

Saint Leo Magnus Roman Catholic Church

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

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 21, 2018

WELCOME! If you are new to our area, we invite you to share fully in our parish life. Your presence brings vitality and new gifts to the community. Please take a moment to register. Forms are available at the parish office.

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:15 p.m.
Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.
Daily Masses: 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: 4:30 p.m. Saturdays

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



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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

THE PARISH FAMILY OF SAINT LEO MAGNUS IN RIDGWAY, PENNSYLVANIA



THIS SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

5:15 p.m. M/M Lino Morelli (Tony & Betty Rutigliano)
 8:00 a.m. Neil & Marcella Wonderly (Family)
 10:00 a.m. People of St. Leo Parish

MONDAY, October 22

8:30 a.m. Nancy Rosetti (Peggy & Phil Mitchell)

TUESDAY, October 23

8:30 a.m. Todd Distler (Bill & Gladys Hanes)

WEDNESDAY, October 24

8:30 a.m. Deceased Members of the Verbeck Family (Family)

THURSDAY, October 25

8:30 a.m. Manno & Martin Wedding Anniversaries (Betty & Joan)

FRIDAY, October 26

8:30 a.m. Ross Esposito (Nina Aiello & Family)

SATURDAY, October 27

5:15 p.m. M/M Frank Rutigliano (Tony & Betty Rutigliano)

SUNDAY, October 28

8:00 a.m. People of St. Leo Parish
 10:00 a.m. Mike Viglione (Barb & Family)

THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

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

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.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Today, Sunday, October 21

6 p.m. Community Rosary in the Church

Monday, October 22

6 p.m. St. Leo Home & School Meeting, Social Hall

Tuesday, October 23

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

6:30 p.m. That Man Is You meeting in the K of C

Wednesday, October 24

6:00 p.m. Religious Education Class

Thursday, October 25

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

Friday, October 26

6 p.m. Hearts for Hope Healing Mass with social to follow

Saturday, October 27

Sunday, October 28

K of C Pancake Breakfast after Masses today

1 p.m. St. Leo School Super Spooky Bingo

6 p.m. Community Rosary in the Church

Observances for the Week of October 21, 2018

Sunday: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Mission Sunday

Monday: St. John Paul II, Pope

Tuesday: St. John of Capistrano, Priest

Wednesday: St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

Thursday:

Friday:

Saturday:

Next Sunday: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priesthood Sunday

Minister Schedules for Oct 27/28, 2018

	5:15 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Altar Servers	V Mader C Grazioli	C Piccirillo M Piccirillo	R Messineo S Clancy
Lector	R Bish	J Gangloff	C Aiello
Eucharistic Ministers	H Nicklas M Miraglia	A Kemick M Detwiler	A Messineo R Messineo K Gerber* W Hanes*
Ushers	<i>Volunteer</i>	<i>Volunteer</i>	<i>Volunteer</i>

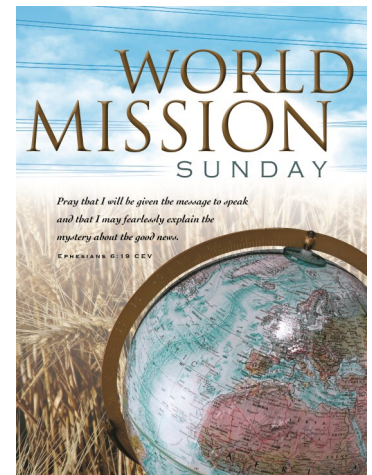
Ministry Schedules for the week of October 14, 2018

Ridgmont
Kathy Roemer

High-Rise
J Wonderly

Money Counters
Team 4

Altar Guild
Group 3, Pew 1



From the Pastor's Desk

My dear parish family:

My pastor growing up in Coalport, Father Alex Amico, once told me of how his mother's parents passed away. Both of his grandparents left this mortal world in very religious and unique ways. His grandfather, Andrew, died as he ascended the front steps of Saint Anne Church in Farrell. Death is always sad, but what a wonderful place to pass into eternity than walking up the steps into mass. He was going to share the Bread of Life at mass and ended up, we hope, with the true Bread of Life, Jesus, in heaven. My pastor's grandmother, Julia, died in the home of her daughter near Hubbard, Ohio. It was her practice to say the rosary every day by kneeling in a chair in the living room. Basically she faced the back rest of the chair praying the rosary. That day her family found her in that kneeling position, the rosary in her clasped hand, asleep in the Lord. Again what a wonderful and beautiful way to meet God face to face than by praying the Holy Rosary.

I have to admit growing up I didn't pray the rosary often. I did at church on occasion. Many times I prayed the holy beads with my grandma at her parish before mass. But as a daily moment of conversation with God by myself, the rosary eluded me. I am so distracted by the numbering: Am I on Hail Mary seven or eight? What are the Luminous Mysteries again? I am sure many of you pray the rosary daily - maybe even more. I am sure many of you prayed it with your family, hopefully you still do. In this month of October dedicated to the Blessed Mother, but in all months throughout the year, it would benefit all of us to remain with or return to this time-honored and beautiful form of prayer.

I have realized that its OK to get lost or distracted in prayer. Maybe some soul-searching or mediation is what I need, not just an obligation to get the prayer done. It is the same with so many spiritual moments - a word in the first reading that you just want to stay with and unpack - a prayer you've known since childhood that at that moment needs to be on a repetitive loop for your soul to heal - an antiquated practice that is still very much available and needed in our current days. The prayer to Saint Michael that we now pray together at the end of every mass is a perfect example. The rosary is just one of many moments of prayer that we all need to make use.

Prayer is not just a solitary - by myself - activity. It can be, and there are particular times we need that alone time, but prayer can also be so much more fruitful and encouraging when done together, especially at mass. But even more importantly prayer is powerful when done as a family. Father Patrick Peyton was correct when he so famously said many decades ago: **"THE FAMILY THAT PRAYS TOGETHER STAYS TOGETHER!"** Those words - that ideal - that practice will never go out of date. It would benefit us all to resurrect or reinforce it today.

I don't know that I'll ever be able to pray the rosary as beautifully as my pastor's grandmother or my own sainted grandmothers. Maybe one day I'll be holy enough that I won't spend the whole time distracted. Or maybe even at my holiest it still won't fit my personality. No matter. I'll pray it either way, not because of what it does for me but because of what it does to me, even when I don't notice it. I hope and pray the same happens for you!

God love you!

Father Justin

Cursillo is a movement of the Church that promotes Catholic Ideals, fellowship, and spiritual growth in daily living. It provides an opportunity to deepen your Catholic faith and to experience the love of God within a supportive and prayerful community. Cursillo is a method of giving a personal encounter with Christ and the means to further enhance, support, and spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Consider taking a leap of faith and join an upcoming Cursillo weekend:

Nov. 15 - 18, 2018 Men's #247

At Our Lady of Mercy in Harborcreek



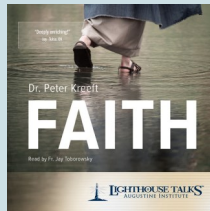


The Sanctuary Candle for the month of October will burn in memory of Frank & Armond Caggiano from Helene & Family.

LIGHTHOUSE CD OF THE WEEK

Faith

How do we understand our Catholic Faith? This presentation explains the relationship between faith and reason, faith and authority, and faith and the Church. Based on the Catechism of the Catholic Church and Holy Scripture, this is taken from the Luke E. Hart Series: Basic Elements of the Catholic Faith and is provided by the Knights of Columbus Catholic Information Service.



"I enjoyed hearing him quote from the bible and compare the present with the bible times. He is very interesting to listen to. The talk was full of wisdom." Nina - Clermont, FL

Upcoming Area Events

Healing Service - "The Cross on the Hill"

Due to the predicted very cold weather with rain and possible snow the worship and healing service that was going to be at "The Cross on the Hill" in Weedville on **Sunday Oct. 21 has been moved to St. Bernard's Church, Falls Creek at 6 p.m.** Rev. Matias Quimno from Christ the King Manor will join us and the Music Ministry will be provided by Shalom. All are welcome to join us in prayer for all prayer petitions presented. For more information contact Judy Smart, 814-637-5930 or Rich Kenawell, 814-771-7932.

ECC Outdoor Bash

Sunday, October 21

The ECC Athletic Association and the ECCSS Advancement Office will host the 2nd Annual Outdoor Bash on Sunday, October 21 in the ECCHS cafeteria. The doors will open at noon, and drawings will be held every 15 minutes beginning at 1 p.m. Your \$20 donation includes food, drinks, and chance on main ticket items. Raffle items include hunting and fishing items, outdoor supplies, gift certificates, and more! Winners can opt to take item voucher, gift certificate, or cash. A complete list of items can be found at eccss.org/outdoorbash. Contact Sue Jansen for tickets (834-1480 ext. 232). No one under the age of 21 permitted.



The hosts and wine for the month of October are provided in memory of Frank & Armond Caggiano from Helene & Family.

Prayer Chain

Call our Prayer Chain Coordinator
Felcia Nelson at 814-772-5460
if you, or someone you know,
are in need of prayers

K of C 300 CLUB WINNERS

Week 12

\$40 ATA Call Center
\$25 Al Larnder
\$15 Alice Billiet
\$10 Francine Papa
\$10 FAB 5
\$10 Joe Schaberl

Week 13

Carol Bomba
Debbie Richards
Barb Viglione
Ann & Barry Chiodo
Dave Thompson
Tony Rutigliano

Fall Fish Fry, St. Joseph Church, Force

Friday, October 26, 12-6:30

Fish Fry or Fantail Shrimp Dinner. Cost: Haddock \$11.00, Fantail Shrimp \$12.00, Children 10 and under \$7.00. For more information call 787-4151.

Saurkraut Dinner, St. Mary's Church,

St. Marys

Sunday October 28, 5 p.m.

St. Hubert's Committee has having a Saurkraut Dinner. Cost: \$8.00. Call for reservations - 781-1019. Seating is limited.

Olmsted Manor Retreat

Enjoy a relaxing day of prayer, reflection, and fellowship at the Olmsted Manor in Ludlow on **Wednesday, November 14th**. Father Ross Miceli, Pastor of St. Boniface Parish in Kersey, will be the speaker and the topic will be "Leaving Church". The day will begin at 9:30 am with coffee and donuts. The cost for the retreat is \$22/person which includes the light breakfast and lunch. Reservations are due by Friday, November 2nd and may be made by calling the St. Mary's Parish Office at 781-1019.

FORMED

THE CATHOLIC FAITH.
ON DEMAND.

Watch Lectio Philipians by going to **Formed.org** and enter code **39WTZD** to access an incredible online gateway to the best Catholic content, all in one place!

Towards the end of his life, under arrest and awaiting trial in Rome, Saint Paul writes a short but powerful letter to the Philipians. Paul's affection for the Christian community at Philippi is apparent from his opening words. The Philipians were not only Paul's sons and daughters in the Faith but also his partners in sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

At the heart of this letter is Paul's eloquent hymn of Christ's total gift of self, the model for Paul's life. With his words and the example of his life, Paul exhorts the Philipians to have the mind of Christ, to live a life worthy of the Gospel, and, by God's grace, to gain Christ.

In six sessions, Dr. Tim Gray combines insight and practical guidance using the *Lectio Divina* disciplines to make the Scriptures come alive in *Philipians: Life in Christ*.

Readings for the Week of October 21, 2018

- Sunday:** Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
- Monday:** Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5 [3b]/Lk 12:13-21
- Tuesday:** Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9]/Lk 12:35-38
- Wednesday:** Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [cf. 3]/Lk 12:39-48
- Thursday:** Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19 [5b]/Lk 12:49-53
- Friday:** Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 12:54-59
- Saturday:** Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [1]/Lk 13:1-9
- Next Sunday:** Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52


Q When my grandfather was dying, the priest came and anointed him, and then said he would give him viaticum. What is that?

A All during our life, we receive Communion at Mass. Most are the regular Sunday celebrations. Others might have special meaning and purpose: weddings, confirmation, retreats, and funerals. Although it is the same Lord we receive each time, the reason we receive the Eucharist changes and adds special meaning to the sacrament. Whether we are praying for someone, asking for grace, or joining together as a community of faith, the Eucharist sustains us and allows us to join our prayers and sacrifice to the Lord's.

As the hour of our death approaches, the reception of Communion takes on a special purpose. We receive the Lord to accompany us on our journey from this life to the next. Viaticum comes from a Latin word meaning "provision for the journey." It refers to the rite of giving Communion to a person near death. People often think of "last rites" as anointing of the sick, but there are several sacramental rites that we can receive at the end of our life, including penance and Eucharist. The Eucharist is the completion of the Christian's life on earth and the beginning of eternal life.

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CHILDREN'S LITURGY
Sundays at 10 a.m. Mass

Stewardship


October 13 & 14 2018
Weekly offering.....\$4,468.00
CSA.....\$30.00



Baptism Preparation Class
For first time parents and Godparents

Nov. 6 7:00 pm St. Boniface, Kersey 885-8941
Nov. 27 7:00 pm St. Mary's, St. Marys 781-1019

*Please call ahead for reservations



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SUPER SPOOKY
St. Leos BINGO in the social hall
 Sunday October 28 @ 1:30pm (doors open at noon)
 ONLY 100 SEATS AVAILABLE! pre sale tickets are now available

COSTUMES ENCOURAGED! PRIZE FOR BEST DRESSED

\$1000 JACKPOT
 if reached in 55 numbers or less,
 Consolation prize is \$500

For more information contact
 Christie Gardner 335-9610

Door Prizes
 Rip off tickets
 50/50
 Complimentary Lunch

ST. LEO MAGNUS



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS



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 week we especially recognize:

Elk County Foods

WAYS TO REMEMBER



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

- Mass -- \$10
 - Sanctuary Candle -- \$10/wk (beginning in Jan. 2019)
 - 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.

Oops - All Souls Day Mass invitations were to be sent to the families of those who passed away between November, 2017 and November, 2018. So sorry for the mix up - Rena

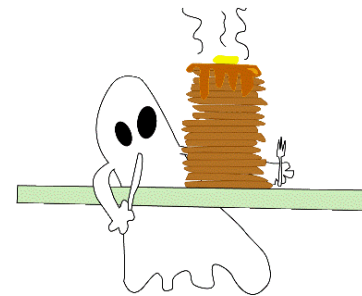
K of C Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, October 28th

St. Leo Social Hall

After morning mass

Cost: \$5.00 or \$20 for a family



Welcome
To our newest members!

Ms. Paula Carlson

Steve & Mary Leuschel and Children



ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

is held every Tuesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Please consider signing up for an hour. Sheets are located in Gathering Space. Nothing can compare to the intimate presence of the Lord Jesus in the Eucharist. Come be with Him. Prayers are answered!

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS AND MINISTRIES CONTACT PERSONS

Cursillo Movement	Lisa & Jim Martin
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 Caggese
Adoration.....	Dolly MacDonald
RCIA.....	Lucy & Dave Bobby
Sacristy	Deacon Larry Caggese



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