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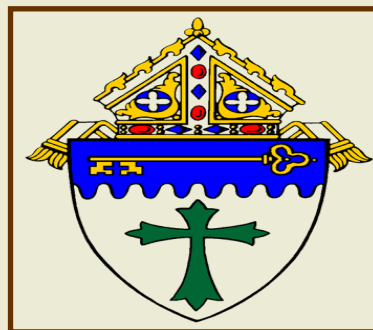
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JUNE 20, 2021



Diocesan Day in honor of
Saint Joseph during the
Year of Saint Joseph



+ + + *Happy Father's Day* + + +

All the saints in glory assured merit and honor and a particular respect, but it is evident that St. Joseph possesses just title to a place in our hearts, a place which belongs to him alone, sweeter, more intimate, and penetrating. Add to all this the experience of life and the knowledge of Christian doctrine and we will be able to measure more completely the complete grandeur of St. Joseph, not only by reason of the fact that he was close to Jesus and Mary, but also by the shining example which he has given us of all the virtues.

- Saint Pope John XXIII





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 _____

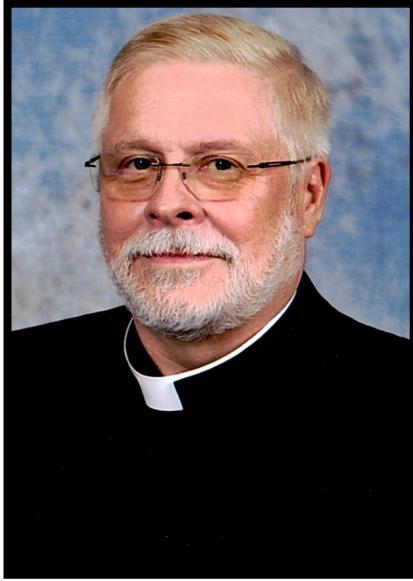
Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

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 our Newly Ordained Priest

My dear friends in Christ,



I can't begin to tell you how happy I was to be able to celebrate my Mass of Thanksgiving with you my dear parish family. St. Leo's will always be my home parish no matter where I am assigned.

There are so many people I need to thank and I'm always hesitant to list them for fear of missing someone but I'm going to do my best and ask your indulgence if I've missed anyone.

First, thanks to Joey Kepple and daughters Mary, Margie, and Anne. Thanks to Al Larnder who provided the most beautiful music for our liturgy. Thanks to Brad Whittle (Seminarian from the Diocese of Covington Kentucky) for lending his beautiful voice to the group. Your presence and gift of song truly helped to make for a beautiful liturgy.

Thanks to Bob Connacher for the beautiful floral arrangements on the altar. Thanks to Rosa Aiello for the delicious food at the reception and to Margie Kepple Gausman for the delicious sweets and for all the work that went into decorating for the reception. Special thanks to Nancy Klawuhn for capturing the occasion in so many beautiful photographs.

You may have noticed there were just a few more people than usual celebrating the Mass. Thanks to my brothers from Seminary, Nicholas Clinton (Diocese of Pittsburgh), Andrew Hamilton (Diocese of Greensburg), Rev. Mr. Chris Wheeler (Diocese of Erie), Cory Pius (Diocese of Erie), John Roy (Diocese of Altoona Johnstown), Justin Treon (Diocese of Altoona Johnstown), Jacob Gindhart (Diocese of Altoona Johnstown), Max Kroell (Diocese of Altoona Johnstown), and Rev. Mr. Brian Norris (Diocese of Altoona Johnstown). Thanks to the priests who were present to concelebrate Mass – Fr. Brian Vossler, Fr. Marc Solomon, Fr. George Jakapoc (Diocese of Altoona Johnstown) and Rev. Mr. Larry Caggese. I'm indebted to each of you for your contribution to help make the liturgy absolutely beautiful for our Lord and for you the wonderful people of the parish.

Thanks to Rena Urmann for all your assistance in coordinating and making this all possible. Finally, Fr. Justin, thank you is hardly adequate for all that you've done. You must know that this would have not been possible had it not been for your efforts and assistance. Trying to organize this and put it together while I was at Seminary finishing the last semester was time consuming to say the least. I laid out a blueprint and thanks to you, and your attention to detail everything was so much more than I had hoped it would be. I'm forever grateful to you for your planning, attention to detail and your hospitality to me and the seminarians. I pray that should I one day be able to return the favor, I will be as proficient as you were.

To my amazing parish family, thank you for being with me to celebrate this great occasion. I was truly honored by your presence as well as your prayerful support throughout my years of formation. I truly look forward to visiting and celebrating Mass with you in the future. May our Lord bless you this day and always.

Yours in Christ,

Father Mark E. Groeger



PARISH SUPPORT

Weekend of June 13, 2021

Weekly
Contributions
\$6,712

Weekly
Budget
\$9,915

Contributions
Year to Date
\$382,677

Budget
Year to Date
\$485,835

CSA--

due by January 2022

\$46,962

Pledged to date: \$24,825

Received to date: \$23,495

Families have pledged: 62

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: \$141,000

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 -

#101 for patience when your day starts out bad and ends up worse...and to remind you that He affectionately calls this "Character Building 101."

-from "Ask Him"

By: Jane Trufant Harvey

*Omitted from High School Graduation List:
Kira Eckert, Ridgway High School*

K of C 300 Club Final Drawings

\$1,000 Jeannie Gier

\$100 3D's
Alice Piccirillo

Rose Leithner
John Gangloff
Ariana

\$50 Roger Carlson
Debbie Richards
Dave Zamoski
Lucy Hood
Angie Fabiano

Barry Caggiano
Tony Leithner
Alan Gausman
Duane Lewis
Clinton Woodford

St. Leo Summer Raffle Winners

\$5,000 - Jim & Patsy McAllister - St. Marys

\$2,500 - Dave Wolfe - Johnsonburg

\$1,000 - Antoinette Kidwell - Ridgway

\$500 Ginny & Bob Mahoney - Johnsonburg

\$500 - Donald Benton - Ridgway

\$250 - Fred Deemer - DuBois

\$100 - Barb Duffy - Johnsonburg

\$50 - Cletus McClelland - Ridgway

\$50 - Robert Lindberg - Ridgway

\$50 - Jeanne Gustitus - Ridgway

Thank you to all who supported our parish!

SUPER 300

is back!!



September 2021



Frank Service Council 1064
Knights of Columbus Super September 300

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
			1 \$100 Bonus \$250	2 \$100	3 \$100	4 \$100
5 \$100	6 \$100	7 \$100	8 \$100	9 \$100	10 \$100	11 \$100
12 \$100	13 \$100	14 \$100	15 \$100 Bonus \$250	16 \$100	17 \$100	18 \$100
19 \$100	20 \$100	21 \$100	22 \$100	23 \$100	24 \$100	25 \$100
26 \$100	27 \$100	28 \$100	29 \$100	30 \$100 Bonus \$250, \$250, \$500		

Benefits the Ridgway Food Bank Paving Lot Project \$30/ticket
SGOC #2102-18
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT
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\$4,500 CASH GIVEAWAY

\$100 will be given away each day, plus 5 BONUS drawings
Winners name goes back in the tumbler after each drawing
Contact the church rectory or any K of C member for tickets

Proceeds benefit
Ridgway Food Bank entrance and paving

Prayer to Saint Joseph by Pope Leo XIII

To be recited after praying the Holy Rosary

To thee, O Blessed Joseph, we fly in our tribulation and after imploring the help of thy holy Spouse, with confidence we ask also for thy intercession. By the affection which united thee to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God, and by the paternal love with which thou didst embrace the Child Jesus, we beseech thee to look kindly upon the inheritance which Jesus Christ acquired by His Precious Blood, and with thy powerful aid to help us in our needs.

Protect, most careful guardian of the Holy Family, the chosen people of Jesus Christ. Keep us, loving father, from all pestilence of error and corruption. From thy place in heaven be thou mercifully with us, most powerful protector, in this warfare with the powers of darkness and, as thou didst once rescue the Child Jesus from imminent danger of death, so now defend the Holy Church of God from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity. Guard each of us by thy constant patronage, so that, sustained by thy example and help, we may live a holy life, die a holy death, and obtain the everlasting happiness of heaven.

Amen

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,

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:

Optometry
Dr. Mary Reed
DaCanal, OD



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.

Looking for family planning that respects your faith, your marriage, your body and that is effective? Couples from around the diocese are learning about a way of life that helps them work with God to grow their families or space children. Find studies verifying Natural Family Planning's (NFP) effectiveness and class schedules at www.eriercd.org/chastity.htm or contact the Diocesan Natural Family Planning Coordinator at 814-512-0818.

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, or Facebook page for event details.

Queen Esther Bust Trip to Lancaster - Wednesday, October 20th. Leave at 9:15 a.m. from the St. Mary's Parish Annex (139 Church St., St. Marys), Return by midnight. \$165 includes bus, show ticket, supper and all tips. Call St. Mary's parish office for your reservation, 814-781-1019.



CD of A Members – *Five Years in Heaven* by John Schlimm has been selected for the Summer Book Club. If you indicated you were interested in joining the book club and have not yet received your copy contact Lisa Martin 772-2261 and one will be delivered to you. The cost is \$12.00. A picnic/group discussion will take place the beginning of August with more information to follow. The next CD of A meeting will be held **Tuesday, September 14, 2021, at 6:30** in the Social Hall with the annual tureen dinner.

The CD of A motto is "Unity and Charity". We provide a unique opportunity, through charitable acts, for women to develop their God-given talents in meaningful ways. Jesus Christ is the heart of our organization. If you would like to become a member of this dynamic group of women contact Linda Facchine 594-4567 for more information.

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 www.bethanyretreatcenter.org or call 814-263-4855. "God is Spoken Here."

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 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 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.*

Date	Time	Intention	Requested by
Saturday, June 19 VIGIL- DIOCESAN DAY IN HONOR OF ST. JOSEPH	5:15 p.m.	Mr. & Mrs. Frank Armanini, Sr.	Dave & Linda Giovanini
Sunday, June 20 DIOCESAN DAY IN HONOR OF ST. JOSEPH	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	Marcy, Francie & Renee, 35 th anniv. Thomas & Marjorie Ferraro	Family Betty Walter
Monday, June 21 St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious	8:30 a.m.	Communion Service	
Tuesday, June 22 Weekday in Ordinary Time	8:30 a.m.	Thomas Verbeck	Family
Wednesday, June 23 Votive Mass of St. Joseph	8:30 a.m.	Marshall Armanini	Family
Thursday, June 24 The Nativity of St. John the Baptist	8:30 a.m.	People of St. Leo Parish	
Friday, June 25 WEEKDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8:30 a.m.	Theresa A. Zamoski	Estate
Saturday, June 26 VIGIL-THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	5:15 p.m.	Frank Armanini, Sr.	Carol & Bob Connacher
Sunday, June 27 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m.	People of St. Leo Parish Jeanne Rupprecht	Deloris Miller

BEAT THE HEAT

†WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYER†

JUNE 20

DOMINIC & ELVERA JUDICE
DECEASED OF JUDICE-BOGGIA FAMILIES
SIS GEITNER
GENEVIVE STANLEY
MARY FOLEY
SOULS IN PURGATORY
JOHN LUCHS SR.
JOHN LUCHS JR.

JUNE 26

RYAN LUCHS
DOUG CRANE
ART AIELLO
JEFF LEINER

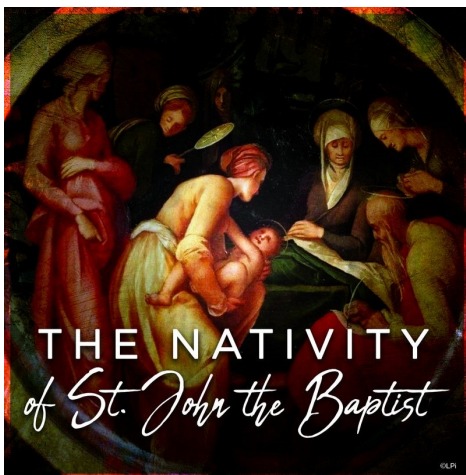
*† The wine and hosts for the month of June are in memory of
 Daniel Martin from Joan and family.*

*The Sanctuary Candle for the week of June 20th will burn in
 memory of Eugene Facchine from his family.*

Ministry Schedule Weekend of June 26 & 27 2021

	5:15	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Eucharistic Minister	L Caggese	J Allenbaugh	K Gerber
Lector	N Murphy	N Hoffman	C Tutton

STAY TUNED - OUR OTHER MINISTRIES WILL BE BACK SOON!



Ministry Schedule Week of June 27, 2021

Money Counters
 Team 4

Altar Guild
 For 6/25- Group 2, Pew 2

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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