# Saint Lawrence & Saint Philip Roman Catholic Churches



# Rev. James J Kennelley - Pastor Paul McCoy - Deacon Susan Muetzel - Faith Formation Facilitator



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



#### **Staff Contact Information**

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Email - stlawrencealbion@gmail.com

Center/Rental Information: 814-756-4840 ~ Leave a Message for Renae Mihalak

#### 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, November 20 2021 Weekday

5:00 PM Adam & Mary Stankiewicz (Jackie Stankiewicz)

#### <u>Sunday, November 21 2021</u> <u>Our Lord Jesus Christ, King Of The Universe</u>

8:00 AM T Catherine Ruland (Charlotte Lowery) 10:00 AM T For The People of St. Philip & St. Lawrence (Live Streamed For Your Convenience At 10:00 am)

#### Monday, November 22, 2021 St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr

8:00 AM 🕈 Jack Cryder (Patricia Thompson)

#### <u>Tuesday, November 23, 2021</u> <u>Weekday</u>

8:00 AM 🕆 Becky Pintea (Kaleida Family)

# Wednesday, November 24, 2021 St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest & Companions, Martyrs

8:00 AM † Michael & Genevieve (Jim & Norella Consedine)

#### <u>Thursday, November 25, 2021</u> <u>Weekday - Thanksgiving Day</u>

8:00 AM 🕏 At St. Philip For The People of St. Philip & St. Lawrence

10:00:00 AM 🕈 At St. Lawrence For The People of St. Philip & St. Lawrence

#### <u>Friday, November 26, 2021</u> <u>Weekday</u>

8:00 AM 🕏 Sisters, Becky Pintea & Darlene Walker (Jim & Cathy Hudacky and Family)

#### Saturday, November 27 2021 Weekday

5:00 PM T Dave Diehl (His Family)

#### Sunday, November 28 2021 First Sunday of Advent

8:00 AM For the People of St. Philip & St. Lawrence
10:00 AM Elizabeth Koenitzer
(Susan Hoyt)

(Live Streamed For Your Convenience At 10:00 am)



Dear Friends in Christ.

We have confidence in Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. It's a broad title of Jesus' power and authority. He is above all, beneath all and surrounding all other titles and empowerments. While the title is time sensitive according to the images of the first century, the intent in universal, Jesus' holistic thinking is evident, and there is no one but Jesus at the top.

Jesus is conceived as being all in all. At the end time, Jesus alone will be presented as Lord, King of all. You and I will be presented as being subservient to Him alone!

A new relationship will be presented wherein all powers that are, will be presented, rightly so, as being subservient to Jesus. And you and I will be subordinate to Him alone. I realize this is a medieval imagery that precedes modern imagery, but you get the point. There is no one but Jesus in control of reality, across all cultures and time. It will be super simple and we all will know our place and be happy in it!

Fr. Jim
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

The Sanctuary Light is burning the month of November in honor of The Most Blessed Sacrament and for David Diehl

> Requested by: His Loving Family



#### ~Praying With A Purpose~

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

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

Kylie Allen-Kulyk, Tony Jantosik,
Palla Tautin, Judy, Jon Reibel, Dennis,
Patricia, Hunter Borland, Paul Madden
and Jen Holland

#### Deacon's Corner

November 21, 2021

#### Solemnity of Christ the King

This week is the last Sunday of the liturgical year, which the Church celebrates as the Solemnity of Christ the King. Pope Pius XI instituted this feast in 1925 with his encyclical Quas Primas ("In the first"). Initially, it was celebrated on the last Sunday in October. Although, Pope Paul VI eventually moved it to the last Sunday of Ordinary Time in 1969.

In the early part of the  $20^{\circ}$  century, Pope Pius XI saw an increase in nationalism and secularism. In response, his encyclical reminds the faithful that governments and philosophies are temporary, but Christ reigns as king forever.

The United Stated Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) reflects on Christ's reign in the Kingdom of God in three areas:

#### The Kingdom is Holistic

"Secularism divides our public selves from our private selves. When governments limit the rights of religious ministries, secularists claim that religious freedom is not harmed because we still have freedom of worship – we are free in private but not in public. But the kingdom of God calls us to a whole life of worship and service in the public square. We cannot worship on Sunday and then deny Christ's teaching in the way we run our ministries throughout the week.

Nationalism, on the other hand, divides our loyalties. It is good to love one's country, but ultimate loyalty is due only to Christ and his kingdom. Ideologies that ask us to put our nation above Christ and his Church are incompatible with service to the kingdom."

#### The Kingdom Demands Discipleship

"We must work every day, with the help of the Holy Spirit, to draw closer to Jesus. In our own increasingly "post-Christian" society, we cannot be complacent in our spiritual lives. To acknowledge the kingship of Christ means that we should dedicate ourselves to prayer, to building up our families and our parish communities, and to bringing healing to a broken world."

#### The Kingdom is Humble

"Jesus inaugurates a kingdom that grows through humble acts of service. Even as her freedom to carry out her ministries is threatened, the Church must patiently continue to serve the poor, educate the young, welcome the migrant, visit the prisoner, heal the sick, bury the dead, and love others."

Throughout, this week we should take some time to reflect on Christ who should be the King of every aspect of our lives

Deacon Paul



The Northwestern Ministerium will sponsor the

Community Thanksgiving Service Tuesday, November 23rd at 7:00pm at St. Lawrence Church

The free will offering will benefit the Helping Hand Fund, and the Northwestern Community Youth Center

#### 52-200 Club Weekly Winners ~ November 2021 ~

Week 1 Sandra Malena November 7
Week 2 Dan Joslin November 14
Week 3 Helen Connors November 21
Week 4 Allison Duda November 28

# Congratulations to our November Winners!

There are tickets available for the 2021-2022 Season.
If you would like to purchase one, please contact Tammy Maskrey or any member of The Ladies of the Rosary.

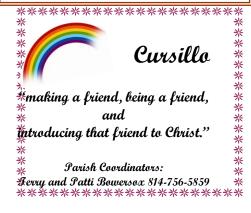
#### Ladies of the Rosary



Meetings First Thursday of the month at 6:30PM

Contact: Tammy Maskrey

All Ladies of the parish are welcome!



#### Mattera Funeral Home

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Call Carrie Sawin at 756-4658 or e-mail at carriesawin@roadrunner.com with questions.

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756-4894



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

#### Ministries

Serve the Lord and serve the Parish as an:

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**Eucharistic Minister** post confirmation Adults

Lector post confirmation Adults

Greeter high school students and up

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#### 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!

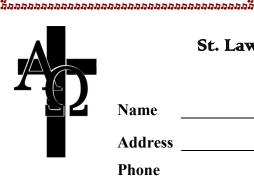


"Those who sing pray twice!" ~St. Augustine

#### St. Lawrence **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	

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November 27 & 28				
	Saturday November 27 5:00 PM	Sunday November 28 10:00 AM		
Lectors	Patricia Thompson	Rob Adamczyk		
Servers	None	None		
Eucharistic Ministers	Susan Muetzel	Mark Paradise		

December 11 & 12			
	Saturday December 11 5:00 PM	Sunday December 12 10:00 AM	
Lectors	Susan Muetzel	Carrie Sawin	
Servers	None	None	
Eucharistic Ministers	Criss Rotko	Steve Sawin	

December 4 & 5			
	Saturday December 4 5:00 PM	Sunday December 5 10:00 AM	
Lectors	Marge Mayer	Carl Pry	
Servers	None	None	
Eucharistic Ministers	Patricia Thompson	Cheryl Krolczyk	

December 18 & 19				
	Saturday December 18 5:00 PM	Sunday December 19 10:00 AM		
Lectors	Patricia Thompson	Rob Adamczyk		
Servers	None	None		
Eucharistic Ministers	Susan Muetzel	Darcy Paradise		

As a service to our Parish, the following Faith Formation Students are on rotation to run our Sunday morning Live-Streaming Service.

1st Sunday of the Month: Ian Salisbury 2nd Sunday of the Month: Amelia Howells 3rd Sunday of the Month: Laura Ordakowski 4th Sunday of the Month: Carson Hajec

Thank You!



~Thanksgiving Day Mass Schedule~

Thursday, November 25 8am - St. Philip 10am - St. Lawrence

~St. Lawrence~

Lector - Pat Thompson Eucharistic Minister - Susie Muetzel

#### St. Lawrence Last Week's Collection

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal \$ 2,148.00

> St. Philip Last Week's Collection

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal \$ 723.00

#### Catholic Services Appeal 2021 Diocesan Assessment/Parish Goal - \$28,807

	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
Parish Goals	\$20,577	\$8,230
# Families / # Pledges	#115 / #39	#59 / #5
Total Amount Pledged	\$16,060	\$2,750
Total Amount Collected	\$16,065	\$5,910
Shortfall Between Total Pledges & Goal	\$4,517	\$5,480
Shortfall Between Amount Collected & Goal	\$4,512	\$2,320

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

# Our Community Christmas Dinner will be on Sunday, December 5th from 11:00 to 2:00. This will be a Take Out, Drive Thru Dinner

We need your help in order to have this dinner run smoothly. Here are some ways that you can help.....

\*Monetary Donations - To help defray costs

\*Food Items - Only Apple Pies Please- No Other Desserts, Turkeys or Hams are needed. ~Thank You.

\*Please Sign Up For Pies At The Side Vestibule Of The Church\*

\*Volunteers - We need many volunteers to help this Dinner run smoothly.

Sign Up Sheets are at the side vestibule of the Church.

This is a free will donation meal.

The money that is donated by the community is split 90/10 between the Northwestern Food Pantry and St. Lawrence Church.

The Food Pantry uses their share to purchase food through out the year and the 10% that stays at St. Lawrence is to help with food and costs to preparing the meal.



#### ~ Monday Night Bingo ~

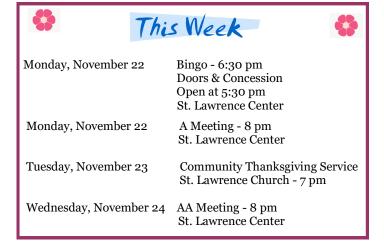
Doors will open at 5:30 Concessions open at 5:30 Games will begin at 6:30

Jackpot...\$1,000 in 50 balls or less

Masks & social distancing will be in effect.

Come Join The Fun!!





# Faith Formation

#### Faith Formation

Sunday, November 21st No Class

Happy Thanksgiving

Sunday, November 28th Class

Reconciliation

Grades 3/5/6

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

Susie Muetzel, OFS.

Office - 756-4840 Home - 756-0624