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SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

MAY 23, 2021



Come, Holy Spirit, Creator blest,
and in our souls take up Thy rest;
come with Thy grace and heavenly aid
to fill the hearts which Thou hast made.

O comforter, to Thee we cry,
O heavenly gift of God Most High,
O fount of life and fire of love,
and sweet anointing from above.

Thou in Thy sevenfold gifts are known;
Thou, finger of God's hand we own;
Thou, promise of the Father,
Thou Who dost the tongue with power
imbue.

Kindle our sense from above,
and make our hearts o'erflow with love;
with patience firm and virtue high
the weakness of our flesh supply.

Far from us drive the foe we dread,
and grant us Thy peace instead;
so shall we not, with Thee for guide,
turn from the path of life aside.

Oh, may Thy grace on us bestow
the Father and the Son to know;
and Thee, through endless times confessed,
of both the eternal Spirit blest.

Now to the Father and the Son,
Who rose from death, be glory given,
with Thou, O Holy Comforter,
henceforth by all in earth and heaven.
Amen.

Veni Creator Spiritus!

Come Holy Spirit, enkindle in us the fire of Your love!

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC FAMILY OF SAINT LEO MAGNUS IN RIDGWAY, PENNSYLVANIA



BAPTISM

Please call the parish office to schedule.

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

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS AND MINISTRIES CONTACT PERSONS

Cursillo Movement.....	Mark & Kellie Martinez, mam533@pitt.edu
Parish Festival	Chris & Susie Klase, Klase4@windstream.net
Choir	Joey Kepple, jomariehelen@yahoo.com
Catholic Daughters of America	Linda Facchine
Knights of Columbus	Gary Leithner
Food Bank.....	Sam & Lois Markert, 776-1950
Prayer Chain	Felcia Nelson, 772-5460
Fish Fry	Charlie Richards, 773-7990
That Man is You (TMIY)	John Gangloff
Cancer Care Ministry.....	Tecla Pontious, 772-1352
Website Manager	Frank Quattrone/Rena Urmann
Prison Ministry.....	Molly Fernan
Altar Guild	Noel Murphy
Funeral Luncheons	Paul & Rita Reed, 773-7772
Money Counters	Linda Facchine
Eucharistic Ministers	Fran & Kathy Greich, 776-1540
Ushers	Jim Catalano
Lectors	Wee J. Fernan
Altar Servers	Joey Kepple, jomariehelen@yahoo.com
Baptismal Preparation Classes	Deacon Larry Caggese, 772-3135
Adoration	Dolly MacDonald, 776-6662
R.C.I.A.....	Lucy & Dave Bobby
Sacristy	Deacon Larry Caggese, 772-3135

ST. LEO MAGNUS CATHOLIC CHURCH *Membership Form*

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Please drop this form into the offertory basket or mail to Parish Office

- ☐ New Registration
- ☐ Change of Address or Phone
- ☐ Moving Out of the Parish
- ☐ Need Envelopes

From the Pastor's Desk

My dear parish family:

The Holy Spirit is one of the three Persons of the Holy Trinity (next week's feast); He is the comforter and helper that Jesus promised to send His Apostles (last week on Ascension Thursday), who came to them on the day of Pentecost (today). Within the awesome mystery of the Holy Spirit are His seven gifts. As the great prophet Isaiah reminds us: *"And the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him: the spirit of wisdom, and of understanding, the spirit of counsel, and of fortitude, the spirit of knowledge, and of godliness. And he shall be filled with the spirit of the fear of the Lord."* (11:2-3)

The Gift of Wisdom is our ability to value spiritual things over worldly ones. This gift helps us view the world through God's perspective and the light of our faith. It instills a desire to contemplate the things of God.

The Gift of Understanding helps us grasp the truths of the faith more easily and profoundly. This gift strengthens our insight through prayer, scripture, and the sacraments.

The Gift of Right Judgment/Counsel acknowledges the difference between right and wrong and bestows proper judgment. It bestows upon us prudence, allowing us to act promptly and rightly in the face of difficult situations.

The Gift of Courage/Fortitude sustains our decision to follow the will of God in any situation. This gift allows us to be steadfast in our decisions to do well and to endure evil even when we do not want to.

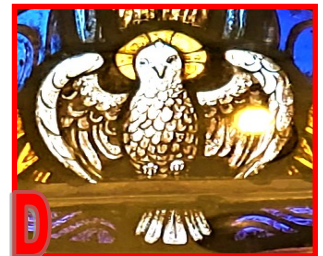
The Gift of Knowledge is awareness of God's plan. Knowledge helps bring to light the temptations that we face, and to discern whether to give in or live a life worthy of God's approval.

The Gift of Piety or Reverence is our obedience to God and our willingness to serve him. It is not just obedience through a sense of duty or obligation, but rather obedience out of love and devotion. It facilitates a deeper respect and honor for God and His Church.

The Gift of Wonder and Awe/Fear of the Lord makes us aware of the glory and majesty of God. We fear displeasing God and losing our connection with him because of our love for Him. Wonder and awe increases our desire to draw closer to God and depart from sin.

Interestingly enough or better yet it just shows how truly providential is the work of the Holy Spirit, here within Saint Leo Church are SEVEN depictions of the Holy Spirit in His preeminent and most popular image – the dove. Here are those seven artistic representations. See if you can guess where they are the church. Next week I will reveal the answers. So keep this week's bulletin to see if you're right!

Father Justin





Weekend of May 16, 2021

Weekly
Contributions
\$6,134

Weekly
Budget
\$9,915

Contributions
Year to Date
\$354,764

Budget
Year to Date
\$446,175

CSA--

is due by January 2022
\$46,962

Pledged to date: \$24,475

Received to date: \$22,260

Families have pledged: 60

PARISH LOAN

St. Leo requested a loan from the Diocese of Erie to pay our school subsidy December, 2019 in the amount of \$185,000.

Balance due: \$148,000

Have an IRA?

Would like to gift to a
qualified charity, tax free?

If you make donations, and are subject to required minimum distributions (RMD) rules for your IRA, gifting some of your RMD income using the qualified charitable distribution will count toward satisfying your RMD, and neither your or the charity will have to pay income taxes.



St. Leo School May Crowning



St. Leo School 8th grade student Melena Piccirillo was chosen to be the May Queen and crowned Mary at the student Mass that was held on Friday, May 14th.

Ask Him -

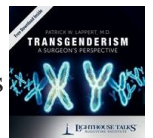
#17- to give you the courage to bravely reveal that you have weaknesses and fears; and when you fall down or make mistakes, to give you the strength to take responsibility for them. -from "Ask Him"

By: Jane Trufant Harvey

Lighthouse Catholic Media Pick of the Week

Transgenderism: A Surgeon's Perspective

Patrick W. Lappert, M.D., a deacon and plastic surgeon, brilliantly and compassionately enters the important and challenging conversation about transgenderism and persons who identify as transgender. Speaking from the perspectives of biology, medicine, psychology, theology, and more, Dr. Lappert teaches how questions of human identity, sexuality, woundedness, and the desire for happiness must all be addressed and answered by the truth of what it means to be a human person, made in the image and likeness of God



ARE YOU TRULY REGISTERED AT ST. LEO MAGNUS?

Are you registered in a Parish? Are you 18 or older? Out of college and or working? Have you belonged to St. Leo with your family? Do you consider yourself a member of our parish family? If you are still in college and living with your parents, then chances are you are registered under your family name. If you are out of college, working, have married, or moved from home, please help us to update our parish records by registering under your name. You are a vital member of our parish community and we wish to recognize each of you.

A Prayer to the Heart of Mary

O Heart of Mary, Mother of God, and our Mother, most amiable Heart, object of the complacency of the most adorable Trinity, and worthy of all the veneration and affection of Angels and men; Heart most conformable to that of Jesus, of which Thou art the most perfect likeness; Heart full of goodness and compassion for our miseries, vouchsafe to melt our frozen hearts, and grant that they may be entirely turned towards the Heart of our Divine Saviour. Infuse into them the love of thy virtues; inflame them with that sacred fire with which thou continually burnest.

Take under thy protection the Holy Catholic Church; defend it, and be always its consolation, its asylum and its invincible fortress against every assault of its enemies. Be thou our way to come to Jesus, and the channel through which we receive all graces necessary for our salvation. Be thou our help in our wants, our relief under afflictions, our comfort in temptations, our refuge in persecutions, and our support in all dangers; but especially in our last conflict at the time of death, when all the powers of hell will use their utmost endeavours to seize our souls in that awful moment, in that terrible crisis, on which depends our eternal lot. Do thou, at that time, O most pious Virgin, make us experience the sweetness of thy maternal Heart, and the efficacy of thine influence with Jesus, thine all-powerful Son, by opening unto us, a secure refuge in the source itself of mercy, a secure refuge, that we may enjoy the happiness of blessing Him in Heaven for all eternity.

Amen.

Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments - Digital safety and keeping your child's personal information personal: If your child gives out personal information over the internet, it is easy to track and tough to completely remove. Teach your children to never give out personal information, such as: full name, address, phone number, email, school, or birthday on any social media site. Help your child set up strong passwords (alphanumeric) and do a yearly checkup on passwords. Adjust privacy settings for online games, apps, social media sites and your child's electronic devices. Don't forget to check the GPS settings ability to unintentionally share your child's location. Avoid using public wi-fi when sharing personal information. Visit <https://www.eriecd.org/childprotection/> to see what the diocese is doing to help maintain safe environments for children and youth.

ADORATION

**Tuesday and Thursday
9 a.m. to 9 p.m.**

*Nothing can compare to the
intimate presence of the
Lord Jesus in the Eucharist.
Come be with Him.
Prayers are answered*

PRAYER CHAIN

CALL OUR PRAYER CHAIN
COORDINATOR

**FELCIA NELSON AT
814-772-5460**

IF YOU, OR SOMEONE YOU
KNOW,

**CONFESSIONS**

WEDNESDAYS

FROM

4-6 PM

IN THE SACRISTY

**MONTHLY SPONSOR
SPOTLIGHT**

On behalf of Father Justin and the entire parish we want to thank all of our sponsors who advertise in the bulletin. This month we especially recognize:

**Cliffe's & The
Prescription
Center**



Baptismal Training Sessions - June 8 at St. Leo Church, Ridgway. Please call 814-772-3135 to reserve your spot. Online programs are available for baptism preparation. Contact the parish office for a list of approved classes.

St. Leo School - Walmart Truckload Sale - Friday, June 11th until Sunday, June 13th : K of C Chicken BBQ on Saturday; The sale will be held at the former Motion Control Building, Gillis Ave. For more information visit their FB page - St. Leo school truckload sale 2021.

Diocese will recognized wedding anniversaries - The 2021 Diocesan Anniversary Celebration liturgies for couples celebrating 25, 50, 60 or more years of marriage will be held at two locations in the diocese; Aug. 1 at Immaculate Conception Parish in Clarion, and Aug. 8 at St. Jude Parish in Erie. For more information and to register, go to www.eriecd.org/familylifeoffice/anniv.html or contact your parish or the Faith Formation Office at 814-824-1210.

St. Boniface Block Party 2021- June 4 & 5, 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. Inside and events include Craft Vendors, Basket Raffles, Treasure Chest, Door Prizes and Food. Outside after 4:15 mass will be Kids Games, Rock & Roll Pet Store Kid's Show and a Live Band - TRIXX. Anyone interested in reserving a vendor space, please call Tina at 814.335.1848 or tinagradizzi@windstream.net.

Scholarship opportunity available to seniors - The Catholic Schools Office of the Diocese of Erie was recently made aware of a scholarship opportunity available to all Catholic high school seniors who attend private, Catholic or public schools. Five Catholic high school seniors who are relatives of an active or deceased member of the Catholic War Veterans & Auxiliary will be chosen to receive a \$1,000 scholarship. The instructions and application (June 1 deadline) are available at <https://wp2.cwv.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/CWV-Scholarship-Application-12.202020.pdf>.

Our Parish Money Counters need help! This ministry requires about 2 hours of your time one Monday each month.

Please call Linda Facchine @814.776.6789 for more information and to sign up for this ministry.

MASS & CONFESSION TIMES

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday evening: 5:15 p.m.

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

Radio Mass: 9:00 a.m. (97.5 WDDH)

HOLY DAY MASSES:

Evening before: 6:00 p.m.

On the holy day: 8:30 a.m. & 12:05 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tuesday thru Friday: 8:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS:

Wednesdays 4-6 p.m.

Confessions are held in the sacristy

SIGN UP FOR THESE GREAT RESOURCES FROM ST. LEO'S

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PARISH COMMUNICATIONS

Flocknote is an email/text tool used to communicate with parishioners. Sign up to get the latest info on Church happenings. Visit www.StLeoMagnus.org to get started.

ONLINE GIVING

Visit www.StLeoMagnus.org, click the Online Giving link, and begin giving. Your support throughout the year helps sustain our church.



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

Beat the Heat/Cancel the Cold -- \$10/day

Radio Mass Broadcast -- \$100/week

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.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Intention</u>	<u>Requested by</u>
Saturday, May 22 VIGIL-PENTECOST SUNDAY	5:15 p.m.	Florence Caggiano	Paul & Rita Reed
Sunday, May 23 PENTECOST SUNDAY	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Lily & James Piccirillo Aunt Inez & Aunt Margaret	Steve & Diane Piccirillo Linda Johnson
Monday, May 24 The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church	8:30 a.m.	Communion Service	
Tuesday, May 25 Weekday	8:30 a.m.	Gary DeVallance	Dave & Lynne Kucenski
Wednesday, May 26 St. Philip Neri, Priest	8:30 a.m.	Mary Jane Verbeck	Family
Thursday, May 27 Weekday	8:30 a.m.	Richard Izbinski	Family
Friday, May 28 Weekday	8:30 a.m.	Chester & Grace Viola	Children & grandchil- dren
Saturday, May 29 VIGIL - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	6:00 p.m.	Living and deceased mem- bers of St. Leo Parish	
Sunday, May 30 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Patsy Scarfo Teresa Murgash	Elizabeth Casolo Family

PASTOR

Rev. Justin Pino, Pastor

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BEAT THE HEAT

†WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYER†

MAY 23

JOSEPHINE & FRANK
QUATTRONE, JR.

MICHAEL QUATTRONE

ART AIELLO

JACKIE RENAUD

MAY 29

JOHN FEDUS

STEPHEN JOHN FEDUS

MAY 30

DOMINIC & ELVERA JUDICE

DECEASE JUDICE-BOGGIA FAMILIES

SIS GEITNER

GENEVIVE STANLEY

MARY FOLEY

SOULS IN PURGATORY

**Ministry Schedule
Week of May 30, 2021**

Money Counters

Team 2

Altar Guild

For 5/28- Group 4, Pew 4

Eucharistic Ministers

6:00 - None needed

8:00 - N Murphy

10:00 - L Caggese

STAY TUNED - OUR OTHER MINISTRIES
WILL BE COMING BACK SOON!

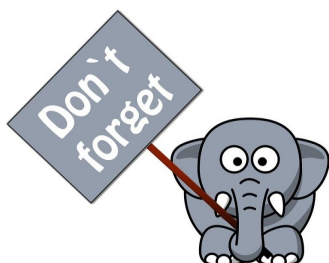
† The wine and hosts for the month of May are in memory of Jacqueline
Renaud from her family †

The Sanctuary Candle for the week of May 23rd will burn in
memory of Liz Mitchell from Nina and family.

On Mother's Day, Fr. Justin gave Mother's in the parish a small token of appreciation, a rosary ring key chain with an image of the Blessed Mother. If any mother was not in town last weekend or if you would like additional key chains, please stop by the parish office. There are some extras available in limited supply.

The Mother's Day memorial envelopes will remain on the altar throughout the month of May. Fr. Justin will remember all mothers, living and deceased, in particular those listed on the envelopes, in all the masses for the remainder of the month. We will do the same next month for fathers.

ST. LEO MAGNUS ADORATION TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 9AM-9 PM



- ♦ Rev. Mr. Mark Goeger will celebrate his first mass as Rev. Father Mark Goeger on Saturday, May 29th, 6 p.m. at St. Leo Magnus. Reception to follow at St. Leo Social Hall. Please come celebrate with him.
- ♦ St. Leo Church Family Picnic will be held Sunday, June 13. A Great time to reconnect with your parish family. More details will be announced soon.