



Saint Lawrence and Saint Philip

Roman Catholic Churches



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

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

Rev. James J. Kennelley - Pastor

Cell: 724-866-9212

Email: jjk103@zoominternet.net

Reconciliation:
Schedule Weekend Masses:

Saturday 4:15 to 4:45pm in St. Lawrence
Saturday @ 5:00pm in St. Lawrence
Sunday @ 8:00am in St. Philip
Sunday @ 10:00am in St. Lawrence

Schedule Weekday Masses:

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday @ 8:00am in St Lawrence
Tuesday and Thursday @ 8:00am in St Philip

First Friday Masses:

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

Sacrament of Baptism

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

Sacrament of Matrimony

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

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. Notify the Parish Office of hospitalization and/or Communion to the sick and shut-ins. Emergencies will be addressed at any time.

PARISH OFFICE CONTACT INFORMATION:

Email: stlawrencealbion@gmail.com
Webpage: www.stlawrencealbion.org
Office: 814-756-3623 Office hours: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
Fax: 814-756-5918
Center and Religious Education Office: 814-756-4840

Palm Sunday The Passion of the Lord



Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 13, 2019- Vigil

5:00 PM † *George and Nellie Kaleida - (Kaleida Family)*

Sunday, April 14, 2019 - Palm Sunday ~ Passion of the Lord

8:00 AM † *Harold Schmidt - (Elaine Schmidt)*
(at St. Philip)

10:00 AM † *For the People of St. Lawrence and St. Philip*

Monday, April 15, 2019 - Monday of Holy Week

8:00 AM † *William Bauer - (Peg Taylor)*

Tuesday, April 16, 2019 - Tuesday of Holy Week

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM † *For the People of St. Lawrence and St. Philip*
(at St. Philip)

Wednesday, April 17, 2019 - Wednesday of Holy Week

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

Thursday, April 18, 2019 - Holy Thursday

5:00 PM *St. Philip ~ Washing of Feet ~ Brief Repose*

7:00 PM *St. Lawrence ~ Washing of Feet ~ Repose until 10pm*

Friday, April 19, 2019 - Good Friday

12:00 Noon *St. Philip*

7:00 PM *St. Lawrence*

Saturday, April 20, 2019 - Vigil

12:00 Noon *St. Lawrence ~ Blessing of Food*

8:30 PM *Easter Vigil ~ St. Lawrence*
For the People of St. Lawrence and St. Philip

Sunday, April 21, 2019 - Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

8:00 AM † *Harold Schmidt -*
(at St. Philip) *(John, Lynn and Paul Wentworth)*

10:00 AM † *Genevieve Kearns & Michael W. Kearns -*
(James and Norella Consedine)



HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday is only the beginning of our week-long liturgical celebration of the way of discipleship. The liturgies of Holy Week recall the events that revealed both the depth of God's love for humankind and the way to eternal life. On Holy Thursday we ritually recommit ourselves to following Jesus' way of loving service. On Good Friday we reclaim the gift of Jesus' life for us and join our prayers with his for the salvation of the world. On Holy Saturday we remember God's work of creation and redemption, with an emphasis on the resurrection of Jesus Christ. At last, on Easter Sunday we rejoice in the new and eternal life that flows from following Christ—the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

~ Respect Life Memorial ~

If you would like to be a contributor to this memorial and have your name inscribed on the reverse side, please donate \$100 to St. Lawrence Church during April with a special notation: "Respect Life Memorial" on the intention line of your Check. For \$200 you can indicate: In memory of NAME by DONOR NAME, and anyone wanting to make a donation without your name being inscribed you may donate any amount during the month of April by notating on your check "Respect Life Memorial" or by placing your donation in an envelope marked "Respect Life Memorial".

We hope to set and dedicate the "Respect Life Memorial" during the month of May.



From the Pastor's Desk



Dear Friends in Christ:

As we enter into Holy Week this is a good time to reflect on important aspects of our fundamental practices that highlight the Eucharist as a Memorial Meal of Jesus. He calls us to friendship and to nourishment in word, wine and blessed bread. Two significant elements of Eucharist as we celebrate it include the "Sign of Peace" and the reception of Holy Communion. Minor liturgical gestures include the Penitential Rite at the opening of Mass and our position of hands at the reciting of the Lord's Prayer. In reverse order, we consider:

A. During the reciting of the Lord's Prayer, we raise our hands in what is called "Orans" Position. This is with bent elbows, palms facing upward. We do not reach for the ceiling or hold hands with people on either side of us. The proper prayer posture imitates in a smaller manner the posture of the Main Celebrant, the priest at the altar.

B. During the Penitential Rite, we are not in 'sacramental confession' but acknowledging general imperfections. When the priest concludes: "May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life," it is not absolution. We respond, "Amen!" as a conclusion to the prayer. It is improper to make the sign of the cross at that time.

C. One of the features of encouraging friendlier atmosphere in prayer is so that people can feel more personally involved in the 'gathered community' as a full and participating member. At large gatherings, such as funerals and weekend liturgies it is very appropriate for us to exchange a handshake with those immediately around us. At weekday liturgies, or when people are 'scattered around the pews' and out of comfortable reach, it is awkward to try to shake hands. Waving and making gestures fails the liturgical sign of unity and closeness. Therefore, the general response to the invitation to receive the "Peace of Christ" closes that dialogue without shaking hands.

D. Most significantly, I draw attention to the gesture of receiving the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus in Holy Communion. It is offered with the Host and Consecrated Wine for a purpose. Take and Eat! Take and Drink!

Unless you are on medication that absolutely excludes any wine or you are dangerously addicted to alcohol, the option to receive from the Sacred Cup of Communion is strongly encouraged. True, during the *transition* to the Modern Liturgy during the late 1960's, a phase of allowing both species at 'special occasions' was tried so that people could begin to 'get used to it.' That phase has been passed for several years now. It is the norm for lay participants to receive Holy Communion regularly. The celebrant's chalice is normally reserved for his and concelebrants' use, but Communion Cups are especially intended for their use by lay participants SO THAT they can 'equally' take and eat and take and drink.

This Holy Week is a very good time to 'start over' with more proper participation in the Sacred Liturgy. In more complete compliance with liturgical regulations, we will stop using glass and ceramic communion cups. They, in fact, are not permitted because they are breakable (and we have had two broken over this past year J) Now that we have opened the mysterious safe in the candle sacristy we have gold chalices that can be used as Communion Cups and we will use them this Holy Week and from now on.

Participate fully and prayerfully in our Holy Week Services, Easter Eucharist and Catholic life!

Fr. Jim
April 10, 2019

Catholic Services Appeal 2019

Parish Goal \$27,565.00

	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
Parish Goals	\$18,377.00	\$9,188.00
# Pledges	47	10
Amount Pledged	\$17,460.00	\$4,370.00
Amount Collected	\$12,490.00	\$3,368.00
Amount for Parish	- \$5,887.00	- \$5,820.00

**St. Philip
April 7th Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$723.00
Amount collected.....	\$679.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	- 44.00

**St. Lawrence
April 7th Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$2,148.00
Amount collected.....	\$2,020.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	- 128.00

Praying with a Purpose

Cathy Wojtecki 756-5961, Norma Jafko 756-3889,
or Jim Pellegrino 882-0877.



Among those we are praying for
*Kylie Allen-Kulyk, Tom Lascek, Charlene Jones,
Justin, Jim and Julia Zurinsky, Barb Waller*

**April, 2019
\$50.00 Weekly
52 - 200 Club Winners**

Congratulations to the April Winners:

Week 49 Betsy Baker	April 7, 2019
Week 50 Marilyn Fuller	April 14, 2019
Week 51 Michael Melquist	April 21, 2019
Week 52 Marilyn Fuller	April 28, 2019

**May winners will be drawn at the
Ladies of the Rosary Meeting on Thursday,
May 4, 2019 at 6:30 pm
St. Lawrence Church**

Ladies of the Rosary



Meetings
First Thursday of the
month at 6:30PM

all: Tammy Maskrey 572-1046
All Ladies of the parish are welcome!

Weaver
Hair!
Beauty Salon
&
Barber Shop



Karen Weaver
11 North Main St
Albion
756-4894




JOIN THE
KNIGHTS OF
COLUMBUS
COUNCIL #3979

A CATHOLIC
FAMILY FRATERNAL
SERVICE ORGANIZATION

CALL: JOHN SHADE 756-4512

Place your Ad in this
Space

Contact the parish office for
pricing. 814-756-3623

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

Contact Parish Office for




Irene's
TAILORING
Alterations

Irene Petruska
12450 Rt. 98
Edinboro, Pa. 16412
(814)384-3176

Mattera Funeral Home

Pasquale (Pat) Mattera
Funeral Director / Owner
188 East State Street
Albion, PA 16401
814-756-4151
fax 814-756-4648




Cursillo

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

Parish Coordinators:
Terry and Patti Bowersox 814-859-0003

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 TODAY!



"Those who sing pray twice!"
(St. Augustine)

St. Lawrence
Religious
Education



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

To register contact:
Criss Rotko
Religious Education Leader



St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church
Membership Form

Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____ E-Mail _____

CHECK ONE

New

Address Change

Moving out of Parish



FAITH FORMATION

Students, please remember to continue working on your Lenten Journals! Take time to work on it as a family! Turn in date ~Sunday, April 28th .

Apr 14 Palm Sunday. Class 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
First Communion Practice following 10:00 am Mass

*All classes will meet in the Church at noon
to pray the Stations of the Cross.
Led by our Confirmation Class.

As a class project, the Confirmation Class will dig the "footer" for our Respect Life Memorial after class.

Apr 21 Easter Sunday. No class



Church Council Quarterly Meeting

Thursday April 25, 2019
St. Lawrence Center
Classroom
at 7:00 PM



Bingo Update: April 15, 2019

Increased Planned Payouts
8 Regular games..... \$30
6 Doubles..... \$35
3 Specials..... 50/50
Early Bird Jackpot..... \$250 in
52#s or less
Consolation..... \$75
Progressive Jackpot..... \$1150 in
51#s or less
Consolation..... \$175
Instant games throughout the night

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST. LAWRENCE AND ST. PHILIP

Mon., April, 15 **Bingo** Doors open and Concessions
at 5:30 Game starts at 6:30pm
St. Lawrence Center
AA Meeting 8:00 pm
St Lawrence Center

Tues., April, 16 **Adult Education** 7:00 pm
St. Lawrence Center

Wed., April, 17 **AA Meeting** 8:00 pm
St. Lawrence Center

Thur., April, 18 **Book Club** The Shack Postponed
until May 2, 2019

TRIP TO
SENECA NIAGARA CASINO
NIAGARA FALLS, NY
THURSDAY
JUNE 13, 2019
FROM
ST. LAWRENCE CHURCH PARKING LOT
DEPARTURE 8:30 AM
RETURN BETWEEN 6:30 PM AND 7:00
PM
TRANSPORTATION ~ COUCH USA
WITHIN WALKING DISTANCE OF THE FALLS

\$40.00 PER PERSON

TRIP INCLUDES:
\$25 CASINO PLAY MONEY
\$5:00 FOOD VOUCHER

**PAYMENT DUE BY
MAY 13, 2019**



INFORMATION FLIERS
ARE AT THE ENTRANCES
OF THE CHURCH.

**ONLY
56 SEATS
AVAILABLE**

CONTACT JUANITA KLECKNER OR
QUESTION/ RESERVATIONS CALL RENAE,
PARISH OFFICE,
756-3623 BETWEEN 9:00 AM AND 1:00 PM

Please if you cannot participate as listed below, try to find a replacement. Thank you.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK / EASTER 2019				
	Holy Thursday 7:00 PM April 18, 2019	Good Friday 7:00 PM April 19, 2019	Easter Vigil 8:30 PM April 20, 2019	Easter Sunday 10:00 AM April 21, 2019
Lectors	<i>M. Mayer</i>	<i>P. Thompson M. Salisbury</i>	<i>C. Pry L. Aldridge</i>	<i>R. Adamczyk</i>
Servers	<i>G. Seneta</i>	<i>A. Oliveria</i>	<i>A. Teed A. Rimel</i>	<i>C. Sawin</i>
Eucharistic Ministers	<i>P. Thompson D. Paradise M. Paradise</i>	<i>I. Hosey J. Hosey C. Rotko</i>	<i>E. Mundkowsky W. Mundkowsky L. Adamson</i>	<i>S. Sawin C. Hudacky K. Kulyk</i>

Sacred Triduum

Thursday, April 18:

SCI-Albion 1:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
 St. Philip 5:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
 [Memorial of deceased and washing of feet]
 [Eucharist at Altar of Repose for brief
 visitation following Mass]
 St. Lawrence 7:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
 [Memorial of deceased and washing of feet]
 [Eucharist at Altar of Repose for 2 hour
 visitation following Mass]

Friday, April 19:

SCI-Albion 9:00 am – Good Friday Service
 (Deacon McGraw leads Service)
 St. Philip 12:00 pm – Good Friday Service
 St. Lawrence 7:00 pm – Good Friday Service

Saturday, April 20:

St. Lawrence 12:00 Noon – Easter Food Blessing
 8:30 pm Holy Saturday Vigil Service of Light
 and Easter Vigil Mass for Parish and Mission

Easter Celebration

Sunday, April 21:

St. Philip 8:00 am Easter Day Mass
 St. Lawrence 10:00 am Easter Day Mass
 SCI-Albion 1:00 pm Easter Day Mass

A Good Read:



I have 6 copies of
 “The Shack”
 available for \$10 each.
 First come, First served.

Fr. Jim

Northwestern Food Pantry

They are continuing with
 the *Project Dignity* theme into
 April. They are collecting
 items for personal hygiene:

- *Shave Cream
- *Disposable Razors
- *Deodorant
- *Shampoo/Conditioner
- *Tooth Brushes
- *Tooth Paste

You can use the collection tote
 in the front vestibule of the
 church for your donations.

Reminder: The weekly bulletin is also available to you online. It can be found on the church's webpage:
www.stlawrencealbion.org