



Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 19, 2018 - Vigil

5:00 PM † *Adam and Mary Stankiewicz -
(Jackie Stankiewicz)*

Sunday, May 20, 2018 - Pentecost Sunday

8:00 AM † *Russell Worley - (Janet and Family)
(at St. Philip)*

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

Monday, May 21, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM † *Dennis Songer - (Louise Keeler)*

Tuesday, May 22, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM † *Philip Remek - (Mrs. Mabel Porter)
(at St. Philip)*

Wednesday, May 23, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM † *Angeline and Michael DeFede -
(Mary Teed Family)*

Thursday, May 24, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM † *For those who are Homebound
(at St. Philip)*

Friday, May 25, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM † *Janice Rippert - (Diane Suscheck Fromanski)*

Saturday, May 26, 2018 - Vigil

5:00 PM † *Rudy and Marian Vanco -
(Philip Kalieda Family)*

Sunday, May 27, 2018 - The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 AM † *For the People of St Lawrence and St Philip
(at St. Philip)*

10:00 AM † *Marie Gardner - (Jeff and Cindy Heberlein)*

AS THE FATHER SENT ME



SO DO I SEND YOU

*Pentecost
Sunday*

BAPTISM AS THE ROOT OF VOCATION

On this great feast of Pentecost, when we celebrate the inrushing of the Holy Spirit, it is good for us to recall our own baptism. Baptism is at the foundation of each Christian's call, or vocation, to share in the ministry of Jesus Christ. For some, this means a response to the call to ordained ministry. For the vast majority of us, our vocation is played out in life's relationships and everyday situations. Our ordained leaders have the responsibility of inspiring us to do the work of building the reign of God in those places where our daily routines take us: school, work, the gym, the supermarket, the mall, our dinner tables, around the television, or at the computer. At our baptism, we were given the gift of the Holy Spirit. In confirmation, we were sealed with the gifts of the Holy Spirit. The power to share in the ministry of Christ is planted within us. Let us be open to rediscovering the power of the Holy Spirit on this Pentecost and throughout the coming year.



The Baccalaureate Mass
Will be held on June 3, 2018
At 10:00 AM
For our Graduating Seniors

**There will be a second collection
next weekend May 26th and 27th, 2018.**



The International Needs Collection, a combined collection for Catholic Relief Services, the Church in Eastern Europe and the Support for the Church in Africa.

Thank you for your continued support.



**Memorial Day Mass
Monday May 28, 2018
10:00 am**

In the Chapel at St. James Cemetery

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF MAY 26/27, 2018

	5:00 PM	10:00 AM
Lectors	J. Torba	M. Salisbury
Servers	L. Zurinsky	
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	L. Buttaccio R. Buttaccio / K. Levis	C. Heberlein J. Heberlein / C. Niedermeyer

**From the
Pastor's Desk**



Dear Friends in Christ:

The work of faith is exactly that: work. We learn how to use the 'tools of the trade' as certainly as any craftsman learns the tools of his or her trade through study, reflection and practice. We are called to study the Sacred Word (Scripture), pray and meditate on the overarching truths of our belief, and then we have to put into practice what we say we believe and thereby validate it as being a guiding light of our lives.

To Pray, Study, and Act according to the Gospel certainly follows the guidelines of the Beatitudes and the Great Law of Love taught by Jesus. Today, we focus on the Great Gifts of the Holy Spirit: **Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety, and Fear of the Lord.** The work of faith is to practice these talents over and over so that we can have genuine Fruits of the Holy Spirit in our lives. These include Charity, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Generosity, Gentleness, Faithfulness, Modesty, Self-Control, and Chastity. When these 'fruits' are missing in our lives, it is precisely *because* we are not working our faith, living the Great Gifts.

Look at your life! If any Fruit is missing, ask yourself "Which Gift of the Holy Spirit do I need to practice more faithfully so that I can grow in that particular quality? The work of faith is exactly that: work.

Fr. Jim
May 14, 2018

Fr Pete: "Don't ask about changing the situation. Ask about changing your heart."

Praying with a Purpose

Contact people :
Cathy Wojtecki 756-5961, Norma Jafko 756-3889,
Grace Black 844-0943 or Jim Pellegrino 882-0877.



Among those we are praying for -
Tom Kennelley, Rose Copeland and Kylie Allen-Kulyk.

Catholic Services Appeal 2018

Parish Goal \$29,029

	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
Parish Goals	\$19,353.00	\$9,676.00
# Pledges	64	26
Amount Pledged	\$28,700.00	\$7,760.00
Amount Collected	\$17,935.00	\$6,520.00
Amount for Parish	\$0.00	\$0.00

**St. Philip
May 13th Collection**

Weekly Offertory amount needed to reach budget goals \$673.

Offertory	\$	682.00
Ascension Thursday Collection.....	\$	35.00
Food Bank.....	\$	25.00
TOTAL	\$	742.00

**St. Lawrence
May 13th Collection**

Weekly Offertory amount needed to reach budget goal \$2,048.

Offertory	\$	1784.00
Ascension Thursday Collection.....	\$	296.00
International Needs Collection.....	\$	10.00
Rent.....	\$	274.00
TOTAL	\$	2,364.00

**WHAT'S HAPPENING AT
ST. LAWRENCE AND ST. PHILIP**

- Sun., May 20** St Philip Sale Prep. 9:00am to Noon
St Philip Center
- Mon., May 21** St Philip Sale Prep. 9:00am to 3:00 pm
St Philip Center
AA Meeting 8:00 pm St Lawrence Center
- Tues., May 22** St Philip Sale Prep. 9:00am to 3:00pm
St Philip Center
Adult Education 7:00 pm St Lawrence Ctr
- Wed., May 23** St Philip Sale Prep 9:00am to 3:00 pm
St Philip Center
Adult Choir Practice 7:00 pm St Lawrence Church
AA Meeting 8:00pm St. Lawrence Center
- Thur. & Fri. May 24 / 25** 9:00 am to 5:00 pm
St Philip Trash and Treasure Sale / St Philip Center
- Sat., May 26** 9:00 am to Noon
St Philip Trash and Treasure Sale / St Philip Center

\$50.00

52 - 200 Club Winners

Week One 5/6/2018 **Week Two 5/13/2018**
Jeannie Miller **Betsy Baker**

Week Three 5/20/2018

**Drawing will be held in the conference room off
the front vestibule following the 10am Mass**



A Men's Breakfast
will be offered by the
St. Lawrence
Ladies of the Rosary

June 17th , 2018

At 8:30 am in the St. Lawrence Center

Sign –up sheets are at the entrances of the Church

52 - 200 Club Wine and Cheese Party Final Drawing Winners

\$1000.....Becky Duda
\$500.....Larry Beveridge
\$500.....Ruth Keidaisch
\$250.....Mark Paradise
\$250.....Donna Brunner
\$200.....Betsy Baker
\$200.....Linda Quay
\$200.....Steve & Allene McNally
\$150.....Aiden Balogh
\$150.....Jim & Judy Zurinsky
\$150.....Ryan Kulyk
\$150.....Mary Chason
\$3700.....Total

St. Lawrence Ladies of the Rosary Happenings



~ The Trash to Treasure Sale was a great success!

Thank you to all who helped put this event on as well as all those who baked goodies for our bake sale.

~ A good time was had by all at the 52-200 Reception. Congratulations to all the winners! We also had a special presentation of a plaque to Honor the Catering Committee who has worked so hard all these years. There are still current 52-200 tickets available if you wish to be part of this raffle. Contact Lori Adamson to get yours. (860-6623)

~Preparations are being made for the Men of Faith Breakfast that will be held June 17th at 8:30 am. Come and enjoy fellowship along with a hearty breakfast before Mass!

Cooking for Crowds A Volunteer's Guide to Safe Food Handling

This Class is being offered
by the Penn State Extension

When: Wednesday
June 13th, 2018
6:00pm - 9:00pm
Where: Albion Volunteer
Fire Department
15 Smock Ave
Albion PA 16401



Anyone wishing to take this class should contact the Parish office (756-3623) so that we can register as a group. Registration should be made by May 24th, 2018. We do have one alternative site, call for information.



To our families who have loved ones serving in the Military.

Contact us with any updates to their status so that we can keep the bulletin board at the back of the church current. We thank them and you for their service



Special Presentation

A Plaque was presented to honor the "Catering Crew", Saturday May 5, 2018 at the 52-200 Wine and Cheese Party held at the St. Lawrence Center. It was presented to John and Ilene Hosey the Chair Couple, Frank and Peg Beeman, Rose Beveridge, Dave and Judy Diehl, Charlie and Linda Quay and Mary Teed. This was presented to them as a thank you for their many years and hours of volunteering to St. Lawrence Parish. The Plaque will hang in the St. Lawrence Center. We also thank them for all they have done.

Saint Philip's Annual Rummage Trash and Treasure Sale

Sale Dates

Thursday, May 24th 9:00AM to 5:00PM
Friday, May 25th 9:00AM to 5:00PM
Saturday, May 26th (BUY 1 BAG GET 2 FREE) 9:00AM to 12:00PM (Noon)

Help is needed to set up, sort and price items

Sunday May 20th 9:00AM to 12:00PM (Noon)
Monday May 21st 9:00AM to 3:00PM
Tuesday May 22nd 9:00AM to 3:00PM
Wednesday May 23rd 9:00AM to 3:00PM

Volunteers also needed to work the sale
Mark this week in your calendar

Donation Suggestions:

Clothing - Men's, Ladies and Children's and Baby Items

Home Items - Dishes, pots, pans, silverware/utensils, curtains, sheets, blankets, lighting fixtures and any accessories, furniture. Small appliances and any electronics must be in working order.

Miscellaneous - Books, jewelry, houseplants, knick-knacks, decorations (seasonal), sports equipment, baskets, glassware, toys.

PLEASE DO NOT BRING JUNK, ANYTHING BROKEN OR STAINED

NO COMPUTERS / ACCESSORIES AND NO TELEVISIONS



Local Memorial Day Events

Monday May 28, 2018

Albion Parade - 9:00 am, begins in Albion Park to the Veterans' Memorial on East State St.

Springfield Parade - 11:00 am, begins at Springfield Elem School to Springfield Cemetery

St. James Cemetery Service - Mass at 10:00 am in the Cemetery Chapel

Hope Cemetery Service - Begins at approx 10:30 am following Albion Veteran Memorial Service.

Platea Veterans Monument Service - following service at Hope Cemetery

Albion Cemetery Service - following Platea Service

Albion VFW Service - Noon at the VFW

Remembering all those who have served.



A Thank You note was received from the Northwestern Food Pantry for the blankets that were donated to them by Megan, Laura, Emily and Olivia. The 6th and 7th grade girls made the blankets during their retreat in March. Pantry Director Steve Smith stated that all of the blankets have been distributed to local families.

Nice Job Ladies!

Albion American Legion 567 Is Sponsoring a Take Out Chicken BBQ for the Northwestern Baseball Team

Sunday May 20, 2018
at the Legion Home
93 E. State St
Albion PA

Begins at 11:00 am until sold out

\$9.00 per Meal

1/2 chicken

Beans

Choice of Salad

Bread and Butter

\$7.00 Chicken Only

Take Out Only

