

Saint Jerome Catholic Church / Iglesia Católica de San Jerónimo

"Join us and flourish in Christ" / "Únete a nosotros y prospera en Cristo"

The Ascension of the Lord • Ascensión del Señor



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RECTORY HOURS
HORARIO DE RECTORÍA
Monday - Friday / lunes a viernes:
8:30am to 1:00pm and 1:30pm to 4:30pm

PARISH STAFF
Rev. Fr. Joseph Maalouf, Administrator
Rev. Fr. Peter Lin, In Residence
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MASS SCHEDULE • HORARIO DE MISAS

Monday-Saturday / Lunes a Sábado 8:00am*

**In the Little Flower Chapel.*

Saturday / Sábado 5:00pm

Sunday / Domingo

10:00am - English • 11:30am - Español

1:00pm - Chinese / Chino

ROSARY • ROSARIO

Monday thru Friday

7:30am before morning Mass

Lunes a Viernes

7:30am antes de la Misa de la mañana

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

ADORACIÓN EUCARÍSTICA

Saturday after morning Mass at 8:30am and

First Friday 7:00pm to 8:00pm

Sábado después de la Misa de las 8:00am

Primer Viernes de 7:00pm a 8:00pm

CONFESSIONS

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday:

4:30pm - 6:00pm in the chapel

Saturday: 9:00am - 10:30am

Miércoles, Jueves y Viernes:

4:30pm - 6:00pm en la Capilla

Sábado: 9:00am - 10:30am

Also available by appointment by contacting the Rectory.
También disponible con cita previa poniéndose en
contacto con la Rectoría.



Mass Intentions • Intenciones de Misas

| Date | Time | Intention | Requested by |
|--------------------------|---------|---------------------------|---|
| Saturday, May 28 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 8:00am | St. Jerome Community | <i>requested by Council of Catholic Women</i> |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 5:00pm | +William Rishmawy | |
| Sunday, May 29 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 10:00am | St. Jerome Community | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 11:30am | Comunidad de San Jeronimo | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Lin | 1:00pm | Chinese Mass | |
| Monday, May 30 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 8:00am | +Charles Jones | <i>requested by Diane and Buddy Street</i> |
| Tuesday, May 31 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 8:00am | Peace in the world | |
| Wednesday, June 1 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 8:00am | +Rev. Joseph Brunner | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 7:30pm | Comunidad de San Jeronimo | |
| Thursday, June 2 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Lin | 8:00am | Souls in purgatory | |
| Friday, June 3 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 8:00am | St. Jerome Community | |
| Saturday, June 4 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 8:00am | St. Jerome Community | <i>requested by Mary Wickman</i> |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 5:00pm | +David Cross | |
| Sunday, June 5 | | | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 10:00am | +Zenaida Del Rosario | <i>requested by her family</i> |
| Celebrant: Fr. Joseph | 11:30am | Comunidad de San Jeronimo | |
| Celebrant: Fr. Lin | 1:00pm | Chinese Mass | |

Please note: the "Celebrant" may change without notice.

To have your Mass intention included in the bulletin, please contact the rectory to check for availability. Thank you.
Para que su intención de misa esté incluida en el boletín, comuníquese con la rectoría para verificar la disponibilidad. Gracias.

Please consider a donation toward flowers for our altar.
It can be for a special occasion or in memory of a loved one.



Les invitamos a hacer sus donaciones para las flores del altar.
Pueden ser para una ocasión especial o en memoria de un ser amado.

The Ascension of the Lord May 29, 2022

God mounts his throne amid shouts of joy;
the Lord, amid trumpet blasts.

– Psalm 47:6

La Ascensión del Señor 29 de mayo de 2022

Dios asciende entre aclamaciones,
el Señor, al son de trompetas.

– Salmo 47 (46):6



SCHOOL NEWS

From Your Principal . . .



*And I'm proud to be an American, where at least I know I'm free.
And I won't forget the men who died, who gave that right to me."* -
Lee Greenwood.

Greetings parishioners, on this Memorial Day weekend.

May we never forget the brave servicemen and servicewomen who died defending our country. Let us take some time this weekend to pray for and honor the sacrifices made by these men and women. May we never forget that our freedom comes at the expense of our brave heroes who lost their lives fighting to protect it. Thank you will never be enough.

Extra! Extra! Read all about it! St. Jerome Catholic School is featured in the Sun Sentinel for our outstanding work revitalizing the *Accelerated Reader program*. We are so proud of our students and our dedicated teachers. We are forever thankful to the Amatuross who graciously donate the Accelerated Reader program to our school every year. Please see this week's bulletin to read the article.

Thank you for your support of our school. Have a blessed week!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Tara Marino
Principal, St. Jerome Catholic School

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel basket; it is set on a lampstand, where it gives light to all in the house. Just so, your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your heavenly Father." - Matthew 5:14-16

Mission Statement

Saint Jerome Catholic School is a Eucharistic family that empowers students to grow in knowledge, love, and respect. Inspired by the Gospel, we engage our parish and school community in joyful service.



Philanthropists Winifred and Joseph Amaturio visited St. Jerome Catholic School in Fort Lauderdale where their donation made it possible to reinstate the Accelerated Reader program.
**VALERIE BRYANT/
COURTESY**

And then there was light

Thank you, Mr. And Mrs. Amaturio

By Tara Marino

COVID-19 made its imprint on history as one of the darkest times in modern society. Lives were lost. Extended families were separated. Businesses closed, some for good. A less reported consequence of this devastating disease was the impact those tumultuous years had on our educational system, especially our children. The academic and social skills of our youth stood still, and in many areas, regressed. Unfortunately, St. Jerome Catholic School in Fort Lauderdale was not spared this consequence.

Last summer, I was hired to lead St. Jerome. At this time, the Accelerated Reader program at the school was defunct. Having experienced the enormous success of the program at my previous school, I knew that reigniting the AR program at St. Jerome was essential to the success of her students' ability to move forward. Thankfully, Terry Maus, a former assistant principal and technology teacher at St. Jerome, had a long-standing relationship with South Florida philanthropists Joseph and Winifred Amaturio, who so graciously donate the program to St. Jerome and countless other schools. Mrs. Maus and I had worked together before, and she knew that I and her team could bring the AR program back to life.

I quickly went to work hiring outstanding teachers who also believed in the tremendous benefits of the program, one being Colleen Ramroth, who brings over 20 years of

teaching experience to St. Jerome. She quickly emerged as a leader in the program and was designated as the Accelerated Reader coordinator of the school. Mrs. Ramroth shared her expertise by training teachers and inspiring students. When not teaching her second-grade class, she made sure to encourage students in all grade levels by giving tips, advice and accolades. With the generosity of Mrs. Maus, St. Jerome held its first AR contest in years. The excitement was building, and the students were reading!

By the end of the third quarter of 2021-22 school year, the entire school was fully participating in the AR program. In March, St. Jerome was honored by a personal visit from the Amaturios, who were able to meet the top reading student, participate in classroom raffles and enjoy the benefits of what their foundation does for the lives of all the children they touch. The AR program at St. Jerome has been an integral component in bringing the students out of the darkness of COVID times and into the light of reading success. St. Jerome will forever be thankful for the Amaturios' generosity, Mrs. Maus' confidence in the faculty, and the dedicated teachers who worked tirelessly to rekindle the program. We continue to be amazed by our students who consistently teach us that there is nothing that we cannot accomplish with hard work, perseverance, and the light and grace of our Lord.

Readings for the Week of May 29, 2022

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| Sunday | Seventh Sunday of Easter Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7,8-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53 |
| Monday | Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33 |
| Tuesday | Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Zep 3:14-18a; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 1:39-56 |
| Wednesday | Memorial of Saint Justin, Martyr Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc 36ab; Jn 17:11b-19 |
| Thursday | Memorial of Saints Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a & 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Jn 17:20-26 |
| Friday | Memorial of Saint Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19 |
| Saturday | Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5 & 7; Jn 21:20-25 |
| Sunday | Pentecost Sunday Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17; Jn 20:19-23 |

Pray for the Sick and Those in Need
Oremos por lo Enfermos y
más Necesitados.

All those affected by the Corona Virus and
for the sick of our Parish.

John Palmer
Jock Jackson

and Pray for the Deceased
Oremos por los Fallecidos.

Sal Rendina
Bill Rishmawy

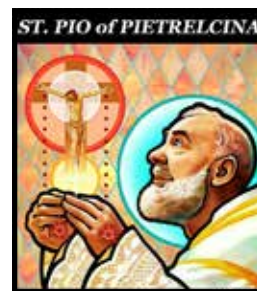
Names will appear on the list for one month! If you
need to add, or remove a name please contact the
rectory. Names that appear in **RED** will be removed at
the beginning of each month.

Lista de oración para enfermos y necesitados ¡Los
nombres aparecerán en la lista por un mes! Si necesita
agregar o eliminar un nombre, comuníquese con
la rectoría. Los nombres que aparecen en **ROJO** se
eliminarán al comienzo de cada mes.

Lecturas por la Semana del 29 de Mayo de 2022

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| Domingo | Solemnidad de la Ascensión del Señor Hch 1, 1-11; Sal 46, 2-3. 6-7. 8-9; Ef 1, 17-23 o Heb 9, 24-28; Heb 10, 19-23; Lc 24, 46-53 |
| Lunes | Lunes de la Séptima Semana de Pascua Hch 19, 1-8; Sal 67, 2-3ab. 4-5acd. 6-7ab; Jn 16, 29-33 |
| Martes | Fiesta de la Visitación de la Santísima Virgen María Sof 3, 14-18 o Rom 12, 9-16; Is 12, 2-3. 4bcd. 5-6; Lc 1, 39-56 |
| Miércoles | Memoria de San Justino, Mártir Hch 20, 28-38; Sal 67, 29-30. 33-35a. 35bc-36ab; Jn 17, 11-19 |
| Jueves | Memoria de Santos Marcelino y Pedro, Mártires Hch 22, 30; Hch 23, 6-11; Sal 15, 1-2a y 5. 7-8. 9-10. 11; Jn 17, 20-26 |
| Viernes | Memoria de Santos Carlos Lwanga y Compañeros, Mártires Hch 25, 13-21; Sal 102, 1-2. 11-12. 19-20ab; Jn 21, 15-19 |
| Sábado | Sábado de la Séptima Semana de Pascua Hch 28, 16-20. 30-31; Sal 10, 4. 5 y 7; Jn 21, 20-258 |
| Domingo | Domingo de Pentecostés Hch 2, 1-11; Sal 103, 1ab y 24ac. 29bc-30. 31 y 34; 1 Cor 12, 3b-7. 12-13 o Rom 8, 8-17; Jn 20, 19-23 |

Quotes from
Padre Pio



**"Always recite the Rosary and recite it
as often as possible."**

Padre Pio

**"Siempre recita el Rosario y recítalo tan
a menudo como sea posible."**

Padre Pio

Activities /Actividades

| Activity | Day / Date Place | Time |
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| Sunday, May 29 | | |
| Chinese Mass | Church | 1:00pm |
| Monday, May 30 | | |
| Tuesday, May 31 | | |
| El Grupo de Oración en Español | Chapel | 7:00pm |
| Wednesday, June 1 | | |
| Confessions | Chapel | 4:30 - 6:00pm |
| Thursday, June 2 | | |
| Confessions | Chapel | 4:30 - 6:00pm |
| Friday, June 3 | | |
| Confessions | Chapel | 4:30 - 6:00pm |
| Saturday, June 4 | | |
| Confessions | Church | 9:00 - 10:30am |
| Sunday, June 5 | | |
| Chinese Mass | Church | 1:00pm |

To have your meeting or activity included in the parish calendar, please contact the rectory at least two weeks in advance to check on availability. Thank you. • Para que su reunión o actividad esté incluida en el calendario de la parroquia, comuníquese con la rectoría al menos con dos semanas de anticipación para verificar la disponibilidad. Gracias.



Monday, May 30
Memorial Day
Dia de Memorial

Signs of our Stewardship Muestras de la Corresponsabilidad

May 21, 2022

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| 5:00pm | |
| Mass Attendance | 137 |
| First Collection | \$692.00 |
| Second Collection | \$130.00 |

May 22, 2022

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| 10:00am | |
| Mass Attendance | 72 |
| First Collection | \$514.00 |
| Second Collection | \$144.00 |

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| 11:30am | |
| Mass Attendance | 153 |
| First Collection | \$829.00 |
| Second Collection | \$287.00 |

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| First Collection | \$2,035.00 |
| Second Collection | \$561.00 |

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| Mail In | \$405.00 |
| Online Giving | \$676.00 |

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| Total Attendance | 362 |
| Total Income | \$3,677.00 |



Teaching Masses 2022

| TITLE | DATE | TIME |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| ✓ The Holy Trinity | June 13 | 7:00pm |
| Marriage and Family Life | July 11 | 7:00pm |
| The Assumption of Mary | Aug. 15 | 7:00pm |
| Value of the Cross | Sept. 12 | 7:00pm |
| Month of the Rosary | Oct. 3 | 7:00pm |
| Giving Thanks | Nov. 14 | 7:00pm |
| Parish Mission | Dec. 5 to 7 | 7:00pm |

Enseñanzas 2022

| TITULO | FECHA | HORA |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| ✓ La Santísima Trinidad | Junio 15 | 7:30pm |
| Matrimonio, Vida en familia | Julio 13 | 7:30pm |
| La Asunción de María | Agosto 17 | 7:30pm |
| El Valor de la Cruz | Septiembre 14 | 7:30pm |
| Mes del Rosario | Octubre 5 | 7:30pm |
| Dar Gracias | Noviembre 16 | 7:30pm |
| Misión Parroquial | Diciembre 12 - 14 | 7:30pm |

ABCD May 29, 2022

1. Your greatest gift is the ability to share your blessings; it's what makes life meaningful. Share your blessings by making a gift today. www.isupportabcd.org

2. It is our job to ensure that future generations are equipped with the tools they need to continue their education and keep their Catholic faith strong. For more information, contact Sabrina Paul-Noel, Office of Planned Giving, today! (305) 762-1112. "Then he led them out as far as Bethany, raised his hands, and blessed them.

3. As he blessed them, he parted from them" (Luke 24:50-51)

Jesus ascended into heaven, blessing His disciples and promising that they would soon receive the power of the Holy Spirit. We, who have received that promised gift of the Spirit are now empowered to be His witnesses to the ends of the earth — to use our time and talents to spread the Good News of salvation.

ABCD 29 de mayo de 2022

1. Su regalo es la capacidad de compartir sus bendiciones; es lo que hace que la vida tenga sentido. Comparta sus bendiciones haciendo un regalo hoy. www.isupportabcd.org

2. Es nuestro trabajo asegurar que las generaciones futuras estén equipadas con las herramientas que necesitan para continuar su educación y mantener fuerte su fe católica. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con la Oficina de donaciones planificadas hoy mismo. (305) 762-1112.

3. "Después salió con ellos fuera de la ciudad, hacia un lugar cercano a Betania; levantando las manos, los bendijo, y mientras los bendecía, se fue apartando de ellos y elevándose al cielo." (Lucas 24:50-51)

Jesús ascendió al cielo, bendiciendo a Sus discípulos y prometiendo que pronto recibirían el poder del Espíritu Santo. Nosotros, que hemos recibido esa promesa del don del Espíritu, ahora tenemos el poder de ser Sus testigos hasta los fines de la tierra, de usar nuestro tiempo y talentos para difundir las Buenas Nuevas de salvación.