

Saint Lawrence & Saint Philip Roman Catholic Churches

Rev. James J Kennelley - Pastor

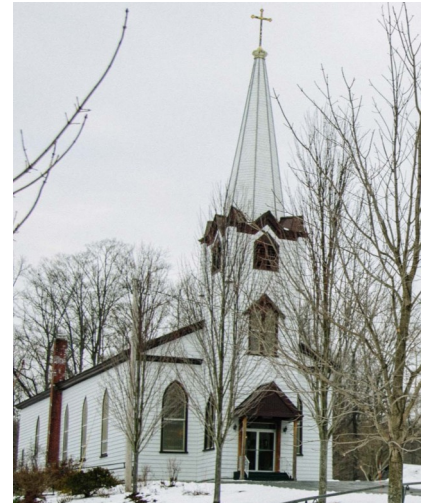
Paul McCoy - Deacon

Susan Muetzel - Faith Formation Facilitator

Saint Lawrence Church
180 East State Street
Albion, Pa. 16401
Founded 1914



Saint Philip Mission Church
25797 State Highway #98
Edinboro, Pa. 16412
Founded 1807



Staff Contact Information

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Center/Rental Information: 814-756-4840 ~ Leave a Message for Renae Mihalak

Weekend Masses:

Saturday @ 5:00 pm at St. Lawrence
Sunday @ 8:00 am at St. Philip
Sunday @ 10:00 am at St. Lawrence
(Live-Streamed For Your Convenience)

Weekday Masses:

Monday thru Friday @ 8:00 am
at St Lawrence

First Friday Masses:

Adoration 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Mass @5:15 pm at St. Lawrence

Reconciliation:

Saturday @ 4:15pm to 4:45pm
at St. Lawrence

Sacrament of Matrimony

Parishioners are requested to contact the pastor at least six months in advance to begin preparation. Participation is required in Pre-Cana or Engagement Encounter.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment. Please call the Parish Office for more information. Pre-Baptismal instruction is required.

Sponsor Certificates

Letters of recommendation issued only to confirmed parishioners (age 16+) in good standing, who attend Mass regularly and support the parish with time, treasure or talent.

Sick Calls

Visits to the hospitals are made per patient request. Please notify the office of any hospitalization, Communion to the sick and shut-in visits. Emergencies will be addressed at any time.



Mass Intentions



Saturday, September 25, 2021
Weekday

5:00 PM † *For the People of St. Philip & St. Lawrence*

Sunday, September 26, 2021
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † *George & Doreatha*
(Janet & Family)

10:00 AM † *Dave Diehl - In Memory of His Birthday*
(His Loving Family)
(Live Streamed For Your Convenience At 10:00 am)

Monday, September 27, 2021
St. Vincent de Paul, Priest

8:00 AM † *Paul Taylor*
(Kaleida Family)

Tuesday, September 28, 2021
Weekday

8:00 AM † *James & Virginia Fratalia*
(Estate)

Wednesday, September 29, 2021
St. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels

8:00 AM † *Robert Bardroff*
(Patricia Thompson)

Thursday, September 30, 2021
St. Jerome, Priest & Doctor of the Church

8:00 AM † *Jacob Serrano*
(Kaleida Family)

Friday, October 1, 2021 - First Friday
St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin
& Doctor of the Church

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM - Adoration
5:15 PM Mass † *All Souls*

Saturday, October 2, 2021
Holy Guardian Angels

5:00 PM † *Florence Smith*
(Jim & Norella Consedine)

Sunday, October 3, 2021
Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † *Russell Worley*
(Janet & Family)

10:00 AM † *For the People of St. Philip & St. Lawrence*
(Live Streamed For Your Convenience At 10:00 am)

From the
Pastor's Desk



Dear Friends in Christ:

Friendships are positive relationships between people. People support friends, work with them, play and pray with them. They see life very similarly and work together. Jesus reassured the disciples, "Whoever is not against us is for us..." That was an outlandish statement except for the reality that people were scattered and had to give each other a favorable reception as they first met. Small communities knew each other and gave the stranger a welcome when they first met.

When someone close to you, or even yourself treated you badly, sever the bond lest you tend to go their way and live in anger, or revenge. Those who followed Christ, lived in peace with all others as a way of life. That's a hard way of life because everyone is not worthy of having a peaceful relationship. So as painful as it is, separate yourself from others who would do you harm.

Be calm, self-assured, and ready for peace, but defend yourself against evil always. Make personal sacrifices to eliminate whatever tempts you to be evil. We are impressionable people and have to be sensitive to temptation all the time. Support one another in doing good, and resist one another in doing evil.

Fr. Jim

September 26, 2021

~Praying With A Purpose~

To add a prayer request, please contact
Cathy Wojtecki 756-5961, Norma Jafko 756-3889
or Jim Pellegrino.

Please keep the following people
in your prayers.....

Kylie Allen-Kulyk, Tony Jantosik,
Palla Tautin, Jon Reibel
and Elaine Dolgos



Monday September 27th is Fr. Jim's Birthday, and also the car trip to Servant of Mary Center for Peace.
If you would like to join us, meet in the St. Lawrence parking lot at 9:00 and we will carpool from there.

Deacon's Corner**September 26, 2021**

This week on Oct. 2nd, is the memorial of the Guardian Angels. In keeping with this week's faith formation theme, I thought we could take a closer look at guardian angels.

In the National Catholic Register, there is an article titled, "*8 Things to Know and Share About the Guardian Angels.*"

1. What is a guardian angel?
 - A non-human, non-corporal being (having no material body or form).
 - Assigned to guard a particular person and help them avoid spiritual dangers and achieve salvation.
 - May also help a person avoid physical dangers if that would help a person achieve salvation.
2. Where do we read about guardian angels in Scripture?
 - In the Gospels, Jesus indicates that there are guardian angels for every individual, including little children. (Matt. 18:10)
3. What does Jesus mean when he says these angels "always behold" the face of the Father?
 - There is the idea that angels are messengers (in Greek - *angelos* = *messenger*).
 - Angels may be in the heavenly court presenting the needs of their charges to God.
4. What does the Church teach about guardian angels?
 - From the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*: "*From its beginning until death, human life is surrounded by their watchful care and intercession. Beside each believer stands an angel as protector and shepherd leading him to life. Already here on earth, the Christian life shares by faith in the blessed company of angels and men united in God.*" (CCC 336)
5. Who has guardian angels?
 - The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* speaks of "each believer" having a guardian angel.
6. How can we thank them for the help they give us?
 - We can give thanks for the serenity and confidence they provide under challenging situations.
 - Among the prayers to the Guardian Angel is the *Angele Dei*.
 - The *Angele Dei* can be part of a family's morning or evening prayers.
7. Should we assign names to our guardian angels?
 - The practice of assigning names to the Holy Angels should be discouraged, except in the cases of Gabriel, Raphael, and Michael whose names are contained in Holy Scripture.
8. What is the *Angele Dei* prayer?

*Angel of God,
my guardian dear,
to whom God's love commits me here,
ever this day,
be at my side,
to light and guard,
rule and guide.*

Amen.

I hope this helps with some of the many questions you may have about Guardian Angels.

Have a blessed week,
Deacon Paul

Ladies of the Rosary



Meetings
First Thursday of the
month at 6:30PM

Contact: Tammy Maskrey

All Ladies of the parish are welcome!

Weaver
Hair!
Beauty Salon
&
Barber Shop



Karen Weaver
11 North Main St
Albion
756-4894




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Cursillo

*"making a friend, being a friend,
and
introducing that friend to Christ."*

Parish Coordinators:
Ferry and Patti Bowersox 814-756-5859

Ministries

*Serve the Lord and serve the
Parish as an:*

Altar Server
students grade 4 and up

Eucharistic Minister
post confirmation Adults

Lector
post confirmation Adults

Greeter
high school students and up



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Praise and Worship Choir




Under the direction of Carrie Sawin
for students from K - 12

Call Carrie Sawin at 756-4658 or e-mail at
carriesawin@roadrunner.com with questions.

Your CHOIR needs YOUR
voice...

- * to lead the singing of the Assembly
- * to embellish the music of the liturgy
- * to become a future cantor

Consider becoming a member TO-
DAY!



"Those who sing pray twice!"



St. Lawrence
Faith Formation

Sundays 11:00am-
12:30pm
K through 12

To register contact:
Susan Muetzel at
814-756-4840



St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church
Membership Form

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Please Check One

New

Address Change

Moving out of Parish

Student News

Your Student News Is Welcome.

We Are Happy To Help You Celebrate the Victories!

Send the information to the church email address on the front of the bulletin.

We love photos too!

Reminder....

There is still time to send in your donation to help with the devastation in Haiti. Please be as generous as possible.

Like many things in this time of Covid, there seems to be a “nationwide backorder” for the part that we need for the printer, that we use for the bulletin. They were unable to give me a date that this part should be in, but they did say it would probably be awhile. For now, I am using our old “dinosaur” printer, and praying it holds up.

Please bear with us as we print out this smaller bulletin, until we are unable to go back to our regular one.

St. Lawrence
Last Week's Collection

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal
\$ 2,148.00

Amount Collected..... \$ 1,575.00
Surplus / Deficit..... - \$ 573.00

St. Philip
Last Week's Collection

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal
\$ 723.00

Amount Collected..... \$ 610.00
Surplus / Deficit..... - \$ 113.00

October 2 & 3		
	Saturday October 2 5:00 PM	Sunday October 3 10:00 AM
Lectors	Marge Mayer	Rob Adamczyk
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Patricia Thompson	Cheryl Krolczyk

October 9 & 10		
	Saturday October 9 5:00 PM	Sunday October 10 10:00 AM
Lectors	Susan Muetzel	Carl Pry
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Kathleen Levis	Kelli Kulyk

October 16 & 17		
	Saturday October 16 5:00 PM	Sunday October 17 10:00 AM
Lectors	Patricia Thompson	Rob Adamczyk
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Criss Rotko	Darcy Paradise

October 23 & 24		
	Saturday October 23 5:00 PM	Sunday October 24 10:00 AM
Lectors	Marge Mayer	Carl Pry
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Susan Muetzel	Mark Paradise

Catholic Services Appeal 2021 Diocesan Assessment/Parish Goal - \$28,807		
	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
Parish Goals	\$20,577	\$8,230
# Families / # Pledges	#115 / #39	#59 / #5
Total Amount Pledged	\$16,060	\$2,750
Total Amount Collected	\$15,340	\$5,560
Shortfall Between <i>Total Pledges & Goal</i>	\$4,517	\$5,480
Shortfall Between <i>Amount Collected & Goal</i>	\$5,237	\$2,670

What's Happening at St. Lawrence and St. Philip

Important Recycling Notice

There have been bags of garbage found with the recycling being brought in.

When gathering your recycling, please pack your plastic in **CLEAR garbage bags** and **not BLACK garbage bags**, so everything is visible.

Thank you

All parishioners are invited to join our Faith Formation Group for The Living Rosary, directly after Mass on Sunday, October 3rd.

Faith Formation

Sunday, September 26 Class
Sunday, October 3 Living Rosary in Church
Class
First Reconciliation
Parent Meeting

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our Faith Formation Facilitator, Susie Muetzel, OFS.

Office - 756-4840 Home - 756-0624

Food For Families

Each Faith Formation Class will be collecting non-perishable foods beginning September 19th through November 14th. All items will be donated to the Albion Food Pantry

Classes:
PreK4/Kindergarten/1st and Confirmation/11th Grade
2nd & 3rd Grades
5th/6th Grades & 7th/8th Grades
9th/10th Grades

Our contest will end with Ice Cream Sunday Party!
Will your class be the #1 Food For Families Class?

What's Happening This Week....

Monday, September 27 Bingo - 6:30 pm
Doors & Concession
Open at 5:30 pm
St. Lawrence Center

Monday, September 27 AA Meeting - 8 pm
St. Lawrence Center

Wednesday, September 29 Spanish Class - 7 pm
St. Lawrence Center Classroom

Wednesday, September 29 AA Meeting - 8 pm
St. Lawrence Center

Saturday, October 2 Pet Blessing
1:00 St. Lawrence Parking Lot

Our Annual Fall Dinner is approaching!!
We still need your help!!

Sign up sheets are at the side vestibule of the Church, with specific jobs that we need your help doing to make this much needed fundraiser a success!!

Date is Sunday, October 10th
11:00 till 2:00 pm
or until sold out!

On Saturday, October 2nd, Fr. Jim will do Pet Blessings for our Furry Friends.

The Blessing will take place in the St. Lawrence parking lot at 1:00. Come on out and bring your pets!

~ Monday Night Bingo ~

Doors will open at 5:30
Concessions open at 5:30
Games will begin at 6:30

Jackpot...\$1,000
in 50 balls or less

Masks & social distancing
will be in effect.

Come on out and join the fun!!!