

# Saint Leo Magnus Roman Catholic Church

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## 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

## BAPTISM

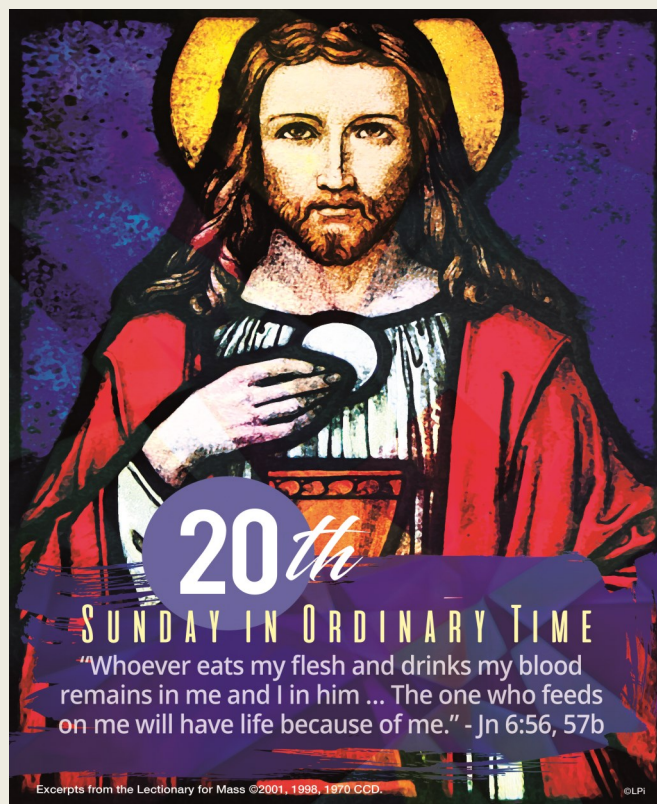
Please call the rectory for scheduling.

## 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.



**THE PARISH FAMILY OF SAINT LEO MAGNUS IN RIDGWAY, PENNSYLVANIA**



**THIS SATURDAY AND SUNDAY**

5:15 p.m. Irene Facetti - Linda  
 8:00 a.m. Hugh McGeehan- Vira McGeehan  
 11:00 a.m. People of St Leo Parish  
 Polka Mass at the carnival grounds

**MONDAY, August 20**

8:30 a.m. Millie Caggiano, 5th anniversary - Family

**TUESDAY, August 21**

8:30 a.m. Mary E. & J. Francis Shea - Kathy Roemer

**WEDNESDAY, August 22**

8:30 a.m. Adeline Caimi - Kristi & Dave Festa

**THURSDAY, August 23**

8:30 a.m. Josephine J. Mick - Fr. Justin

**FRIDAY, August 24**

8:30 a.m. Tron Valentine, Sr. - Nancy Klawuhn

**SATURDAY, August 25**

8:30 a.m. Allison Caimi - Family  
 5:15 p.m. People of St. Leo Parish

**SUNDAY, August 26**

8:00 a.m. Maria & Francesco Vilella - Rosa, Bobby & Family  
 10:00 a.m. Gene Lawrie - Lawrie Family

*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.*



**THE WEEK AHEAD**

**Today, Sunday, August 19**

10:00-7 p.m. - Parish Festival  
 6 p.m. - Community Rosary (Church)

**Monday, August 20**

**Tuesday, August 21**

9 a.m. - 9 p.m. -- Adoration (Church)

**Wednesday, August 22**

6:00 p.m. - Fish Fry Meeting. Please join us!

**Thursday, August 23**

First day of school for our St. Leo students

9 a.m. - 9 p.m. -- Adoration (Church)

**Friday, August 24**

5:00 - Wedding Rehearsal

**Saturday, August 25**

2:00 p.m. - Wedding Crystal Anderson & Troy Ehrensberger

**Sunday, August 26**

6 p.m. - Community Rosary (Church)

**THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE**

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

*Marriage Banns*

III- Crystal Anseron, St. Leo Magnus  
 Troy Ehrensberger, Queen of the World

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

*Monday through Friday*  
 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon + 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

**Minister Schedules for August 25/26 2018**

	5:15 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
<b>Altar Servers</b>	D Park T Gardner*	Sorgs	Grescos
<b>Lector</b>	Jen Chal- lingsworth	Jeanne Allen- baugh	Don Fabiano
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	H M Vargas K Roemer	G & B Gausman	S Schutz Y Mehalko J & C Fink*
<b>Ushers</b>	<i>Volunteer</i>	<i>Volunteer</i>	<i>Volunteer</i>

**Ridgmont**  
 Jean Allenbaugh

**High-Rise**  
 N/A

**Money Counters**  
 Team 4

**Altar Guild**  
 Group 1, Pew 4



***The hosts and wine for the month of July were provided by Linda Johnson in memory of Larry Johnson.***



*From the Pastor's Desk*

My dear parish family:

Don't forget to join us at the festival this weekend. I will either be at the beer tent or the funnel cake line! See you there. In the mean time I want to share with you two items I came across recently. First is a letter to the editor from the *Erie Times-News* on prayer in schools – very interesting; and secondly, a prayer for the clergy sexual abuse that has plagued our Church. It was used last year at a service of forgiveness and healing in the Archdiocese of Indianapolis attended by the bishops of our country. I hope both articles stimulate some thought and prayer for all of us. Let's keep praying for each other without ceasing!

***“We need to bring prayer back to our schools. This country was founded by God-fearing people as evidenced by: “In God we trust” printed on our money; “One nation under God” in our Pledge of Allegiance; and references to God inscribed on many buildings in our country’s capital. The division of church and state was meant to keep the government from dictating to the people what church they must attend, as England had done. Our forefathers intended that each person should have the right to choose a religious denomination. It was never meant to eliminate God from our schools, our workplace or our lives. If we put guns in schools, even as a defensive mechanism, then our children see guns as the means by which to accomplish a goal. They will be deceived into thinking that whoever has the gun has the power. But through prayer, we acknowledge the power of God and come into relationship with him, who by his very nature is love. Our children need to know that they are loved by the God who created them. They need to know that they have value and that all human life is so very precious. They need hope for a better future. By having prayer in the schools, it would show our children that God is a priority to the people of this country. If you agree with this, please write a letter or send an email to a senator or a congressman — both can propose new legislation. Each of us can make a difference but we need to act and we need to act now.”***  
— Kecia Little, Erie

Almighty and Most Loving God, through your Son your compassion brought healing to many.

We ask for your healing once more for all who have been profoundly wounded by abuse, especially those who have been hurt by your ministers. In your mercy, we also ask for forgiveness. Words cannot express fully the sorrow we have for the great harm done by those who were called to be trusted.

In your goodness, we ask for the grace to be a source of healing to all who have been abused and to be ever vigilant in protecting all your people. Grant, we pray, our prayers for healing and forgiveness, for we ask them through your Son, Christ our Lord. Amen.

God Loves You!

*Fr. Justin*

**THAT MAN IS YOU!** is an interactive men's program focused on the spiritual development of men in the modern world. The program this year is titled, "The Revelation of the Father." This year we will be considering man in his relationship to his children, in particular, how do we raise children of faith in this current culture. Each week of the thirteen week program consists of light snacks and fellowship, opening prayer, short video presentation, small group discussions, and closing prayer. It is not necessary that you have attended previous sessions of That Man is You! to attend this year's program. The program meets every Tuesday evening beginning **September 11 and ending December 4** from **6:30-8:00 at the St. Leo's Knights of Columbus** meeting room in Ridgway. We would love to have you join our small group. It is a powerful thing when you gather with a group of other men striving to do right by God and their families. For more information, call Jim Delhanty at 594-1476 or John Gangloff at 512-8851.







*Rest In Peace*

The Parish offers our prayers and sympathy to the families of **John Aiello** and **Ernest Aiello**, brothers who died this past week. May they and all the faithful departed, rest in eternal peace!

## Upcoming Area Events

### BUS TRIP TO SEE JESUS

September 18th Emporium Senior Center is sponsoring a bus trip to Sights & Sounds to see the presentation Jesus. Cost \$135. Call Mary @ 814-486-3707.

### QW ROSARY ALTAR CHRISTMAS TRIP

QW Rosary Altar Society will get you in the holiday spirit by hosting a Christmas trip November 9-10, 2018. They will be attending the musical "Jesus" at the Sight & Sound, 'The First Noel' at the American Music Theatre and the Rockettes 'Christmas Spectacular' at Radio City Music Hall in NYC. Sign up quickly, reservations will go fast. Call Mary Ann at 594-4490.

### \$10,000 FOOTBALL RAFFLE

*Benefits ECCHS Band Boosters*

Drawings held for each quarter of all home games  
 Payout each of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd quarters of \$250; 4th quarter payout of \$500 FINAL GAME OF THE YEAR  
 Payout of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd quarters of \$500; 4th quarter of the final game payout of \$10,000  
 Only 300 Tickets Sold \$100 per Ticket  
 Contact Ray Knight 834-7800 or Kim Kim 594-1688

*The Sanctuary Candle for the month of August will burn in memory of Donna Mae Feronti from the Noel Feronti family.*

*The hosts and wine for the month of August are provided in memory of Mary Helen Jacobs from Bill Jacobs and family.*

On Sunday August 26 there will be an evening of prayer and music with Rev. Bill Barron pastor of Assumption parish in Sykesville. It will include benediction and prayers for healing. It will be held at St. Bernard's church at 205 Taylor Ave., Falls Creek, PA. The time will be 6:00 P.M. For more information, contact Judy Smart at 814-637-5930 or Rich Kenawell at 814-771-7932.



### K of C 300 CLUB WINNERS

	Week 3	Week 4
\$40	Mark Zilcosky	Dave Cavalline
\$25	Cathy Santiso	Dave Thompson
\$15	Mike & Missy	John Servedia
\$10	Steve Caggese	P.J. Solomn
\$10	Bill Hanes	Linda Gasbarre
\$10	Denny McMahon	Dave Zameroski

### SECOND COLLECTION AUGUST 19 IS FOR THE CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA



### FISH FRIES

will soon resume! A meeting for all volunteers will be held on August 22 in the Social Hall at 6:00 pm. This meeting is for ALL interested in helping with the fish fries. Volunteers, regular or substitute, are needed in all areas. If interested in helping please attend the meeting or call Debby Richards, 773-7990 or Sandra Johnson, 772-3895. All help will greatly be appreciated. Please support our fish fries. Come and eat and enjoy the fellowship

**Readings for the Week of August 19, 2018**

Sunday: Prv 9:1-6/Ps 34:2-3, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15 [9a]/Eph 5:15-20/Jn 6:51-58  
 Monday: Ez 24:15-24/Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21 [cf. 18a]/Mt 19:16-22  
 Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab [39c]/Mt 19:23-30  
 Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1]/Mt 20:1-16  
 Thursday: Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19 [Ez 36:25]/Mt 22:1-14  
 Friday: Rv 21:9b-14/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Jn 1:45-51  
 Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 10b]/Mt 23:1-12  
 Next Sunday: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 [9a]/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69

**ATTENTION BAKERS**



Please bake a yummy dessert for our Parish Festival Baked Goods Booth.

Desserts can be dropped off any time during the festival or we'll be happy to pick them up. Please contact Bob and Carol Connacher at 773-7415 to arrange pick up.



**Memorials for this week**

- Aug. 19:** Leo Zamoski & Patrick
- Aug. 26:** Armond & Frank Caggiano  
Ron McDonson

**A Family Perspective**

Even though many found the teachings of Jesus "difficult", He did not back down. In our families, it is important to say what is difficult to hear, to speak the truth with kindness, to correct with love and guide with understanding.



**SCHOOL REGISTRATION**

We are currently accepting applications for all grade levels for the Fall. St. Leo School, a proud part of the Elk County Catholic School System, offers an outstanding Classical education centered on Christian values to our students. For additional information or to schedule a school tour, contact Sam MacDonald, ECCSS President, at 814-834-7812 or [macdonalds@eccss.org](mailto:macdonalds@eccss.org)



**SCHOOL FINANCIAL AID**

Families may qualify for financial aid. For information regarding financial aid please contact the office of Bob Breindel, Director of Finance at 814-781-3144 or [breindelb@eccss.org](mailto:breindelb@eccss.org).

**Families Always Matter in the Diocese of Erie**

Get resources and suggestions for your family at the Diocese of Erie's family website, [www.ErieRCD.org/fam.htm](http://www.ErieRCD.org/fam.htm). Feel supported, encouraged, and blessed whether your family is a traditional, single-parent, blended, military, or an adoptive/foster family. Go Families!

**St. Leo Cash Bash**

Saturday, September 8  
 North Broad Street Fire Hall  
 Doors open at 5 pm  
 Call Melanie for a ticket 594-2107



**Baptism Preparation Class**

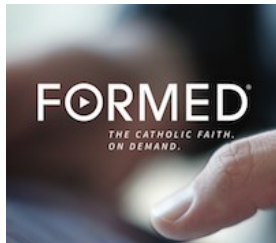
Aug. 23	7:00 pm	St. Mark, Emporium	486-0569
Sept. 6	7:00 pm	Queen of the World, St. Marys	834-4701
Sept. 18	7:00 pm	St. Mary's, St. Marys	781-1019
Oct. 13	10:00 am	Sacred Heart, St. Marys	834-7861

**For first time parents and Godparents**

\*Please call ahead for reservations

## Prayer Chain

To add a name to the Prayer Chain,  
Call Felcia Nelson at 814-772-5460



### ST. LEO WANTS YOU TO BE FORMED!

Go to Formed.org for the Catholic Faith on demand. It's the best Catholic content all in one place. Go to Formed.org and log in using parish code 39WTZD for unlimited access to the best eBooks, talks, and videos in the Church today. Need technical help with logging in? Email ParishCare@Formed.org for assistance.

## SCRIP FOR FUNDING CATHOLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION

Scrip is fundraising while you shop. This program allows you to purchase gift cards and certificates for everyday expenses like food, clothing, and entertainment while earning a percentage of each dollar of Scrip purchased back in revenue. Scrip is "no-selling" fundraising. Scrip "money" is applied to a designated student's tuition or to a designated school in the Elk County Catholic School System.

For information regarding this amazing program please contact the "Scrip Ladies" -  
Cortney Bauer - bauercortney@gmail.com, 814-335-7601  
Jennifer Lecker - jenniferlecker15@gmail.com, 814-389-6003

### 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:

*Thompson Funeral Home*

### 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.*



### Attention Religious Education Families:

Please save the following dates-

**September 19th-** Registration for Religious Education classes 6:00-8:00pm in the Social Hall

**September 26th-** First night of Religious Education classes

### Attention Confirmation students and parents:

Please plan on attending an important meeting regarding this year's Confirmation program. The meeting will be held Sunday, September 16th at 6:00pm in the Social Hall. Thank you!

### Weekly Financial Report

Offertory	\$	
Expenses		
Donations		
Catholic Services Appeal Assessment		
CSA Collected to Date		





**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**

Saint Leo Pre-School.....	Lynne Kucenski
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
R.C.I.A.....	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*