

*Saint Lawrence  
and  
Saint Philip  
Roman Catholic Churches*



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

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

**Rev. James J. Kennelley - Pastor**

Cell: 724-866-9212

Email: [jjk103@zoominternet.net](mailto:jjk103@zoominternet.net)

**Reconciliation:**  
**Schedule Weekend Masses:**

**Saturday 4:15 to 4:45pm in St. Lawrence**  
**Saturday @ 5:00pm in St. Lawrence**  
**Sunday @ 8:00am in St. Philip**  
**Sunday @ 10:00am in St. Lawrence**

**Schedule Weekday Masses:**

**Monday, Wednesday, and Friday @ 8:00am in St Lawrence**  
**Tuesday and Thursday @ 8:00am in St Philip**

**First Friday Masses:**

**Adoration 4:00pm to 5:00pm Mass @ 5:15pm in St. Lawrence**

**Sacrament of Baptism**

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

**Sacrament of Matrimony**

Parishioners are requested to contact the pastor at least six months in advance to begin preparation for this sacrament. Participation is required in the Pre-Cana Program or Engagement Encounter.

**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. Notify the Parish Office of hospitalization and/or Communion to the sick and shut-ins. Emergencies will be addressed at any time.

**PARISH OFFICE CONTACT INFORMATION:**

Email: [stlawrencealbion@gmail.com](mailto:stlawrencealbion@gmail.com)  
Webpage: [www.stlawrencealbion.org](http://www.stlawrencealbion.org)  
Office: 814-756-3623 Office hours: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm  
Fax: 814-756-5918  
Center and Religious  
Education Office: 814-756-4840



Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 9, 2019- Vigil

5:00 PM † James Meeker - ( Elsie Phillabaum )

Sunday, February 10, 2019 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary  
Time

8:00 AM † Catherine Ruland - ( Charlotte Lowery )  
(at St. Philip)

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

Monday, February 11, 2019 - Weekday

8:00 AM † Bernie Bristol - ( John and Criss Rotko )

Tuesday, February 12, 2019 - Weekday

8:00 AM Communion Service

8:00 AM † For the Homebound of our Parish  
(at St. Philip)

Wednesday, February 13, 2019 - Weekday

8:00 AM † Philip Remek - ( Elaine McGraw )

Thursday, February 14, 2019 - Saints Cyril, Monk, and  
Methodius, Bishop

8:00 AM Communion Service

8:00 AM † For the Deceased Members of St. Philip  
(at St. Philip)

Friday, February 15, 2019 - Weekday

8:00 AM Mass † James and Virginia Fratalia - ( Estate )

Saturday, February 16, 2019 - Vigil

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

Sunday, February 17, 2019 - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary  
Time

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

10:00 AM † James Bean - ( Jeff and Cindy Heberlein )



*Fifth  
Sunday  
in  
Ordinary  
Time*

**PREACHING THE GOSPEL**

John, the only other evangelist to recount the story of the miraculous catch of fishes, places the story after the resurrection of Christ from the dead, not at the beginning of his ministry, as Luke does here. Unlike Matthew and Mark, who write that the disciples immediately follow Jesus at his summons, Luke seems to know that his listeners will comprehend the call to discipleship better if it follows a miraculous sign. But whether it's Luke describing the beginning of the disciples following Jesus in mission, or John's depiction of the risen Christ preparing his followers for the mission facing them after his return to the Father, the point is the same—and remains the same for us today. Paul expresses it best. It does not matter who preaches the gospel, or where or when, but only that it is, through the grace of God in us, preached and believed.

**GOD IS CALLING**

When God calls you to preach the gospel, what will be your response? Do you feel you have what it takes to love and serve? God knows your gifts and your goodness, even where the only things you may see are your faults. Despite these flaws, or perhaps even because of them, God wants you just as you are, just as God called Isaiah, Paul, and Peter. God assured and strengthened them in spite of their fears. Even as Paul said, "I am the least of the apostles, not fit to be called an apostle" (1 Corinthians 15:9). Even as the psalmist said, "When I called, you answered me; you built up strength within me" (Psalm 138:3). Remember, Peter finally said, "At your command I will lower the nets" (Luke 5:5).

Today's readings offer a clarion call to each of us to live the vocation to which God has called us. Through our baptism, we have been invited to live out God's vibrant love each day, making some hard choices as we go along. Today's readings offer food for the journey as we try and try again to leave *everything* and follow Jesus.

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF FEBRUARY 16/17 , 2018**

	5:00 PM	10:00 AM
Lectors	M. Mayer	M. Salisbury
Servers	Volunteer	A. Oliveria / A. Rimel
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	P. Thompson K. Levis / S. Muetzel	C. Niedermeyer E. Mundkowsky / W. Mundkowsky

**From the  
Pastor's Desk**



Dear Friends in Christ:

The image of 'boat' is the metaphor for the Church from the time of St. Peter, the Fisherman. To be a crew member implies taking responsibility to build up the Church from the inside out and to produce 'good works' in the broader community in the Name of Christ. We are 'servants of the Lord,' and have a role to play in concert with the other 'crew-members' to sail the tides of time, minister to each other and those outside of our 'barque' by living the Beatitudes, following the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, and living up to our vocation's values and beliefs.

As crew members, we have to count on each other to do his and her fair share. It would be very nice to have additional Altar Servers who commit to practicing their faith in helping with our Eucharistic worship of God. Having additional Lectors would share the responsibility of 'proclaiming the Word of God' in a convincing and prayerful manner. It would be a blessing to have additional Eucharistic Ministers who would humbly present Jesus to fellow worshippers in the Sacred Host and Consecrated Wine at Holy Communion. Additional reliable ushers who would receive the Offertory Collection and be hospitable to guests attending Mass to help them feel welcome especially if they are visitors to our worship community.

When the 'crew' was obedient to Jesus, they experienced great success in personal achievement, spiritual meaning in their lives, and produced an overwhelming 'catch' in their nets. When we are obedient to our responsibilities as being 'active, practicing, members of the Community of Faith,' we too will experience great success in our personal achievement, spiritual meaning in our lives, and produce an overwhelming 'catch' in our nets as well.

Jesus didn't say: "If you feel like it..." or "Think about maybe..." He gave a clear command: "Cast your net for a catch!" It was not a mealy-mouthed request – it was a firm, definitive command – not mean spirited, but loving and productive!"

There are many ways you can become more personally active in our parish community of St. Lawrence and St. Philip. Bingo and other possible fund raisers, Prayer Shawl, Caetchetics, Rosary, Funeral Reception Volunteer, home-bound ministry, Choir, Music Ministry are only a few options to consider. Let your imagination create other ways in which your parish can benefit and "Cast your net for a catch!"

Fr. Jim

February 10, 2019

**Fr. Pete: "God said to Paul: 'I have given you all the graces you need to change, but you keep fighting me.'"**

*Praying with a Purpose*

Cathy Wojtecki 756-5961, Norma Jafko 756-3889, or Jim Pellegrino 882-0877.

Among those we are praying for

*Kylie Allen-Kulyk, Tom Lascek, Betty Jo Leicht, Charlene Jones and Harold Schmidt*



**Catholic Services Appeal 2018**

Parish Goal \$29,029

	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
<b>Parish Goals</b>	<b>\$19,353.00</b>	<b>\$9,676.00</b>
<b># Pledges</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Amount Pledged</b>	<b>\$24,100.00</b>	<b>\$ 8,615.00</b>
<b>Amount Collected</b>	<b>\$23,550.00</b>	<b>\$ 11,782.00</b>
<b>Amount for Parish</b>	<b>\$ 4,197.00</b>	<b>\$ 2,106.00</b>

**St. Philip  
February 3rd Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$723.00
Amount collected.....	\$676.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	- 47.00

**St. Lawrence  
February 3rd Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$2,148.00
Amount collected.....	\$2,617.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	+ 469.00

**2232 MEN 2019 CONFERENCE**

Saturday March 2nd  
Our Lady of Peace Parish  
2401 W. 38th St.  
Erie PA 16506



Registration 8:00 am ~ Event 9:00 am  
to 3:30 pm

**February, 2019**

**\$50.00 Weekly**

**52 - 200 Club Winners**

**Congratulations to the February Winners:**

<b>Week 40</b>	<b>Aiden Balogh</b>	<b>Feb 3, 2019</b>
<b>Week 41</b>	<b>Denny Teed</b>	<b>Feb 10, 2019</b>
<b>Week 42</b>	<b>Lois Onest</b>	<b>Feb 17, 2019</b>
<b>Week 43</b>	<b>Janet Groszkiewicz</b>	<b>Feb 24, 2019</b>

**March winners will be drawn at the  
Ladies of the Rosary Meeting on Thursday  
March 7, 2019 at 6:30 pm  
St. Lawrence Church**

Ladies of the Rosary



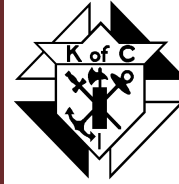
Meetings  
First Thursday of the  
month at 6:30PM

all: Tammy Maskrey 572-1046  
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  
COUNCIL

A CATHOLIC  
FAMILY FRATERNAL  
SERVICE ORGANIZATION

CALL: JOHN SHADE 756-4512

Place your Ad in this  
Space

Contact the parish office for  
pricing. 814-756-3623

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

Contact Parish Office for

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

Cursillo

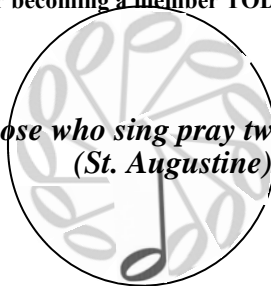
"making a friend, being a friend,  
and  
introducing that friend to Christ."

Parish Coordinators:  
Terry and Patti Bowersox 814-859-0003

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)



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.

St. Lawrence  
Religious  
Education



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

To register contact:  
Criss Rotko  
Religious Education Leader

St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church  
Membership Form



Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK ONE  
 New  
 Address Change  
 Moving out of  
Parish



## FAITH FORMATION

- Feb. 10 Class 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
**All Parents Class** – All parents of students in our Faith Formation program are to gather in the multi-purpose room in the church center. Please plan to attend.  
 Child Protection Video – all grades
- Feb. 17 Class 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
- Feb. 24 Class 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

## Erie Diocesan Curcillo Movement



### *Bringing People to Christ.*

There will a Women's Curcillo in March and a Men's Curcillo in April.

This is a 3 day spiritual retreat with the purpose of creating a deep emotional relationship with Jesus Christ.

For more information please contact:

Terry Bowersox 859-0003 or  
Criss Rotko 449-0192

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

- Mon., Feb., 11** Bingo Doors open and Concessions at 5:30pm  
 Game starts at 6:30pm St. Lawrence Center  
 AA Meeting 8:00 pm St Lawrence Center
- Tues., Feb., 12** Adult Education 7:00 pm St. Lawrence Center
- Wed., Feb., 13** AA Meeting 8:00 pm St. Lawrence Center
- Sat., Feb., 16** Kulyk Benefit 2:00 pm St. Lawrence Center

## Kulyk Benefit

**Saturday, February 16, 2019**  
**2:00 PM**  
**St. Lawrence Center, Albion**

**\*\*DONATIONS WELCOME AT THE DOOR** to benefit Kylie-Allen Kulyk Medical Fund. Come enjoy a Chinese auction, door prizes, bottle raffles, games and food\*\*

**~ALL AGES WELCOME~**

**\*\*\*We understand that some will be unable to attend. DONATIONS can be made payable to: Nicholas or Jill Kulyk or sent to any First National Bank designated for the Kylie-Allen Kulyk Medical Fund.\*\*\***

***Thank you, and may God Bless You***

**~Cost is \$20 per adult and \$5 per child, 3 & under are free~**

**ALL YOU CAN EAT AND DRINK.  
 LOTS OF FOOD, BEER, AND SELECT LIQUOR BAR**

### Bingo Update: Feb 11, 2019

#### Planned Payouts

Regular games.....	\$25
Doubles.....	\$30
3 Specials.....	50/50
Progressive Jackpot.....	\$1300 in 54#s or less
Consolation.....	\$100
Instant games throughout the night	




# Soup's On!

The Ladies of the Rosary would like to thank all those who purchased soup from them last weekend. They enjoyed making it and they hope you enjoyed eating it.



Proceeds help them provide the wine, hosts and missals for Mass. They also purchase the candles and other items for the Altar at St. Lawrence.




## Student News

*Your Student News is Welcome.*


*Glad to Celebrate the Victories!*

*Send the information to the church email address we love photos too!*



## Seniors


*You are applying for College, joining the Military, heading to a trade school or you have that great job that you will start after graduation. Let us know about your future!*



***Photo Directories are here.*** If you had your pictures taken you may pick up your copy of the directory today!

***St. Philip families,*** you may pick up your copy of the directory at the entrance of the church from the ushers.

***St. Lawrence families,*** someone will be at a table in the front vestibule of the church to help you get your directory.

 ***Congratulations*** to the 26 students from the Northwestern High School Music Program who were selected and participated in the 36th Annual Band Festival at Allegheny College on Saturday February 2, 2019.

St. Lawrence is proud of Anthony Valleta, Sarah Berry, Christianna Sawin, Ethan Hajec, Cassandra Porter and Megan Ordakowsky.

***Reminder:***

**The weekly bulletin is also available to you online. It can be found on the church's webpage:**

[www.stlawrencealbion.org](http://www.stlawrencealbion.org)



**Career Opportunity:**

*The Knights of Columbus is seeking a Field Agent for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact David McIntosh, FIC, General Agent, at 517-214-7040 or by email: [david.mcintosh@kofc.org](mailto:david.mcintosh@kofc.org)*