

*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

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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

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
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Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 20, 2018 - Vigil

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

**Sunday, October 21, 2018 - Twenty-Ninth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

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

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

Monday, October 22, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Kylie Kulyk - (St. Lawrence Cursillo)*

Tuesday, October 23, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM ✚ *Genevieve Zemplansky - (Elaine McGraw)
(at St. Philip)*

Wednesday, October 24, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Nick Kulyk and Family - (St. Lawrence Parish)*

Thursday, October 25, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM ✚ *For the Deceased Members of our Parish
(at St. Philip)*

Friday, October 26, 2018 - Weekday

8:00 AM ✚ *For the Deceased Members of our Parish*

Saturday, October 27, 2018 - Vigil

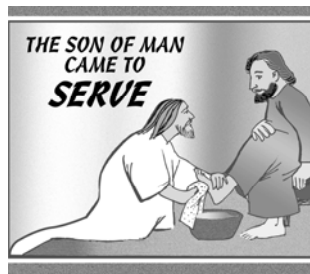
5:00 PM ✚ *George Lascek -
(Thomas & Leslie Payne and Family)*

**Sunday, October 28, 2018 - Thirtieth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

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

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

*The Sanctuary Light is burning in honor of the
Most Blessed Sacrament and for Kylie Kulyk.*



*Twenty Ninth
Sunday
of
Ordinary Time*

STOLEN THUNDER

By the time the Gospels were written, James and John, sons of Zebedee (sons of “thunder”) were revered leaders of the Christian community. It is a common device of the evangelists to place the failings of the early Christians on the shoulders of their leaders to illustrate a point about discipleship, and perhaps to comfort them with the fact that Jesus chose common, flawed humans to spread the Good News. It must have seemed doubly odd that these two, already honored and revered, were chastised by Jesus when they requested positions of honor. Jesus, as it were, stole their thunder, and in the Gospel he likewise steals the thunder of the others who get indignant at James and John. Today’s readings from Isaiah and Hebrews, along with Jesus as portrayed in Mark, steal the thunder of the places of honor they had attained by reminding us that it is in the humility of service that we come to know the reign of God in our midst.

SERVANT CHRIST, SERVANT CHURCH

In Matthew’s Gospel, it is the mother of James and John who makes the request of Jesus (Mark omits this scene). It is “only natural” for mothers to want to see their sons “get ahead in the world,” just as it is for us as individuals to seek those positions of honor and power. But again it is the lesson of Jesus, along with the lessons of Isaiah and Hebrews, that reminds us that we need to examine constantly our “only natural” ways of living to make sure that we are living as Christ, the head of the church. When Isaiah writes of the Suffering Servant, it can be seen as a prophecy of Jesus; but it is also a prophecy of the ongoing presence of Jesus, the church. When the author of Hebrews writes of the weakness known by Christ the great High Priest, it is also about the need for weakness on the part of the Body of Christ, the church. In this way the scriptures today show all of us, the baptized, the church, how we must continue to be the Servant Christ for the life of the world.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF OCTOBER 27/28 , 2018

	5:00 PM	10:00 AM
Lectors	M. Mayer	L. Aldridge
Servers		
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	K. Levis I. Hosey / J.Hosey	L. Adamson M. Salisbury / R. Salisbury



Dear Friends in Christ:

1. Last weekend's parish Fall Roast Beef Dinner was a very pleasant experience for a lot of people! Thank you very much to everyone who pitched in and worked to make it so enjoyable for our guests! The intention of this annual fundraiser is for the financial benefit of St. Lawrence Parish. Each component of the fundraiser contributes to our fiscal stability and special projects.

Component:	<u>Advanced change:</u>	<u>Income:</u>	<u>Total Net:</u>	<u>Designated use:</u>
A. 503 dinners				
82 take-outs	\$600	\$5, 640	\$ 6,101.00	
Cash Donation to cover Caterer:			\$ 3, 200.00	
Cash Parish Members' Donation:			\$ 280.00	
Meal Supply Expenses: Caterer:			- \$ 3,080.00	
Supplemental food products:			- \$ 1,688.71	
License, postage, fees:			- \$ 434.50	
Calculating cost of kitchen/hall fuel/utilities			<u>-\$ to be determined</u>	
		<u>Tentative Meal Net:</u>	<u>\$ 4,417.79</u>	⇒ Parish & Hall Fuel/Utilities
B. Bake Sale	\$160	\$320	\$ 160.60	⇒ Center Replacement Lights
C. Chinese Auction	\$250	\$1015	\$ 765.00	⇒ Center Replacement Lights
D. 50/50	\$150	No one volunteered to sell	50/50 tickets	
E. KofC Raffle	None	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
		<u>Tentative Total Net</u>	<u>\$5343.39</u>	

2. In addition, there were many people participating in the Rosary March for Life at St. Peter's Cathedral. Our prayers for the defense of life, honoring Mary, restoration of our Church are very positive gestures of Catholic Faith. Some people came from distant parts of our diocese to give witness and support to some of the very basic values of our Church's posture in defense of life. Please pray the Rosary Stations of the Cross, Divine Mercy Chaplet or some other traditional set of prayers for the healing of our Church, defense of life, and conversion of sinners on a daily basis.

Psalm 33 instructs us: "...the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine."

-- It takes a lot of good hearted people to commit to Christ, serve Him in the Church, and minister to our friends and relatives in His Name to establish the integrity of our Church and heal from deep hurts and losses due to sin and human failures.

May Our Lord continue to bless our Church with the devotion and hard work of truly faithful people who are open to God's divine grace and are inspired to be counted on to do His divine will!

Fr. Jim

Catholic Services Appeal 2018

Parish Goal \$29,029

	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
Parish Goals	\$19,353.00	\$9,676.00
# Pledges	64	27
Amount Pledged	\$24,100.00	\$8,615.00
Amount Collected	\$22,660.00	\$9,137.00
Amount for Parish	\$ 3,307.00	\$0.00

**St. Philip
October 14th Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$723.00
Amount collected.....	\$546.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	- 177.00

**St. Lawrence
October 14th Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$2,148.00
Amount collected.....	\$1,978.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	- 170.00

Fr. Pete: "The desert reminds us that there's nothing on earth that can satisfy us."

Praying with a Purpose

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



Among those we are praying for

**Mary Moyer, Skip (Marion) Podluzne,
Marion Summerville, Kylie Allen-Kulyk and Tom Lascek**

**\$50.00 Weekly
52 - 200 Club Winner
Week # 26 10/14/2018**

**Congratulations to:
Dave Diehl**

**Next drawing is Sunday October 21, 2018
In conference room of St. Lawrence Church
after 10:00 Mass**



FAITH FORMATION

- Oct. 21 Class 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
All Parents Class – Topic: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Parents to meet in the multi-purpose room in the church center.
10th Grade Hike has been postponed. To be scheduled at a later date.
- Oct 28 Class 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
All Saints' Day Party for Grades K-4th (Last 45 minutes of Class) Please have students bring their costume of their favorite saint to class.
- Nov.4 Class 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Confirmation Students & their Sponsor Meeting (Mandatory) in the Church Center after 10:00 Mass.

We are praying for Kylie Kulyk, an 18 year old member of our parish, as she battles a “One in a Million” disease. The link below will take you to a site where you can read about her fight against this painful disease and how the doctors are searching for ways to treat her.

<http://www.goerie.com/news/20181013/one-in-a-million-diagnosis-eluded-elk-creek-township-teen-for-8-years>

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

- Mon., Oct. 22 AA Meeting 8:00 pm St Lawrence Center
- Tues., Oct. 23 Adult Education 7:00 pm St. Lawrence Center
- Wed., Oct. 24 AA Meeting 8:00 pm St. Lawrence Center
- Thurs., Oct. 25 Council Meeting 7:00 pm St. Lawrence Center

Student News

*Your Student News is Welcome.
Glad to Celebrate the Victories!*

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



*St. Lawrence
Christmas Craft
Fair*

Saturday, November 17th

*St. Lawrence Parish Center
180 E. State Street,
Albion, PA
9:00 am - 2:00 pm*

*Outstanding Crafters and Vendors
Tables are \$20 each \$25 if Electricity needed*

*We still have spaces available
Contact Parish Office for Details 756-3623*

St. James Cemetery :

We ask that all flower pots be removed from St. James Cemetery by the end of this month, October. This includes all artificial flowers.

Thank you

Janitor / Maintenance Person

St. Lawrence is still looking for someone to do janitorial duties and take care of maintenance issues at the church and the center. Please contact the parish office for full details. 756-3623

Everyone enjoying a Roast Beef Dinner



Homemade Pie for dessert!



A well deserved meal at the end of the day and a visit with old friends.

