

### St. Jerome Church

131 Rohde, Cincinnati, Ohio

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Mass ScheduleSaturday evening5:00 PMSunday9:30 AMTuesday7:30 PMFirst /Friday7:30 PMMon, Wed, Thurs & Fri10:00 AM

October 13<sup>th,</sup> 2024 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year B

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 513-231-7042

Mass Schedule						
Date	Time		Intention		Petitioner	
Sat 10/12	5	:00 PM	Karl Clark		Mariam Clark	
Sun 10/13	9:	30 AM	Michael & Daniel Zeisler		Judy Dierker	
Mon 10/14	10:00 AM		William Larson		Joe & Linda Macke	
Tue 10/15	7:30PM		Intentions for Mrs Karen Sanders		Bro Julian	
Wed 10/16	10:00AM		Bob & Kathy Zimmerman		Doug & Kathy Morgan	
Thur10/17	10:00AM		Intentions of Jim Burke		Debbie Glutz & Kim Leist	
Fri 10/18	10:00 AM		Joe Stegman		Gwen Brichler	
Sat 10/19	5:00 PM		Nick Gressle		Mom	
Sun 10/20	9:	30 AM	For All Storm Victims			
Minister Assignments October 19 and October 20, 2024						
Date/Time		Lector		Communion Minister	Servers	Ushers
Mon 10/14 10:00 AM		Cindy Richmond			Kim Leist	
Tues 10/15 7:30 PM		Mike Suter		Shirley Suter	Kim Leist	
Wed 10/16 10:00 AM		Mike Suter			Kim Leist	
Thurs 10/17 10:00 AM		Mike Suter			Kim Leist	
Fri 10/18 10:00 AM		Gwen Brichler			Kim Leist	
Sat 10/19 5:00 PM		Ron Hermann		Kim Leist	Kellie Kallas	Russ Dixon
Sun 10/20 9:30 AM			emary pman	Kim Leist-Body Patti Prugh -Blood	Kim Leist	Aaron Robinson
Saturday & Sunday Collection 10/5 & 10/6 \$1385.50 Respect Life Sunday \$286.00 Tree and Parking Lot Light Damage \$250.00 Thanks for your Continuous & Generous Support!						
What's Happening at St Jerome:Tues10/087:30 pmThe Rosary will be said before Mass During month of October.						

#### FROM FATHER CARL:

Thanks to all who gave special donations to cover the damage to our parking lot lights. I had Debbie reach out to the city about the cost of the fallen tree because the tree was on their (the City's) property and she was told that it was an act of God, and that since it fell on our property, we were responsible for it. The cost to remove the tree and debris was \$4500. There will also be a bill to fix the parking lot light. Please consider a special gift to St Jerome to cover all this storm damage. Thank-you!

#### FROM THE PASTOR:

Today's gospel reading reflects upon the ten commandments. We see them on the sides of buildings, government buildings and most people can repeat many of these commandments. To the people of Israel, these ten commandments, or what they would call the ten words, were important because it became really the structure for their entire system of what they will do and what they will not do. If one doesn't know the context of the ten commandments, one will simply think that these are rules and regulations to limit a person in terms of their religious experience.

I have heard people say: "You Catholics, you are a faith of rules and regulations. Eat this, don't eat that, on Sunday you have to go to church" and the list goes on. People don't like to be told what to do. Our relationship with God isn't just focusing on the commands, do's and don'ts.

The ten commandments are an expression of the love between God and His people in the context of a covenant. A covenant is where there's a sharing of persons, there's a sharing of lives, and an oath is sworn and there are terms to the covenant. In Israel's case here, God is going to make a covenant with Israel and we're going to see the stipulations of that covenant. That covenant should be interpreted in terms of a love relationship, not a tyrannical leadership trying to control our lives. If God and Israel are entering into a relationship, there has to be certain guidelines.

The ten commandments are not imposed on us. They are expressions of the covenant love that we have with God. We should interpret all that we are commanded to do from the context of a covenant relationship. The ten commandments are a wonderful treasure that we have as Catholics expressing of a deep love and a covenantal relationship with Jesus.

Fr. Steve

If anyone would like to become a Lector, a Server or a Communion Minister please contact Father or Debbie at the rectory office between Monday-Thursday 11-3pm. 513-231-7042. If you get the answering machine, please leave a message and we will call back or talk to us at church

## In October we will be saying the Rosary before Tuesday evening Masses here at St Jerome's Church.

I read this in the St. Gregory the Great Family of Parishes Bulletin that is combined with all three Parishes on line. It was written by Deacon Bob and I thought this was very interesting and I wanted to share this because this is so important for parents. Children are a special gift from God! God has given parents authority over their children. This authority does not equate to power. Power is something we "wield" and can be very negative, harmful or abusive. Authority is something we "use" for the benefit, growth and dignity of our children. God has given parents the authority to lead their children on the road to God and goodness. There may be times when hard lines are drawn for the sake of the children, but this must not be misconstrued as abuse. Parental authority is a direct reflection of God the Father's authority as He directs and leads His children in a loving manner. Deacon Bob

"Kids shouldn't have to sacrifice so you can have the life you want. You make sacrifices so they can have the life they deserve." - Dr Laura

Welcome to St Jerome Catholic Church, a place of mercy and hope where everyone is welcome!

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