ST. LEO THE GREAT CHURCH, Cincinnati, Ohio

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 25 – 6:00pm Mass; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Acts 16:1-10; John 15:18-21

Sunday, May 26 – 10:30am Mass; Sixth Sunday of Easter

Mass Intention for Lucina Kane;

Readings: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Revelations 21:10-14;

John 14:23-29

Monday, May 27 – No Service.

Readings: Acts 16:11-15; John 15:26-16:4

Tuesday, May 28 - No Service

Readings: Acts 16:22-34; John 16:5-11

Wednesday, May 29 - No Service

Readings: Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; John 16:12-15

Thursday, May 30 - 7:00pm Mass;

Mass Intention for Rev. Francis Massarella Readings: Acts 18:1-8; John 16:16-20

Friday, May 31 - No Service

Readings: Zephaniah 3:14-18; Luke 1:39-56

Saturday, June 1 – 6:00pm Mass; Mass Intention for the People of

the Parish; Readings: Acts 18:23-28; John 16:23-28

Sunday, June 2 - 10:30am Mass; Ascension of our Lord

Mass Intention in honor of all graduates;

Readings: Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23; Luke 24:46-53

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR MAY 26

Lectors – Jon T., Albert

Distributors – Laura, Simeon, Pedro B., Elsa M., Becky

Servers - Mawo, Pedro, Angela

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JUNE 2

Lectors – Jon H., Marceline

Distributors – Myles, Pierre, Edgar V., Marisabel P., Jon T.

Servers - Elias, Aimable, Estrella

ST. LEO FOOD PANTRY

Serving Hours: Mon., Wed. and Fri. 1:00-3:30pm

Pantry Requirements: Serving North Fairmount, English Woods, Roll Hill Apts., and Millvale once every 30 days. See website: www.saint-leo.org or call (513-921-1044) to see if your street is covered. To meet St. Leo's Acts of Mercy pantry donor guidelines, current proof of residence (Duke or telephone bill), photo ID & Social Security Cards for all members of household must be presented at each visit. Plan ahead: Children must be supervised while at our Food Pantry.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES FREE!

Saturdays, 10:00 - Noon

COMMUNITY PHONE NUMBERS

North Fairmount Community Center/Referral Services: Linda Klems: 513-921-5842, Housing: 513-921-5889

Hopple Street Neighborhood Clinic: 513-541-4500

GED Referral: Roll Hill: 513-542-8333x5 Literary Network: 513-621-7323

ANGELS' ARMS STORE, 1882 Baltimore Ave. Accepting donations of clothing, kitchen, bath and bedding. Open Mon-Wed-Fri 9-3:00 and Tues-Thurs. 10-3:00. All Items Free! Call Linda Klems at 623-9897.

VISIT US! St. Leo's website: www.Saint-Leo.org Facebook: St. Leo the Great Catholic Church St. Leo's YouTube Channel: StLeotheGreatParish







YOUR GIFT TO ST. LEO **IS MOST APPRECIATED!**

Collection for May 19: \$1,098.11 Thank you for generously supporting your parish!

EASY ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE:

Go to http://saint-leo.org/DonateNow.aspx and click on the Donate Now Button.

SHOP AT AMAZON SMILE AND SUPPORT ST. LEO:

http://smile.amazon.com/ch/31-0538556

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https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards Enter St. Leo's

#KC265 or search for St. Leo the Great Church.

Make a long lasting difference! Leave a Legacy by remembering St. Leo the Great Church in your Will. For more information contact Casey Betz at 513-921-1044 ext. 30.

PRAY FOR OUR PARISH PARTNERS

In deepest gratitude for their most generous contributions of time, talent and treasure to St. Leo's, this week please keep in prayer Price Hill Will.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

Please keep in your prayers all those listed in our Parish Petition/Special Prayer Books. Please call the Parish Office if you are hospitalized and wish to be visited. Hospitals no longer share that information.

VOCATION VIEW

"Those who love me will be true to my word. My Father will love them and we will come to them." How will I respond to that love? Am I being called to priesthood or religious life?

LET US PRAY

Grant, almighty God, that we may celebrate with heartfelt devotion these days of joy, which we keep in honor of the risen Lord, and that what we relieve in remembrance we may always hold to in what we do. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Important Dates to Remember

May 27 Hunger Walk/Office Closed/Food Pantry Closed June 8 Eve of Pentecost, Guatemalan community invites the entire parish to attend a prayer

meeting. Translation devices will be provided Pentecost/Blessing of Stained Glass Windows

Reception to follow.

June 9

Cincinnati Film Society present a Guatemalan June 14/15

Film Festival

Fr. Jim's 40th Anniversary Celebration June 16

Bulletin information is always welcome! Articles must be in the office by 10am the Monday prior to publication, provided there is still Room. Please call Casey at 921-1044X30 or email to cbetzstleo@aol.com

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Sixth Sunday of Easter - May 26, 2019

From Fr. Jim . . .



Next Sunday is the Feast of the Ascension: Some of you may remember that we used to celebrate this Feast on the Thursday before the Seventh Sunday of Easter as a Holy Day of Obligation. A number of years ago, the Bishops decided that this Feast could be moved to the Seventh Sunday of Easter. This allows more of the faithful to celebrate this feast as part of one's Sunday obligation and it

also keeps the Feast connected to the one event of Jesus' dying, rising, the descent of the Spirit upon the Apostles at Pentecost and his Ascension into heaven. It reinforces our belief that if we die with the Lord, we too will rise with him and our bodies eventually will, too. We are truly an Easter people and Alleluia is our song. What signs of this promise from God to us are we able to see now as we journey through this world to the next one? How is God lifting us up, raising us up over sin and death now? From what are we able to ascend now? Does keeping our minds and hearts focused on the "higher things" help us realize this promise now?



Another Advocate, the Holy Spirit is coming who will teach us everything and remind us of everything that Jesus has taught us. Traditionally from the Thursday before The Seventh Sunday of Easter (The Feast of the Ascension) until Pentecost Sunday, Christians prayed a novena to the Holy Spirit in preparation for the Feast of Pentecost, inviting the Spirit to enter our hearts and create us anew. Can we pray for our parish and the church throughout the world asking for

understanding, right counsel, and peace and to be set on fire with all the Spirit's virtues to live and proclaim God's merciful love? "Come Holy Spirit, come. Fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in us the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit so that we may be created and you may renew the face of the earth!" Amen. Alleluia!

A Gentile Reminder for parents to not leave their children unattended especially when using the bathrooms and the rooms in the back of the church. This is for safety reasons and to teach the children how to play respectfully in church. Even with the doors closed loud noise can be disruptive in church. Also, church property and sacred objects should be respected and not used as toys. Jumping off pews can be dangerous, and they are expensive to fix. The big window in each room consists of thick glass but if children bang on it with their hands, the window could break, and someone could get hurt badly. Also, the two rooms in the back of church are equipped with speakers so that parents can still hear the prayers and pray while the children are playing quietly and respectfully. Thanks everyone for your understanding and cooperation in these matters.

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DEAR GOD, PLEASE GIVE ME PATIENCE ... AND I NEED IT RIGHT NOW!!! Many thanks to our St. Leo Food Pantry Monthly Overhead Sponsor for May Good Shepherd Catholic Church

Join us on Memorial Day, Monday, May 27, 2019 for the 16th Annual Hunger Walk and 5K Run!

JOIN OUR TEAM:

http://fsfb.convio.net/site/TR?pg=team&fr_id=1410&team_id=11281 DONATE TO OUR TEAM:

http://fsfb.convio.net/site/TR?pg=team&fr id=1410&team id=11281 SPONSOR A STUDENT: St. Leo's Youth Group would like to join the Hunger Walk, but some of our students can't afford the registration fee. Please consider a \$20 sponsorship to allow one of our Youth to participate. If you are willing, please send a \$20 check made out to: St. Leo the Great Church with the note: Youth Group Hunger Walk Sponsorship. Mail to: St. Leo the Great Church, 2573 St. Leo Place, Cincinnati, OH 45225

Saturday, June 8, Eve of Pentecost, our Guatemalan community invites the entire parish to attend a prayer meeting. Translation devices will be provided.

Guatemalan Film Festival hosted at St. Leo's,

Friday, June 14: 1-4:00 pm, Workshops; 6-7:00 pm, Reception, Food by the bites; 7:00 pm, <u>Voice of A Mountain</u>, by Erik Nj Allen, film screening and special artist talk

Saturday, June 15: 12:00 pm, Cafe opens; 1-4:00 pm Workshops; 6:00 pm, <u>500 Years</u>, film screening and discussion worksheet Register at CincinnatiFilm.org, On sale date April 22nd. Exact time of workshops tba. For questions go to info@cincinnatifilmsociety.org പ്രചാരം പുരുപുരുക്കുന്നു. President of Priesthood Celebration Mass and reception.

Looking for something worthy to do? Need a little excitement in your life? Looking for a new challenge? Do you have a spouse/partner/friend that you would like to share the job with? That's fine too! **St. Leo Food Pantry is seeking a VOLUNTEER assistant administrator,** 9-12 hours/week, Mon. Wed. and Fri. afternoons, to manage inventory control and onsite volunteer communications. Now that our procedures are well established and skillfully run, we need someone to help oversee and maintain operations. If you (and a teammate) are interested, please contact Stephanie Sepate, Pantry Administrator, at 513-921-1044 ext. 20

McCauley Convent is currently looking for Nurse Aides to care for our retired Sisters. We have a part-time 10PM-6:30AM every other weekend position, as well as "as needed" positions to fill in for all shifts. Previous experience preferred but no required. If interested, please call Sister Judy Gradel at (513) 681-2100.

33rd Annual Bible Institute, Friday July 26 – Friday, August 2 at Xavier University Campus. It is a one of a kind conference that offers to make you a powerful disciple of Christ. Web registration is available at www.presentationministries.com and click on the tab 'Bible Institute' or call at 513-922-0923. Deadline for meals and lodging is July 3, 2018.