



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

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:

Office hours: 9:00 am to 2:00 pm Monday - Thursday

Email: stlawrencealbion@gmail.com

Webpage: www.stlawrencealbion.org

Office: 814-756-3623

Fax: 814-756-5918

Center and Religious Education Office: 814-756-4840

Faith Formation email: stlawrencelife@gmail.com



Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 5, 2019- Vigil

5:00 PM ✚ *Tom Thompson - (Steve and Carrie Sawin)*

Sunday, October 6, 2019 –Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM ✚ *Harold Schmidt - (Family)*
(at St. Philip)

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

Monday, October 7, 2019 - Our Lady of the Rosary

8:00 AM ✚ *Fr. Matthew Daly - 8th Pastor of St. Lawrence*

Tuesday, October 8, 2019 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM ✚ *All Souls*
(at St. Philip)

Wednesday, October 9, 2019 - Weekday

8:00 AM ✚ *Edward Kearns -(Jim and Norella Consedine)*

Thursday, October 10, 2019 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Communion Service*

8:00 AM ✚ *All Souls*
(at St. Philip)

Friday, October 11, 2019 - Weekday

8:00 AM *Millie Kearns for spiritual well being -*
(Jim and Norella Consedine)

Saturday, October 12, 2019 - Vigil

5:00 PM ✚ *Lucy Fuller - (John and Ilene Hosey)*

Sunday, October 13, 2019 - Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM ✚ *Debbie Worley - (Jeff)*
(at St. Philip)

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



*Twenty Seventh
Sunday in
Ordinary Time*

FAITH IN ACTION

Today's scriptures are situated in the midst of a long lesson on the vocation of discipleship. Over the last several weeks we have heard about our calling to be humble, to detach ourselves from worldly possessions, to give and receive forgiveness, and to care for those in need. In the next two weeks we will hear about our calling to give thanks in all things and to persevere in faithfulness until the end.

This Sunday our attention is focused on the gift of faith, a gift that is meant not to be put on a shelf, but to be put into action. Habakkuk offers us a good example. He believes that God will answer prayers and intervene on behalf of the suffering. He puts this faith into action in the form of an urgent plea to God, and receives a vision that his faith will surely be rewarded. In the Gospel, the image of faith the size of a mustard seed illustrates the power of faith well used. The story of the faithful servants reminds us that putting our faith into action is an essential requirement of the vocation of discipleship.

“STIR INTO FLAME THE GIFT YOU HAVE FROM GOD”

The Spirit has many means of enkindling and tending the flame of faith within us—nature, life experiences, our Christian companions, the sacraments, the scriptures, Church teaching, and the life of service. We are indeed blessed to receive such a gift. Yet that precious flame can fade into a mere ember unless we stoke it into a blazing fire from which others can derive warmth and light. The reading from Timothy encourages us to put our faith into action “with the help of the Holy Spirit that dwells within us” (2 Timothy 1:14). The Spirit will increase not only our faith, but our “power and love and self-control” (2 Timothy 1:7) when we respond to the Christian vocation to put the gift of faith into action.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF OCT. 12 / 13 2019

	5:00 PM	10:00 AM
Lectors	S. Muetzel	M. Salisbury
Servers	A. Rimel	A. Teed
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	C. Hudacky K. Levis / C. Rotko	C. Niedermeyer C. Mackey / J. Mackey

**From the
Pastor's Desk**



Dear Friends in Christ:

October and May are set aside in the Catholic Church as being special months of Mary. In addition, October is noted as being "Respect Life Month." As a Church, we have foundational beliefs about our ministry in the world. We have a special calling to speak out in defense of victims and in opposition to perpetrators, stalkers, political forces who abuse others in order to establish more power and financial influence over our culture.

A lot of people speak up to save the lives of the unborn, and we are all called to be more sensitive to the ways in which we can support that movement! Yet, Respect Life also targets having a plan to care for those who are born into poverty, with handicaps, or who are abused and victimized because of their ethnic identities, gender, color, or other characteristic that reflects the prejudice of others rather than any failure on their own part.

People may be different from others, but that is not an excuse to treat them badly! In the beginning, before we messed up, it was God's intention that all are created equally human! Depersonalizing people dehumanizes them, objectifies them according to a handicap or failure and allows for treating them badly and not feeling there is anything wrong with that. Jesus was criticized for eating with 'sinners, prostitutes, thieves' therefore He must be one of them! Mother Theresa hobbled along the narrow roads of Calcutta with beggars, leprosy, the 'poorest of the poor.' She chose to associate with them, to lift them up, to give them hope within their own hostile environment. Jesus did the same, and he sent his disciples to do so also.

Exactly what do parents do to help their children to "respect life" within their school and activities environments? What devotion would prayerfully help us to become more sensitive to the victims of abuse? What charitable organization do we know that reaches out to the poor and hungry? Do we have canes, walkers, wheel chairs that are not being used that others would sincerely appreciate? What specific action can a person of Faith do to express his and her Respect for human life this month? Perhaps by participating in the Rosary March for Life is a good devotional statement to make. Perhaps doing a personal 'holy hour' before the Blessed Sacrament or praying a rosary at our Marian Shrine would be a nice family gathering experience or visit the Respect Life monument in front of our church and pray there for so many victims of neglect.

Do something.

Fr. Jim

September 30, 2019

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,
Justin Lascek, Brian Steadman*



There will not be a Cursillo gathering in October. Our next gathering will be in November. If there is any adult woman interested in making the November Woman's Cursillo please contact Terry or Pat Bowersox at 814-859-0003



Catholic Services Appeal 2019

	St. Lawrence	St. Philip
Parish Goals	\$18,377.00	\$9,188.00
# Pledges	52	12
Amount Pledged	\$19,460.00	\$4,970.00
Amount Collected	\$19,255.00	\$7,913.00
Amount for Parish	+ \$878.00	- \$1,275.00

**St. Philip
September 29th Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$723.00
Amount collected.....	\$567.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	- \$156.00

**St. Lawrence
September 29th Collection**

Weekly Offertory Budget Goal	\$2,148.00
Amount collected.....	\$2,004.00
Surplus / Deficit.....	- \$144.00

*Second Collection next weekend
World Mission Sunday*

Respond this World Mission Sunday by supporting the priests, religious Sisters and Brothers, and lay catechists who provide loving service to those most in need.

October 12/13 2019

September, 2019

\$50.00 Weekly

52 - 200 Club Winners

Congratulations to the September Winners!

- Week 1 Tom Rand Sept. 1, 2019**
- Week 2 Andrew Zentis Sept. 8, 2019**
- Week 3 Rick Kansy Sept. 15, 2019**
- Week 4 Ashley Beatty Brown Sept. 22, 2019**
- Week 5 Betsy Baker Sept. 29, 2019**

**October winners will be drawn at the
Ladies of the Rosary Meeting
October 3, 2019 at 6:30 pm
St. Lawrence Church**

Ladies of the Rosary



Meetings
First Thursday of the
month at 6:30PM

Call: 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 #3979**

A CATHOLIC
FAMILY FRATERNAL
SERVICE ORGANIZATION

CALL: JOHN SHADE 756-4512



Cursillo

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

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

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

Springfield Monument Company
Cemetery Memorial Specialists

Jim & Rosa Youschak
Owner / Memorial Designer


PO Box 247
11885 Main Street
East Springfield PA 16411

1-800-729-3516
Local: 922-3596



www.springfieldmonument.com

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.

**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)*

**St. Lawrence
Religious
Education**



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

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

CHECK ONE

New

Address Change

Moving out of Parish

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

- Mon., Oct. 7** **Bingo** 5:30 pm Doors open and Concessions
Game begins at 6:30 - St. Lawrence Center
AA Meeting 8:00 pm St Lawrence Center
- Tues., Oct.8** **Aetna/Coventry Meeting** 10am to Noon
St. Lawrence Center
- Wed., Oct. 9** **AA Meeting** 8:00 pm St. Lawrence Center
- Sat., Oct. 12 and Sun., Oct 13 - Fall Dinner**
Pies, Bake Sale items and Chinese Auction items
can be dropped off before and after Mass on
Saturday and prior to the dinner on Sunday.



Faith Formation

"Respect Life Month"

- October 6 ~ Living Rosary - Students and Parents
gather in the Church -
*Confirmation Parent Meeting
following the Rosary*
- October 13 ~ No Class - St. Lawrence Fall Dinner
- October 20 ~ Class

Contact Info: Susie Muetzel Office hours Tues/Thur 9 - 2
Office- 756-4840 Home- 756-0624 Cell- 464-6196

Bingo Update: Oct. 7, 2019

Planned Payouts	
8 Regular games.....	\$30
6 Doubles.....	\$35
3 Specials.....	50/50
Early Bird Jackpot.....	\$250 in 50 #'s or less
Consolation.....	\$75
Progressive Jackpot.....	\$1450 in 58 #'s or less
Consolation.....	\$150
Instant games throughout the night	

Bus trip to Seneca Allegany Casino

Salamanca NY

**Thursday
October 31, 2019**

From
St. Lawrence Church Parking lot
Departure: 9:00 am
Return: approx. 5:00 pm

\$25 Casino Play Money ~ \$5 Meal Voucher

10 Seats Sold
46 Seats still Available

\$40 per person
Payment due by
October 16th, 2019



Make your reservation:
call the parish office 756-3623 or
contact Cathy Hudacky 756-4081



WIN THIS JOHN DEERE 20-HP V-TWIN DUAL HYDROSTATIC 42-IN ZERO-TURN LAWN MOWER



TICKETS:
1 FOR \$5.00
3 FOR \$10.00

Drawing for the mower will be held at a new
St. Patrick's Day event on March 14, 2020

Contact Jim Mitchell or Renae Mihalak if you
want tickets or if you want tickets to sell.



Pies for the Fall Dinner can be dropped off at the center on Saturday October 12th before and after the 5:00pm Mass or on



Chinese Auction items can be dropped off at the center on Saturday October 12th before and after the 5:00pm Mass or at the parish office during the week leading up to



**DONATE
AUCTION
ITEMS**



Bake Sale items can be dropped off at the center on Saturday October 12th before and after the 5:00 pm Mass or on Sunday before the



Annual Fall Dinner

Sunday October 13, 2019
Serving from 11:30 to 3:00

Thank you to everyone who has signed up to work and to everyone baking pies, making baked goods for the Bake Sale and donating to the Chinese Auction.

A few more Servers are needed in the dining room. Check the sign up sheets or contact Judy Pry 922-7504

Faith Formation students your help at this event can be used toward your Sacramental and graduation hours so be sure to sign up .

Contact Lori Adamson 860-6623 or Judy Pry 922-7504 if you have questions.



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