

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

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; Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

Monday, July 8 – No Service.
Readings: Genesis 28:10-22; Matthew 9:18-26

Tuesday, July 9 – No Service
Readings: Genesis 32:23-33; Matthew 9:32-38

Wednesday, July 10 – No Service
Readings: Genesis 41:55-57, 42:5-7, 17-24; Matthew 10:1-7

Thursday, July 11 – 7:00pm Mass; Mass Intention for Rev. Francis Massarella; Readings: Genesis 44:18-21, 23-29, 45:1-5; Matthew 10:7-15

Friday, July 12 – No Service.
Readings: Genesis 46:1-7, 27-30; Matthew 10:16-23

Saturday, July 13 – 6:00pm Mass; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Genesis 49:29-32, 50:15-26; Matthew 10:24-33

Sunday, July 14 – 10:30am Mass; 15th Sunday; Mass Intention for All Benefactors and Volunteers; Readings: Deuteronomy 30:10-14; Colossians 1:15-20; Luke 10:25-37

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 7

Lectors – Diane, Spes
Distributors – Kate, Pierre, Edilma M., Romelia D., Becky
Servers – Angelica, Estrella, Moises

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JUNE 14

Lectors – Mawo, Theo
Distributors – Ivy, Antonia, James M., Edilma P., Jon T.
Servers – Martin, Angela, Patience
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

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 June 30: \$

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 St. Peter & St. Paul UCC.

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

The harvest is rich, but the workers are few. Ask the harvest master to send workers into the harvest. Pray for vocations!

LET US PRAY

O God, who in the abasement of your Son have raised up a fallen world, fill your faithful with holy joy, for on those you have rescued from slavery to sin you bestow eternal gladness. 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

- July 10** Summer Youth Program 10:00am-2:00pm
- July 11** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- July 12** Summer Youth Program Field Trip
- July 14** Parish Council
- July 14** First Communion Meeting
- July 15** Summer Youth Program 10:00-2:00pm
- July 19** First Communion Class 10:00am-Noon

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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From Fr. Jim . . .



Latino Fest: Saturday, July 6 is our Latino Fest or Culture Fest. Our Latino parishioners organize it and their intention is to celebrate all the cultures that comprise the wonderful diversity that we experience here at St. Leo the Great. The Culture Fest starts at 1pm and will end at 9:30pm. We will stop at 6pm for Mass and the Culture Fest will continue again, after Mass, in the parking lot.

We welcome all our parishioners, guests and visitors to celebrate Mass with us as well as enjoy the great food, fun and prayer of the Culture Fest. We are delighted that you would take time to pray with us and to celebrate our diversity. All of us at St. Leo are very grateful that God has brought us together and is teaching us how to be Church. We consider our diversity to be a tremendous blessing and we are so grateful for your interest in us, support and encouragement and for all the ways that you share the Lord's mission and ministry with us. The Latino Fest is another way to bring us all together to praise God for the great work that God is doing with all of us and to do it through prayer, praise, song, fun and food – lots of great food.

Our Guatemalan parishioners who sponsor this Latino Fest each year really want to show their appreciation to St. Leo's for the opportunity that they have been given to be members of St. Leo Parish. They do not want to be their own parish within our parish, but we want to be one parish together. You will see signs of this in our prayer and worship and in the varieties of food at the Festival that represents the different nationalities that comprise the parish community. Like in years past, musical groups from St. Leo and other faith-based communities in the area will provide praise and worship music throughout the day. Please come and join us and bring everyone with you! May all that we do be for the praise and glory of God!



Happy 4th of July!

Fourth of July: This is the Fourth of July weekend. As we celebrate our country's independence, let us be mindful of all those who have fought for our rights and given their lives in service to their country and who are still fighting and sacrificing their own lives for our independence and freedom. Let us pray for peace in our hearts, homes and throughout the world. Isn't peace one of the greatest freedoms for the body, mind and spirit?

TOGETHER - LET US PRAY ...



Let us pray for nations, lands and peoples who are not as free as we are free, especially places where governments are corrupt, oppressive, immoral and unjust. Let us pray for refugees and immigrants that they can celebrate with us the freedoms that brought them to our country. Let us pray that we will be good stewards of our country's freedoms and never take them for granted. Let us pray for politicians and government leaders who are responsible for legislation that promotes equal rights for all people. We join with our Bishops and Catholics and Christians throughout our land in praying for continued religious freedom and for laws that would not punish or penalize anyone from following religious beliefs.

Let us pray for a deeper trust in God, who is the author of all life and who has set us free from the bondage of sin and death. Let us pray that we can live truly in the freedom that all children of God have been given. Let us pray to always know the truth of God's love because this Truth will set us free now and forever.

Many thanks to our St. Leo Food Pantry Monthly Overhead Sponsor for July In Loving Memory of Joan Belak

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

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

Youth Program



- Wednesday, **July 10**, 10:00am-2:00pm
- Friday, **July 12**, Winton Woods Kids Outdoor Expo 10:00am-2:00pm
- Sunday, **July 14**, 1st Communion Meeting after Mass
- Monday, **July 15**, Summer Day-pottery painting 10:00am-2:00pm
- Friday, **July 19**, 1st Communion Class, 10:00am-Noon
- Sunday, **July 21**, 1st Communion Meeting after Mass
- Monday, **July 22**, Vacation Bible School planning and set-up
- Wednesday, **July 24**, Vacation Bible School, 10-1:30pm
- Thursday, **July 25**, Vacation Bible School, 10-1:30pm
- Friday, **July 26**, Vacation Bible School, 10-1:30pm

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. There are daytime seminars, daily mass, plus evening healing services and weekend general sessions. Our very popular Youth Program will be held on Friday, August 2. Cost is a free will donation. 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.

Day of Hope, Saturday August 17th Noon – 4:00pm at Wayne Playfield on Beekman. **FREE** food, clothing and hygiene kits. 20+ social service agencies will be on hand to provide information.

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"How many times, in prayer, do we limit ourselves to asking for gifts and listing requests, forgetting that the first thing we should do is praise God's name, adore Him, and then go on to acknowledge His living image in our brothers and sisters."



-Pope Francis