



O God, who gave the Priest Saint Jerome a living and tender love for Sacred Scripture, grant that your people may be ever more fruitfully nourished by your Word and find in it the fount of life. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Family and Friends of Blessed Sacrament,

30 Sept 2020
Saint Jerome

Saint Jerome. Today the Church remembers and celebrates Saint Jerome. One of the greatest Biblical scholars of Christendom, Saint Jerome was born of Christian parents in Dalmatia around the year 345. He visited Constantinople and became friendly with Saints Gregory Nazianzen and Gregory of Nyssa. He began to revise the Latin version of the psalms and the New Testament, with immense care and scholarship. Jerome eventually translated the whole of the Bible into the Latin version which is known as the Vulgate — the vernacular of his day.

Divine Services resume Sunday 4 Oct. at the MacPherson home: 5359 East Lachance Road, Hayden, ID 83835. We will be using Divine Service no. 1, *LSB* p.151

Hymns for Sunday 4 Oct.

Processional Hymn: *LSB* 498 “Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest”

Psalm 80:7-19 will be chanted responsively.

Hymn of the Day: *LSB* 505 “Triune God, Be Thou Our Stay”

Distribution: “Magnificat” from p.248 Evening Prayer.

Recessional: *LSB* 935 :Tell Out, My Soul, the Greatness of the Lord”

Oct. 4 (Proper 22)	Eighteenth S. a. Pentecost	Is. 5:1-7	Psalm 80:7-19	Phil. 3:4b-14	Matt. 21:33-46
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Prayer: Pray for Helena, that she may make a speedy and full recovery. For Berne, serving our nation in Jerusalem; for Ellie and Ken as they navigate traveling; and for the upcoming baptisms of Janice Lee Tseng and her three children, who Pr. Bombaro will baptize in San Diego on Thursday.

Catechesis. Sunday catechesis for all takes place from 0900 - 0945. We will continue with the 4th lesson in “Loving the Liturgy.”

First Holy Communion. First Holy Communion catechumens will gather from 0800-0900 at the MacPherson home (5359 East Lachance Road, Hayden, ID 83835). Parents are encouraged to attend.

Housekeeping items. John Pickering kindly serves as Treasurer. Charitable contributions for the support of the ministry are being received with checks being made to Blessed Sacrament Lutheran Church. The church's address is **PO Box 655, Hayden, ID 83835**.

Weekly, the appointed Bible readings are posted at www.craftofpreaching.com where I comment on the Epistle lesson and post articles. Monday 14 Sept is Holy Cross Day. Take a few minutes to read about its history and purpose: <https://www.1517.org/articles/holy-cross-day>.

Thank you. Thank you for allowing me to serve our Armed Forces in September. It is a service to our Lord and our country, and no small sacrifice for all of you, especially Melinda and the kids.

Website. Thank you Nathan and Lara for single handedly launching the www.blessedsacramentlutheranchurch.com

Gratefully yours in Jesus Christ,
Pastor John