



St. Jerome Norwalk

October 18, 2026

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

Weekends

Saturday 4:00 pm

**Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am
(10:00 am live streamed)**

Confessions

Saturday 3:00-3:30 pm

**Sacred Heart of Jesus Mass
at 9:00 am every first Friday of the
month**

**Devotion Mass followed by Holy
Rosary at 9:00 am every first
Saturday of the month**

Monday - Friday

9:00 am Mass

**Confession available after 9 am
Mass and anytime upon request**

**Mass of the Sick (Healing mass) at
5:00 pm every last Tuesday of the
month**

Wednesdays

**8:00 am Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament and
benediction**

Pastor's Desk

Gospel: Matthew 22:15–21

“Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God.”

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, beloved parishioners of St. Jerome,

Today's Gospel reminds us that we have responsibilities both to society and to God. Jesus teaches us to be responsible citizens, respect our obligations, and contribute to the common good, while never forgetting that our deepest loyalty belongs to God.

Just as the coin bears Caesar's image, each one of us bears the image of God. This means that we belong to Him and are called to reflect His love through our words, actions, and relationships. Giving God what belongs to Him is more than attending Mass or saying prayers. It means living with honesty, showing compassion, forgiving those who hurt us, and serving those in need.

Dear friends, as members of St. Jerome Parish, let us ask ourselves: Are we giving God our hearts, our time, and our lives? May our faith guide us in our homes, our workplaces, and our community. May the Lord help us fulfill our earthly responsibilities faithfully while keeping Him at the center of everything we do.

Amen.

God bless you.

Fr. Hygi.

Mass Remembrances

This week we pray for the following...

Weekend of October 17 & 18 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time

- +Romaniello and Cantavero Families requested by Rosemary Romaniello
- +Betty Sutton requested by Jean Romano
- +Charlie O'Connor requested by Alex McIntosh
- +Patricia, Robert Sr. and Paula Davenport requested by Family

Monday, October 19

Kevin Francisco requested by Marie Franciso

Tuesday, October 20

+Richard Lavery requested by Alex McIntosh

Wednesday, October 21

+Margaret Mary Caragine requested by Marie Franciso

Thursday, October 22

+Angela Lavery requested by Alex McIntosh

Friday, October 23

Kevin Francisco requested by Marie Franciso

Weekend of October 24 & 25 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- +Ann and Wally Regan requested by Vento family
- +Sam, Susan and Rose Testa requested by Family
- +Mary Chuba requested by Family

Loss Group
October 17th from 2-3:30 PM
Parish Hall
All are welcome!

HOW ARE WE DOING?



WEEKLY OFFERTORY

2026

Week of October 11

In-Pew	\$2,526
Online - Our Sunday Visitor	\$2,944
Total Weekly Offertory	<u>\$5,469</u>
<i>Budget</i>	<i>\$7,187.50</i>

Note: Gifts, and Annual Offertory are reported at month end.

One-time credit card donations can be made on our website by visiting www.osvhub.com/Stjeromenorwalk/giving/funds and click on my Account on top toolbar.

If envelopes are your thing, you can drop in the basket, drop off or mail those to the church office at any time!! *Thank you for your support.*

If you need assistance with your Online giving and would like to increase your weekly offertory, please contact the Parish Office at 203-847-5349.

Second Collection

World Mission Sunday October 17 & 18

THE PONTIFICAL MISSION SOCIETIES USA

ONE IN CHRIST, United in Mission

100 YEARS OF WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

World Mission Sunday October 18th, 2026

"Let us be charitable about the missions, remembering that the Lord who said: 'Go teach all nations' is the same Lord who bewailed: 'I have mercy on the multitudes.'"

— Blessed Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen
National Director
The Pontifical Mission Societies USA
(1950 - 1966)

GIVE BY TEXT "MISSIONS26 TO 53555"

Online Giving Supports
St. Jerome

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ST. JEROME**



Tabernacle Candle For Loved One

Tabernacle Candle Memorial Offering

This is a special opportunity to remember and honor a loved one by sponsoring the lighting of our Tabernacle Candle. The offering is \$25, and the candle burns for seven days, beginning and ending on Saturday.

The name of your loved one, along with the requesting individual or family, will appear in the bulletin as follows: "The Tabernacle candle burning in the Sanctuary of the church this week is in memory of [Name], as requested by [Individual or Family Name]." If you'd like to reserve a week or need more information, please send email to office@stjeromenorwalk.org or call at 203-847-5349.



Votive Candle Offerings

Votive candles on our candle racks may be lit for your loved ones. The offering is \$2 for small votives and \$5 for large votives. Lighting a votive candle is a simple and meaningful way to hold someone in prayer throughout the day.



Grocery Pantry Most Needed Items

Low-sodium and sugar-free options are appreciated

Canned tuna
Spaghetti sauce
Peanut butter
Jelly
Rice (2 lb bags)
Canned soup
Canned veggies
Mac & cheese
Cereal
Oatmeal
Coffee
Tea

Canned chicken
Dried beans (red or black)
Canned beans (red or black)
Fruit cups/canned fruit
Instant mashed potatoes
Juice or juice boxes
Dry or shelf-stable milk

**Food Drive
October 17-25th
for Open Doors
and Person 2
Person**

ST JEROME PARISH



We would like to welcome our newest member of St. Jerome Parish
Nina Marino.



Mass at 9AM
Rosary after Mass
Confessions at 3 PM

First Saturday
Devotion
Join us