

# *Saint Lawrence/Saint Philip* *Catholic Church*

*Fr. Marc Solomon - Pastor*

*Deacon Paul McCoy - Deacon Assistant*



*Sunday,  
August 6th*

*Transfiguration  
Of  
The Lord*

“And he was transfigured  
before them,  
and his face shone  
like the sun,  
and his clothes became  
white as light.”  
~Matthew 17:2

# August 6, 2023 - Transfiguration Of The Lord

## Contact Information

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**Deacon Paul McCoy**

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## Parish Office

Lori Adamson

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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

Renae Mihalak

814-756-4840 -- Please Leave a Message.

## 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, August 7, 2023

#### Weekday

**8:00 AM Marlene Meyer**  
*In Honor of Her 80th Birthday*  
( Nancy Cherry )

### Tuesday, August 8, 2023

#### Saint Dominic, Priest

**8:00 AM † Bill Leone**  
( St. Lawrence/St. Philip Parish )

### Wednesday, August 9, 2023

#### Weekday

**8:00 AM † Floann Beck**  
( Clarice Mohon )

### Thursday, August 10, 2023

#### Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr

**12:00 PM † Irvin Smith**  
( St. Lawrence/St. Philip Parish )

### Friday, August 11, 2023

#### Saint Clare, Virgin

**12:00 PM † Kathleen Heffren**  
( St. Lawrence/St. Philip Parish )

### Saturday, August 12, 2023

#### Weekday

#### Sunday Vigil Mass

**5:00 PM † Virginia Kearns**  
( Jim & Norella Consedine )

### Sunday, August 13 2023

#### Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**8:00 AM † For the Living & Deceased Members of**  
**St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church**

**10:00 AM † Jane Conner**  
( Greg and Lori Adamson )

## 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.

## Sacrament of Baptism

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

## 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.

## 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.

## Deacon's Corner

August 6, 2023

This week on August 10<sup>th</sup>, the Church celebrates the feast of St. Lawrence, Deacon, and Martyr.

St Lawrence was a deacon in Rome in the Third Century. He was responsible for the material goods of the Church and the distribution of alms to the poor. When he knew he would be arrested, St. Lawrence distributed all the wealth he had on hand to the poor, including selling some of the altar's sacred vessels to distribute more alms. The prefect of Rome heard of this and wanted St. Lawrence to render the Church treasures to Caesar. St Lawrence requested three days to collect these treasures. When the prefect appeared, St. Lawrence presented him with many blind, lame, maimed, leprous, orphaned, and widowed persons and said, "These are the treasures of the Church." For this, he was martyred on a gridiron over hot coals, and legend concludes he made his famous cheerful remark, "It is well done. Turn me over!"

We may not be called to give the ultimate sacrifice of our life for our Catholic faith, but martyrs like St. Lawrence can remind us to look for more minor sacrifices. Thus, identify the everyday things that we don't really need. Think of small ways you can sacrifice this week, like less time looking at your phone or giving up a favorite treat. May these small sacrifices help you continue to grow in your faith journey.

St Lawrence the Martyr, pray for us.

Deacon Paul

Let us pray for the soul of  
John "Jack" Meeker,  
who passed away July 26th.

May God give comfort to  
his family and friends,  
and may he rest in peace.



**Thank you all who volunteered  
to help set up for the  
Parish Picnic next Sunday.  
If you arrive around 10:30,  
we should be able to things  
all set up by 11:30.**

**~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!



## Cursillo

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

Parish Coordinators:  
Needed



## JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #3979

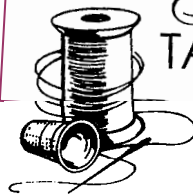
A CATHOLIC  
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CALL: JOHN SHADE - 756-4512

## Mattera Funeral Home

### Pasquale (Pat) Mattera Funeral Director / Owner

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## 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!"

## 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)



## St. Lawrence/St. Philip Church

### Membership Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

### Please Check One

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



## HELP NEEDED

It is possible that we may need one or two grills, and a few men to man them for our picnic next Sunday.

If you can bring a grill, please call the Parish Office and let us know ASAP.

~Thank You

## This Week at St. Philp & St. Lawrence

Monday, August 7	Bingo - 6:30 pm Doors Open 5:30 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center
	AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center
Tuesday, August 8	Holy Hour - 6 pm St. Lawrence Church
Wednesday, August 9	AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center
Sunday, August 13	St. Lawrence/St. Philip Parish Picnic St. Philip Church Grounds



If you would like to share your cooking skills, and would like to join our rotation to bring a meal for Fr. Mark, please call the Parish Office and let us know.

You would be on a list to bring a meal one time, every 4 weeks.

## ~Save The Date~



**The St. Lawrence/St. Philip Church  
Annual Fall Dinner will be on  
Sunday, October 1st!!  
11am - 2pm**

Please keep this date open so you can help us make this event a success. We will be needing volunteers to work the day of the dinner, volunteers to bake pies, bake items for the bake sale, and we will be needing donations for our Auction.

**We are very excited to be able offer  
this dinner again this year!!**

**Flu Immunization Clinic  
Sponsored by  
LECOM Institute For Successful Aging**

**Wednesday, September 13th  
9:00 - 11:00  
St. Lawrence Parish Center**

**Both Adult and Pediatric Consent Forms  
are available at the entrances of  
both Churches.**

**Don't let the Flu Bug  
Get You!**



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

Doors will open at 5:30  
Concessions open at 5:30  
Games will begin at 6:30  
Jackpot...\$1,000.00  
in 51 balls or less  
Come Join The Fun!!



**Lector Schedule**

Saturday, August 12 - 5:00 pm - Patricia Thompson  
Sunday, August 13 - 10:00 am - Criss Rotko

Saturday, August 19 - 5:00 pm - Marge Mayer  
Sunday, August 20 - 10:00 am - Carl Pry

Saturday, August 26 - 5:00 pm - Patricia Thompson  
Sunday, August 27 - 10:00 am - Criss Rotko

Saturday, September 2 - 5:00 pm - Marge Mayer  
Sunday, September 3 - 10:00 am - Carl Pry

**~Praying With A Purpose~**

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

Kylie Allen-Kulyk  
Melissa  
Judy Graham  
Cherie  
Mike Sawin  
Andrew Segal  
Judy Diehl  
Maddalena Ranelli  
Kelly Wojtecki  
Tom Lascek  
Lisa Ballmann  
Angela Mulligan  
Katie Mihalak  
Dawn Betle  
Jon Reibel  
Jim Bernoski  
Marilyn Madden



Tonya  
Missy  
Skip Buttaccio  
Morgan  
Angie Shade  
Henry Geer  
Carol (Schultz) Raiff  
Bill Pavolko  
Ray Fisher  
The Family of Lori Swanson  
Our Homebound Parishioners

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

**Financial Information**

**Sacrificial Giving For The Weekend Of  
July 29th & 30th**

**Weekly Offertory Budget Goal  
\$ 3,750.00**

**Amount Collected  
\$ 2,190.00**



**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—\$19,935.00**