

Saint Lawrence & Saint Philip Roman Catholic Churches

Rev. James J. Kennelley - Pastor

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



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



Contact Information

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Faith Formation Office 814-756-4840 ~ Leave a Message for Susie
Faith Formation Email: stlawrencelife@gmail.com
Center & Rental Information: 814-756-4840 ~ Leave a Message for Renae.

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:

Monday thru Friday @ 8:00 am
at St Lawrence

First Friday Masses:

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

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.



Mass Intentions



Saturday, May 8, 2021
Easter Weekday

5:00 PM † *Harry Wertelet*
(*Family*)

Sunday, May 9, 2021
Sixth Sunday of Easter
Mother's Day

8:00 AM † *For All Of The Mothers, Living & Deceased*

10:00 AM † *For All Of The Mothers, Living & Deceased*
(Live Streamed For Your Convenience At 10:00 am)

Monday, May 10, 2021
Easter Weekday

8:00 AM † *Patricia Mihalak*
(*Mike & Sue Mihalak*)

Tuesday, May 11, 2021
Easter Weekday

8:00 AM † *All Souls*

Wednesday, May 12, 2021
Easter Weekday

8:00 AM † *Bernard & Josephine Bristol - Anniversary*
Bernard Bristol - Birthday
(*John & Criss Rotko*)

Thursday, May 13, 2021
Easter Weekday
The Ascension of the Lord

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

7:00 PM † *For the People of St. Lawrence and St. Philip*

Friday, May 14, 2021
St. Matthias, Apostle

8:00 AM Mass † *Donna Brunner*
(*St. Lawrence Parish*)

Saturday, May 15, 2021
Easter Weekday

5:00 PM † *Adam & Mary Stankiewivz*
(*Jackie Stankiewicz*)

Sunday, May 16, 2021
Seventh Sunday of Easter
The Ascension of the Lord

8:00 AM † *Helen Hecker*
(*Tom & Jane Mallory*)

10:00 AM † *For the People of St. Lawrence and St. Philip*
(Live Streamed For Your Convenience At 10:00 am)



**Sixth Sunday
of Easter**



Land Of Peace Mission

On May 15th & 16th, our brothers and sisters representing the Land of Peace Mission - a nonprofit organization, will be selling Crucifixes, religious art work, and rosaries - all made of olive wood which is native to Israel and Bethlehem.

During all Masses, they will be speaking with us about the Christian situation in the Holy Land. Since tourism has greatly depleted, Christian families in the holy land, who depend on tourists, have been greatly affected. The goal of this mission is to help the poor and needy families in Bethlehem and Jerusalem. Sale of these goods will help them very much and also give you the opportunity to have something authentic from the holy land. Please visit their table and purchase one of their beautiful items. It is for a good cause and also a help to your personal devotion.

Their website is... www.landofpeace.org



From the
Pastor's Desk



Dear Friends in Christ:

The command of the Lord is that we "Love one another as he has loved us." This is not a suggestion or recommendation, it is a commandment! In fact, it is the ONLY commandment Jesus gives his followers, so we ought to take it seriously.

What does it mean to love? Is it exclusionary? Is it exceptional? Is it inclusive? Do I love those who agree with me? Do I love those who come from different backgrounds? Have I reduced the meaning of love to what is familiar with my history? Can I truly love someone who comes from a very different life experience than mine?

When I watch television and pick up a nature-show about aborigines, or people from South-West India, Mexico, Puerto Rico or the deep throat of Africa, do I have love feelings for these people? Do I have love feelings for citizens of Chicago? How about Ireland or Finland? When travel shows divulge societal differences and similarities, can I truly relate? How about the Black community of Erie? Can I relate to these people as being equal citizens with me with the same rights and responsibilities? Can I truly love them?

What's wrong with Jesus to have such expectations!


Fr. Jim

May 9, 2021

Catholic Services Appeal 2021 Diocesan Assessment/Parish Goal - \$28,807		
	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
Parish Goals	\$20,577	\$8,230
# Families / # Pledges	#115 / #38	#59 / #5
Total Amount Pledged	\$15,760	\$2,750
Total Amount Collected	\$11,165	\$2,770
Shortfall Between <i>Total Pledges & Goal</i>	\$4,817	\$5,480
Shortfall Between <i>Amount Collected & Goal</i>	\$9,412	\$5,460

St. Philip Last Week's Collection	
Weekly Offertory Budget Goal \$ 723.00	
Amount Collected.....	\$ 873.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	+ \$ 150.00

St. Lawrence Last Week's Collection	
Weekly Offertory Budget Goal \$ 2,148.00	
Amount Collected.....	\$ 1,551.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	- \$ 597.00



**Would you
Rather?**

**go into the past and meet your ancestors
or
go into the future and meet your
great-great-grandchildren?**

Erie Diocese Online Auction

The Mission Office of the Diocese of Erie is holding an online auction May 17-22 to raise funds to honor the Mission of Friendship's 50th anniversary this year. The Mission of Friendship is the Diocese of Erie's mission located in Merida, Mexico. People may access the auction through the Mission Office website at www.eriercd.org/missions/.

For questions, contact Indira Suarez, Director of the Mission Office, at isuarez@ErieRCD.org or 814-824-1231.

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:
Ferry and Patti Bowersox 814-756-5859

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
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 TO-
DAY!



"Those who sing pray twice!"

St. Lawrence
Faith Formation



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

To register contact:
Susan Muetzel at
814-756-4840



St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church
Membership Form

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Please Check One

New

Address Change

Moving out of Parish

Liturgical Ministry Schedule

May 15th & 16th		
	Saturday May 15 - 5 PM	Sunday May 16 - 10 AM
Lectors	Pat Thompson	Rob Adamczyk
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Criss Rotko	Cheryl Krolczyk

May 22nd & 23rd		
	Saturday May 22 - 5 PM	Sunday May 23 - 10 AM
Lectors	Susan Muetzel	Carl Pry
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Patricia Thompson	Darcy Paradise

May 29th & 30th		
	Saturday May 29 - 5 PM	Sunday May 30 - 10 AM
Lectors	Marge Mayer	Rob Adamczyk
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Susie Muetzel	Kelli Kulyk

June 5th & 6th		
	Saturday June 5 - 5 PM	Sunday June 6 - 10 AM
Lectors	Pat Thompson	Carl Pry
Servers	None	None
Eucharistic Ministers	Kathleen Levis	Mark Paradise

**52 - 200 Club
Final Drawing Winners**


\$1000..... Steve & Pam Bahny
\$500..... Ron Allen
\$500..... Rose Podluzne
\$250..... Betsy Baker
\$250..... Ryan Kulyk
\$200..... Danny Hough
\$200..... Betsy Baker
\$200..... Ryan Pry
\$150..... Mary Ann Salisbury
\$150..... Carl Tenney
\$150..... Ron Allen
\$150..... Allison Duda

Congratulations!

~Praying With A Purpose~

To add a prayer request, please contact
 Cathy Wojtecki 756-5961, Norma Jaffko 756-3889
 or Jim Pellegrino.

*Among those
 we are praying for...*

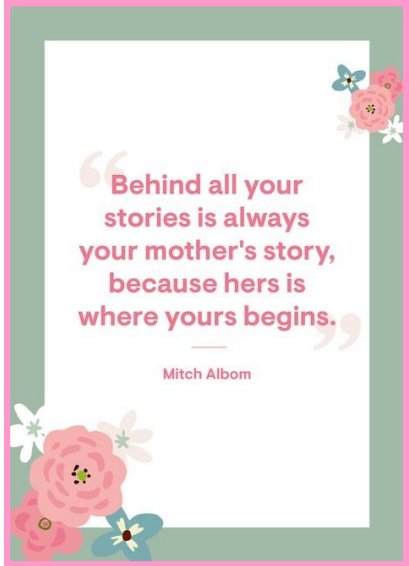


Kylie Allen-Kulyk, Tony Jantosik,
 Palla Tautin, Terri Cleaver, and for Tony Lorange,

A Message From The Diocese of Erie

In this age when personal data can be misused by scam artists, please be aware that the Roman Catholic Diocese of Erie, its clergy, and entities such as parishes and schools will never solicit your personal or business information by any method unless initiated by you. Should you receive an unsolicited request for such information, including a request for gift cards of any type, exercise extreme caution. Contact the person or entity by using official contact information only. Do not use contact information provided in the potential fraudulent request.

Thank you!



What's Happening at St. Lawrence and St. Philip

Faith Formation

Sunday, May 9 9:15 - The Rosary will be prayed
in the church for all Mothers.
10:00 - May Crowning

If you have any questions or concerns,
please contact our Faith Formation Facilitator,
Susie Muetzel, OFS.

Office – 756-4840 Home – 756-0624



Annual Mother's Day Carnation Project

Mother's Day carnations provided by People for Life, will be available after all Masses on May 8th & 9th . Help celebrate Mother's Day, by selecting some beautiful carnations for that special mom in your life. Your donation of \$2 per carnation or \$20 a dozen, will help support pro-life educational programs.

Thinking of YOU



MOTHERS WHO
HAVE LOST
CHILDREN



THOSE WHO HAVE
LOST MOTHERS



THOSE WITH
STRAINED MOTHER
RELATIONSHIPS



MOTHERS WITH
STRAINED CHILD
RELATIONSHIPS



THOSE WHO HAVE
CHOSEN NOT TO BE
MOTHERS



THOSE YEARNING
TO BE MOTHERS



This Week



Monday, May 10	Blood Drive - 1 pm - 5 pm St. Lawrence Center
Monday, May 10	AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Center
Wednesday, May 12	AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Center

The need is constant.
The gratification is instant.
Give blood.



**BLOOD DRIVE
ST. LAWRENCE CENTER
MAY 10, 2021
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM
PRE REGISTER ONLINE AT
REDCROSSBLOOD.ORG
CALL 1 800-RED CROSS OR
756- 4840 AND LEAVE A MESSAGE.**



Our Faith Formation Students enjoyed a
"Last Day of Class" Picnic last Sunday!
The weather was wonderful, the food was delicious
and the fellowship was even better!!
Have a wonderful Summer!!!