



Saint Leo Magnus

Roman Catholic Church

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Sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ in Elk County since 1874

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 17, 2023

Pastor

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Mass Times

Saturday Vigil - 5:15 pm,

Sunday - 8 & 10 am

Tuesdays - 6:00 pm

Wednesday - Saturday - 8:30 a.m.

Confessions

Wednesdays 4-6 pm

Saturdays 9 am

Adoration

Tuesday 9am - 6 pm

Thursday 9am - 7 pm

St. Leo School

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Mr. Sam MacDonald

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Peter approached Jesus and asked him, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus answered, "I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times." -Mt 18:21-22

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 16, 2023 + Anticipated for the Twenty-fourth Sunday
5:15 pm **Anthony "Toke" Santiso** (Karen & Michael Herzing)

Sunday, September 17, 2023 + Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 am **Mike Quattrone, 10th anniversary** (Family)
10:00 am **Louis Bonini** (Dave & Joey Kepple)

Tuesday, September 19, 2023 + Saint Januarius
6:00 pm **Rose & Mike Mucci** (Larry Caggese)
****Adoration: 9am - 6pm****

Wednesday, September 20, 2023 + Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon & Paul Chong Ha-sang
8:30 am **Marshall Armanini** (Family)
****Confessions: 4-6 pm****

Thursday, September 21, 2023 + Saint Matthew
8:30 am **Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Verbeck & Family** (Family)
****Adoration: 9am - 7pm****

Friday, September 22, 2023 + Weekday in Ordinary Time
8:30 am **Alex, Ella & Eddie Metelski** (Felcia Nelson)

Saturday, September 23, 2023 + Saint Pius of Pietrelcina
8:00 am Rosary
8:30 am **The People of Saint Leo Parish**
****Confessions after Mass****

Saturday, September 24, 2023 + Anticipated for the Twenty-fifth Sunday
5:15 pm **Living & Deceased of the Max S. Bauer Family** (Family)

Sunday, September 25, 2023 + The Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 am **Debbie Young** (Patty Lewis)
10:00 am **David & Joanna Angelo** (Dawn, Joe & Allie Gier)



*Pope Paul VI called the Mass:
"THE MOST PERFECT FORM OF PRAYER."
Offering Mass for our loved ones is an honored way to*

Ministry Schedule Week of September 24, 2023

Money Counters	Team #4
Ridgmont Minister	J Wonderly
Altar Guild (9/22)	Group 7 Pew 5

Mass Ministry Schedule Weekend of September 23 & 24, 2023

	Altar Servers	Eucharistic Minister	Lector
5:15 pm	D Tutton A MacDonald	F or K Griech	J Challingsworth
8:00 am	J & D Williams	K Petrosky	J Allenbaugh
10:00 am	L & R MacDonald	N Hoffman	D Paige

This Week At St. Leo

Tue Sept. 19 CD of A Meeting & Tureen Dinner

****Note:** We are now keeping the kitchen and stage areas locked. If you need something from that area please make arrangements with the parish office for a key. The parish office is open Monday - Thursday 9am - 4pm.

Wine and Hosts for the month of September have been donated in memory of Mark Stolburg and Liz Mitchell by Nina Stolburg.

Sanctuary Candle will burn this week in memory of Kathy Pino by Mary Detwiler.

Beat the Heat

†We remember in our prayers†

September 17

Arthur Aiello
Mary Helen Jacobs

Prayer Chain

Call Felcia @ 814.772.5460

If you, or someone you know are in need of prayers.



Pope's Prayer Intention For September

For people living on the margins

We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.



Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Jesus Christ has founded the Catholic Church in order to pass on His teachings to a world so desperately in need of truth and in order to lead all men to heaven.

Are you a non-Catholic interested in becoming a Catholic? Do you know a non-Catholic or a lapsed Catholic who has questions about the Catholic faith? Are you a Catholic who would like to learn more about our faith?

If you would like to learn more about the claims and teachings of the Catholic Church, please contact the parish office by phone or e-mail to learn more about the classes that are forming now. There is nothing to lose, and eternity to gain!

Parish Support

September 9 & 10

,Contributions.....\$5,915
Weekly Budget.....\$9,246

Fiscal Year-to-Date (7/1/2023-6/30/2024)

Contributions.....\$74,678
Budget.....\$101,706

CSA

Our contribution.....\$52,838
Gifts to date.....\$24,131

Have an IRA? Would you 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.

Online Giving

Our online offertory program is called Vanco. This offertory site can be accessed by visiting our church website at www.stleomagnus.org and click the **Vanco** button at the top of the page. Simply follow the directions to set up an account. You have total control of your donation. Your donation to St. Leo will be received and placed into the fund you chose. If you have questions, please call the parish office for information.

Ways to Remember

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

Mass - \$10

Sanctuary Candle - \$20

Hosts and Wine - \$100/month

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

Radio Mass Broadcast - \$100/week

Memorial Space on the bulletin ads - \$50/week

Contact the parish office for details.

St. Leo Parish Office Hours

Mon. - Thur. 9:00 am - noon + 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Ph: 814-772-3135

email: secretary@stleomagnus.org

Call the parish office for your cemetery needs



On Saturday, September 9th, a 4th Degree exemplification was held at Sacred Heart Parish Center in St. Marys in honor of a St. Leo's parishioner, Sir Knight Sam Markert. Sam has 54 years of continuous service to the Knights of Columbus and has been a member of the 4th Degree since 1985.

Several of our other members completed their 4th Degree and participated in the exemplification.

Congratulations to Sam and all of the new Sir Knights



Celebrating the Sacrament of Baptism

Infant baptisms (for children from birth to just before their 7th birthday) are scheduled throughout the year after weekend Masses. *Baptisms are not performed during the solemn season of Lent* (between Ash Wednesday and Easter Sunday).

We will be most happy to reserve a date for your child's baptism after all necessary documents are received in the parish office. Call 814-772-3135 to find out what is needed.

Baptismal Training Sessions

Oct 14 10:00 am Sacred Heart
St. Marys, 814-834-7861

Be sure to call ahead to reserve your spot!

If you will be having your child baptized at St. Leo, you may take an online class. Call the parish office for details.

Religious Education Program

2023-2024

Registration details will be published soon.

Keep an eye on the bulletin

Bulletin Deadline -

Submit by noon on September 19th for the September 24th bulletin

K of C Autumn Chicken BBQ



\$12
Take out
St. Leo's lot
11 AM till Sold Out

September 23
'Flavors of Fall' Saturday

CD of A Members - The September Meeting/Tureen Dinner is scheduled for Tuesday, September 19 at 6:30 p.m. in the Social Hall. Feel free to bring your favorite side dish or dessert to accompany the main entrée. We look forward to seeing you!

St. Leo School's Stepping Stones to Preschool

Stepping Stones to Preschool is an early childhood program designed to help prepare your early preschooler for his or her next step - preschool!

This program is designed for any child who is two years, 7 months of age or older who is not yet old enough to be eligible for our 3-year-old preschool program.

The program will consist of creative play, age-appropriate learning centers, and group activities.

Children must be successfully potty-trained to attend.

Each session will be 6 weeks long and be held one day per week. **Our first sessions will be held :Tuesdays Oct. 10 - Nov. 14 or Thursdays Oct. 12 - Nov. 16** Cost: \$60 per session

Contact Renee Chileski @ 814-772-6504 for more information or to enroll.

Congratulations to our August Lucky Lion Lotto Winners!

Kathy Mader \$30	Renee Chileski \$30
Sara Gresco \$30	Julie Anderson \$30
Jamie Dickant \$50	Ed LaValle \$50
Wayne Lineberger \$30	Katie Kerr \$30
Rebecca Glatt \$30	Nathan Klase \$30
Percy MacDonald \$30	Kris Olander \$50
Mark/ Kelly Angelo \$50	Bobby Urmann \$50
John Frank \$30	Ron Myers \$30
JJ Klase \$30	Raivis Bobby \$30
Stephanie Schnars \$30	Adam Vesnesky \$30
Harry Gardner \$30	Jere Trostle \$30
Nick Dattoli \$30	Gale Clark \$50
Luke Bobby \$50	Mike Frey \$50
Frank McDonough \$50	Ed & Julie Shilk \$30
Stephanie D'Amore \$30	

K of C 300 Club Winners

	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
\$40	J Schaberl	Servie	L Spooner
\$30	Unsold	E Zamoski	Rosa & Dean
\$30	M Commerford	R Viglione	M Mader

Final Drawing:

\$500

Dave Bobby

\$250

Ron Minnick, Roger Carlson

\$100

Betty Rutigliano, Steve Ross, John Bullers, Greg Petrosky, ATA Call Ctr Girls, Mark Eberly, Dave Cavalline, Brit Thorwart

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:

I want to once again send my most sincere thanks and gratitude to all of you who have expressed your solidarity, prayer, concern, and sympathy in these past days, since the death of my beloved mother, Kathy on September 5th. On behalf of my loving father, Patrick and my dear brother, Nathan, we are tremendously grateful for all of you here and so many people, supporting us in this time of sorrow.

For my bulletin reflection this week, I wanted to share with you the memorial card I designed for my mother's funeral. The words of the prayer that I composed came very quickly. The image I chose for the card, as many people have commented since the funeral, truly encapsulates the love, faith, and joy that my mother shared with us, her family, others, and the world in these past 67 years. If you would like one of the prayer cards for your own prayer book, please stop by the office. I have plenty.

Again thank you for your prayers and support. Please pray for my mom today. I know she will be praying for my dad, my brother, me, and you!

Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon her. May she and all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

Father Justin

Eternal God and Father, Your love is eternal.
We cherish the love that we shared with our beloved
wife and mother – sister and friend,

Kathleen Jean

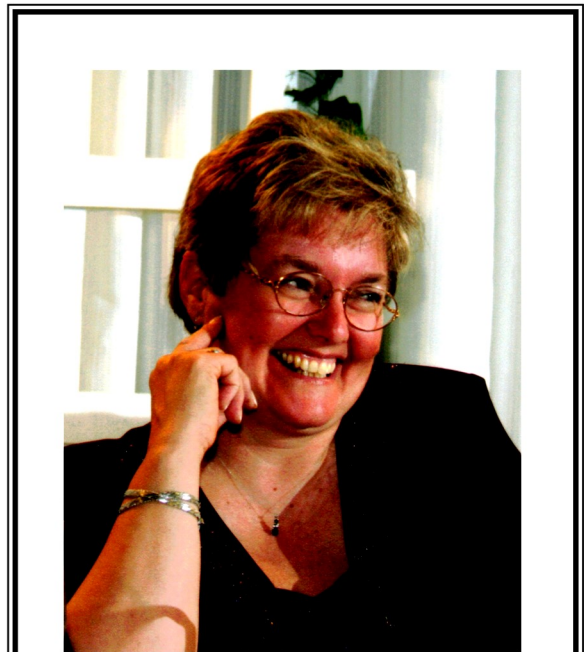
As you whispered to Your prophet Jeremiah:
"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you."
So too is our knowledge of 66 years
of life, love, and joy that You breathed into
Kathy that was shared with all of us.

We give you thanks, praise, and gratitude
for the innumerable blessings You bestowed
upon us through her life and ministry.
We are filled with courageous hope for having
been touched by her beauty and faith.

May her strength, fortitude, witness, and light
continue to live in us and through us.

May Kathy, whom we loved, be brought
now to the realization of the Lord's words
in Revelation: "*Behold, I make all things new!*"
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

This prayer was composed by Kathy's son, Father Justin P. Pino.



Kathleen Jean (Mick) Pino
10 September 1956 5 September 2023
Beloved Daughter, Sister, Wife, & Mother