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St. Jerome Church

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**The Thirteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
June 30, 2019**

Mass Schedule

Saturday evening 5:00 PM

Sunday 9:30 AM

Tuesdays and First Fridays 7:30 PM

Reconciliation by appointment

Pregnancy assistance services (nationwide) 1-800-848-LOVE

Suicide Prevention Hotline (nationwide) 1-800-273-8255, (local) 513-281-CARE

Baptisms and Weddings: Call the Rectory (513) 231-7042

How to register at St. Jerome's: New member registration packets are under the table to the right as you leave church. Fill out the registration form and return that form by dropping it in the collection basket, or mailing it to the Rectory at 5858 Kellogg Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45230. If you have any questions, please call the Rectory at 231-7042

Mass Schedule

Date	Time	Intention	Petitioner
Sat 6/29	5:00 PM	The Intentions of the McArtor Family	Janine McArtor
Sun 6/30	9:30 AM	Ted Schiermeier	Sandy Kienzle
Tue 7/2	7:30 PM	Joe Teriaca	Kathy Bruser
Fri 7/5	7:30 PM	Jim Tuke	Br. Julian Lane
Sat 7/6	5:00 PM	Carol Geis	Tim and Karen Hogan
Sun 7/7	9:30 AM	Pete Healey	Charlotte Rouse
Tue 7/9	7:30 PM	Antoinette Eschenbach	Bob Eschenbach

Minister Assignments for July 6th and 7th, 2019

Date/Time	Lector	Communion Minister	Servers	Ushers
Saturday 7/6 5:00 PM	Bill Ellis	Tim Hogan	Kellie Kallas Charlie Hoh	Ron Hermann Ed Harvey
Sunday 7/7 9:30 AM	Mary Smiley	Patti Prugh	Kim Leist Sarah Chapman	Ron Kienzle George Kamphaus

What's Happening?

Saturday 6/29	3:00 PM	Little Sisters of the Poor Spaghetti Dinner
Saturday 6/29	5:00 PM	Second collection for the Peter's Pence relief fund*
Sunday 6/30	9:30 AM	Second collection for the Peter's Pence relief fund*
Monday 7/1	7:30 PM	<i>Come and Savor</i> in the rectory
Thursday 7/4	9:30 AM	Independence Day Mass in church (office is closed)
Friday 7/5	7:30 PM	First Friday Mass in church
Monday 7/8	7:30 PM	<i>Come and Savor</i> in the rectory
Tuesday 7/9	7:30 PM	Holy Anointing during Mass in church**

Sunday Collections 6/22 - 23/2019

\$1,451.00

Thank You

*This week, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.



**Holy Anointing is appropriate for anyone who is facing serious surgery or is suffering from disease or infirmity. It is equally important for all of us who are aged 60 or over.

Theology of the Body

Why doesn't the Church get in step with the modern world?



Many people have complained that our Holy Catholic Church has not progressed into the contemporary world and changed its teachings to better reflect society's demands.

Over the course of nearly six years from 1979 through 1984 (with several months off following his being shot), St. Pope John Paul II delivered his Wednesday audiences to a group of people to explain the Church's teachings on marriage, fidelity, sexuality, and celibacy. Eventually, his notes were compiled into a very large book titled *Man and Woman He Created Them: A Theology of the Body*.

In this space, for the next three or four weeks, we will attempt to summarize the Saint's remarks to answer the question above.

St. John Paul II, began his work with this quote from Jesus who spoke to the Pharisees regarding divorce: ***"Have you not read that from the beginning the Creator 'made them male and female' and said, 'For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh'? So they are no longer two, but one flesh. Therefore, what God has joined together, no human being must separate"*** (Matthew 19:4-6 NABre). Christ referred to the beginning: ***"God created mankind in his image; in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them"*** (Genesis 1:27 NABre). Thus, St. JP II is telling us that Jesus confirmed that God made man and woman and joined them in Holy Matrimony until death. Marriage, instituted by God himself, and celebrated by Jesus at Cana, is a holy union between one man and one woman.

Since the natural law, established by the Holy Trinity, is permanent and unchanging, the Church rightly teaches that marriage cannot be between people of the same sex and that marriage is for all time.



"Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today. Let us begin."

— St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

JulyFest 2019 Tuition Raffle at St. Thomas More parish (Withamsville). Split the pot with an unique winning prize: Tuition for any Cincinnati Area High School or Primary School (Not to exceed the full cost of a single tuition at the school of your choice). Winnings will be sent directly to a single school of your choice in your honor by St. Thomas More, or in the honor of a student of your choice. 1 ticket for \$10.00 OR 3 tickets for \$25.00. Drawing to be held July 14th, 2019. Need not be present to win. Tickets may be purchased after all masses at St. Thomas More, at the St. Thomas More Parish office, M-F, 830am to 430pm...or at the St. Thomas More JulyFest, July 12th-14th.



MASS AND HEALING SERVICE will be on Wednesday, July 3, 2019 at 7:00 pm, at St. Ignatius Church (5222 North Bend Road). Healing includes the physical, emotional, psychological and relational aspects of our lives; it is not limited to a physical cure. You can receive personal individual prayer ministry for yourself or any of your loved ones. Come and experience Jesus' healing power! Sponsored by Lighthouse Renewal Center at 513-471-5483. For more information visit our website at www.LRC1.org or on Facebook at www.facebook/lrc1.org.

After 11 years, St. Jerome's Adult Bible Study has come to an end. It has been a wonderful journey and we were accompanied by many awesome pilgrims. Alas, age, darkness, and the cost of resources have taken their toll. We encourage you to join Guardian Angels' Great Adventure Bible Study Program that will meet on Mondays from 6:30 to 8:30 pm beginning in August. Check GA's bulletins for more news.



Next week, as we do every summer, we'll have our Christmas in July program whereby we try to raise money for Fr. Bob Keller at Resurrection in Price Hill, for St. Vincent De Paul in our area, and for Fr. Michael Omongot in Uganda. Recently, Fr. Michael received a new assignment and he is trying to rebuild the old church he now has. As you might expect, he needs money to do this and he does not have any. Accordingly, anything you choose to give to Fr. Michael will be used to rebuild the run-down church he now has. You can be sure he will be grateful for whatever help he receives.

"To one who has faith, no explanation is necessary. To one without faith, no explanation is possible." — St. Thomas Aquinas