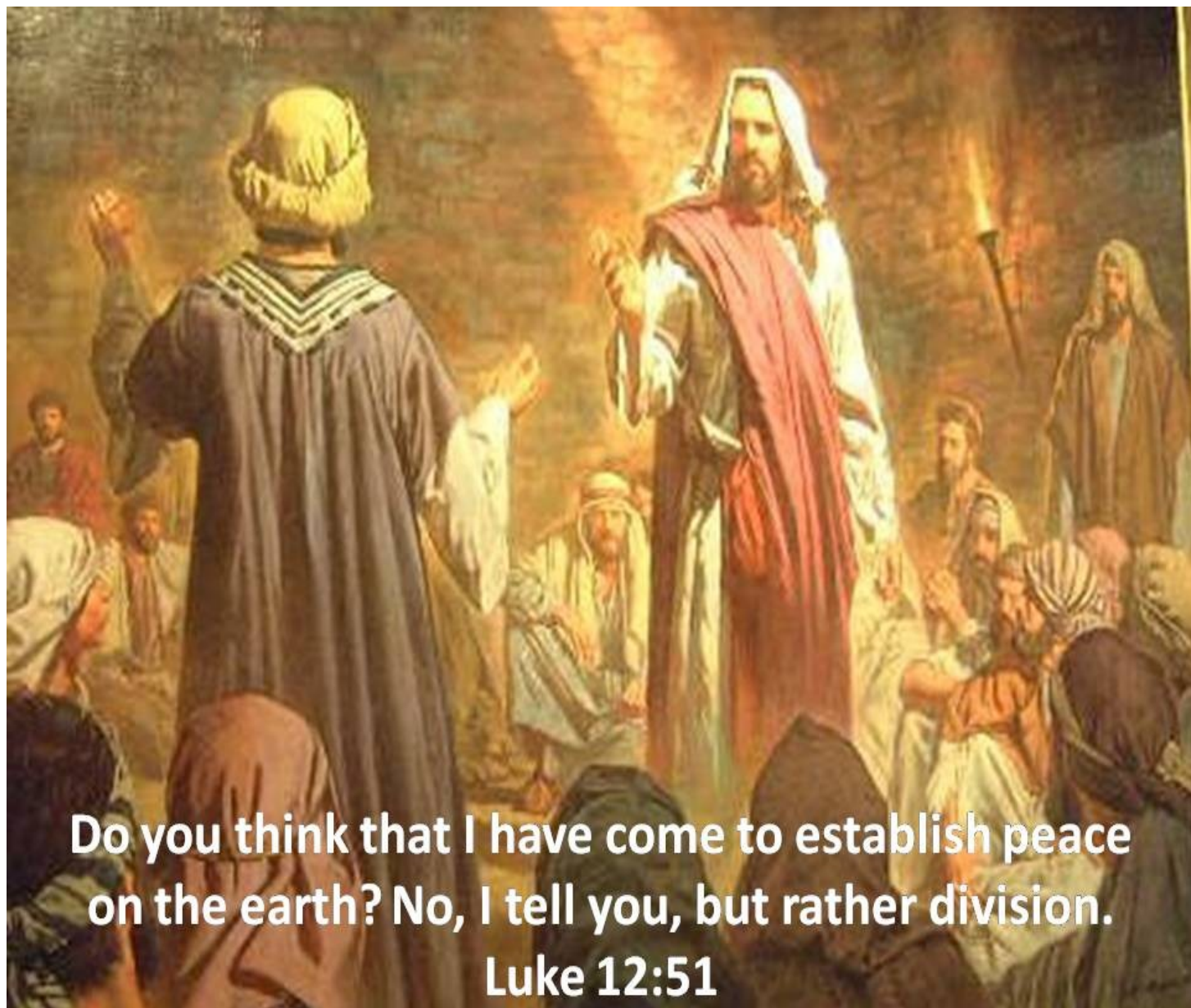


Saint Lawrence & Saint Philip Roman Catholic Churches

Fr. Marc Solomon - Pastor
Deacon Paul McCoy - Deacon



Do you think that I have come to establish peace
on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division.
Luke 12:51

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 Masse

All at St. Lawrence

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday - 8:00am
Wednesday - 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

Contact Information

Fr. Marc Solomon
Email - marcjosephsolomon@yahoo.com

Deacon Paul McCoy
Email - pwmccoy@aol.com

Parish Office
Phone - 814-756-3623 Fax - 814-756-5918
Email - stlawrencealbion@gmail.com

Faith Formation
Faith Formation Leader ... Susie Muetzel, OFS
814-464-6196 or 814-756-3623
Email - stlawrencelife@gmail.com

Center/Rental Information
814-756-4840 ~ Leave a Message for Renae

Parish Office Hours
9:00 am till 2:00 pm
Monday thru Thursday

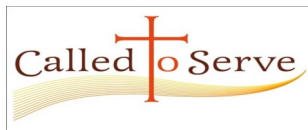
Lector Schedule

Saturday August 20 – 5:00 pm – Carrie Sawin
Sunday, August 21 – 10:00 pm – Carl Pry

Saturday August 27 – 5:00 pm – Marge Mayer
Sunday, August 28 – 10:00 pm – Rob Adamczyk

Saturday September 3 – 5:00 pm – Patricia Thompson
Sunday, September 4 – 10:00 pm – Susie Muetzel

Saturday August 10– 5:00 pm – Marge Mayer
Sunday, August 11 – 10:00 pm – Carl Pry



Mass Intentions

Monday, August 15, 2022
The Assumption Of The Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00 AM † *Fr. Jim Kennelley*
(*Knights of Columbus Council 3979*)

Tuesday, August 16, 2022
Weekday

8:00 AM † *Heidi Hosey-McGurk*
(*Jim & Cathy Hudacky and Family*)

Wednesday, August 17, 2022
Weekday

12:00 PM † *Bob Grinarm*
(*St. Philip Parish*)

Thursday, August 18, 2022
Weekday

8:00 AM † *James & Virginia Fratalia*
(*Estate*)

Friday, August 19, 2022
Weekday

8:00 AM † *Doug Fuller*
(*Paul & Marilyn Madden*)

Saturday, August 20, 2022
St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church

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

Sunday, August 21, 2022
Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 AM † *Anthony Jantosik*
(*John & Loretta Antanovich*)

10:00 AM † *For The People Of St. Lawrence & St. Philip*

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.

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.

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.

Sacrament of Baptism

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

Deacon's Corner

August 14, 2022

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

On August 15th, the Church celebrates the solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This important feast day recalls the spiritual and physical departure of the mother of Jesus Christ from the earth when both her soul and body were taken into the presence of God.

Pope Pius XII issued the Apostolic Constitution "Munificentissimus Deus," or "Most Bountiful God" in 1950. It invoked papal infallibility and proclaimed, "We pronounce, declare and define it to be a divinely revealed dogma that the immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul to heavenly glory." The pope proclaimed this dogma only after a broad consultation of bishops, theologians, and laity. There were few dissenting voices. What the pope solemnly declared was already a common belief in the Catholic Church. We find homilies on the Assumption going back to the sixth century. The feast was celebrated under various names, including Commemoration, Dormition, Passing, and Assumption. Today it is celebrated as a solemnity, a feast day of the highest rank celebrating a mystery of faith.

Although Mary's bodily assumption is not explicitly mentioned in scripture, Catholic tradition identifies her with the "woman clothed with the sun," as described in Chapter 12 of the Book of Revelation.

There are many different traditions for celebrating the Assumption. In Poland, the day is known as the Feast of Our Lady of Herbs, with bouquets made of blossoms and herbs taken to church. Parades with marching bands, funfairs, games, races, costume contests, dancing, and other family-friendly events occur throughout Spain. In some parts of France, there is a custom of proposing marriage on August 15th, when the couple can ask Mary to specially bless their future together. In Armenia, there is a custom of offering the "first fruits" of the harvest to God in imitation of the Biblical Abel, who made the same worthy sacrifice. So, the Sunday nearest to the Feast of the Assumption is set aside for the Blessing of the Grapes.

Hail Mary, Full of Grace, The Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now, and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Deacon Paul

Fall Dinner Planning Meeting

There will be a Fall Dinner Planning Meeting on Tuesday, August 30th at 7:00, following Holy Hour. The meeting will take place in the St. Lawrence Parish Center. All parishioners are invited to attend.



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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Hair!
Beauty Salon
&
Barber Shop





Karen Weaver
11 North Main St
Albion
756-4894



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CALL: JOHN SHADE 756-4512



Cursillo

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and
introducing that friend to Christ."

Parish Coordinators:
Ferry and Patti Bowersox 814-756-5859

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



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~St. Augustine

St. Lawrence
Faith Formation



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

To register contact:
Susie Muetzel at
814-464-6196



St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church
Membership Form

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Please Check One

New

Address Change

Moving out of Parish

**52-200 Club Weekly Winners
~ August 2022 ~**

Week 1	Patricia Thompson	Aug 7
Week 2	Helen Connors	Aug 14
Week 3	Nick & Kayla Maskrey	Aug 21
Week 4	Helen Connors	Aug 28

**Congratulations
to our August Winners!**

**There are tickets available
for the 2022-2023 Season.
If you would like to purchase one,
please contact Tammy Maskrey
or any member of The Ladies of the Rosary.**

**Calling All Students,
Grade 4 and Up.....**

There will be an Altar Server's meeting on Wednesday, August 17th at 6pm at St. Lawrence Church for all those interested in becoming an Altar Server, and for those who are already an Altar Server.

Confirmation students, this is a great way to fulfill your "ministry" requirement.

We will begin to pass the basket again for our collections at Mass. If you are interested in helping out by becoming an Usher, please let us know by contacting the Parish Office by phone or email.

This week's events

Monday, August 15	Bingo - 6:30 pm Doors Open at 5:30 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center
	AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center
Tuesday, August 16	Holy Hour - 6:00 pm St. Lawrence Church
Wednesday, August 17	Altar Servers Meeting - 6 pm St. Lawrence Church
	AA Meeting - 8 pm St. Lawrence Parish Center

**Day of Remembrance
for Aborted Children**

The 10th annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children will be marked nationally and locally on Sept. 10. The event is a joint project of Citizens for a Pro-Life Society, Priests for Life, Inc., and the Pro-Life Action League. In Erie, interested participants are invited to Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 5711 West Lake Road, on Sept. 10 at 1 p.m. Meet at the west end of the cemetery at the Knights of Columbus memorial stone near the infant section. In case of rain, meet in the chapel.

**Sacrificial Giving For The Weekend Of
August 6th & 7th**

**Weekly Offertory Budget Goal
\$ 3,750.00**

Amount Collected \$ 2,785.00



Catholic Services Appeal 2022

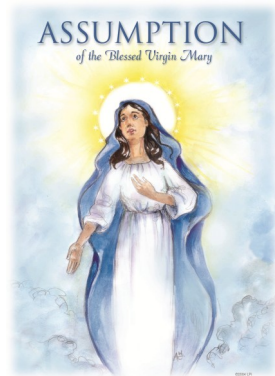
**Diocesan Assessment/Parish Goal
\$ 29,375**

**Number of Families 164
Number of Pledges 36**

**Total Amount Pledged \$ 16,176
Total Amount Collected \$ 16,449**

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is the bodily taking up of Mary, the mother of Jesus, into Heaven at the end of her earthly life. It is celebrated on August 15 each year.

It is a Holy Day....your Sunday Mass fulfills this obligation.



The Knights of Columbus will be holding a raffle for a beautiful bench to help pay for a new outdoor Nativity Set. Look for ticket sales after weekend masses, or call the office if you would like to purchase a ticket.



~Praying With A Purpose~

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

*Please keep the following people
in your prayers.....*

Melissa
Cherie
Ani
Doug Hambry
Dawn Betle
Maria Schall
Jon Reibel
Mary



Mike Sawin
Maryann Ion
Andrew Segal
Kylie Allen-Kulyk
Rudy Lascek
Tom Connors
Rachel P.
Annie

Please Remember Our Homebound Parishioners.

A Family Perspective From The Diocese

Today Jesus warns us his Word will create conflict between parents and children. In a permissive society which advocates individualism and consumerism, parents must continue to teach and live the gospel values of respect, service to others, forgiveness, generosity and compassion. A Christian family is a countercultural family.

Follow or type the link below to see many job opportunities in the Erie Diocese.

<https://www.eriecd.org/employment.html>

~ Monday Night Bingo ~

St. Lawrence Center

Doors will open at 5:30
Concessions open at 5:30
Games will begin at 6:30

Jackpot...\$1,000
in 51 balls or less

Come Join The Fun!!



St. Lawrence Feast Day Mass & Supper



Wednesday evening we enjoyed an assortment of great food and deserts at a Tureen Supper, after the St. Lawrence Feast Day Mass. Thank you all who attended this special Mass to celebrate St. Lawrence. Thank you to those who contributed to our Supper either by baking, cooking or just by being there. A wonderful time was had by all. What a wonderful way to spend time with your parish family!

