

# 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, SC, Pastoral Associate for Adult Formation

Amy Kleeman, 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.*

## EUCCHARIST

Saturday Vigil Mass in Spanish: 6:00 PM

Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM

Wednesday Mass: 11:30 AM

Thursday Mass: 7:00 PM

EXPOSITION: Cancelled until further notice.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 5:00-5:30 PM,

or by appointment

BAPTISMS: Call three weeks in advance

WEDDINGS: Call six months in advance

# ST. LEO THE GREAT CHURCH, Cincinnati, Ohio

October 24, 2021

This Week's Schedule

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

**Saturday, October 23- 6:00 p.m. Mass;** Mass Intentions For the People of the Parish; Readings: Romans 8:1-11; Luke 13:1-9

**Sunday, October 24- 10:30 a.m. Mass; 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time;** Mass Intention For the Safety and Success of All Missionaries; Readings: Jeremiah 31:7-9; Hebrews 5:1-6; Mark 10:46-52

**Monday, October 25- No Service;** Readings: Romans 8:12-17; Luke 13:10-17

**Tuesday, October 26- No Service;** Readings: Romans 8:18-25; Luke 13:11-21

**Wednesday, October 27-11:30 a.m. Mass;** Mass Intention of the Donor; Readings: Romans 8:26-30; Luke 14:22-30

**Thursday, October 28-7:00 p.m. Mass;** Mass Intention of the Donor; Readings: Ephesians 2:19-22; Luke 6:12-16

**Friday, October 29- No Service;** Readings: Romans 9:1-5; Luke 14:1-6

**Saturday, October 30- 6:00 p.m. Mass;** Mass Intentions For the People of the Parish; Readings: Romans 11:1-2,11-12,25-29; Luke 14:1,7-11

**Sunday, October 31- 10:30 a.m. Mass; 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time;** Mass Intention For Joe Minges; Readings: Deuteronomy 6:2-6; Hebrews 7:23-28; Mark 12:28-34

## **MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR OCTOBER 24<sup>TH</sup>**

**Lectors** – Diane, Pierre **Distributors-** Claudette, marina S., Clemencia P. **Servers** – Jess, Caleb

## **MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup>**

**Lectors** – Jon T., Albert **Distributors-** Ivy, Hilda L., Rosa C. **Servers** – Ariff D., Jason B.

*Please find a substitute if you are unable to fulfill your scheduled ministry assignment.*

## **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](http://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: 513-921-5889*

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

*Hopple Street Neighborhood Health and Community Center: 513-517-2000*

*GED online class referral: CPS: 513-363-6100*

**ANGELS' ARMS STORE**, 1882 Baltimore Avenue *Accepting donations of clothing, kitchen, bath and bedding. All Items Free! Call for Hours: 513-407-7902.*

**VISIT US! St. Leo's website:** [www.saint-leo.org](http://www.saint-leo.org)

**Facebook:** St. Leo the Great Catholic Church

**St. Leo's YouTube Channel:** [StLeoTheGreatParish](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCStLeoTheGreatParish)

## **CDC's Official Website for COVID-19 Updates:**

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



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

Sunday Offerings for October 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> - \$2,310.50; 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>

### **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 Amy Kleeman at 513-921-1044 ext. 22.**

### **YOU CAN MAKE YOUR SUNDAY OFFERING AT:**

[www.saint-leo.org/DonateNow](http://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

### **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 Montana Church of the Nazarene.

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

### **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**

*You are a priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek.* Let us pray for an increase to the vocation of priesthood, pray for the priests who serve us.

### **LET US PRAY**

Almighty ever – living God, increase our faith, hope and charity, and make us love what you command, so that we may merit what you promise. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, 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=youtu.be> OR, <https://www.facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati-103955481239196/>

### **October 24<sup>th</sup> – World Mission Sunday Collection**

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 Amy at 921-1044X22 or email to [akleemanstleo@aol.com](mailto:akleemanstleo@aol.com).

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

## 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time – October 24, 2021

**From Fr. Jim . . .**

**Beacons of Light:** Thank you all so much for your participation, responses, comments, suggestions concerning the groupings of parishes of families in the Beacons of Light process. I assure you that this is a consultative process and this phase – hearing from the faithful, the voice of the people - is so important in determining the final and official groupings of families of parishes. The steering committee for Beacons of Light received thousands of responses from the faithful throughout the Archdiocese. Based on the comments received, changes will be made again to the groupings of the families and presented to Archbishop Schnurr for final approval. This part of the process should be complete by the end of November.

This expansive process of change requires continuous prayer. Prayer support is necessary to discern the Spirit's guidance and to allow the Spirit to be the guiding force that helps us to do God's will for the good of the entire Church of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati. You can find prayer suggestions on the Beacons of Light web page: [Beaconsaoc.org](http://Beaconsaoc.org).

Especially as we continue with the technicalities and details of the process and with every phase of the process of Beacons of Light it is important to keep our eyes on the finish line. We can't forget the desired outcomes of the plan such as we no longer want our parishes just to be maintained but fully alive with the mission of our Lord and Savior. We want our churches full again for worship and Sunday Eucharist with vibrant expressions of faith. We want people to seek the sacraments of the church and we want the church to be on fire with a new evangelization that takes the Gospel to the people with welcome, hospitality, challenge, conversion, and faith. We want to be the Body of Christ alive with the spiritual and corporal works of mercy and with passion to work for peace and justice.

It is important that our parishes go beyond the basics and the minimum of faith to develop deep relationships with the Lord. Last Sunday's Gospel asked us to become servants in imitation of the master who came to serve and not be served. As servants, we embrace human weakness and suffering together with solidarity, compassion, mercy, empathy, and grace. We put the needs of others before our own and we learn that those who hand over their lives so that others can live will receive "a hundred times more new life in this present age and eternal life to come." This, I believe, is the desire of Beacons of Light for the Church of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati.

**Let us pray:** Lord, take us beyond the basics into deeper relationship with you. Free your church and our parishes to be beacons of light that radiate the presence of Christ inclusively, generously, fully, abundantly, unconditionally, resourcefully, responsibly, and sacramentally. Bless us with new life and growth for the praise and glory of your name now and forever.

**Cincinnati State is offering FREE ESL classes and conversation groups until December 18, 2021!** Beginner and intermediate classes are Tuesday and Thursday 6:00 p.m. -7:30 p.m. in the main building. Contact Preston Frasch at [preston.frasch@cincinnatiastate.edu](mailto:preston.frasch@cincinnatiastate.edu). Conversation group will be Wednesdays from 2:00 p.m. -3:30 p.m. in the ATLC building contact Daniel Zimmer at [Daniel.zimmer@cincinnatiastate.edu](mailto:Daniel.zimmer@cincinnatiastate.edu) for details.

Many thanks to our St. Leo Food Pantry  
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Anonymous

**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](https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=rcc%20st%20leo%20church%20cincinnati&epa=SEARCH_BOX)

You can read the **Sunday bulletin** at: [www.saint-leo.org/Publications/StLeoSundayBulletin](http://www.saint-leo.org/Publications/StLeoSundayBulletin)

You can read **Fr. Jim's letter** at:  
[www.saint-leo.org/Publications/FromtheDeskofFrJim](http://www.saint-leo.org/Publications/FromtheDeskofFrJim)

We would love to receive gift cards to help with our everyday needs, please consider **Staples, Amazon, Kroger, or Home Depot** when donating. You can see our latest needs on our [Amazon](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/l/1Y6S276N39W08?ref_=wl_share) Wish List Link [https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/l/1Y6S276N39W08?ref\\_=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/l/1Y6S276N39W08?ref_=wl_share). **Please call the office at 513-921-1044 if you have questions or would like to donate these items.**

**THIS WEEKEND, October 24<sup>th</sup>** please support our fellow Catholics in 1,100 mission dioceses worldwide through the collection for the Holy Father's Pontifical Mission Societies. The needs this year are higher than ever due to the pandemic. Please use your parish envelope to make your donations. If you wish more information about supporting missionary work or about becoming a missionary yourself, please visit the website for Archdiocese of Cincinnati Mission Office at [www.catholicaoc.org](http://www.catholicaoc.org)

To receive the parish weekly bulletin by e-mail, go to [www.DiscoverMass.com](http://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 [akleemanstleo@aol.com](mailto:akleemanstleo@aol.com)

**SAVE THE DATE- March for Life 2022- January 19<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> in Washington D.C.** This trip gives you the full March for Life experience with the march itself, the opportunity to meet with Ohio representatives and opportunities for prayer, processing and learning. More information to come on trip details and sponsorship.

**HEALING SERVICE- Wednesday October 27<sup>th</sup>** there is a healing service after 7:15 p.m. mass at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center; located at 5440 Moeller Avenue Norwood, OH 45212. There is rosary at 6:45 p.m. followed by mass call 513.351.9800 with questions.

**October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month, pray at 3:00 p.m. each day for family peace.** Catholics believe that God loves and cares for everyone, and that God knows their pain and concerns. Catholics for Family Peace invite you to join them in prayer at 3:00 p.m., wherever you are, pray for those suffering from violence and abuse and those who use violence to control others. To learn more, please visit [www. Catholicsforfamilypeace.org](http://www.Catholicsforfamilypeace.org).



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