

#### ST. LEO THE GREAT CHURCH, Cincinnati, Ohio

#### THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 8 - 6:00pm Mass; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; John 21:20-25

Sunday, June 9 - 10:30am Mass; Pentecost Sunday

Mass Intention for Dolores Gerhardt;

Readings: Acts 2:1-11; 1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13;

John 20:19-13

Monday, June 10 – No Service.

Readings: Genesis 3:9-15, 20; John 19:25-34

Tuesday, June 11 - No Service

Readings: Acts 11:2-126, 12:1-3; Matthew 5:13-16

Wednesday, June 12 - No Service

Readings: 2 Corinthians 3:4-11; Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday, June 13 - 7:00pm Mass;

Mass Intention for Rev. Francis Massarella

Readings: 2 Corinthians 3:15-4:1, 3-6; Matthew 5:20-26

Friday, June 14 - No Service

Readings: 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 5:27-32

Saturday, June 15 - NO Mass;

Readings: 2 Corinthians 5:14-21; Matthew 5:33-37

**Sunday, June 16** – 10:30am Mass;

Mass Intention for Virginia & John Gahl;

Readings: Proverbs 8:22-31; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

#### MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JUNE 9

Lectors - Marianne, Spes

Distributors - Larry, Antonia, Carlos M., Eulalia N., Ivy

Servers – Brian, Christopher, Patience

#### **MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JUNE 16**

Lectors - Paul R., Theo

Distributors - Mark, Epiphanie, Rosa C., Berta M., Kate

Servers - Martin, Angelica, Mawo

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

**ESL** ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES FREE!

Saturdays, 10:00 – Noon

#### **COMMUNITY PHONE NUMBERS**

North Fairmount Community Center/Referral Services: D 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

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**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 26: \$1,978.15 Collection for June 2: \$1,614.55 Dayton Hurricane Relief: \$440.00

Thank you for generously supporting your parish!

#### **EASY ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE:**

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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 Heritage Community Church.

#### **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**

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love! May some of our parishioners choose to serve you by becoming priests, brothers, and sisters.

#### **LET US PRAY**

Almighty God, who willed the Paschal Mystery to be encompassed as a sign in fifty days, grant that from out of the scattered nations the confusion of many tongues may be gathered by heavenly grace into one great confession of your name. Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit.

#### **Important Dates to Remember**

June 9 Pentecost/Blessing of Stained Glass Windows

Reception to follow.

June 14/15 Cincinnati Film Society present a Guatemalan

Film Festival

June 15 No Mass

Fr. Jim's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration June 16

July 4 Independence Day, Office/Food Pantry Closed

July 5 Office Closed July 6 Culture Fest

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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### The Feast of Pentecost - June 9, 2019

### From Fr. Jim . . .



Welcome everyone! to Welcome on this Great Feast of Pentecost! It is truly right and just that we gather to celebrate the Eucharist, the Lord's Paschal mystery on this, the last day of the Easter Season and the birthday of the Church of God. ach time we gather in prayer, at St. Leo's. we resemble the first Pentecost. I feel about this Feast like I do the Feast of the Epiphany. If we didn't bear the name St. Leo the Great, these two Feasts are so appropriate for being our parish feast days.

Look around. How evident are we of belonging to the Lord, of being filled with the Holy Spirit, of being sent to proclaim the Good news to all the nations, and of having different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit? Are there different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone? Are there different forms of service but the same Lord? Are we not the one body of Christ and doesn't this one body have many beautiful parts? Do we not speak in our own tongues of the mighty acts of God? Whether African, African – American, Guatemalan, Hispanic, Latino, European, European-American or American, in one Spirit, we were all baptized into one body. Whether black, white or brown, male or female, we were all given to drink of the one Spirit. Praise be to God and thanks be to God now and always!

It is incredible that I can write to you, today, just like St. Paul wrote to the Corinthian community and use his very words. How close is our celebration to the first celebration of Pentecost? But no matter how we celebrate, the message remains the same for all of us and for the entire universal church. We are blessed to be a microcosm of the universal church whenever we gather. May we discover this blessing and appreciate it more and more each time we come together in prayer and in service especially as our mission statement directs us with the spiritual and corporal works of mercy. Thanks for being and living as the church of God and professing your faith so well and so generously. Let the church all say: "Amen!"

# Happy Pentecost, everyone and may you be on fire with the love of God for all of God's people and God's church!



Today we bless the Church windows and we give God thanks for the generosity and kindness of those who donated to have them repaired. We also pray for those in whose memory the repair of the windows may have been donated. A plaque with the names of the donors now hangs in the

church vestibule. Your kindness and thoughtfulness have helped to save and repair our beautiful, unique windows. We welcome you to our liturgy and promise to keep you and your family in our prayers always. If you are not from our parish, please know that you are always welcome to join us for prayer anytime and stop in and say, "hello" or pay a visit to the church. You are always welcome here. Thank you all for your goodness and may God keep you in his care and bless you always.

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

#### Blessing of St. Leo's Stained Glass Windows

**Sunday, June 9.** A reception and light refreshments will follow in Centennial Hall after 10:30 am Mass .

#### **Youth Program**

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Wednesday, June 12, 10:00 – 2:00pm Monday, June 17, 10:00 – 2:00pm Wed. June 19, 10:00 – 2:00p

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Tuesday, June 25, Kings Island, children ages 5-10 years old Wednesday through Sunday, June 26-30, ABIDE - High School

#### 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, 500 Years, film screening and discussion worksheet **Register at CincinnatiFilm.org,** On sale date April 22nd. Exact time o Parking available

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June 16<sup>th</sup>: Fr. Jim's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Priesthood Celebration Mass and reception. The parish will provide lunch. No need for anyone to bring food.

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

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.

33<sup>rd</sup> 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.

"The Spirit transforms the hearts of the timid disciples from fearful, to bold men who bear witness to Jesus. His action frees hearts, impels service, guides people in new directions, and makes "the lukewarm thrill to new dreams. That is what it means to change hearts."

--Pope Francis



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