

St. Jerome Norwalk

November 1, 2026

All Saints

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

Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary every first Saturday of the month at 9:00 am followed by the Rosary immediately following Mass

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

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

Wednesdays

8:00 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and benediction

All Souls Day Mass
November 2nd at 9:00 AM and 7:00 PM

Pastor's Desk

All Saints' Day: Called to Be Saints
St. Jerome Parish | Gospel: Matthew 5:1–12a

Today, we celebrate all the saints—those recognized by the Church and the countless holy people known only to God. In the Beatitudes, Jesus shows us the path to holiness: to be merciful, humble, pure of heart, peacemakers, and faithful even in times of difficulty.
The saints were ordinary people who allowed God's love to shine through their lives. As St. John reminds us, we are all children of God (1 John 3:1–3), called to grow in holiness each day.
As parishioners of St. Jerome, we are called to live the Beatitudes by forgiving others, caring for the poor, comforting the suffering, and bringing peace to our families and community. Revelation 7:9–14 reminds us of the great multitude gathered before God's throne, sharing in the joy of heaven.
Holiness begins with small acts of love and faithfulness. May the saints inspire us to follow Christ more closely, so that one day we may join them in the eternal joy of God's kingdom.

All holy men and women, saints of God, pray for us. Amen.

God bless you
Fr. Hygi.

HOW ARE WE DOING?

WEEKLY OFFERTORY	2026	2025
Week of October 25		
In-Pew	$2,564	$2,606
Online - Our Sunday Visitor	$2,525	$2,600
Total Weekly Offertory	$5,089	$5,206
Budget	*$7,187.50*	*$6,925.00*

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

MONTH-END OFFERTORY SUMMARY	2026
Month of October	4 Sundays
Weekly In Pew Offertory	$15,421
Online - Our Sunday Visitor	$11,092
Gifts and Annual Offertory	$5,870
Total Offertory and Gifts	$32,383
Budget	*$32,870*

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.

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Mass Remembrances

This week we pray for the following…

Weekend of October 31 & November 1 All Saints
+Teodosio Lopez Torres requested by July Mendoza
+Madeline Cicala requested by Vento Family
+Vincenzo Iannone Jr. requested by Stefania Iannone
+Joseph Mastrianna requested by Marilyn Mastrianna
+Richard DeBellis requested by Rosemarie Lacerra

Monday, November 2
All Souls Day

Tuesday, November 3
+Ted Holbhan requested by Margaret Galivan

Wednesday, November 4
+St Jerome Parishioners

Thursday, November 5
Josephine Casale requested by Family

Friday, November 6
+Jack Durkin requested by Colleen Durkin

Weekend of November 6 & 7 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Times
+Elizabeth Fedor requested by The Hoffmans
+Bud Gallivan requested by Margaret Gallivan
+Ignazio and Maria Granata requested by Granata Family
+Grace Demilo requested by Granata Family
+Robert Michael Kuhn requested by Neil, Theresa and Angie

Sanctuary candle
In Memory of Joseph Mastrianna
Requested by Marilyn Mastrianna

Funeral for Richard Cordero
Friday, October 30th at 11:00 AM
St Jerome Church



Friday November 6th
Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Mass
every first Friday of the month at 9:00 AM.

Welcome our newest members of St Jerome Parish
Laynie Reilly and Luciano Bullock.





Saturday November 7th
Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary
every first Saturday of the month at 9:00 AM followed by the Rosary immediately following Mass

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who donated items for our recent Food Drive. Thanks to your generosity, 18 bags of donations were delivered to Open Doors Pantry, and 20 bags were delivered to Person-to-Person in South Norwalk.

We would also like to thank the members of our Social Concerns Committee who helped load the Wagner family's car for delivery to Person-to-Person. A special thank you to Rebecca and Bill Sweeney for delivering the donations to Open Doors.

Thank you for your continued support and compassion.



Coat Drive for Person-to-Person

Help keep our neighbors warm this winter! We are collecting new or gently used coats, hats, and gloves for all sizes and age groups. Donations may be placed in the Food Pantry through November 3. To learn more about volunteering for the Coat Drive, please visit the Person-to-Person website or call 203-655-0048 for additional information.

Thank you for your generosity and support of those in need.

Community News

Congratulations to our Raffle Winners!

Coleen Jenkins — 1st Prize
John Burke — 2nd Prize
Mike Granata — 3rd Prize
Coleen Jenkins — 4th Prize
Anna Colacicco — 5th Prize
Carol Caragine — 6th Prize
Laura Kopec — 7th Prize
Mayflor Juodaitis — 8th Prize
Stephen Vento — 9th Prize
Stacey Fabian — 10th Prize
Robert Yap — 11th Prize





Come spend an hour with Our Lord, present in the Blessed Sacrament, every Wednesday at 8:00 AM in the Church.

Benefits of Participating in Adoration and Benediction (Holy Hour):

1. **Deepens your relationship with Jesus –** Spending time in the Real Presence of Christ strengthens your personal friendship with Him.
2. **Increases faith –** Regular Eucharistic adoration helps deepen belief in Jesus' presence in the Eucharist.
3. **Brings inner peace –** Quiet prayer before the Blessed Sacrament can calm the heart and mind amid life's challenges.
4. **Strengthens prayer life –** Holy Hour encourages listening to God, meditation on Scripture, and heartfelt conversation with Him.
5. **Provides spiritual strength –** Time with Jesus helps believers resist temptation and persevere in living a Christian life.
6. **Promotes repentance and conversion –** Adoration inspires self-examination, sorrow for sin, and a desire to grow in holiness.
7. **Guides important decisions –** Praying before the Blessed Sacrament can bring wisdom, clarity, and discernment.
8. **Increases love for the Eucharist and the Mass –** Regular adoration deepens appreciation for the celebration of the Holy Mass and Holy Communion.
9. **Fosters charity and compassion –** Encountering Christ in the Eucharist encourages greater love and service toward others.
10. **Encourages holiness and spiritual transformation –** Consistent time in Eucharistic adoration gradually shapes a person to become more like Christ in thought, word, and action.

