ST. LEO THE GREAT CHURCH, Cincinnati, Ohio

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

<u>Saturday, June 29</u> – 6:00pm Mass; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8. 17-18; Matthew 16:13-19

Sunday, June 30 - 10:30am Mass; 13th Sunday

Mass Intention for Marie Antionette & Frederick Macke; Readings: 1 Kings 19:16, 19-21; Galations 5:1, 13-18; Luke 9:51-62

Monday, July 1 – No Service.

Readings: Genesis 18:16-23; Matthew 8:18-22

Tuesday, July 2 - No Service

Readings: Genesis 19:15-29; Matthew 8:23-27

Wednesday, July 3 – No Service

Readings: Ephesians 2:19-22; John 20:24-29

<u>Thursday, July 4</u> – 7:00pm Mass; Mass Intention for Rev. Francis Massarella; Readings: Genesis 22:1-19; Matthew 9:1-8

Friday, July 5 - No Service.

Readings: Genesis 23:1-4, 19, 24:1-8, 62-67; Matthew 9:9-13

Saturday, July 6 – 6:00pm Mass; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Genesis 27:1-5, 15-29; Matthew 9:14-17

Sunday, July 7 – 10:30am Mass; 14th Sunday

Mass Intention for Marguerite & Bernard Schutte;

Readings: Isaiah 66:10-14; Galations 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JUNE 30

Lectors - Larry, Marceline

Distributors – Myles, Simeon, Rolando B., Anastacio V., Shirley

Servers - Henry, Aimable, Pedro

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 7

Lectors - Diane, Spes

Distributors – Kate, Pierre, Edilma M., Romelia D., Becky

Servers – Angelica, Estrella, Moises

Communion Distributors please place a hand on the shoulder or on the head of those who approach at communion who cross their arms across their chest and say, "God bless you and God be with you."

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.

Pantry CLOSED Wed., July 3 and Fri. July 5

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

<u>ANGELS' ARMS STORE</u>, 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.

<u>VISIT US!</u> St. Leo's website: www.Saint-Leo.org

<u>Facebook:</u> St. Leo the Great Catholic Church St. Leo's YouTube Channel: StLeotheGreatParish



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YOUR GIFT TO ST. LEO IS MOST APPRECIATED!

Collection for June 23: \$1,767.99

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

SHOP AT KROGER'S AND SUPPORT ST. LEO:

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 Bridgetown Church of Christ.

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

Do you have the courage to say "I will follow wherever you go? Don't look back, fix your eyes on Jesus. He is the way.

LET US PRAY

O God, who through the grace of adoption chose us to be children of light, grant, we pray, that we may not be wrapped in the darkness of error but always be seen to stand in the bright light of truth. 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

June 30 Peter's Pence Collection July 3 Food Pantry Closed

July 4 Independence Day, No Mass,
Office and Food Pantry Closed

July 5 Food Pantry Closed

July 6 Culture Fest

July 11 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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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13th Sunday in Ordinary Time - June 30, 2019

From Fr. Jim . . .

The following is a letter from Archbishop Schnurr, the Archbishop of Cincinnati. The mentioned press release is not included here.

Dear Friends in Christ.

Over the last several months, many of us have been outraged and horrified by revelations of sexual abuse and cover-ups of such abuse perpetrated by some bishops in our country. This past week, I, along with the other bishops of our nation, gathered in Baltimore for the spring general assembly of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). The very important work of debating and voting on measures to eradicate the grave evil of sexual abuse from our Church, which we had planned to accomplish last fall at the plenary assembly, was finally able to be addressed. With the release of Pope Francis' apostolic letter Vos estis lux mundi in May, we were ready at this assembly to take concrete steps forward and implement important procedures for accountability throughout the hierarchy of the Church in the United States.

At this most recent meeting, the bishops of our country approved three documents related to reporting and investigating claims of abuse or the intentional mishandling of such cases by bishops. These newly approved directives establish the following:

- Protocols to deal with bishops who were removed from office or resigned their office for reasons of sexual abuse or intentional mishandling of cases.
- Reaffirmation of the commitment bishops make to live according to the Gospel and to place themselves under the same high standards applied to their priests, deacons and lay personnel.
- Direction for dealing specifically with reporting investigating complaints against bishops.

The bishops also approved the creation of a third-party reporting system designed to receive confidentially reports of sexual abuse or the intentional mishandling of abuse cases committed by bishops. The independence of such a system is meant to help prevent any member of the hierarchy from interfering in the investigation of alleged misconduct. Please see the attached press release from the USCCB for more information regarding this third-party reporting system. Currently in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, we have a reporting system already in place to handle abuse and misconduct allegations of all types, EthicsPoint. To make a report call, 1-888-389-0381.

These steps implemented by the USCCB are important in our response to the sin and crime of sexual abuse, but they are not the end. Until the scourge of sexual abuse is completely eradicated from the life from the life of the Church, we will still have work to do. As members of the Church, we are all called to lives of holiness and meant to become saints in God's Kingdom. There is absolutely no place in the Church for toleration of any mind of sexual abuse, especially committed against people who are particularly vulnerable for reasons of age, ability, or status. As your bishop, I promise to continue to do everything in my power to ensure a safe environment for all people — children and adults involved with any of our various ministries.

I ask you to join me in praying for all the victims of sexual abuse and for a renewed commitment on the part of all of us to follow Christ more closely, so that the Church may once again shine out as a light to the nations by the witness of her holiness. ଌ୶ୡ୰୶ୡ୶ୡ୕ୣଌ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ

> Many thanks to our St. Leo Food Pantry **Monthly Overhead Sponsor for June Sunrise Treatment Center**



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, July 11: immediately following 7:00pm mass until 9:00pm.



Youth Program

Wednesday, July 3, Zoo Field Trip, \$5.00 per child Wednesday, July 10, 10:00am-2:00pm

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Friday, July 12, Winton Woods Kids Outdoor Expo 10:00-2:00pm Sunday, July 14, 1st Communion Meeting, after Mass Monday, July 15, Summer Day-pottery painting 10:00-2:00pm Friday, July 19, 1st Communion Class, 10:00-2:00pm

You Are Invited to Join Us for St. Leo's

Culture Fest

Saturday, July 6, 2019 1:00 - 9:30 pm 6:00 pm Mass

Featuring Music, Munchies, Merriment, and Much More!

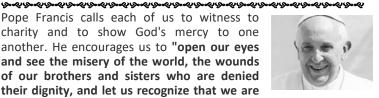
Music Provided By Musicians from St. Leo and others. Featuring a variety of Guatemalan, Mexican and Salvadorian cuisines.

Parking available at Leap Academy, 2001 Baltimore Avenue.

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.

Mass and Healing Service, Wednesday, July 3, 2019 at 7:00 pm, at St. Ignatius Church, 5222 North Bend Road, Cincinnati, Ohio 45247 Healing includes the physical, emotional, psychological and relational aspects of our lives; it is not limited to a physical cure. You can receive personal individual prayer ministry for yourself or any of your loved ones. Come and experience Jesus' healing power! Sponsored by Lighthouse Renewal Center at 513-471-5483. For more information visit our website at www.LRC1.org or on Facebook at www.facebook/Irc1.org.

Pope Francis calls each of us to witness to charity and to show God's mercy to one another. He encourages us to "open our eyes and see the misery of the world, the wounds of our brothers and sisters who are denied their dignity, and let us recognize that we are



compelled to heed their cry for help!" The Peter's Pence Collection unites us in solidarity to the Holy See and its works of charity to those in need. Your generosity allows the Pope to respond to our suffering brothers and sisters.

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