

St. Leo The Great Parish

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Welcome to everyone and everyone is welcome at St. Leo and especially to the Church that God is continuing to build. If you are visiting with us today, we want you to know how welcome you are. Thank you for praying with us and please feel free to join us as often as you are able.

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. James R. Schutte, Pastor

Stephanie Sepate, Business Manager, Food Pantry Administrator

Angela Anno, Pastoral Associate

Casey Betz, Development Director

Judie Kuhlman, Youth Minister

Burundi Ministry: contact Parish Office ~ Hispanic Ministry: contact Parish Office

MISSION STATEMENT PRAYER

Lord, God, in your infinite wisdom and love, you are inviting us to be a welcoming Catholic community, grounded in Eucharistic prayer, celebrating our diversity, and sharing your love through ministries of serving and being present, in our urban neighborhoods, while focusing on the spiritual and corporal works of mercy.

Help us to accept your invitation to be church, and to generously live together this mission statement. Teach us your works of mercy and unite us as your people, who serve our urban neighborhoods with your presence and grace. Let your works of mercy be common, holy ways for celebrating our diversity, and for leaving the Eucharistic table, heeding your command to "Go in peace to love and serve the Lord." With those whom you entrust to our care and among ourselves, may we see you when you are hungry and thirsty, and recognize you when you are naked or a stranger, or sick or in prison, and then welcome you, feed you, clothe you and visit you. With those whom you entrust to our care and among ourselves, bless us with your works of comforting, consoling, forgiving and patiently forbearing. We ask this always through Christ our Lord. Amen.

EUCCHARIST

Saturday Vigil Mass in Spanish: 6:00 PM

Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM

Thursday Mass: 7:00 PM

EXPOSITION: First Thursday of the month

following 7:00 PM Mass until 9:00 PM

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD: ages 4 to completion of 2nd grade/First Communion, year-round, during Liturgy of the Word at Sunday Mass.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 5:00-5:30 PM,

or by appointment

BAPTISMS: Call three weeks in advance

WEDDINGS: Call six months in advance

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses will be Lived Streamed at Facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati

Saturday, June 27 - 6:00 pm; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Lamentations 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Matthew 8:5-17

Sunday, June 28 - 10:30am; **13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Mass Intention Lynn Gerth; Readings: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16, Romans 6:3-4, 8-11; Matthew 10:37-42

Monday, June 29 - No Service; **Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul;**
Readings: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18; Matthew 16:13-19

Tuesday, June 30 - No Service;
Readings: Amos 3:1-8, 4:11-12

Wednesday, July 1 - 11:30am; Mass Intention for Marianne Losekamp; Readings: Amos 5:14-15, 21-24; Matthew 8:28-34

Thursday, July 2 - 7:00pm; Mass Intention for Leonard Minges;
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following Mass;
Readings: Amos 7:10-17; Matthew 9:1-8

Friday, July 3 - No Service;
Readings: Ephesians 2:19-22; John 20:24-29

Saturday, July 4 - 6:00 pm; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Amos 9:11-15; Matthew 14-17

Sunday, July 5 - 10:30am; **14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Mass Intention for all receiving Sacraments; Readings: Zechariah 9:9-10; Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30



YOUR GIFT TO ST. LEO IS MOST APPRECIATED!

Sunday Offerings for June 13 & 14: \$1,013.52
Thank you for generously supporting your parish!

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<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.

Do you need to take a Minimum Required Distribution from your IRA? Please consider a tax-deductible gift to St. Leo's.

YOU CAN MAKE YOUR SUNDAY OFFERING AT:

www.saint-leo.org/DonateNow
or, you can drop off your Sunday Offering in the slot in the back door of the rectory, or you can mail your Sunday offering to: St. Leo the Great Church 2573 St. Leo Place, Cincinnati, OH 45225

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 world needs the healing touch of Jesus. Who will reach out in Jesus' name? Consider becoming a priest, deacon, brother, or sister.

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.

ST. LEO FOOD PANTRY

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

Parish 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. New rules for the protection and safety of the guests and workers will be enforced until further notice.

- You will be expected to wait outside.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES FREE!

Canceled until further notice.

COMMUNITY PHONE NUMBERS North Fairmount Community

Center/Referral Services: Linda Klems: 513-921-5842

Housing: 513-921-5889; Literary Network: 513-621-7323

Hopple Street Neighborhood Clinic: 513-541-4500

GED Referral: Roll Hill: 513-542-8333x5

ANGELS' ARMS STORE, 1882 Baltimore Ave. Accepting donations of clothing, kitchen, bath and bedding. Open Mon-Wed-Thurs-Fri 8-3:30 and Tues 10-4:00. 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

CDC's Official Website for COVID-19 Updates:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

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.

You are invited to join our entire parish community to pray together virtually every day at Noon and 6:00pm.

Important Dates to Remember

Join Fr. Jim as he livestreams Sunday Mass at 10:30am at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ON7eJ2CwNmS&feature=youtu.be>

or, <https://www.facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati-103955481239196/>

June 27&28 Peter's Pence Collection

July 2 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, following Thursday evening Mass.

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

Sign up to receive St. Leo's Monthly Newsletter: call the office at 513-921-1044, email your name and address to: cbetzstleo@aol.com or sign up online at: <http://saint-leo.org/Publications/StLeoMonthlyNewsletter.aspx>

To receive the parish weekly bulletin by e-mail, go to www.DiscoverMass.com and search St. Leo in Cincinnati, OH. Under bulletin, click on sign-up for e-mail notification. Enter your user name and e-mail address.

From Fr. Jim . . .



Ordinary Time: Today is the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. The Liturgical season of Ordinary time is any time that is not Advent/Christmas or Lent/Easter, holy day of obligation or a major feast. It has been said already, in this column, that Ordinary Time is anything but ordinary. The gospels continue to proclaim the saving ministry of Jesus Christ, focusing on his miracles and healings and building the kingdom of God. Each Sunday is a “little Easter” as we give thanks for Christ’s victory over sin and death and as we rejoice in his resurrection.

If we use the word “ordinary” in an ordinary way at all during this liturgical season, it refers to ordinary human existence that meets up with and is converted by the extraordinary life of the Divine. The bottom line is always the same: there is nothing really that ordinary about this time of the liturgical year and nothing really that ordinary about us either. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia!



Welcome! Welcome!

After a long delay because of the cancellation of the Easter Vigil because of the pandemic, our 14 catechumens, the Elect, were initiated last week in a

series of special Masses just for them and their families. Because of the need for social distancing, we could not initiate them all at one Mass and especially at a Mass where the community could have attended also. We regretted doing this, but we had no choice but to spread the initiations over three days last week so, at least, there would be room for some of the family members to attend. Initiation is always a parish/communal event. It is a joint effort by the parish to welcome new members. Thanks to all our catechists and Rite of Initiation Team and to all of you for living your faith and being examples of God’s love and hospitality that invites others to come to the Faith. Welcome to all new members. It is a privilege and honor to share faith, be the Body of Christ together and give God Glory and Praise.

“Do not mistreat or oppress a foreigner, for you were foreigners in Egypt.” Exodus 22:21

Prayer to Overcome Racism

Mary, friend and mother to all, through your Son, God has found a way to unite himself to every human being, called to be one people, sisters and brothers to each other.

We ask for your help in calling on your Son, seeking forgiveness for the times when we have failed to love and respect one another.

We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism and to build a just society.

We ask for your help in following your Son, so that prejudice and animosity will no longer infect our minds or hearts but will be replaced with a love that respects the dignity of each person.

Mother of the Church, the Spirit of your Son Jesus warms our hearts: pray for us. Amen.

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

St. Leo Church, a multi-cultural urban parish in North Fairmount, is hiring a part-time, 3-day a week, 9am-3pm, Receptionist/Office Worker. Telephone communication skills required. Knowledge of computer & light bookkeeping, accuracy, and good organization necessary. Interviews will be conducted virtually. Email resume to: stleocinti@aol.com.

The Catholic faithful who reside in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati and all other Catholics in the archdiocese continue to be dispensed from the obligation of attending Sunday Mass. Those who are at risk or fearful that they or their family might become sick are encouraged to stay home and join the Church by viewing live-streamed Masses.

All events, classes, and meetings at St. Leo’s are canceled until further notice.

Join Fr. Jim as he livestreams Sunday Mass at 10:30am at:

RCC St. Leo Church Cincinnati:
https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=rcc%20st%20leo%20church%20cincinnati&epa=SEARCH_BOX

You are invited to visit St. Leo Church to pray in the sanctuary, or to use the computers in Centennial Hall by appointment only. Fr. Jim is happy to administer the Sacrament of Reconciliation by appointment only. Please call the office, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 10:00am and 1:30pm to make your appointment.

You can read the Sunday bulletin at:
www.saint-leo.org/Publications/StLeoSundayBulletin
You can read Fr. Jim’s letter at:
www.saint-leo.org/Publications/FromtheDeskofFrJim

You can make your Sunday Offering at:
www.saint-leo.org/DonateNow
or, you can drop off your Sunday Offering in the slot in the back door of the rectory, or you can mail your Sunday offering to: St. Leo the Great Church 2573 St. Leo Place, Cincinnati, OH 45225.

For more information: visit our website at: www.saint-leo.org Or visit our Facebook page at: St. Leo the Great Catholic Church.

It is NOT too late to support the 2020 Hunger Walk
DONATE TO OUR TEAM at: cincinnati.hungerwalk.org. Be sure to look for St. Leo Church Pantry or, make your check payable to: Freestore Foodbank Hunger Walk. Be sure to designate St. Leo Church Pantry as your recipient. Mail to: Freestore Foodbank Hunger Walk, 1141 Central Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45202
Your support is VERY important! ALL money designated for St. Leo Food Pantry goes to our account. Our goal this year is to have enough money at the FreeStore FoodBank to last us until the 2021 Hunger Walk! With your help we can do it!

Peter’s Pence Collection, June 27-28 allows the Holy Father to support victims of war and natural disasters and others most in need of assistance.

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