanted!

Call or text Beth Eschenfelder, RN
727-710-3595

"I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly." Jn 10:10



Please consider donating blood and save lives!

The bloodmobile will be at St. Jerome in the front parking lot on these Sundays:
October 7th and December 2nd.

stjeromehealthministry@gmail.com
Dr. Shyler Neveaux D.O.M., Chairman

***Volunteers always welcome!!!



is Coming! 9-23-18

Is God calling you to a deeper prayer life? Mary Queen of Carmel Community is seeking those whom God is calling to deepen their prayer life, while living in the secular world. We follow the traditions of Saints Teresa of Avila, John of the Cross and Therese of Lisieux. We are offering an introductory course in Discalced Carmelite Spirituality starting September 23rd at Espiritu Santo Parish in Safety Harbor. For more information, please call Karen at 727-328-4632.

ALL ARE INVITED!



On Saturday, August 25th St. Jerome Parish will dedicate Tom Adam's Eagle Scout Project, the Respect Life Memorial, following the 4:00pm Mass. Please join us for this special event. Tom would like to thank all who contributed to this beautiful memorial.



The **Diocesan Lay Pastoral Ministry Institute** is a four-year program: an informal year of discernment and 3 years of formal academic training and spiritual growth. The LPMI is a program of leadership study and training designed for women and men involved in ministry who show leadership potential and seek to continue their growth as ministerial leaders. We invite you to learn more about the Diocese of St. Petersburg's LPMI program and participate in the Year of Discernment beginning September 8th at Christ the King Parish in Tampa. Contact the LPMI office at 727-344-1611, ext. 5458, for more information.

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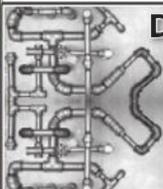


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