

# *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](mailto:jjk103@zoominternet.net)

**Reconciliation:**  
**Schedule Weekend Masses:**

**Saturday @ 4:15pm to 4:45pm at St. Lawrence**  
**Saturday @ 5:00pm at St. Lawrence**  
**Sunday @ 8:00am at St. Philip**  
**Sunday @ 10:00am at St. Lawrence**  
**Live-Streamed for your convenience**

**Schedule Weekday Masses:**

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

**First Friday Masses:**

**Adoration 4:00pm to 5:00pm Mass @ 5:15pm at 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](mailto:stlawrencealbion@gmail.com)**

**Webpage: [www.stlawrencealbion.org](http://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](mailto:stlawrencelife@gmail.com)**





Dear Friends in Christ:

When a sprinter reacts to the gunshot, he or she springs as quickly as possible and uses every ounce of strength to run towards the goal line, resisting every urge to focus for a microsecond on anything else but crossing that line for the win! If you have a goal, you choose to sacrifice great temptations to deviate from your path of success. St. Paul declares in his writings, the race is NOT over, we have not crossed the finish line in this world! When we have a vision of the 'buried treasure' or the 'fine pearl' referenced in today's Gospel writing, Jesus says, we choose to sacrifice what we have to attain that 'pearl of great price.'

Do you have a vision of heaven? Does it motivate you to make good choices? Have you shared your personal vision of heaven with others? Do you keep it to yourself? If you don't have a personal vision of heaven, how will you know it's heaven when you get there? Do you take seriously and be grateful for each moment of life you have in the here and now? The ultra-shared consciousness of the preciousness of life is one positive outcome of our experiencing the Coronavirus Pandemic. Let your vision lif you up!

Let our gratitude for life inspire us to respect the many races, ethnic groups, variety of differences that make us whole! Everyone is a blessing from God. "Bless the Lord, O my soul, and never forget all his benefits."

Fr. Jim  
July 26, 2020

<b>Catholic Services Appeal 2020</b>		
<b>Diocesan Assessment/Parish Goal \$28,287.00</b>		
	<b>St. Lawrence</b>	<b>St. Philip</b>
<b>Parish Goals</b>	<b>\$18,858.00</b>	<b>\$9,429.00</b>
<b># Families / # Pledges</b>	<b>123 / 49</b>	<b>59 / 13</b>
<b>Total Amount Pledged</b>	<b>\$18,170.00</b>	<b>\$3,680.00</b>
<b>Total Amount Collected</b>	<b>\$16,225.00</b>	<b>\$4,465.00</b>
<b>Shortfall Between Total Pledges &amp; Goal</b>	<b>\$688.00</b>	<b>\$5,749.00</b>
<b>Shortfall Between Amount Collected &amp; Goal</b>	<b>\$2,633.00</b>	<b>\$4,964.00</b>

<b>St. Philip</b>	
<b>Last Weeks Collection</b>	
<b>Weekly Offertory Budget Goal</b>	
<b>\$ 723.00</b>	
<b>Amount Collected.....</b>	<b>\$ 482.00</b>
<b>Surplus / Deficit.....</b>	<b>- \$ 241.00</b>

<b>St. Lawrence</b>	
<b>Last Weeks Collection</b>	
<b>Weekly Offertory Budget Goal</b>	
<b>\$ 2,148.00</b>	
<b>Amount Collected.....</b>	<b>\$ 1,742.00</b>
<b>Surplus / Deficit.....</b>	<b>- \$ 406.00</b>

~~Let's Close Some Gaps~~

We are midway through July already!  
If you have put off your "fair share" of CSA support,  
for Charitable Ministry, now is the time to commit and close our deficit gap.  
Now is also the time to close the Offertory gap for both parishes.  
We need your help!!  
*Thank You*

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

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:  
Cecily 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



Irene's  
TAILORING  
Alterations

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

Mattera Funeral Home

Pasquale (Pat) Mattera  
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188 East State Street  
Albion, PA 16401  
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fax 814-756-4648

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Owner / Memorial Designer


PO Box 247  
11885 Main Street  
East Springfield PA 16411

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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 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

A month to month schedule  
will temporarily be in place  
until we are once again able to utilize  
three ministers and an altar server, at each Mass.

Liturgical Ministry Schedule For August 1 & 2		
	Saturday Aug 1 - 5:00	Sunday Aug 2 - 10:00
Lectors	Marge Mayer	Carl Pry
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Kathleen Levis	Cheryl Krolczyk

Liturgical Ministry Schedule For August 8 & 9		
	Saturday Aug 8 - 5:00	Sunday Aug 9 - 10:00
Lectors	Pat Thompson	Robert Adamczyk
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Criss Rotko	Kelli Kulyk

Liturgical Ministry Schedule For August 15 & 16		
	Saturday Aug 15 - 5:00	Sunday Aug 16 - 10:00
Lectors	Marge Mayer	Carl Pry
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Pat Thompson	Harry Risinger

Liturgical Ministry Schedule For August 22 & 23		
	Saturday Aug 22 - 5:00	Sunday Aug 23 - 10:00
Lectors	Pat Thompson	Robert Adamczyk
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Silvia Atkinson	Darcy Paradise

**Congratulations to the students of our Confirmation Class  
who were Confirmed last Saturday at St. Lawrence.  
Please pray that their hearts will always be in a place  
where the gifts of the Holy Spirit will grow.**

**Pictured are students,  
Alina Telega,  
Joshua Salisbury,  
Elise Smith,  
their sponsors,  
and Fr. Kennelley**



**Confirmation Prayer**

**Spirit of God, grant me:  
The gift of Wisdom to see the world through your eyes,  
the gift of Counsel to make difficult decisions,  
the gifts of Knowledge and understanding to use my mind to know you and to love you,  
the gift of Fortitude to have the courage to live in the faith,  
despite the difficulties and disappointments,  
the gift of Piety to be able to express my special love and commitment to you,  
and the right kind of awesome Fear that makes me pause to wonder and revere God's Love.  
Amen.**

### *Praying with a Purpose*

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

*Among those  
we are praying for...*



*Kylie Allen-Kulyk,  
Dennis Melquist, John Hosey,  
Robert Stewart & Bill Mundkowsky*

## St. Lawrence Bingo

*"DON'T WORRY, BE HAPPY"*

### SUPPORT STAFF DEVELOPMENT

To restart Bingo, with new protocols for contagion protection, we need a minimum of 5 additional volunteers. I would like to have 2 teams so that they can take turns working every other or every 3rd weeks instead of every Monday night. In addition, with necessary 'distancing' we may have to extend playing to 3 classrooms in addition to the hall. This requires an additional attendant for each room to monitor and confirm Bingos. So, please help us to welcome 8 additional team members in all. High School Juniors and Seniors are welcome to earn 'service hours' and Concession food as well.



### FAITH FORMATION

For any questions or concerns.  
Please contact Susie Muetzel,  
our Faith Formation Facilitator.

Office Hours:  
Tuesday & Thursday 9 am – 2 pm  
Office – 756-4840 Home – 756-0624

For those who wish to continue to safely pray at home,  
Mass is live-streamed  
on Sunday Mornings, at 10:00am.

The Rosary is being live-streamed on Saturdays at 4:30.

**If you have access to Facebook**, you can use  
this link to view the live-streams.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/StLawrenceLife/>

**Those without Facebook**, can access the  
live-streams by clicking the yellow star on our  
website..... [www.stlawrencealbion.org](http://www.stlawrencealbion.org)

### *We Are All In This Together!*

A Blood Drive is scheduled  
at St. Lawrence Center  
THURSDAY JULY 30, from 2pm - 6pm .

If you are able to give blood,  
be sure to mark the date on your calendar,  
and come support your local Blood Bank.



**American  
Red Cross**

### July 2020 \$50.00 Weekly 52-200 Club Winners

Week 1	John & Angie Shade	July 5, 2020
Week 2	Mary Ann Salisbury	July 12, 2020
Week 3	Wyatt Melquist	July 19, 2020
Week 4	Earl Tenney	July 26, 2020

**Congratulations to our July Winners!**

**We still have some tickets available.  
Please contact Tammy Maskrey  
if you would like one.**