

# Saint Leo Magnus

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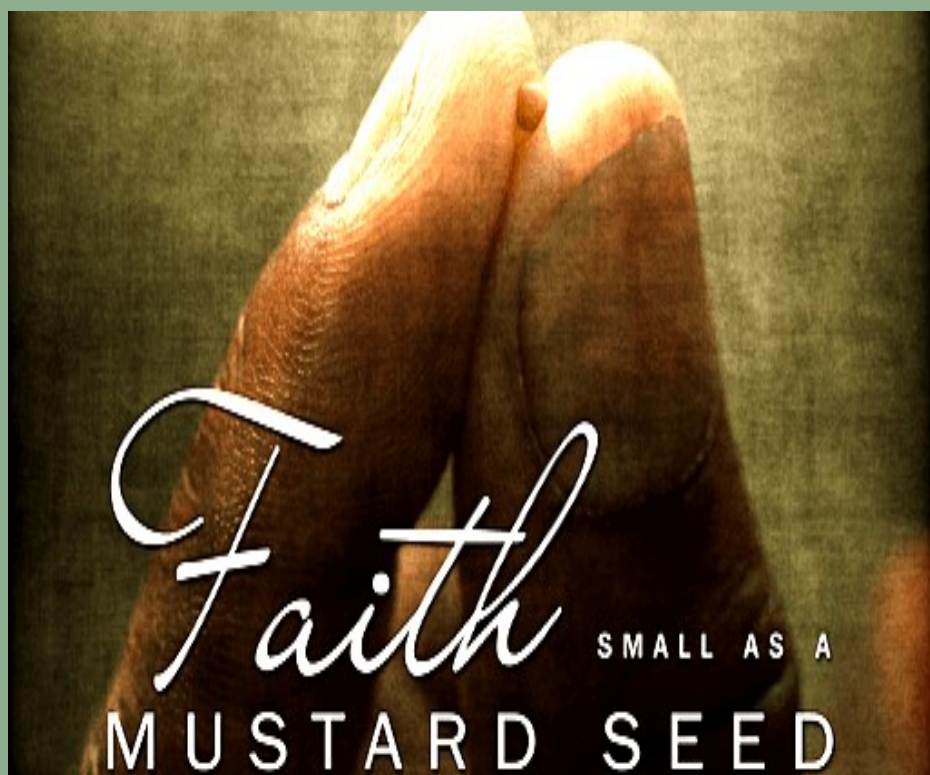
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ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 13, 2021

***St. Leo Magnus Adoration + Tuesdays & Thursdays 9 am to 9 pm***



### CLERGY

Reverend Justin Pino, Pastor  
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President

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### MASS & CONFESSION TIMES

#### WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday evening: 5:15 p.m.  
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.  
Radio Mass: Sundays, 9:00 a.m.  
(97.5 WDDH)

#### WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tuesday thru Friday: 8:30 a.m.

#### HOLY DAY MASSES:

Evening before: 6:00 p.m.  
On the holy day: 8:30 a.m.  
& 12:05 p.m.

#### CONFESSIONS:

Wednesdays 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.



**BAPTISM**

Please call the parish office to schedule.

**MARRIAGE**

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

**ANOIDTING 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:



Courtesy is small and simple, like the mustard seed in our Gospel today. The typical mustard seed is about a quarter of an inch round, but it can grow to become a huge tree, about 15 feet tall in a matter of weeks! Jesus uses this image to describe what the kingdom of God is like. The kingdom of God is where people experience something heavenly, something divine. All it takes are simple good deeds like courtesy to help someone around us begin to experience the kingdom of God with us. We've all heard of these moments - "random acts of kindness" right? But why must they be random? Why can't you and I share these small - simple mustard seed moments - courtesy - all the time? What about "daily acts of kindness?" Sure, that's possible! And we don't have to make it complicated either, keep it simple - keep it small - and we'll be amazed how our relationships, our hearts, our faith will grow.

Every Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation, for some every day we share at this table or at an altar elsewhere a small, round, host... a cup of simple wine... that for all their simplicity become none other than Jesus Christ Himself, our Lord, and God. Simple gifts - small by comparison to some gifts people buy one another and go into debt because its so expensive, simple gifts that are transformed into food for the world. Talk about growth. Two thousand years ago in an upper room, a charismatic rabbi sat around a table with his twelve closest friends. There were no fancy gold table clothes, engraved silverware, Waterford crystal glasses. It wasn't a six course meal that made them bloated and uncomfortable after eating too much. There were no long winded speeches or toasts like at banquets we might attend nowadays. Bread and wine.....blessed and broken.....and shared. "Do this in memory of me." There are those simple words again. Jesus asks the apostles to take Him - to share Him with the world. And they did.

That night of the Last Supper the Lord planted twelve mustard seeds of faith into the hearts of simple, imperfect human people. Sadly one of those seeds was discarded quickly for thirty pieces of silver. But for the others, after Jesus' Passion, Death and Resurrection the seeds grew and they scattered the seeds into the world. Faith in Jesus Christ grew! It grew because it was shared. If the apostles hadn't shared the faith - watered the seeds with their witness - Christianity would have been snuffed out long ago. If the first believers hadn't multiplied all those simple little moments, then Jesus' name would have disappeared and His message would have never made it past Jerusalem and been forgotten by now. We know different. Why? Because a little faith goes a long way.

Some people think little is not enough, we always need more! Many focus just on quantity: fifty dollars is far better than five - two pieces of birthday cake is far greater than just one even though one is plenty for our waistlines and blood sugar count - numbers even creep into our Church life, when it's October Count time when we enumerate the folks in the pews for the diocese - 100 people at mass is bad, 300 much better. How fast we forget about growth - that size doesn't matter - that the little, the simple, the ordinary can change everything.

A long time ago in a city far away from this city, one man - one - carried a cross, was nailed to it, hung there for three hours, suffered excruciating pain and died. One death, eh, that won't make much of a difference. One seed planted in the ground, that's not going to amount to much. That one man did make the difference! That one seed He planted on Calvary that was watered with His blood did amount to much! And we are here today because of that act of kindness. Not random at all is it?

*May God bless you in His abundance this week!*

*Father Justin*



**Weekend of May 30, 2021**

<u>Weekly</u> <u>Contributions</u>	<u>Weekly</u> <u>Budget</u>
\$6,116	\$9,915
<u>Contributions</u> <u>Year to Date</u>	<u>Budget</u> <u>Year to Date</u>
\$3366,575	\$466,005

**Weekend of June 6, 2021**

<u>Weekly</u> <u>Contributions</u>	<u>Weekly</u> <u>Budget</u>
\$9,390	\$9,915
<u>Contributions</u> <u>Year to Date</u>	<u>Budget</u> <u>Year to Date</u>
\$375,965	\$475,920

**CSA--**

is due by January 2022

**\$46,962**

Pledged to date: \$24,525

Received to date: \$23,195

Families have pledged: 61

**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 you or the charity will have to pay income taxes.

**Ask Him -**

#31- to help you be of a generous spirit to everyone, not just to those who aren't as fortunate as you are. Sometimes "fortunate" people are needy, too.

-from "Ask Him"

By: Jane Trufant Harvey



**K of C  
300 Club Winners**

	<u>Week 16</u>	<u>Week 17</u>	<u>Week 18</u>	<u>Week 19</u>
\$40	Dave Zameroski	D. McMahon	Keith M.	Baily
\$25	Servie	A. Messineo	A. DePanfilis	Sam Y.
\$15	Fr. Justin	ATA Call Ctr.	D Addeo	T. Leithner
\$10	M. Morelli	Jim Delhanty	R. Carlson	A. Fabiano
\$10	R. Polumbo	J. Kopnick	J. Bullers	Jeannie Gier
\$10	J. Delhanty	Unsold	R. Imhof	PJ Solomon

**Lucky Leo Calendar  
Winners for May**



5/1 Beth Constable	5/16 Laura Adams
5/2 Melanie Beirds	5/17 Barb Bowley
5/3 Seth Addeo	5/18 Bill Puncheon
5/4 Shawn and Lisa Lyons	5/19 Roseanne Gausamns
5/5 Patrick Pomeray Sr.	5/20 Fritz Nearing
5/6 April Cush	5/21 Larry Caggese
5/7 Teresa Johnson	5/22 Neil and Nancy Hoffman
5/8 Maryanne Bowers	5/23 Sue Landis
5/9 Jean Gier	5/24 Fred Deemer
5/10 David Rupp	5/25 Joe Weyant
5/11 Lindsay Stanisch	5/26 Joey Kepple
5/12 Margaret Gustitus	5/27 Diana Streich
5/13 Nick Cherry	5/28 Lorraine Wendel
5/14 George Nero	5/29 Joe Tettis Jr
5/15 Jim Rickard Jr	5/30 Dave Hollabough





Fr. Justin and Fr. Groeger



Three novices were received into the novitiate of the Third Order Regular Franciscans, Province of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus on Friday, May 28, 2021. The novice in the center is our own Matt Bobby!



Our young parishioners met Bishop Mark Barchek during Fr. Groeger's ordination. Bishop Barchek served at St. Leo in 1985.



### Memorial Day Mass at St. Leo Cemetery -

Fr. Justin was able to bless the entire cemetery with the help of Stephen Bobby.

### Father Mark Groeger's first Mass at St. Leo Magnus



## 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*

Get added to our First Friday call list by calling the parish office at 814.772-3135

## PRAYER CHAIN

CALL OUR PRAYER CHAIN  
COORDINATOR  
**FELCIA NELSON AT  
814-772-5460**

IF YOU, OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW,

## 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:

**Optometry  
Dr. Mary Reed  
DaCanal, OD**



**St. Leo Church Parish Council Meeting - Thursday, June 17, 2021 at 6 p.m.**

**Baptismal Training Sessions - July 6 at St. Joseph Church, Force.** Please call 814-787-4151 to reserve your spot. Online programs are available for baptism preparation. Contact the parish office for a list of approved classes.

**K of C will be hosting Movie Nights beginning Thursday, June 10 at dusk.**

**Sacred Heart Church Bread Sale -** Order by June 14th. Pick up June 17. Specials for June include Loaded Ham & Swiss Sandwich on Rye, Italian Pasta Salad, Large & Small Banana Nut Bread and Mini Cherry Cheesecake Pie. Call 814-834-7861 #1 to pre order.

**Diocese will recognize 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.eriescd.org/familylifeoffice/anniv.html](http://www.eriescd.org/familylifeoffice/anniv.html) or contact your parish or the Faith Formation Office at 814-824-1210.

**Annual Strawberry Festival -** hosted by Elk County Historical Society will be held Friday, June 18 at St. Leo Church - 4 pm until sold out.

**Bethany Blueberry Festival,** July 31, 10 am - 7 pm, Bethany Retreat Center, Frenchville. Pick your own blueberries and a variety of activities. Check their Website, [www.bethanyretreatcenter.org](http://www.bethanyretreatcenter.org), or Facebook page for event details.

**K of C Movie Night - Watch for a list of movies for this summer**

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### Readings for the week of June 13, 2021

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 [cf. 2a]/2 Cor 5:6-10/Mk 4:26-34  
Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/Mt 5:38-42  
Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a [1b]/Mt 5:43-48  
Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9 [1b]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18  
Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8 [7a]/Mt 6:7-15  
Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [cf. 18b]/Mt 6:19-23  
Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10/Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [9a]/Mt 6:24-34  
Next Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/ Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31 [1b]/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

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Bethany Retreat Center in Frenchville, PA, is a quiet and peaceful place to rest, renew and be recreated for those seeking a deeper relationship with God. Bethany offers a wide variety of directed retreats that include: Centering Prayer, Health and Wellness, Grief Recovery and more. They also offer Personal Retreats where you can get away from the cares of everyday life and focus on your faith journey. To learn more visit their website at

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

### ***FORMED.ORG***

*Diving into the beauty of the Faith has never been easier; at home, on the go, or from any internet connected device. Discover thousands of books, audio talks, movies, documentaries, and studies...there is something for every member of the family to help them grow closer to Christ and His Church. Visit [Formed.org](http://Formed.org) to get started.*

### ***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](http://www.StLeoMagnus.org) to get started.

### ***ONLINE GIVING***

Visit [www.StLeoMagnus.org](http://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

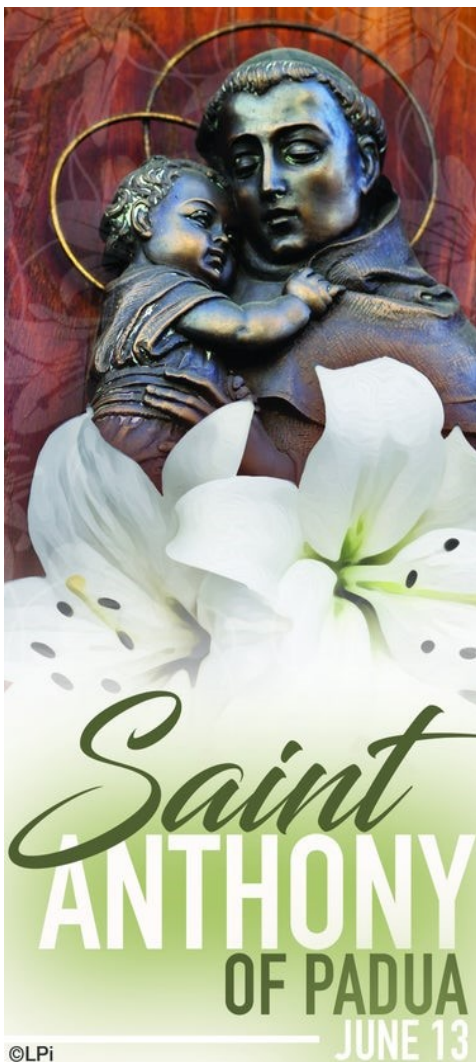
Or anything you would like to see in the parish -

statues, artwork, equipment.

*Please contact Rena in the office or Father Justin.*



Date	Time	Intention	Requested by
Saturday, June 12 VIGIL - ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	5:15 p.m.	Maddalena Family	Stella Maddalena
Sunday, June 13 ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Cynthia Herzing Deceased mbrs. - Holtzhauser Family	Charlie & Margie Gausman Bert & Paula Carr
Monday, June 14 Weekday in Ordinary Time	8:30 a.m.	Communion Service	
Tuesday, June 15 Weekday in Ordinary Time	8:30 a.m.	Helen Martinez	Gennaro & Cyndi Aiello
Wednesday, June 16 Votive Mass of St. Joseph	8:30 a.m.	Richard Allenbaugh	Knights of Columbus #1064
Thursday, June 17 Weekday in Ordinary Time	8:30 a.m.	People of St. Leo Parish	
Friday, June 18 WEEKDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8:30 a.m.	Richard Facetti	Linda Johnson
Saturday, June 19 VIGIL - TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	5:15 p.m.	Mr & Mrs. Frank Armanini, Sr.	Dave & Linda Giovanini
Sunday, June 20 TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Marcy, Francie & Renee, 35th anniv. Thomas & Marjorie Ferraro	Family Betty Walter



† The wine and hosts for the month of June are in memory of Daniel Martin from Joan and family.

The Sanctuary Candle for the week of June 13<sup>th</sup> will burn in memory of Clara Jane Mago from George Kutcher.

### Ministry Schedule Weekend of June 19 & 20 2021

	5:15	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Eucharistic Minister	J Wonderly	L Caggese	T Buchheit
Lector	WJ Fernan	J Allenbaugh	B Grove

STAY TUNED - OUR OTHER MINISTRIES WILL BE BACK SOON!

### Ministry Schedule Week of June 20, 2021

Money Counters  
Team 2

Altar Guild  
For 6/18- Group 1, Pew 1

Please call the parish office, 772-3135, if you or someone you know cannot get out and would like to receive Holy Eucharist at home.

### Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 9 am - noon & 1pm - 4 pm, Friday: 9 am - noon, CLOSED HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
2021 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

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