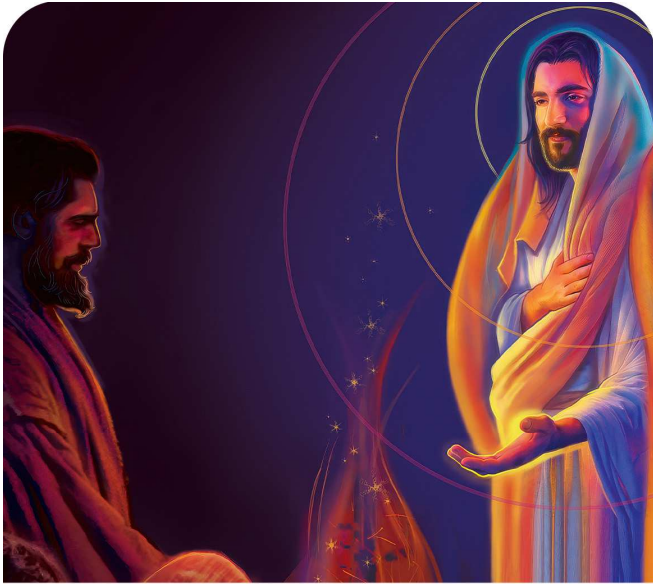


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*"Join us and flourish in Christ" / "Únete a nosotros y prospera en Cristo"*

**August 24, 2025**



SOME WHO ARE LAST  
**WILL BE FIRST**  
AND SOME WHO ARE FIRST  
**WILL BE LAST**

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**SERÁN LOS PRIMEROS**  
Y LOS QUE AHORA SON LOS PRIMEROS  
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Monday - Friday / Lunes a Viernes:  
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**Agosto 24, 2025**

**MASS SCHEDULE • HORARIO DE MISAS**

Monday-Saturday / Lunes a Sábado 8:00am  
Saturday / Sábado 5:00pm  
Sunday / Domingo

10:00am - English • 11:30am - Español

1:00pm - Chinese / Chino

Miercoles / 7:30 pm Español

**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  
Rector. También disponible con cita previa  
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## Mass Intentions • Intenciones de Misa

| Date                        | Time     | Intention                        | Requested By          |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Saturday, August 23</b>  |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 8:00 am  | St. Jerome Community             | Communal Mass         |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 5:00 PM  | +Richard Joseph Schmidt          | By the Family         |
| <b>Sunday, August 24</b>    |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 10:00 am | +Buddy Street                    | By Ann Gillespie      |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 11:30 am | +Franklin Sorto                  | By The Family         |
| Fr. Lin                     | 1:00 pm  | Chinese Mass                     |                       |
| <b>Monday, August 25</b>    |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 8:00 am  | +Margaret Melbourne              | By Luann Fuentes      |
| Grupo De Oracion            | 7:00 pm  | Capilla                          |                       |
| <b>Tuesday, August 26</b>   |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Lin                     | 8:00 am  | +Luis & Maria Picasso            |                       |
| Lectio Divina               | 7:30 pm  | Cafeteria en el Colegio          |                       |
| <b>Wednesday, August 27</b> |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 8:00 am  | +Irma Violeta Santiago Rodriguez | By Cynthia Cardona    |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 7:30 pm  | Misa comunitaria                 |                       |
| <b>Thursday, August 28</b>  |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 8:00 am  | +John Marino                     | By Maureen Faulkner   |
| <b>Friday, August 29</b>    |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 8:00 am  | Peace on Earth                   |                       |
| <b>Saturday, August 30</b>  |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 8:00 am  | St. Jerome Community             | Communal Mass         |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 5:00 pm  | +Richard Joseph Schmidt          | By the Family         |
| <b>Sunday, August 31</b>    |          |                                  |                       |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 10:00 am | Maria MacDonald                  | By Guiliana MacDonald |
| Fr. Joseph                  | 11:30 am | +Gricelda Gonzalez               | By Elizabeth Pozada   |
| Fr. Lin                     | 1:00 pm  | Chinese Mass                     |                       |

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

*To add your intentions please call the rectory. Para incluir su intenciones favor llamar a la rectoría.*



## From Your Principal...



Greetings, Parishioners and School families. This Saturday, August 23rd, at 5pm, is our annual Blessing of the Backpacks mass hosted by our pawsome 4th-grade students. Please join us after Mass in fellowship for light refreshments under the gazebo.

We have successfully wrapped up our second week of school. The seeds of God's love and light are being planted and spread throughout the Good Ground of St. Jerome. We are blessed.

This year, we are moving to iReady for our academic diagnostic testing for our students. We will administer this testing three times a year to track the academic progress of our students. We are excited to use this new tool to aid our teachers in delivering and fostering academic excellence here at St. Jerome.

I pray you are blessed with many Holy Moments this week.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Tara Marino

Principal, St. Jerome Catholic School

"He said in reply, "He who sows good seed is the Son of Man, the field is the world, the good seed the children of the kingdom." Matthew 13:37-38"

### ***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.*

# School Events



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### Scripture Readings For the Week of August 24, 2025

|           |                                                                                                                             |
|-----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Sunday    | Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time<br>Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12: 5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30                           |
| Monday    | 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Mt 23:13-22                                                             |
| Tuesday   | 1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-3, 4-6; Mt 23:23-26                                                                                  |
| Wednesday | Memorial of Saint Monica<br>1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab; Mt 23:27-32                                           |
| Thursday  | 1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17; Mt 24:42-51                                                                    |
| Friday    | Memorial of the Passion of John the Baptist<br>1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12; Mk 6:17-29                     |
| Saturday  | 1 Thes 4:9-11, Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9; Mt 25:14-30                                                                                 |
| Sunday    | Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time<br>Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14 |

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### Pray For All the sick of our Parish.

Marcela Reyes  
Joanne Jackson  
Toni Coffey  
Rosalie Cobb  
Bruce Hedrick  
Manolo Rishmawy  
Paul Collette  
Terry Duffy  
Kathy Misbrener  
Steve Misbrener

### Pray for the Deceased Oremos por los Fallecidos.

John Marino  
Richie Grable  
Pauline Thompson  
Olga Zogaib  
John Keneficks  
Silvia Burga  
Oliver (Buddy) Street Jr.  
Lucy Valverde

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.

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### Escrituras Para la Semana de Agosto 24, 2025

|           |                                                                                                                   |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Domingo   | Vigésimo Primero Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario<br>Is 66, 18-21; Sal 116, 1. 2; Heb 12, 5-7. 11-13; Lc 13, 22-30    |
| Lunes     | 1 Tes 1, 1-5. 8b-10; Sal 149, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6a y 9b; Mt 23, 13-22                                                   |
| Martes    | 1 Tes 2, 1-8; Sal 138, 1-3. 4-6; Mt 23, 23-26                                                                     |
| Miércoles | Memoria de Santa Monica<br>1 Tes 2, 9-13; Sal 138, 7-8. 9-10. 11-12ab; Mt 23, 27-32                               |
| Jueves    | Memoria de San Agustín, Obispo y Doctor de la Iglesia<br>1 Tes 3, 7-13; Sal 89, 3-4. 12-13. 14 y 17; Mt 24, 42-51 |
| Viernes   | Memoria del Martirio de San Juan Bautista<br>1 Tes 4, 1-8; Sal 96, 1 y 2b. 5-6. 10. 11-12; Mc 6, 17-29            |
| Sábado    | 1 Tes 4, 9-11; Sal 97, 1. 7-8. 9; Mt 25, 14-30                                                                    |
| Domingo   | Vigésimo Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario                                                                     |



### TALLERES DE ORACION Y VIDA

**Una Nueva Evangelización**

Aprendemos métodos prácticos de oración y desarrollamos una relación personal con el Señor, utilizando la Biblia para escuchar lo que Él te dice; transformándote en amigo y discípulo de Jesús.  
Es también un taller de vida donde vas a sanar heridas del corazón, sofocar angustias del alma, y ahuyentar los miedos; alcanzando una gran serenidad, y una paz nunca imaginadas.

¡Recupera definitivamente la alegría de vivir!

Parroquia: Saint Jerome Salón: #301, en la Escuela

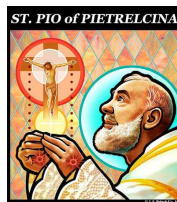
Inicio: 19 de Agosto, 2025 Hora: 7:00 – 9:00 P.M. (Los Martes)

Puedes registrarte con: Rossman Palma:.....  
(954) 881-0075

## Activities/Actividades

| Activity                    | Day / Date<br>Place | Time     |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------|
| <b>Monday, August 25</b>    |                     |          |
| Mass                        | Chapel              | 8:00 am  |
| Grupo de Oración            | Chapel              | 7:00 pm  |
| <b>Tuesday, August 26</b>   |                     |          |
| Mass                        | Chapel              | 8:00 am  |
| Lectio Divina               | School              | 7:30 pm  |
| <b>Wednesday, August 27</b> |                     |          |
| Mass                        | Chapel              | 8:00 am  |
| Spanish Mass                | Church              | 7:30 pm  |
| <b>Thursday, August 28</b>  |                     |          |
| Mass                        | Chapel              | 8:00 am  |
| <b>Friday, August 29</b>    |                     |          |
| Mass                        | Chapel              | 8:00 am  |
| <b>Saturday, August 30</b>  |                     |          |
| Mass                        | Church              | 8:00 am  |
| Mass                        | Church              | 5:00 pm  |
| <b>Sunday, August 31</b>    |                     |          |
| Mass                        | Church              | 10:00 am |
| Mass                        | Church              | 11:30 am |
| Chinese Mass                | Church              | 1:00 pm  |

### Quotes from Padre Pio



*Padre Pio*

"Do not fear. Jesus is more powerful  
than all hell."

*Padre Pio*

"No tengas miedo. Jesús es más po-  
deroso que todo el infierno "

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## Signs of our Stewardship

### July 16-17 / 2025.

|                         | Attendance | Amount        |
|-------------------------|------------|---------------|
| <b>Saturday 5:00 pm</b> | 60         |               |
| 1st Collection          |            | \$709         |
| 2nd Collection          |            | \$141         |
| <b>Sunday 10:00 am</b>  | 88         |               |
| 1st Collection          |            | \$626         |
| 2nd Collection          |            | \$169         |
| <b>Sunday 11:30 am</b>  | 280        |               |
| 1st Collection          |            | \$1170        |
| 2nd Collection          |            | \$353         |
| Chapel-Candles          |            | \$            |
| Mail In                 |            | \$30          |
| Online Giving           |            | \$1230        |
| <b>Attendance</b>       | <b>428</b> |               |
| <b>Collection</b>       |            | <b>\$4428</b> |



Saludos, feligreses y familias del colegio. Este sábado 23 de agosto, a las 5 p.m., es nuestra misa anual de Bendición de las Mochilas organizada por nuestros estudiantes de 4º grado. Únase a nosotros después de la Misa en compañerismo para tomar un refrigerio bajo el Gazebo.

Hemos concluido con éxito nuestra segunda semana de clases.

Las semillas del amor y la luz de Dios se están plantando y esparciendo por todo el Buen Terreno de San Jerónimo. Somos bendecidos. Este año, nos mudamos a iReady para nuestras pruebas de diagnóstico académico para nuestros estudiantes. Administraremos estas pruebas tres veces al año para realizar un seguimiento del progreso académico de nuestros estudiantes. Estamos entusiasmados de utilizar esta nueva herramienta para ayudar a nuestros maestros a impartir y fomentar la excelencia académica aquí en St. Jerome.

Rezo para que sean bendecidos con muchos Momentos Santos esta semana.

Mrs. Tara Marino, Directora Escolar.

## August 24

### ABCD

When we give sacrificially to ABCD, we don't lose; we gain the satisfaction of knowing we've helped educate a child, supported a seminarian, fed a hungry family, or provided hope to someone in despair. We gain the joy that comes from living out our faith in tangible ways.

ABCD represents our collective commitment to ensure that no one walks alone, that no parish stands isolated, and that no need goes unmet when we have the resources to help.

Visit [www.isupportABCD.com](http://www.isupportABCD.com) today to make a donation and join this mission.

### **Planned Giving**

Planned giving is ultimately a spiritual act, a final expression of gratitude for all God has given us. It's not about the size of your estate, but about the size of your heart. Whether through a simple bequest in your will or a more complex charitable arrangement, every planned gift reflects a lifetime of faith.

When you include the Church in your estate plans, you participate in something much larger than yourself; you become part of the continuous stream of faithful stewards who have sustained God's work through every generation.

Let us help you explore planned giving. Contact Katie Blanco at [Kblanco@theadom.org](mailto:Kblanco@theadom.org) or visit [www.adomgift.org](http://www.adomgift.org) today!

### **Stewardship**

Good stewards understand that God's mercy is a gift that must be shared, and that doing the right thing, acting as Jesus would act toward others, is the only course of action for one who lives according to the demands of the Gospel.

*"For behold, some are last who will be first and some are first who will be last."* LUKE 13:30

Jesus reminds us that God will not judge us by the same earthly standards.

When God asks you, "What have you done with the gifts I have given you?"

How will you respond? How have you lived Stewardship?

## Agosto 24

### ABCD

Cuando damos sacrificialmente al ABCD, no perdemos; ganamos la satisfacción de saber que hemos ayudado a educar a un niño, apoyado a un seminarista, alimentado a una familia con necesidad o dado esperanza a alguien desesperado. Obtenemos la alegría de vivir nuestra fe de forma tangible.

El ABCD representa nuestro compromiso colectivo para garantizar que nadie camine solo, que ninguna parroquia se quede aislada y que ninguna necesidad quede sin cubrir cuando tenemos los recursos para ayudar.

Visite [www.isupportABCD.com](http://www.isupportABCD.com) hoy mismo para hacer un donativo y unirse a esta misión.

### **Donación Planificada**

Las donaciones planificadas son, en última instancia, un acto espiritual, una expresión final de gratitud por todo lo que Dios nos ha dado. No se trata del tamaño de tu patrimonio, sino del tamaño de tu corazón. Ya sea a través de un simple legado en su testamento o de un acuerdo caritativo más complejo, cada donación planificada refleja una vida de fe.

Cuando usted incluye a la Iglesia en sus planes de sucesión, participa en algo mucho más grande que usted mismo; se convierte en parte de la corriente continua de fieles mayordomos que han sostenido la obra de Dios a través de cada generación.

Permítanos ayudarle a explorar las donaciones planificadas. Katie Blanco at [Kblanco@theadom.org](mailto:Kblanco@theadom.org) o visite [www.adomgift.org](http://www.adomgift.org) ¡hoy mismo!

### **Mayordomía**

Los buenos administradores entienden que la misericordia de Dios es un don que debe compartirse, y que hacer lo correcto, actuar como Jesús actuaría con los demás, es el único curso de acción para quien vive de acuerdo con las exigencias del Evangelio.

*"Y he aquí, hay últimos que serán primeros, y hay primeros que serán últimos."* LUCAS 13:30

Jesús nos recuerda que Dios no nos juzgara usando el mismo estándar terrenal. Cuando Dios te pregunte, ¿Qué has hecho con los dones que yo te di? ¿Cómo le responderás?