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
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

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.

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

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

<u>Saturday, January 30, 2021</u> <u>Weekday</u>

5:00 PM 🕆 Harry Wertelet (Family)

Sunday, January 31, 2021 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM T Catherine Ruland (Charlotte Lowery) 10:00 AM T Angeline Malena (Rose Teed)

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

Monday, February 1, 2021 Weekday

8:00 AM 🕈 Norman & Natalie Rabell (The Kaleida Family)

<u>Tuesday, February 2, 2021</u> <u>The Presentation of the Lord</u>

8:00 AM 🕈 All Souls

Wednesday, February 3, 2021 Weekday

8:00 AM Tom Thompson (Rose Teed)

Thursday, February 4, 2021 Weekday

8:00 AM Tom Thompson (Patricia Thompson)

<u>St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr</u> 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM - Adoration

5:15 PM Mass & Cecelia Kearns (Jim & Norella Consedine)

St. Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs

5:00 PM 🕏 Angeline Malena (John Artello)

Sunday, February 7, 2021 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM 🕆 Fr. James O'Hara (St. Philip Altar Rosary)

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







WHAT ARE BEATITUDES?

What is Jesus offering us today? They are called the "Beatitudes"—but what do they mean? There are no easy answers. Some say they are unattainable ideals, put before us as challenges. Others say they are only for a spiritual elite: the saints. Others would "translate" them into political slogans. One popular television personality called them the "Be Attitudes," subtly presenting them as optimistic, vaguely New-Age ideas.

Jesus does not burden his disciples with a system that counsels us to grit our teeth and endure. Instead, he places us in the midst of the real world and its conflicts, and he promises us a reward. Righteousness will be satisfied and merciful action will result in mercy extended toward us. As with Zephaniah, Jesus links justice and humility. We must be pure in order to direct ourselves and help others.

A WAY OF LIFE, NOT A PROGRAM

Most modern ideologies promise peace and justice and happiness. Many also require violence against the so-called "enemies" of justice and peace. They must use force and violence, of course, only in order to "make" people good.

Those are not the teachings of Jesus. This New Law is promulgated on a peaceful hillside in Galilee, not on the slopes of a pulsing volcano in the desert. How surprisingly God works, calling the weak to be heroic, calling us to acknowledge our shame in order to overcome our willfulness and pride. He asks us not to tame the universe, but to tame ourselves. History and our own experience have shown this to be a much more difficult task.



Dear Friends in Christ:

As we celebrate the 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Jesus responded to the many who came out to him or who were brought out to him to have their infirmities healed. His role was to 'preach the Gospel' yet he was forced to heal the sick. There were a lot of crippled, handicapped folks around the communities. Disease was thought to be a physical ailment for sin in the past life of the individual or some male in his past. This Old Testament teaching appeared to be confirmed over and over.

Yet, Jesus healed the individuals with a word, with a gesture of acceptance that demonstrated the individual's moment of healing. The conversion of individuals was a result of Jesus' new Gospel. The Old Testament was filled with punishment, disease, punishment for evil. The New Testament is filled with healing, wholeness and a reward of blessing as a sign of forgiveness. Let us be among those who ask for wholeness and the Newness of Life, protected by God's Grace.

Fr. Jim 01/31/21



Sunday, January 31 Class Sunday, February 7 Class

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

Office - 756-4840 Home - 756-0624

The 2021 <u>Catholic Services Appeal</u> will be conducted throughout our diocese on February 14.

The CSA is the main source of support for projects and services of the diocese which serve parishes and the wider community in northwestern Pennsylvania.

Our diocese does the work of Christ and needs your help to continue this important work.



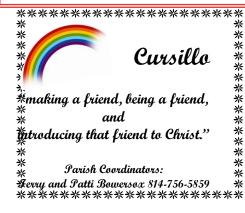
Ladies of the Rosary



Meetings First Thursday of the month at 6:30PM

Contact: Tammy Maskrey

All Ladies of the parish are welcome!



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Sundays 11:00am-12:30pm K through 12 To register contact: 814-756-4840 Religious Education Leader



St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church Membership Form

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Liturgical Ministry Schedule

Liturgical Ministry Schedule For February 6 & 7			
	Saturday Feb 6 - 5:00 PM	Sunday Feb 7 - 10:00 AM	
Lectors	Marge Mayer	Robert Adamczyk	
Servers	None	None	
Eucharistic Ministers	Criss Rotko	Steve Sawin	

Liturgical Ministry Schedule For February 13 & 14			
	Saturday Feb 13 - 5:00 PM Sunday Feb 14 - 10:00 AM		
Lectors	Susan Muetzel	Carl Pry	
Servers	None	None	
Eucharistic Ministers	Pat Thompson	Kelli Kulyk	

Liturgical Ministry Schedule For February 20 & 21			
	Saturday Feb 20 - 5:00 PM Sunday Feb 21 - 10:00 A		
Lectors	Pat Thompson	Robert Adamczyk	
Servers	None	None	
Eucharistic Ministers	Susan Muetzel	Susan Muetzel Silvia Atkinson	

Liturgical Ministry Schedule For February 27 & 28			
	Saturday Jan 30 - 5:00 PM Sunday Jan 31 - 10:00		
Lectors	Marge Mayer	Carl Pry	
Servers	None	None	
Eucharistic Ministers	Kathleen Levis	Darcy Paradise	





have one wish granted now, or have 3 wishes granted in 10 years?

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

Monday, February 1 AA Meeting - 8 pm

St. Lawrence Center

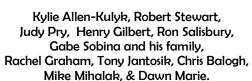
Wednesday, February 3 AA Meeting - 8 pm

St. Lawrence Center

~ Fraying With A Furpose~

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

Among those we are praying for...



52-200 Club Weekly Winners January 2021

Week 1 Gabriella Kulyk January 3, 2021
Week 2 Stephen Maskrey January 10, 2021
Week 3 Ron Salisbury January 17, 2021
Week 4 Greg O'Day January 24, 2021
Week 5 Irene Mando January 31, 2021

Congratulations to our January Winners!

There are still tickets available.

If you would interested,
please contact Tammy Maskrey or any
Rosary Ladies to purchase one.

While we welcome people to pray at Church, those who wish to continue to pray safely at home, Mass will continue to be live-streamed on Sunday Mornings, at 10:00am.

The Rosary is being live-streamed on Saturdays at 4:30.

If you have access to Facebook, you can use this link to view the live-streams.

https://www.facebook.com/groups/StLawrenceLife/

Those without Facebook, can access the live-streams by clicking the yellow star on our website www.stlawrencealbion.org

Catholic Services Appeal 2020 Diocesan Assessment/Parish Goal - \$28,287.00			
	St. Lawrence	St. Philip	
Parish Goals	\$18,858.00	\$9,429.00	
# Families / # Pledges	124 / 51	59 / 14	
Total Amount Pledged	\$19,270.00	\$3,730.00	
Total Amount Collected	\$19,755.00	\$7,941.00	
Shortfall Between Total Pledges & Goal	+ \$412.00	\$5,699.00	
Shortfall Between Amount Collected & Goal	+ \$917.00	\$1,488.00	

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

Amount Collected...... \$ 412.00 Surplus / Deficit...... - \$ 311.00

