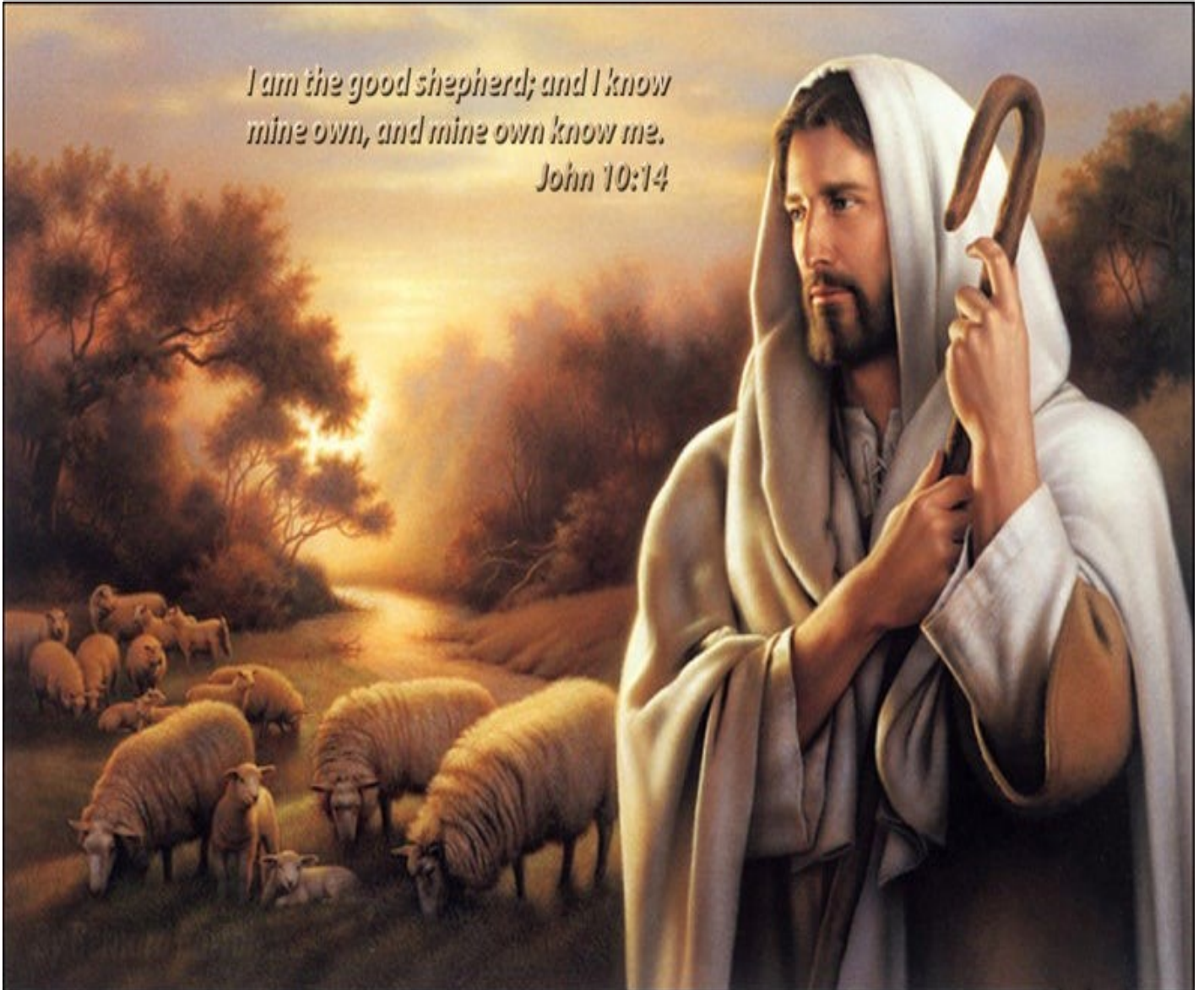


*Saint Lawrence-Saint Philip
Catholic Church*

Fr. Marc Solomon - Pastor

Deacon Paul McCoy - Deacon Assistant

*I am the good shepherd; and I know
mine own, and mine own know me.
John 10:14*



*Sunday April 21, 2024
Fourth Sunday Of Easter*

April 21, 2024 - Fourth Sunday Of Easter

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Monday thru Thursday
Thursday - Closed 12:00-12:45 For Mass

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Jim Mitchell

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

St. James Cemetery
Manager - Greg Petrus

Mass Schedule

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, April 22, 2024

Easter Weekday

8:00 AM - *Max Stephen*
For Strength and Healing
(Ray & Terry Garries)

Tuesday, April 23, 2024

Easter Weekday

8:00 AM † *George & Nellie Kaleida*
(Bob & Pat Kaleida)

Wednesday, April 24, 2024

Easter Weekday

8:00 AM † *Dave Diehl*
(His Golfing Friends)

Thursday, April 25, 2024

Saint Mark, Evangelist

12:00 PM - *Marilyn Madden*
For Health & Well-Being
(Kaleida Family)

Friday, April 26, 2024

Easter Weekday

12:00 PM † *Jack Meeker*
(St. Lawrence-St. Philip Church)

Saturday, April 27, 2024

Sunday Vigil Mass

Easter Weekday

5:00 PM - *The Very Rev. Michael Ferrick*
For The 25th Anniversary Of His Ordination
(Jim & Norella Consedine)

Sunday, April 28, 2024

Fifth Sunday Of Easter

8:00 AM † *For The Living & Deceased Members*
Of St. Lawrence And St. Philip Church

10:00 AM † *Josephine Bristol*
In Memory Of Her Birthday
(John & Criss Rotko)

Deacon's Corner

April 21, 2024



The Easter Season and Spring bring the promises of new life. We see the signs of new life everywhere, the trees starting to bud, flowers just beginning to bloom, and the songs of the birds. The resurrection of Christ should help us remember that we have two natures, a physical and a divine. God created each one of us to live in eternity. Our lives on Earth are just the preparation for eternal life in the presence of God our Father. We will all experience suffering, pain, and sorrow as we pass through our mortal life.

This is reflected in St. Paul's Letter to the Romans 8:18,

"I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us."

Likewise, Psalm 30:5, which says, *"Weeping may last for the night, but joy comes with the morning,"* we are reminded that joy follows sadness.

The sadness of Good Friday leads to the overwhelming joy of Easter. We will rise when Jesus calls us by name.

Here is a prayer for spring from the Catholic Health Association:

Dear God:

Spring is a metaphor for change. Some changes we eagerly await, and some we abhor. Some changes we plan and others arrive uninvited. To all these changes we ask the gift of Your perspective beckoning us to expectation, hope, and rebirth.

May the sunlight and the rain be reminders that You are at work renewing the earth. As a God of renewal, You are ever at work in our lives, too.

Open our eyes and lives to the needed changes in our lives this Spring. Awaken us to new life and perspective, for we pray in Jesus' name.

Amen.

All God's Blessing this Easter season as we remember that Christ died and rose from the dead to save every one of us from death.

Deacon Paul

The Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary,
is prayed every Saturday
at St. Lawrence Church,
beginning at 4:30,
just before the 5:00 Mass.

~Mary invites all her children to pray her Rosary~

**Our Condolences to the family
of Helen Connors,
who passed away on April 10th.
We ask that God give them comfort
and strength in the days ahead,
and may Helen rest in eternal peace.**



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

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Faith Formation**
 Sundays 11:00am-12:30pm
 K through 11
 To register contact:
 Cassie Adamczyk at
 814-756-4840 (Office)
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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!"

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.



St. Lawrence/St. Philip Church
Membership Form

Name _____
 Address _____
 Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Please Check One

New
 Address Change
 Moving out of Parish

St. Lawrence Lector Schedule

Saturday, April 20 - 5:00 pm - Patricia Thompson

Sunday, April 21 - 10:00 am - Carl Pry

Saturday, April 27 - 5:00 pm - Marge Mayer

Sunday, April 28 - 10:00 am - Criss Rotko

Saturday, May 4 - 5:00 pm - Patricia Thompson

Sunday, May 5 - 10:00 am - Carl Pry

Saturday, May 11 - 5:00 pm - Marge Mayer

Sunday, May 12 - 10:00 am - Criss Rotko



Sunday, April 21

Class

Sunday, April 28

Class

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our Faith Formation Facilitator, Cassie Adamczyk
Office - 814-756-4840

Faith Formation



Congratulations to Wyatt Melquist who received Holy Communion for the first time on Sunday, April 14th.

May he always hunger for the Bread of Life, Jesus Christ, truly present in the Most Holy Eucharist!

Wyatt is pictured below with Fr. Marc and Carrie Sawin, our First Communion Catechist.

*We
Celebrate
and
Rejoice!*



Congratulations to Xander Helms who received the Sacrament of Confirmation, on Saturday, April 13 at St. Peter Cathedral .

We pray his heart will always be in a place where the gifts of the Holy Spirit will grow.

Xander is pictured with Fr. Marc, and his sponsor, Eric Steinle.

This Week at St. Lawrence-St. Philip Church

Monday, April 22	*Bingo - 6:30 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center Doors Open at 5:30 pm
	*AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center
Tuesday, April 23	*Holy Hour - 6 pm St. Lawrence Church
Wednesday, April 24	*AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center

52-200 Club Weekly Winners ~ April 2024 ~

Week 1 - Apr 7	Sue Brown
Week 2 - Apr 14	David Mukina
Week 3 - Apr 21	Mark Paradise
Week 4 - Apr 28	Nick/Kayla Maskrey

**Congratulations
To Our Winners!**

~Praying With A Purpose~

To add a prayer request,
please contact
Norma Jafko 756-3889.

Please keep the following people
in your prayers...



Judy Diehl	Angela Mulligan	Nancy Cherry
Jim Bernoski	Dawn Betle	Max Stephen
Marilyn Madden	Carol (Schultz) Raiff	BJ Leicht
Tom Lascek	Bill Pavolko	Kathleen Levis
Jon Reibel	Tammy L. & Kevin	Phyllis Tobin
Mike Sawin	Janet Lance	Ashley Balogh
Andrew Segal	Judy Graham	Our Homebound Parishioners
Lisa Ballmann		

~ Monday Night Bingo ~ St. Lawrence Center

Doors/Concessions Open at 5:30
Games Begin at 6:30
Jackpot... \$1,050
in 52 balls or less
Come Join The Fun!!



Financial Information

**Sacrificial Giving For The Weekend Of
April 13 & 14
\$1,470.00
Weekly Budget Goal
\$ 3,750.00**



**~The 2024 Catholic Services Appeal~
Our Diocesan Assessment - \$28,881.00
Amount Paid To Date - \$11,825.00
Current Registered Households - 137
Household Pledges To Date - 41
Amount Pledged - \$14,940.00**