



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

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:

Office hours: 9:00 am to 2:00 pm Monday - Thursday

Email: stlawrencealbion@gmail.com

Webpage: www.stlawrencealbion.org

Office: 814-756-3623

Fax: 814-756-5918

Center and Religious Education Office: 814-756-4840

Faith Formation email: stlawrencelife@gmail.com



Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 18, 2020- Vigil

5:00 PM † *Adam and Mary Stankiewicz -
(Jackie Stankiewicz)*

Sunday, January 19, 2020 –2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

10:00 AM † *Kathi Schaaf - (St. Lawrence Parish)*

Monday, January 20, 2020 - Weekday

8:00 AM † *Dave Diehl -
(Class of 1961 Reunion Committee)*

Tuesday, January 21, 2020 - Saint Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM † *All Souls
(at St. Philip)*

Wednesday, January 22, 2020 - Day of Prayer for the Legal
Protection of Unborn Children

8:00 AM † *Dave Diehl - (Ladies of the Rosary)*

Thursday, January 23, 2020– Weekday

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM † *All Souls
(at St. Philip)*

Friday, January 24, 2020 - Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop
and Doctor of the Church

8:00 AM † *Lucy Fuller - (Jim and Cathy Hudacky)*

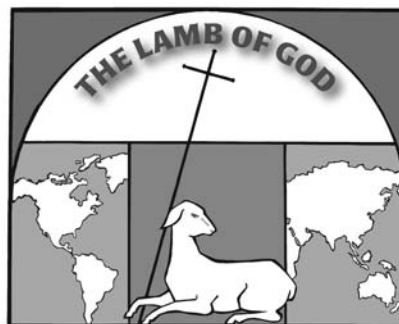
Saturday, January 25, 2020 - Vigil

5:00 PM † *Thomas Thompson - (Charles and Beth Deck)*

Sunday, January 26, 2020 - 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † *Catherine Ruland - (Charlotte Lowery)
(at St. Philip)*

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



**Second
Sunday in
Ordinary
Time**

LAMB OF GOD

A lamb was a familiar image for Jewish people in Jesus’ day. It was part of the Jewish tradition that lambs be slaughtered for sacrifice, as a way for the people to return to God after they had separated themselves through sinfulness. Of course, Jesus reminded his disciples of this sacrifice at the Last Supper. His actions at that meal would forever bind his followers to the sacrifice he made for each of us. Jesus had become the new Passover Lamb.

John the Baptist recognized Jesus as this sacrifice. Upon his approach, John proclaimed Jesus the “Lamb of God.” Having already seen the Spirit come down on Jesus, John knew that was the sign by which God had promised to indicate the chosen One. While it would remain unclear exactly what it meant to be the Lamb of God until after the Passion and Resurrection, John knew that this was the most fitting title for the one who approached him on that day at the Jordan River.

IN SERVICE OF THE LAMB

We will grow only in service to one another. We may each be individuals feeling at times that we work alone, but in reality, as Paul explained to the Corinthians, we are united. We are united in God by the power of the Holy Spirit, through Jesus Christ, the Son of God. In our humanity, we may not be able to give as completely as Jesus did, but we strive nevertheless to carry one another in humble service. Through our obedience to God’s will, we proclaim to the world Jesus’ message of love for even the least by our words and actions as we lift up our brothers and sisters. As we find strength in the Gospel message and in the many exemplary lives of those who have gone before us, the service that we offer to others is truly that of Jesus himself, the Lamb of God.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF JAN 25/26, 2019

	5:00 PM	10:00 AM
Lectors	M. Mayer	R. Adamczyk
Servers	C. Sawin	G. Seneta
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	K. Levis I. Hosey / J. Hosey	K. Kulyk M. Salisbury / R. Salisbury

**From the
Pastor's Desk**



Dear Friends in Christ:

In the 'ordinariness' of our lives, we experience great uncertainties. As I type these thoughts, our southern states have just experienced great tornado damage, Puerto Rico just had a second series of earthquakes and tremors, Australia's massive fires are yet to be controlled, hundreds of family members suffer great grief over a civilian Ukraine airplane having been shot down by Iran missiles, killing all aboard, our President is impeached and is embroiled in trial. These are the consequences of living on earth, an imperfect world that witnesses natural disasters and destructive human decisions and struggles to respond with justice and better use of resources.

We need to be people of prayer, faith, hope and love. St. Paul would add: "...both when convenient *and* inconvenient." Having experienced the Christmas Season and now, we are in Ordinary Time, we are urged to pray with sincerity and regularity, deepen our faith and confidence in God's Plan for our Salvation, and follow the Beatitudes with a true sense of commitment and genuine love for mankind.

These are not 'tasks' for others to do. You and I need to take our mission of prayer seriously. Make specific plans to put faith into action and service of others with a zeal. Pray for the souls in Purgatory, pray for those suffering because of sinful thoughts, words and actions of others in power, pray for healing within our Church. Be part of the solution, not of the problem.

Fr. Jim

January 13, 2020


Praying with a Purpose

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

Among those we are praying for

*Kylie Allen-Kulyk, Tom Lascek,
Justin Lascek, Jim and Julia Zurinsky,
Judy Diehl, Glen Black, Nancy*





**Combined Parish Council
Meeting**
 January 23, 2020
 7:00pm
 St. Lawrence Center

All members are encouraged to attend.

Catholic Services Appeal 2019

	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
Parish Goals	\$18,377.00	\$9,188.00
# Pledges	52	12
Amount Pledged	\$19,460.00	\$4,970.00
Amount Collected	\$22,085.00	\$10,666.00
Amount for Parish	+ \$3,708.00	+ \$1,478.00

**St. Philip
January 12th Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$ 723.00
Amount collected.....	\$ 733.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	+ \$10.00

**St. Lawrence
January 12th Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$2,148.00
Amount collected.....	\$2,267.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	+ \$119.00

Special Collection
Sunday January 26, 2020

Communications Collection
Help Spread the Faith

Supporting Faith Magazine & Catholic Communications

January, 2020
\$50.00 Weekly
52 - 200 Club Winners

Congratulations to the January Winners!

Week 1 Jackie Stankiewicz	Jan. 5, 2020
Week 2 Betsy Baker	Jan. 12, 2020
Week 3 Ron Golden	Jan. 19, 2019
Week 4 Mary Chason	Jan. 26, 2019

**February winners will be drawn at the next
 Ladies of the Rosary Meeting.
 February 6, 2020 ~ 6:30 pm
 St. Lawrence Church**

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




JOIN THE
KNIGHTS OF
COLUMBUS
COUNCIL #3979

A CATHOLIC
FAMILY FRATERNAL
SERVICE ORGANIZATION

CALL: JOHN SHADE 756-4512



Cursillo

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

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

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

Springfield Monument Company
Cemetery Memorial Specialists

Jim & Rosa Youschak
Owner / Memorial Designer


PO Box 247
11885 Main Street
East Springfield PA 16411

1-800-729-3516
Local: 922-3596



www.springfieldmonument.com

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:
814-756-4840

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

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

- Mon., Jan. 20 **Bingo** 5:30pm Doors open with Concessions
Game begins at 6:30 - St. Lawrence Center
AA Meeting 8:00 pm St Lawrence Center
- Wed., Jan. 22 **AA Meeting** 8:00 pm St. Lawrence Center
- Thur., Jan 23 **Parish Council Meeting** 7:00pm
St. Lawrence Center

Faith Formation

January 19 ~ Class // Penance— Grade 3

January 26 ~ Class // Penance—Grades 4, 5 & 6

February 2 ~ Class // Penance—Grades 7 & 8

February 9 ~ Class// Child Protection Video
All grades

*Contact Info: Susie Muetzel Office hours Tues/Thur 9 - 2
Office~ 756-4840 Home~ 756-0624

St. Lawrence Ladies of the Rosary
are sponsoring

SOUPER BOWL

Pre-orders are now being accepted

Last day to place an order
Sunday January 26th, 2020

Soup pick up

Sunday February 2nd 2020
At St. Lawrence Center
from 8:00am until 12:30 pm

Soup choices:

- Broccoli Cheddar
- Potato Leek
- Vegetable Beef
- Chili



Sign up sheets are at the entrances of the Church

Proceeds help the LOR to provide candles and other items

Mind full vs Mindful



Learn to be present
and enjoy the moment.

Bingo Update: Jan 20, 2020

Planned Payouts

- 8 Regular games..... \$35
- 6 Doubles..... \$40
- 3 Specials..... 50/50
- Early Bird Jackpot..... \$250 in
53#s or less
Consolation..... \$75
- Progressive Jackpot..... \$1000 in
51 #s or less
Consolation..... \$150
- Instant games throughout the night

Although it is not necessary
to use the buttons to open the doors it
is recommended. So...

Use the Buttons!

If you have not been
instructed on how to properly lock
the door and turn off the automatic
system do not take it upon yourself to
lock the door. If the door is not locked in the proper
way it may cause the motor to burn up and that will be
expensive.



We need your help selling tickets for the John Deere lawnmower that we will be raffling off on March 14th, 2020. Jim Mitchell and Renae Mihalak have tickets for you to sell to family, friends, strangers, co-workers...everyone!

If you have tickets that you've sold please put ticket stubs and money in an envelope with your name on the envelope and return it to Jim, Renae or you can put the envelope into the collection basket at Mass.

At St. Philip Church please see Bert Foriska for tickets to buy and tickets to sell.

All proceeds from this raffle benefit St. Lawrence Church



A Free Throw Championship, sponsored by the K of C will be held at Our Lady of the Lake Social Center on Sunday, January 26th at 1:00 P.M.



Registration & warm-ups begin at 12:00 P.M.

All boys and girls ages 9 - 14 are invited to participate.

Sign-up forms are available in the Social Center Lobby or participants may register on the day of the event.

Proof of age (birth certificate) and parent/guardian signature are required.

Contact Neil Burkell with questions at 734-4865.



Join us for a little fun!

St. Patrick's Day Party

Live Irish Music

March 14th, 2020

St. Lawrence Center

6:30pm until 8:30pm

Admission:
in advance or at the door

\$10 per Adult (BYOB)

\$5 per child 12 and under

Price includes: Reuben Sandwich, Bowl of Irish Stew or Hot Dog, a Soft Drink and Chips

Drawing for the John Deere Zero-Turn mower at 8:30 pm
Tickets: 1 for \$5 / 3 for \$10

Irish Auction!

50/50 Raffle!

All proceeds benefit St. Lawrence Church in Albion

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

www.stlawrencealbion.org