

Bob LeClair's Finance and Markets Newsletter

	For the Week Ending:			Change (Week)	Change (Yr-to-Date)
	1/1/24	10/19/24	10/26/24		
Dow Jones Ind. Avg. (% Change)	37,690	43,276	42,114	(1,162) -2.68%	4,424 11.74%
S & P 500 Index (% Change)	4,770	5,865	5,808	(57) -0.96%	1,038 21.76%
NASDAQ Composite (% Change)	15,011	18,490	18,519	29 0.16%	3,508 23.37%
S & P 500 P/E Ratio	21.8	25.1	25.4	0.3	3.6
S & P 500 Div. Yield	1.47%	1.26%	1.26%	0.00%	-0.21%
T-bill - S&P 500 Yield	3.86%	3.37%	3.37%	0.00%	-0.49%
30-Year T-Bond Yield	4.03%	4.39%	4.50%	0.11%	0.47%
10-Year T-Bond Yield	3.88%	4.08%	4.24%	0.16%	0.36%
91-Day T-Bill Yield	5.33%	4.63%	4.63%	0.00%	-0.70%
Yield Spread	-1.30%	-0.24%	-0.13%	0.11%	1.17%
30-Year Mortgage	6.61%	6.44%	6.54%	0.10%	-0.07%
5-Year ARM Mortgage	5.93%	5.63%	5.71%	0.08%	-0.22%
\$ Value of Euro (€)	\$1.1039	\$1.0867	\$1.0796	-\$0.0071	-\$0.0243
Japanese Yen (¥/\$)	141.04	149.53	152.31	2.78	11.27
Crude Oil, Spot Price	\$71.65	\$69.22	\$71.78	\$2.56	\$0.13
Gasoline, Reg. (\$/Gal.)	\$3.11	\$3.18	\$3.14	-\$0.04	\$0.03