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> The Reverend Father Justin P. Pino, Pastor Lawrence M. Caggeso, Deacon Assistant

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 17, 2019

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:15 p.m.

Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Daily Mass: 8:30 a.m.

Holy Day Masses: Evening before 6:00 p.m.

8:30 a.m. & 12:05 p.m. on the Holy Day

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays at 4:30 p.m. or by appointment with Fr. Justin

BAPTISM

Please call the rectory for scheduling.

MARRIAGE

Please notify the pastor at least 6 months before the marriage.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call anytime for emergencies. Notify the office if someone is hospitalized, seriously ill, or in need of a priest.

SCHOOL CONTACTS

St. Leo School

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Elk County Catholic School System

Sam MacDonald, President macdonalds@eccss.org 834-7800



PARISH CONTACTS

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Director of Religious Education - Marjorie Gausman

Director of Physical Plant - Dan Bloam

Director of Liturgical Music - Al Larnder

Parish Council President - Andy Messineo

Finance Council Chairperson - Dawn Forringer

Cemetery Caretakers - Art & Mary Therese Cianca



THIS SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Second Sunday of Lent; St. Patrick's Day

5:15 p.m. John Viola (Cousins) 8:00 a.m. People of St. Leo Parish 10:00 a.m. Delores Sette (Arcelia Heiberger)

MONDAY, 18

St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

8:30 a.m. Allison Caimi (Mom, Dad & Adam) 6:00 p.m. Joseph Tettis (Anne Kennedy)

TUESDAY, March 19

St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin

8:30 a.m. Joseph Fusco, birthday (Dolly MacDonald) 6:00 p.m. Catherine Paige (Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Papa)

WEDNESDAY, March 20

8:30 a.m. Ernest Aiello (Terry & Dorothy Hook) 6:00 p.m. Catherine Paige (Dave & Joey Kepple)

THURSDAY, March 21

8:30 a.m. Joseph Medvid (Gennaro & Cyndi Aiello)

FRIDAY, March 22

8:30 a.m. Jo & Angie Aiello (Joe & Julie Aiello)

SATURDAY, March 23

St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop

5:15 p.m. Larry Johnson, 1st anniv. (Linda & Family)

SUNDAY, March 24

Third Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. People of St Leo Parish 10:00 a.m. Mary Foley (Family)

We invite family members for whom each weekend mass is being offered to bring the gifts to the altar. Please make yourself known to the usher 15 minutes before Mass.



PARISH OFFICE Hours ~ *Monday through Friday* 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon + 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



EVENTS THIS WEEK

Today Sunday, March 17

6 p.m. Community Rosary and - Church

Tuesday, March 19

9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Adoration - Church 6:30 p.m. That Man Is You meeting - K of C

Wednesday, March 20

4:30 p.m. Soup, Mass and Station 6 p.m. St. Leo Religious Ed Class

Thursday, March 21

9 a.m.-9 p.m. Adoration - Church

Friday, March 22

4:30 St. Leo Fish Fry

Saturday, March 23

First Reconciliation

Sunday, March 24

K of C Pancake Breakfast - Social Hall

Ministry Schedule for March 23&24				
	5:15 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	
Altar Server	J Benninger A Jones	A Gahr B Cerroni	S Zameroski, D Gess	
Lector	WJ Fernan	P Gilmore	Y Mehalko	
Eucharistic Ministers	N Nicklas L Caggeso	J stager K Briggs	S Viglione K Gerber S & L Fink*	
Ushers	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer	

Ministry Schedules for the week of			
<u>Ridgmont</u>	<u>High Rise</u>	<u>Money</u> Counter	Alter Guild For 3/22
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Ministry Schedule 6 pm Mass March				
	Mon 3/18	Tue 3/19	Wed 3/20	Thu 3/21
Altar Server	S & N Cherry	T & I Cicione	V, P, M MacDonald	No Mass

From the Pastor's Desk

My dear parish family:

During this Second Week of Lent we now find ourselves in the courtyard of the High Priest Caiaphas. Jesus has been arrested and his closest companion - his best friend - Peter is warming himself by the fire, as his Teacher is being interrogated by the Jewish authorities. Soon Peter will deny the Son of God THREE TIMES! Look at the image in all its detail - put yourself in the scene - meditate on the Lord's Passion.



The painting depicts a scene recounted in the Gospel of Luke: "And when they had kindled a fire in the midst of the hall, and were set down together, Peter sat down among them. But a certain maid beheld him as he sat by the fire, and earnestly looked upon him, and said, This man was also with him. And he denied him, saying, Woman, I know him not." The action takes place in an interior. Two soldiers are warming themselves around a fire, one evidently asleep, one rousing as a servant girl points at Saint Peter in the act of accusing him. He is cowering in the very left of the painting. Diametrically opposite and in a separate scene is Christ taken by soldiers. Their fence-like sticks echoes that of the soldier on the ground, the sticks in the fire, illuminating the scene, and the tent-pole or stick behind Peter and his accuser. (cf. Seaman, Natasha Therese (2012). The Religious Paintings of Hendrick Ter Brugghen: Reinventing Christian Painting After the Reformation in Utrecht.

May these days of Lent strengthen our faith and love for Christ!

Father Justin



LIGHTHOUSE CD OF THE WEEK

Lent with the Saints booklet in the Lightouse Kiosk

Meditations and The forty days of Lent provide Christians, and those preparing for baptism, with an intense period of preparation for the 'Feast of all Feasts', Easter, the 'Passover of the Lord'. This collection of sayings and meditations dwells on the central Lenten themes of prayer, conversion, repentance, Lent fasting, almsgiving, and self-denial, as lived from apostolic times until the present day. This little companion to private reflection WI A will offer ready sustenance to those setting out on the joyful road to Easter.

The Lord is my light and my salvation. (Ps 27)

Saint Leo **Communion Closet** Recycle, renew, repurpose

Saint Leo Confirmation students are sponsoring a *First Eucharist clothing drive* in hopes to create a Communion Closet for our parish. The purpose of the project is to allow 3rd grade families to "shop" for First Eucharist clothing and accessories. Our closet will be completely free for them; We just ask that the items be cleaned and returned for future use. We are collecting any First Eucharist clothing related items including:

veils, boys and girls dress shoes (preferably white for the young ladies), dress pants, white shirts, ties, coats, white and ivory Eucharist dresses, etc. in any child size.

Collection bins will be located in the gathering space of the church, Saint Leo rectory (during rectory business hours) and Saint Leo school. Donations may also be sent in with Religious Education students and Saint Leo school students. Please consider donating so that others may benefit from this program.

The hosts and wine for the month of March are provided in memory of Larry Johnson from the Friday Fish Fry Guys.



Ash Wednesday

Soup & Stations

Every Wednesday Fr. Justin will be preparing homemade soup for anyone who wishes to come together in fellowship from 4:30 until evening mass at 6 pm. After mass (6:30 pm)each Wednesday, we will celebrate the **Stations of the** cross, followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

Featured soup for March 20th Ham & Bean



1:38 Women's Conference

Saturday, March 30 from 9 a.m. to 3:30. Our Lady of Peace Parish, Erie, Registration \$40

FINAL CALL REGISTER TODAY!

Don't miss this opportunity to grow in your relationship with the Lord through inspiring national speakers and opportunities for prayer, adoration and reconciliation as well as Mass with Bishop Lawrence Persico.

For more information and to register visit www.138women.com or call (814) 455-7364





A Lent to Remember is a four-week, video-based study that uses Augustine Institute original productions *Forgiven* and *Symbolon* to present the power of God's love and mercy in his Paschal Mystery and in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Week two - An Encounter with Mercy? We are not defined by our mistakes. In Confession, Jesus invites us to encounter his mercy and be healed by his love. When he tells us "Go and sin no more," he also gives us the grace to do so.

Log on to Formed.org and enter code 39WTZD to begin enjoying your free subscription.

TRAVEL OPPORTUNITIES

'TREASURES OF ITALY' PILGRIMAGE

In conjunction with **Bishop Lawrence Persico's** required *ad limina* visit to Rome, the Diocese of Eris is offering a 10-day pilgrimage to Italy

November 16-25, 2019. Led by Msgr. Edward Lohse and Fr. Nicholas Rouch, the trip will include stops in Assisi, Siena and San Giovanni Rotondo --- home of St. Padre Pio --- as well as Rome. Visit www.ErieRCD.org/pilgrimage2019.html for details or call Marianna at Unitours at 1-800-777-7432.

FOOTSTEPS OF ST. PAUL

Travel with Fr. Paul Siebert to Greece. **September 7-16**, 2019. Visit Thessaloniski, Phillippi, Delphi, Athens, Pireaus, Kusadasi (Turkey), Ephesus and other places (14 in all). Cost is \$3,600; Airfare and ALL-included. To register, please call 885-842-8001 or 508-340-9370. You can also register online @ www.proximotravel.com. For more information, call Fr. Paul at 814-486-0569

Poland, Prague & Germany

Travel with Fr. Brian Vossler to Poland, Prague and Germany. Including the world famous Passion Play of Oberammergau. July 7-17, 2020. For more information contact Deacon Denis Coan at 814-314-9050.

PRODUCTION OF DISNEY'S

NEWSIES

THURSDAY, MARCH 28TH THROUGH SATURDAY,
MARCH 30TH
AT 7:00PM &
SUNDAY, MARCH 31ST AT 2:00PM
ELK COUNTY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL
AUDITORIUM

Baptism Preparation Class for first time parents and Godparents

April 6 10 am Sacred Heart,

834-7861

St. Marys

7 pm

April

16

St. Leo Magnus

772-3135

Ridgway

*Please call ahead for reservations



2019 Cursillo Dates

March 14-17 Women's Cursillo #254 at Our Lady of Mercy, Harborcreek

May 16-19 Men's Cursillo #248 at Our Lacy of Mercy, Harborcreek

June 20-23 Women's Cursillo #255 at ECC High School, St. Marys

Mark and Kellie Martinez would love to talk to you about Cursillo and how it can change your life.

De Colones

The Parish offers our prayers and sympathy to the families of Eugene Facchine and Dorothy Principe who died recently. May they, and all the faithful departed, rest in eternal peace!

Readings for the week of March 17, 2019

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14[1a]/

Phil 3:17-4:1 or 3:20-4:1/Lk 9:28b-36

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. 103:10a]/ Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29 [37]/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41 -51a

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Next Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8,

Journey through Lent with Dr. Tim Gray

Set yourself up for a transformative 40 days with **FORMED Lenten Reflections**. Get daily videos from Dr. Tim Gray delivered right to your inbox so you don't miss a day of growing closer to our Lord.

Visit <u>Lent. Formed.org to so sign up</u>! Haven't signed up for your FREE FORMED account? Register at stleomagnus.formed.org. Code: 39WTZD

WAYS TO REMEMBER



There are many ways to memorialize both living and deceased family and friends:

Mass -- \$10 Sanctuary Candle -- \$10/wk Hosts and Wine -- \$40/month (beginning in Jan. 2019)

Beat the Heat/Cancel the Cold -- \$10/day **Memorial Space on the bulletin ads** - \$50/wk

Or anything you would like to see in the parish - statues, artwork, equipment.

Please contact Rena in the office or Father Justin.

Area News and Notes

Evening of Prayer and Music

Sunday, March 17, 6 p.m.

The evening will include a homily, scripture reading, and prayers for healing with Fr. Mark Mastrain. It will be held at St. Bernard's Church in Falls Creek. The misic ministry will be Shalom. For more information call Judy Smart, 637-5930 or Rich Kenawell, 771-7932

Polenta and Pasta Dinner

Sunday, March 17 11:30 a.m. until sold out. Fox Township Firemen's Social Hall. Cost: \$10 adults, \$6 children under 10.

St. Joseph Fish Fry Dinner

St. Joseph's in Force. Every Friday during Lent Noon to 6:30 Haddock Dinner - \$11; Fantail Shrimp Dinner - \$12 Children under 10 - \$7. Call 787-4151.

St. Boniface Fish Fry Dinner

Every Friday during Lent Fish, Shrimp or Chicken Tenders \$12 St. Boniface 4-6:30 & Holy Cross, Brandy Camp 4:30-7:30

St. Joseph's in Lucinda Fish Dinner

Every Friday during Lent 4 to 7 pm

Fish Dinner: \$10, Jumbo Shrim Dinner: \$11,

Crab Leg Dinner: \$20

Sacred Heart Garage Sale

March 29 & 30

Donate gently used treasures (no clothing, large furniture, exercise equipment or tires please). Drop off days March 20, 21, 25 and 26. Call Sacred Heart Parish office for more details - 834-7861.

Trayer Chain

Call our Prayer Chain Coordinator

Felcia Nelson at 814-772-5460

if you, or someone you know, are in need of prayers



Adoration

A reminder that every Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00 am till 9:00 pm the Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the Church for adoration.

Lent is a perfect time to spend extended periods of meditation and communion with the Lord in His Eucharistic presence.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS AND MINISTRIES CONTACT PERSONS

Cursillo Movement	Mark & Kellie Martine
Parish Festival	Chris & Susie Klase
Choir	Joey Kepple
Catholic Daughters of America	Jan Wonderly
Knights of Columbus	John Gangloff
Food Bank	Sam & Lois Markert
Prayer Chain	Felcia Nelson
Fish Fry	Charlie Richards
That Man is You (TMIY)	John Gangloff
Cancer Care Ministry	Tecla Pontious
Website Manager	Frank Quattrone
Prison Ministry	Molly Fernan
Altar Guild	Noel Murphy
Funeral Luncheons	Paul & Rita Reed
Money Counters	Jane Mago
Eucharistic Ministers	Fran & Kathy Greich
Ushers	Jim Catalano
Lectors	Wee J. Fernan
Altar Servers	Joey Kepple
Baptismal Preparation Classes	Deacon Larry Caggeso
Adoration	Dolly MacDonald



ST. LEO MAGNUS CATHOLIC CHURCH Membership Form		☐ New Registration		
Name	Phone Number	☐ Change of Address or Phone ☐ Moving Out of the Parish		
Address	City Zip	—		
Please drop this form into the offertory basket or mail to Parish Office				