

# St. Jerome Catholic Church

September 16, 2018

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## Celebrations

### Mass Schedule

#### Sunday Masses— Main Sanctuary

First Saturday	7:00 am (Grotto)
Saturday Vigil	6:00 pm
Sunday	8:30 am, 11:00 am
Sunday	5:00 pm

#### Weekday Services— Ave Maria Chapel

Tues.— Mass	5:30pm
Wed.— Mass	7:00am & 5:30pm
Thurs.— Mass	5:30pm
Friday — Mass	7:00am & 12:15pm

### Holidays

See Bulletin or Website

### Sacraments and Prayer

#### Baptism

Preparation classes held the third Thursday of each month, 6:30-8:30pm in Jordan Hall.

#### Reconciliation

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 5:00-5:30pm and Sunday 7:45-8:15am, 10:15-10:45am, 4:15-4:45pm.

#### Marriage

Contact Father James at least 6 months in advance.

#### Rosary

Saturday at 5:25pm before 6:00pm Mass.  
Third Sunday at 7:50am before 8:30am Mass.  
Third Sunday at 10:20am before 11:00am Mass.  
First Fridays at 11:30am in the Ave Maria Chapel.

#### Eucharistic Adoration — First Friday, see page 3.

Fridays from 7:30am—Noon

## Parish Contacts

### Parish Staff

Rae Carter, Greg George, Ray Jones, *Deacons*  
Christine Moore, *Director of Religious Education*  
Daryl Nagel, *Senior Youth Minister*  
*Junior Youth Minister*  
Louis Leanos, *Stewardship Director*  
Liz Rogers, *Music Director*  
Carl London, *Facilities Manager*  
Patrick Rodriguez, *Facilities Manager Assistant*  
Emily Hunter, *Pastoral Council Chair*  
Bill Parrish, *Finance Committee*  
Don O'Toole, *Van Use Coordinator*

**Church Website:** [www.stjeromewaco.org](http://www.stjeromewaco.org)

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/stjeromewaco/>

St. Jerome

# Fall Festival

Sept. 30 ... 12 pm - 4 pm

**GAMES**  
**INFLATABLES**  
**LIVE MUSIC**  
**BEER & WINE**  
**CORN HOLE TOURNEY**

\$10 Adult's Pasta Lunch • \$7 Kid's Hot Dog & Sno-cone



## Vision Statement

**To love the Lord with all our hearts, minds and souls and to love our neighbors as ourselves.**

### Parish Office Staff

Rev. James Ekeocha, *Pastor*  
Karen Fell, *Business Manager*

### Preschool Staff

Bobby Jetelina, *Director*  
Tiffany Burch, Julie Berger, *Teachers*  
Sr. Frisca Guria, Janie Perry, *Aides*

### Pastoral Council [pastoralcouncil@stjeromewaco.org](mailto:pastoralcouncil@stjeromewaco.org)

Tim Asyn	Julie Ernzen
Jeff Bauer	Emily Hunter
Eileen Bentsen	Ed Jasek
Peter Campbell	Anne Peter
Amanda Chasteen	

**Parish Office Hours:** 8:30 am-5:00 pm, Mon.-Fri.

**Bulletin Deadline:** 4:30 pm on Friday



Readings for the Week of September 16, 2018

Sunday: Is 50:5-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [9]/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35  
 Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17 [1 Cor 11:26b]/Lk 7:1-10  
 Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [3]/Lk 7:11-17  
 Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31--13:13/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12 and 22 [12]/Lk 7:31-35  
 Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28 [1]/Lk 7:36-50  
 Friday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Mt 9:9-13  
 Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49/Ps 56:10c-12, 13-14 [14]/Lk 8:4-15  
 Next Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 [6b]/Jas 3:16--4:3/Mk 9:30-37

**Sanctuary Candle**

To have the **Sanctuary Candle** in honor or memory of a loved one, please call or stop by the office. Cost is \$10 (for the week).

*The Sanctuary Candle is burning  
 this week in loving memory of Bob Ryan.*

<b>Saturday,</b> 6:00pm	<b>September 15, 2018</b> † Tom & Santina Beveridge
<b>Sunday,</b> 8:30am	<b>August 16, 2018</b> GRFAHL
11:00am	† Robert Benoit
5:00pm	For the People
<b>Tuesday,</b> 5:30pm	<b>September 18, 2018</b> † Helen George
<b>Wednesday,</b> 7:00am	<b>September 19, 2018</b> † Rex Hood
5:30pm	† J.R Portele
<b>Thursday,</b> 5:30pm	<b>September 20, 2018</b> † Florine Portele
<b>Friday,</b> 7:00am	<b>September 21, 2018</b> † Theresa Bilski Carter
12:15pm	† Robert James Masslon
<b>Saturday,</b> 6:00pm	<b>September 22, 2018</b> † Elaine Whitehill
<b>Sunday,</b> 8:30am	<b>September 23, 2018</b> † Helen George
11:00am	† Harry Treese
5:00pm	For the People

**Week at a glance:**

**Sunday, September 16**

8:00am-2:00pm KC Blood Drive, Raphael Hall  
 9:45am-10:45am CCE, Brooks Hall  
 1:00pm-4:00pm RCIA/CCE, Brooks, Hall  
 1:00pm-4:00pm Altar Servers Training, Church  
 6:15pm-7:45pm Fall Festival Planning, Jordan Hall

**Monday, September 17**

6:30pm Women's Society Meeting, Jordan Hall

**Tuesday, September 18**

9:45am, Bible Study, Annex 3AA  
 6:30pm Bible Study, Jordan Hall

**Wednesday, September 19**

6:30pm, CCE, Brooks Jordan, Annex  
 6:30pm Confirmation Class, John Bosco Hall  
 6:30pm R.C.I.A., Raphael Hall

**Thursday, September 20**

5:00am TMIY, Brooks Hall  
 8:15am-9:30am Book Study, Ave Maria Chapel  
 6:30pm Liturgical Meeting, Jordan Hall  
 6:30pm Music Ministry, Church  
 7:00pm KC First Degree, Raphael Hall  
 7:00pm Church Trip Planning Meeting, Brooks

**Saturday, September 22**

8:00am-9:15am TMIY, Jordan Hall

**Our Gifts to God**

*A generous man will prosper; he who refreshes others  
 will himself be refreshed. Proverbs 11:25*

**August 2**

Standard Collection	\$12,626.50
Children's Collection	\$41.00
Online Collections	\$4,980.08
Building Fund	\$530.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$18,177.58</b>

**August 9**

Standard Collection	\$11,733.07
Children's Collection	\$84.35
Online Collections	\$6,559.02
Building	\$175.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$18,551.44</b>

Thank you for your generous support of St. Jerome's.  
 May God bless you. *Fr. James*

## ***Worship Life and Faith Formation Ministries***

### ***First Friday Adoration***

Adoration is a quiet time to spend an hour in prayer and contemplation with Jesus Christ. Starts: Thursday, October 4th after 5:30pm Mass and ends Friday, October 5th at 12:00pm. Where: Ave Maria Chapel. Call Bill Leek at 254-716-3416 for more information on participating.

### ***First Friday Rosary***

We pray the Rosary on the First Friday of each month in the Ave Maria Chapel at 11:30 am.

### ***Liturgy of the Hours***

Liturgy of the Hours will be prayed each morning in the Ave Maria Chapel on Wednesdays and Fridays, before the 7:00am Mass and on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, at 7:00am in the Chapel. Everyone is welcome to come.

### ***St. Jerome's Music Ministry***

St. Jerome's Music Ministry is accepting pre-orders for their new Christmas CD! This CD of classic and contemporary Christmas hymns will bring joy and reminders of the real reason for the season! CD's are \$10 a piece. All proceeds will go towards funds for new hymnals and a new rehearsal keyboard. Please see our table in the foyer after Mass or contact Liz Rogers at [liz.jean.rogers@gmail.com](mailto:liz.jean.rogers@gmail.com) to place your pre-order.

### ***R.C.I.A.***

Are you interested in becoming or sponsoring a new member of the Catholic Church? RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) 2018-19 classes will begin around the end of summer. Please contact Deacon Rae Carter at 254-776-7624 with questions and continue to watch the bulletin for updates. RCIA meets each week on Wednesday from 7:00 until 9:00 pm from approximately the beginning of the school year until 4 weeks after Easter.

### ***Baptism Class***

**September 27th in Brooks, Hall, 6:30pm.** Classes are held on the 4th Thursday of each month. This class is required for parents who wish to have their child baptized.

### ***Scripture Study and Continuing Adult Education***

Adult Scripture Study and Continuing Christian Education will begin its new season on Tuesday, September 11th and meet on subsequent Tuesdays. We will continue to do a Lectionary study by examining and exploring the Sunday Scriptures and on the 3rd Tuesday of each month we will look at other informative topics of the Catholic Faith and/or Spirituality with video and discussion. Morning group meets in the Annex from 9:45 to 11:30 am. Evening group meets in Jordan Hall from 6:15 to 8:15 pm. Materials will be available at class. All are invited to attend For more information contact: Joan Potter, Morning Group at 817-907-6509 or Deacon Greg George, Evening Group at 254-424-3061.

### ***That Man Is You***

**That Man Is You! – The Vision of Man Fully Alive.** This video program for men from Steve Bollman will help us experience being sons of God through living the three-fold mission of abiding presence, joyful service and loving sacrifice. Thursday Group meets at 5:50 am and the Saturday Group meets at 8:00 am

### ***Ethics and Integrity in Ministry***

All clergy, religious, seminarians and employees, and all volunteers serving in ministry to minors or the vulnerable, will need to attend an EIM Workshop. Please check the Diocese of Austin website for upcoming Workshops.

### ***Upcoming Workshops:***

Our Lady of San Juan, Moody, September 25, 2018 10:00am-12:00pm

### ***Prayer Line***

To request prayers for your intentions, please call Neva Amyett at 254-772-4729.

### ***Rosary Making Guild***

The Rosary Making Guild meets at 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month in classroom 1AA located in the West Annex. Cord and metal rosaries are made. For information call Deacon Rae Carter @ 776-7624.

### ***Faith Journey Class***

Join us on Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:45am in Raphael Hall while CCE classes are meeting. The title of the program we are studying is *Epic: A Journey Through Church History*. The book is available through the main office and the cost is \$27.

## *Parish Life and Community Outreach Ministries*

### *Homebound & Nursing Home Ministry*

If you know of a Catholic residing in a Waco or Hewitt nursing home or is homebound and not receiving communion now and would like to begin receiving the Eucharist weekly, please call Joe or Carole Anne Falsone at 254-848-8241.

### *Grief Support Groups*

This is a group of people gathering to listen, share and pray together. Fall 2018 sessions are forming at St. Jerome. These will meet the 2nd and 4th week of the month on Tuesday mornings, 8:30-9:30 am or Thursday evening, 6:30-7:30 pm. They will meet for five sessions and begin on Tuesday September 11 at 8:30 am or Thursday September 13 at 6:30 pm. All are welcome. If possible, please contact the office (666-7722) or send an email ([survivingloss@stjeromewaco.org](mailto:survivingloss@stjeromewaco.org)) to let us know you plan to attend so we can have enough books

### *Knights of Columbus Council 13005*

The Knight's of Columbus do a Rosary every 3rd Sunday at 7:50 to end abortion-please try to come to the one on October 21. Thanks and God Bless. To join the Knights, please contact Pat Flavin at 574-339-9343.

### *Men of St. Jerome (MOSTJ)*

The Men of St. Jerome World Famous Pancake Breakfast will be held in the Mother Theresa Center on Sunday, October 14th starting at 9:30 am. Breakfast includes two kinds of pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, biscuits and gravy, fruit, milk, juice and coffee. All are welcome. We always welcome new men to come help. For information Bill Leek at 254-716-3416.

### *Pastoral Council:*

Upcoming Capital Campaign scheduled to run July 2019 – December 2019

Continuing with Sunday donut fellowship

Email us at: [pastoralcouncil@stjeromewaco.org](mailto:pastoralcouncil@stjeromewaco.org). For full minutes, please see the Church Website: <https://stjeromewaco.org/pastoral-council>

### *Pro-Life*

Join us for a Rosary for Life at Eucharistic Adoration (Sept-May, except January) after mass every Thursday before First Friday in Ave Maria Chapel. Each Friday, Aug 3 -Sep 28, answer the U.S. bishops' call to pray and fast that a change in the U.S. Supreme Court will move our nation closer to the day when every human being is protected in law and welcomed in life. Join at [www.usccb.org/pray!](http://www.usccb.org/pray!) To join St. Jerome's ministry, please contact JoAnn Wiese at 254-772-8663 or [jwiese@hotmail.com](mailto:jwiese@hotmail.com).

### *Women's Society*

Our first meeting will be held on September 17th, 6:30pm, in Jordan Hall. Bring your favorite covered dish to the first meeting to share with the ladies. Our guest speaker will be Master Gardener, Polly Woodard and she will give us tips for successful herb gardening. The Women's Society's cookbooks will be on sale two weekends in September, 8th, 9th, 15th and 16th.

### *Pot Luck Dinners*

Join us for our fun and relaxing potluck. This will be held after the 6:00pm Mass on **October 20th**. You can drop off your main dish, salad or dessert in Jordan Hall before Mass. Come and enjoy community at its best.

### *Columbarium*

For information on our Columbarium, go to: <https://www.stjeromewaco.org/columbarium>. To purchase a niche, please call Bobby Jetelina at (254) 723-0652 or Mary Cunningham-Hilliard at (254) 722-7896.

### *Formed (The Catholic Faith on Demand)*

*Formed* has so much to offer for the whole family! Whether you want to **Study**, as Faith Formation; **Watch**, as Catholic movies or documentaries; **Listen**, as audio books; or **Read**, as fiction, non-fiction, youth; you will find it all here!

To register for a free account go to [www.stjeromewaco.formed.org](http://www.stjeromewaco.formed.org).

### *Rome & the Marian Shrines Pilgrimage*

Please join Father James Ekeocha on a pilgrimage for 12 days from October 8—19, 2018. \$3699 special discount price which includes round trip from Austin, TX and visiting four countries: Portugal, Spain, France & Italy! Please stop by the office for a brochure, itinerary, passenger information form packet.

## *Parish Life Ministries and Community Events*

### *Altar Server News*

Please arrive 15 minutes before your scheduled mass. Dress & meet in the vestry 5 minutes before mass to receive a blessing from Fr. James. If you are unable to serve, please find a replacement.

**The next Altar Server training will be on September 16. Please check future bulletins for more**

**information. Contact info:** Marian Khoury or Kristina Neal at [khoury05@gmail.com](mailto:khoury05@gmail.com) or [kristinaneal@twc.com](mailto:kristinaneal@twc.com)



### *12 Day Shrines and Lourdes Faith Journey*

October 4th- October 15, 2019—Visting Jeronimos Monastery, Church of the Eucharistic Holy Miracle, Santarem, Fatima, Braga, Santiago de Compostela, Burgos, San Ignacio de Loyala, Lourdes, Carcassonne, Sagrad Familia, Montserrat and Barcelona Sponsored by: St Jerome Catholic Church, Waco, Texas. Spiritual leader for the Pilgrimage will be: Deacon Greg George. For additional information please call: Glenda Ruiz (254)732-2404. **Please join us for a Preview / Information Night September 20th at 7:00 pm in Brooks Hall.**

### *Waco Catholic Moms Group*

Moms are invited to participate in our Fall study of the book "Good Enough is Good Enough: Confessions of an Imperfect Catholic Mom" by Colleen Duggan. We meet at St. Jerome Catholic Church in Jordan Hall every other Thursday from 7-9 pm. Our group also hosts play dates, moms nights out, and much more! For more information, contact Mandy Sharp at (254) 640-0258 or [wacocatholicmoms@gmail.com](mailto:wacocatholicmoms@gmail.com). We hope you can join us!

### *New Horizons*

Our October meeting will be held on the October 2nd at 11:45am in Jordan Hall. We will have a potluck lunch so bring your favorite dish. All seniors are invited.

### *Let's Support Each Other*

Support fellow parishioners by shopping, dining, and patronizing at the businesses you find on the back of our church bulletin . If you wish to advertise your business, please call LPI at 1-800-950-9952.

### *September Birthdays (September 9-15)*

*May God bless you and give you health, wealth, and prosperity.*

**Sept. 16**—Mark Crenwelge, Frank Kapavik, Nicole Meiners, Janice Spehr, Martin Whitton

**Sept. 17**—David Brown, Giselle Chavez, Jo Nell Negahnquet, Patrick Poehls

**Sept. 18**—Christian Achuff, Landon Baker, Corey Carbonara, John Devries, Ina Fajardo, Mark Henry, Kyle Nesrsta, Erik Rodriguez, Allison Vrana

**Sept. 19**—Rogelio Barrera, Bruce Brignac, II, Kellina Curran, Leonard Delgado, Jr., Emilie Hoelscher, Lauren Johnson, Brandon Martin, Julia Soriano, Thuy Vu

**Sept. 20**—Robert Agado, Angela Campbell, David Curry, Martial Davoust, Oswaldo Hinojos, Jay Stidham, Tanner Tobias, Ronald Veselka

**Sept. 21**—Cecelia Helpert, Glenn Helscher, Ted Kostohryz, Jennifer Martinez, Sherry Prather, Ayrton Self, Regina Smith

**Sept. 22**—Don Ashley, Racheal Lanus, Lisa Pablo

### **St. Marin's Catholic Church Tours, TX**

#### **Annual Picnic**

**Sunday, September 23rd**

Fried Chicken & Sausage Diner from 11:00am-2:00pm

Live Auction Starts at 12:30pm

Country Store opens at 10:30am

Children's games, bingo, horseshoes begin at 12:00pm

## Prayer Requests

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- † God Bless Pope Francis.
- † God Bless Bishop Joe Vasquez and Auxiliary Bishop Daniel E. Garcia.
- † God Bless our Pastor, Fr. James, and our Deacons.
- † Our military men & women: protection, courage & safe return; & for their families.
- † Abby and Brandon, that they are always loved.
- † Jr. to succeed in his new business.
- † For all suffering.
- † For Fr. James and Fr. Raj.
- † For the health of Linda H. who is dealing with cancer.
- † For my son, Robert S. health & that he reconciles with his daughter. For my sisters and brothers, Bill, Sherry, Orien, Sandie and Robert. For my sister Cecil L.'s recovery.
- † Pray for all those dealing with cancer and those who have lost that battle; pray for continued good health and good spirits for my mother; thank you for my job; that my sister's challenges are eased; St. John Paul II, keep me in your care; St. Jude, pray for me; praying for my classmates; pray for all those awaiting transplants and for those who didn't make it.; pray for world peace; pray for rain.
- † R.I.P dear Bob Ryan.
- † Protection and direction for my son and daughter, Carl and Billie.
- † Sue's treatment for cancer.
- † Son, N, good health, happiness, guidance, protection.
- † Family members and extended family, good health; Children to return to the church; grandchildren baptized; niece to find her way home.
- † Repose of the soul of Kenny Lenart.
- † My son, David, grandson Branson, brother's Jeff and John. Successful family business.
- † For C. to find his way toward the faith
- † Repose of the soul of Harry Treese.
- † Children and grandchildren return to the church.
- † Healing for Lauri T, Lori S and Denise S.
- † For helping my daughter make the right decision. Pray for Kaisley Noelle M that God will heal her epilepsy. Pray for my son, AJ will be healed from his depression.
- † Frank C to get well. For my breathing to get better. Thank you for all you do for me.
- † Daughters to be safe, healthy and happy.
- † Daily thanksgiving; good health; safe travels.
- † Good health for family, extended family and friends.
- † For my family.
- † For Leo, who has aggressive Leukemia.
- † Son Scoot to find a better job and peace.
- † Thankful that my daughter had a healthy baby girl, Kate.

- † Repose of the soul of Marc R.
- † Blessings for Ethan on his first birthday.
- † Healing for our daughter.
- † For C. to find this way towards faith.
- † Strength.
- † Protect Mea's health and stability.
- † Pray for Powell M to be rid of cancer.
- † Pray for Kim M's back to get better.
- † Pray for my sister Vickie's health.
- † Pray for my finances to get better.
- † Pray for our country and keep the Republicans in office in November.
- † Pray for President Trump.
- † Pray for Tina, stage three cancer.
- † Pray for Erica's injured tailbone.
- † Pray for a good cancer treatment for Michael.
- † Safe travels for my dad, Tom.
- † Pray for continue healing.
- † Prayers for Aunt L.
- † Test to show what is wrong.
- † Prayers for Marie to get well.
- † Prayers for Mike.
- † L.M.C.R.
- † Healing for my family.
- † Prayers for Marie and Louie.
- † Those to be healed in my community.
- † Thank you God.

### Sick in Our Parish

#### Please pray for the sick in our parish, especially:

*Debbie Braswell, Mary Clark, Maureen Cotner, Kathy Crow, Ignacio Estrada, Carol Friedman, Francis Graham, Joan Jasek, James Kreder, Carl Kuhnle, Marie Leanos, Linda McDorman, Jean Pedrotti, MaryAnn Prochaska, Mary Ann Rodriguez, Betsy Schwager, Elly Smallwood, Betty Strom, Carol Treese.*

### St. Mary's Church of Mexia

St. Mary's is having our annual BBQ festival on Oct 7. BBQ Brisket and sausages \$10.00 per plate dine in or take out. Country store, bake shop, children's game. Live Auction at 1:pm. Raffle items:  
 1<sup>st</sup> prize: \$10,000 Gift card, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize \$3,000 gift card,  
 3<sup>rd</sup> prize: \$1,000 gift card,  
 4<sup>th</sup> prize \$750 Sears Gift Certificate.

## Faith Formation for Youth



### CCE News

Register for the new school year contact the CCE office.

Sept. 16– 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday – Children’s Mass 11am

Sept. 16 – Sun, RCIA for children 1:30-3:30pm in Brooks

Sept. 30, Sun – NO CCE – Fall Festival

Oct. 14 – Sun, RCIA for children 1:30-3:30 in Brooks

Oct. 17 and 21 – Call to Protect for Children during CCE classes

Oct 31 – Wed, NO CCE

### Trivia Corner

Name the 4 types of sacred Vessels you would see on the altar at Mass.

5 Chalices (hold the Precious Blood), 4 +1 Patens (looks like wide short bowls and Father’s looks like a saucer with a rim, hold the Precious Body), Ciborium (bowl with a tall base and a lid, brought from the tabernacle holding the Precious Body), Pyx (small circular vessel to hold just a few hosts).

Contact Christine Moore at 666-6222 office, (972) 955-7854 cell, or by email at: [religious-education@stjeromewaco.org](mailto:religious-education@stjeromewaco.org)

### Senior Youth Group

Sunday, Sept. 9: Life Night, 6:15-8:30 pm

Wednesday, Sept. 12: 1<sup>st</sup> Day of Confirmation

Sunday, Sept. 16: Praise and Worship night, 7:00-8:00 pm

Sunday, Sept. 23: “Walk for the Homeless”, 8:00 am-noon

Sunday, Sept. 23: Life Night, 6:15-8:30 pm

Saturday, Sept. 29: TBA

Sunday, September 30: Fall Festival, 12:00-4:00 pm

Catch up with us on our **Instagram**. Follow us at “Stjeromesyg”.

Save the Date: Fall Retreat: November 11-12

Daryl Nagel, Youth Minister 666-7722, office 254-715-8610, cell E-mail: [syg@stjeromewaco.org](mailto:syg@stjeromewaco.org)

### Junior Youth Group

Junior Youth Group is for those youth 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade. Currently, the parish does not have a JYG minister so the Senior Youth leader, Daryl Nagel, will be overseeing it for now. For anyone interested in participating in JYG contact Daryl at:

[syg@stjeromewaco.org](mailto:syg@stjeromewaco.org) or call at 715-8610. The first activity will be on Sunday, Sept. 23 after the 5:00 pm Mass. Please note the following events:

Sunday, Sept. 23: Edge, 6:15-8:30 pm

Sunday, Sept. 30: Fall Festival, noon-4:00 pm. Help is needed to oversee games. Contact Daryl if you would like to help. No JYG after Mass.

### St. Jerome’s Little Flowers Girls Club

Little Flowers Girls' Club is a Catholic club for girls ages 5 and up that teaches virtues through scripture, saints' biographies and the Catechism of the Catholic Church. We meet one Saturday morning a month. Club meetings begin in September.

Contact Renee Clayton at: [renee.clayton82@gmail.com](mailto:renee.clayton82@gmail.com), (509) 263-4501.

### St Jerome Scouts, Troop 456

Scouts—for information on how to join go to [stjeromewaco.org/boy-scouts](http://stjeromewaco.org/boy-scouts) or email [hewittpack456@gmail.com](mailto:hewittpack456@gmail.com).

### Little Lions Learning Center News

Little Lions staff addition – We would like to welcome Janie Perry as the newest member to our staff. Janie will assist as an Instructional Aide and has worked with young children at a local childcare facility. She is a blessing to our preschool since she has a wealth of knowledge and is willing to share.

Grandparents Day – Little Lions celebrated a wonderful event this past Friday. The grandparents of our students attended an abbreviated open house to see what their grandchildren have been learning these past four weeks. Proverbs 17:6 Grandchildren are the crown of the aged and the glory of children is their fathers.

If you have questions about Little Lions Learning Center, contact Bobby Jetelina at 254-666-6222 or [directorlllc@stjeromewaco.org](mailto:directorlllc@stjeromewaco.org)

