# 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

Sr. Tracy Kemme, Pastoral Associate for Adult Formation
Casey Betz, Development Director
Judie Kuhlman, Youth Minister

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

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

St. Leo the Great Catholic Church is a diverse and welcoming Eucharistic Community living out our mission through liturgy, prayer, and outreach via the spiritual and corporal works of mercy.

We exist because the Lord has called us to receive and share the good news with all of God's people.

We behave as brothers and sisters in the Lord, as God's family. It is a privilege to serve God's kingdom.

We embrace the cross in joy.

We will succeed when we follow these strategic anchors: grow a welcoming and diverse environment.

become pioneers of leadership for running a diverse parish. invest and value collaborating partners.

#### **EUCHARIST**

Saturday Vigil Mass in Spanish: 6:00 PM

Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM Wednesday Mass: 11:30 AM Thursday Mass: 7:00 PM

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 5:00-5:30 PM,
or by appointment
BAPTISMS: Call three weeks in advance
WEDDINGS: Call six months in advance

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 2<sup>nd</sup> grade/First Communion, year-round, during Liturgy of the Word at Sunday Mass.

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

#### THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

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

Saturday, October 3 - 6:00 pm Mass; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Luke 10:17-24

Sunday, October 4 – 10:30am Mass; 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time;

Mass Intention for Guy Langenbrunner;

Readings: Isaiah 5:1-7; Philippians 4:6-9; Matthew 21:33-43

Monday, October 5 - No Service;

Readings: Galatians 1:6-12; Luke 10:25-37

Tuesday, October 6 - No Service;

Readings: Galatians 1:13-24; Luke 10:38-42

#### Wednesday, October 7 – 11:30am Mass;

Mass Intention for John DePaoli, Jr.;

Readings: Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14; Luke 11:1-4

#### Thursday, October 8 - 7:00pm Mass; Adoration of the Blessed

Sacrament; Mass Intention for Mary Matthews;

Readings: Galatians 3:1-5; Luke 11:5-13

Friday, October 9 – No Service;

Readings: Galatians 3:7-14; Luke 11:15-26

Saturday, October 10 - 6:00 pm Mass; Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Galatians 3:22-29; Luke 11:27-28

#### Sunday, October 11 – 10:30am Mass; 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time;

Mass Intention for the Geers Family;

Readings: Isaiah 25:6-10; Philippians 4:12-14; 19-20;

Matthew 22:1-14

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

#### 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 Our Bridgetown Church of Christ.

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



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

Sunday Offerings for September 19 & 20: \$1,236.50 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.

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:

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#### 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**

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Dismiss all anxiety from your minds. Let us present our needs to God in the form of prayer and petitions full of gratitude. Let us pray for an increase in vocations to priesthood and religious life.

#### **LET US PRAY**

Almighty ever-living God, who in the abundance of your kindness surpass the merits and the desires of those who entreat you, pour out your mercy upon us to pardon what conscience dreads and to give what prayer does not dare to ask. 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**

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

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ON7eJ2CwNMs&feature=y outu.be OR, https://www.facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati-103955481239196/

October 4: **Respect Life Sunday Collection** October 18: World Mission Sunday Collection

October 25: Su Casa Baby Supplies Give Away/Flu Shots 1-4:00pm

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

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 or send your email address to cbetzstleo@aol.com

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#### 27th Sunday of Ordinary Time - October 4, 2020

### From Fr. Jim . . .

We are living in crazy and unprecedented times. Fear, sickness, depression, anxiety, worries, concerns are overwhelming for many of us. Violence and hatred are evident. Politically our country is really divided. When will it all end? Is the "new normal" here to stay? Will we ever see someone's entire face again without a mask? I find today's letter of St. Paul to the Philippians hopeful, encouraging, consoling, and comforting. Pray it every day this week for yourself and for those you care for and are most concerned about.

"Brothers and sisters: Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence, and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing what you have learned and received and heard and seen in me. Then the God of peace will be with you." (Philippians 4:6-9)

Keep on keeping on, everyone. Rest assured you remain in my prayers. Let's keep praying for each other. I am praying St. Paul's words for all of you. "May the peace of God always guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus now and always. Amen, Alleluia!!!

#### A PRAYER FOR PEACE, JUSTICE AND GOODWILL



#### Pray a Minute

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

Almighty God, you created us in your image and likeness, forming one human family.

In your enduring love, you have promised to never leave us.

In the midst of strife and turmoil in our land, we ask you for peace.

May victims of injustice be relieved of their suffering.

Help us, your children, to be people of goodwill, radiating the light of faith.

May the example of Mary, the Queen of Peace, move us to be more faithful disciples of your Son.

Send your Holy Spirit to inspire us in word and deed, as we strive to bring about your kingdom here on earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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Maintenance Technician Needed St. Leo the Great Church is seeking a full-time, self-motivated, maintenance technician for a one-person department to oversee and perform all aspects of maintenance for all parish properties in a safe and effective manner. 40 hour per week, Monday through Friday. Must be able to lift and move heavy objects, have a valid driver's license, possess necessary janitorial skills, and general knowledge of janitorial supplies and their applications. Must have some knowledge of: plastering, masonry, carpentry, electrical repair, plumbing repair, painting repair, etc. Must be able to respond to on-call or emergency situations within 45 minutes. Upholds the objectives of St. Leo the Great Parish as written in the parish mission statement. Healthcare and retirement benefits provided. Please email your resume to: stleocinti@aol.com.

Many thanks to our St. Leo Food Pantry Monthly Overhead Sponsor for October Generous Anonymous Donor

Respect Life Fund collection, October 3 & 4, providing needed support for many local agencies, all right here in this archdiocese.

Please call the office at 513-921-1044 if you would like a copy of St. Leo's 2019-2020 Fiscal Report.

St. Leo's is in need of a new computer with Office Suite (Word, Excel, Publisher) on it, and a printer such as an HP ColorLaserJetPro M542dn. Please call the office at 513-921-1044 if you have questions or would like to donate these items.

October 25<sup>th</sup>: Su Casa Baby Item Give-Away/Flu Shots, 1-4:00pm

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.

Sunday Mass: 10:30am, limited seating available, or 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

Mass Times: Wednesday-11:30am, Thursday-7:00pm, Saturday-6:00pm, Sunday-10:30 am

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 the 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/Pulications/StLeoSundayBulletin You can **read Fr. Jim's letter** at:

www.saint-leo.org/Publications/FromtheDeskofFrJim

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

Check out **ivotecatholic.org**, a 7 week program of education, prayer and resources beginning the week of September 13

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