

Saint Lawrence-Saint Philip Catholic Church

Fr. Marc Solomon - Pastor

Deacon Paul McCoy - Deacon Assistant



*"He even gives orders to impure spirits,
and they obey him."
~Mark 1: 27*

*Sunday, January 28, 2024
Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time*

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Contact Information

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Parish Office Hours
9:00 am till 2:00 pm
Monday thru Thursday
Thursday - Closed 12:00-12:45 For Mass

Faith Formation Leader
Cassie Adamczyk
Faith Formation Leader
814-756-4840 - Office
814-873-8339 - Cell
Email - stlawrencelife180@gmail.com

Maintenance
Jim Mitchell

Parish Center/Rental Information
Rena Mihalak
814-756-4840 -- Please Leave a Message.

St. James Cemetery
Manager - Greg Petrus

Mass Schedule

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

All at St. Lawrence
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - 8:00am
Thursday & Friday - 12:00pm

Holy Hour

Tuesday Evenings 6:00 at St. Lawrence

First Friday

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
Sunday @ 7:30am at St. Philip



Mass Intentions For The Week

Monday, January 29, 2024 Weekday

* No Mass *

Tuesday, January 30, 2024 Weekday

8:00 AM † *Charles & Paula Shafer*
(St. Lawrence-St. Philip Church)

Wednesday, January 31, 2024 Saint John Bosco, Priest

8:00 AM † *Rev. Msgr. Henry Schauerma*
(St. Lawrence-St. Philip Church)

Thursday, February 1, 2024 Weekday

12:00 PM † *All Souls*

Friday, February 2, 2024 - First Friday The Presentation Of The Lord

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

Saturday, February 3, 2024 Sunday Vigil Mass Weekday

5:00 PM † *For The Living & Deceased Members Of*
St. Lawrence And St. Philip Church

Sunday, February 4, 2023 Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † *For The Living & Deceased Members Of*
St. Lawrence And St. Philip Church

10:00 AM † *Ted and Shirley Rastetter*
(Mike Rastetter)

~Please Note~

There will be No Daily Mass
on Monday, January 29th.

~Thank You

Deacon's Corner

January 28, 2024



Rule 6: Make Friends

This week, let's continue to look at the book *Living Joy: 9 Rules to Help You Rediscover and Live Joy Every Day* by Chris Stefanick. Rule 6 is Make Friends.

Chris Stefanick quotes a Harvard study that says it's not money, fame, success, or even health that allow people to thrive in old age. It's about friendship. "People with good, healthy relationships ended up being happy and healthy into old age."

"The soil where friendship grows is time, intimacy, and mercy." You can grow and develop your friendships in three ways:

1. Put in hard time. Friendship takes time and effort. Digital connections are real, but they are not deep enough. There is great value in face-to-face interactions and setting aside time on your calendar to connect with your friends. Make time for a phone call, grab coffee, or do some shared activity.
2. Be intimate. Real friendships are intimate. Instead of just asking, "How are you doing today?" ask instead, "How are you *really* doing?" "What are you grateful for?" "What are you struggling with?" "What is God doing in your life?"
3. Be merciful, and let things go easily. "The only way to grow in friendship over time is to forgive easily." People we know can offend us, and don't even know what they did. You deserve that freedom of forgiving and the joy of friendship. In the Our Father, we say, "forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us." Life is too short. Don't waste any of it on holding grudges that can destroy relationships. Chris tells us, "People aren't easy. Get over it so that you can experience the blessing it is to have long-term, meaningful, supportive friendships with other people who are as imperfect as you are."

May you experience God's peace and joy as you spend time with your friends.

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!



Cursillo

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

Parish Coordinators:
Needed



JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #3979

A CATHOLIC
FAMILY FRATERNAL
SERVICE ORGANIZATION

CALL: JOHN SHADE - 756-4512

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St. Lawrence/St. Philp Faith Formation

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

To register contact:
Cassie Adamczyk at
814-756-4840 (Office)
814-873-8339 (Cell)



Ministries

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

Altar Server
students grade 4 and up

Lector
post confirmation Adults

Greeter
high school students and up

Contact Parish Office for
more information
756-3623

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!"

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.



St. Lawrence/St. Philip Church

Membership Form

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Please Check One

- ☐ New
- ☐ Address Change
- ☐ Moving out of Parish

**~ Monday Night Bingo ~
St. Lawrence Center**

Doors/Concessions Open at 5:30
Games Begin at 6:30
Jackpot... \$1,100
in 54 balls or less
Come Join The Fun!!



St. Lawrence Lector Schedule

Saturday, January 27- 5:00 pm - Patricia Thompson
Sunday, January 28 - 10:00 am - Carl Pry

Saturday, February 3 - 5:00 pm - Marge Mayer
Sunday, February 4 - 10:00 am - Criss Rotko

Saturday, February 10 - 5:00 pm - Patricia Thompson
Sunday, February 11 - 10:00 am - Carl Pry

Saturday, February 17 - 5:00 pm - Marge Mayer
Sunday, February 18 - 10:00 am - Criss Rotko



**52-200 Club Weekly Winners
~ January 2024 ~**

Week 1 - Jan 7	Janet Groszkiewicz
Week 2 - Jan 14	Kelly Pettis
Week 3 - Jan 21	Amy Nugent
Week 4 - Jan 28	Becky Duda

**Congratulations
To Our Winners!**

There are tickets available
for the 2023 - 2024 Season.
If you would like to purchase one,
please contact Tammy Maskrey
or any member of The Ladies of the Rosary.

**This Week
at St. Lawrence/St. Philp**

Monday, January 29	*Bingo - 6:30 St. Lawrence Parish Center Doors Open at 5:30
	*AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center
Tuesday, January 30	*Holy Hour - 6 pm St. Lawrence Church
Wednesday, January 31	*AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center

First Friday - February 2nd

Adoration of The Most Blessed Sacrament
4:00 - 5:00 PM
First Friday Mass
5:15 PM



~Praying With A Purpose~



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

Please keep the following People in your prayers...

Melissa	Dawn Betle	Pat Gilbert
Cherie	Jon Reibel	Tammy Lynn
Mike Sawin	Jim Bernoski	& Kevin
Andrew Segal	Marilyn Madden	Nancy Cherry
Judy Diehl	Carol (Schultz) Raiff	Max Stephen
Maddalena Ranelli	Bill Pavolko	Tony Hudack
Kelly Wojtecki	Janet Lance	Ron Salisbury
Tom Lascek	Shawn	DJ
Lisa Ballmann	John Proske	Our Homebound
Angela Mulligan	Judy Graham	Parishioners

***Sunday, January 28th
Class**

***Sunday, February 4th
Class**

If you have any questions or concerns,
please contact our Faith Formation Facilitator,

Cassie Adamczyk
Office - 814-756-4840
Cell - 814-873-8339

Faith Formation



Financial Information

The 2024 Diocesan CSA Service Appeal will begin on February 11 with Commitment Sunday.
If you have not already fulfilled your 2023 Commitment, and are able to do so, please send it in as soon as possible.

We are \$2,412.00 from our Diocesan assessment this year, and still owe \$6,737.50 for our 2022 assessment, so anything you can do will be helpful in fulfilling this obligation. ~ Thank You!

Sacrificial Giving For The Weekend Of January 20th & 21st

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal
\$ 3,750.00

Amount Collected
\$ 1,795.00



The 2023 Catholic Services Appeal Our Diocesan Assessment—\$28,655.00

Current Households—152

Total Pledges Made—41

Total Amount Pledged—\$21,275.00

Total Amount Paid—\$26,243.00