

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

Reverend Rodolfo Coaquira, MCCJ, Pastor
Jenni Lindgren, Business Manager, Food Pantry Administrator
Angela Anno, Pastoral Associate
Amy Kleeman, Development Director
Judie Kuhlman, Youth Minister
Gloria Sweet- Facilities Manager

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

July 24, 2022

This Week's Schedule

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

Saturday, July 23– 6:00 p.m. Mass; Mass Intentions For the People of the Parish; Readings: Jeremiah 7:1-11; Matthew 13:24-30

Sunday, July 24– 10:00 a.m. 17th Sunday of Ordinary Time Mass; Mass Intention for Dick Toerner; Readings: Genesis 18:20-32; Colossians 2:12-14; Luke 11:1-13

Monday, July 25–No Service; Readings: 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 20:20-28

Tuesday, July 26– No Service; Readings: Jeremiah 14:17-22; Matthew 13:36-43

Wednesday, July 27–11:30 a.m. Mass; Mass Intention of the Donor; Readings: Jeremiah 15:10,16-21; Matthew 13:44-46

Thursday, July 28– 7:00 p.m. Mass; Mass Intention of the Donor; Readings: Jeremiah 18:1-6; Matthew 13:47-53

Friday, July 29–No Service; Readings: Jeremiah 26:1-9; John 11:19-27

Saturday, July 30– 6:00 p.m. Mass; Mass Intentions For the People of the Parish; Readings: Jeremiah 26:11-16,24; Matthew 14:1-12

Sunday, July 31– 10:00 a.m. 18th Sunday of Ordinary Time Mass; Mass Intention for the donor; Readings: Ecclesiastes 1:2,2:21-23; Colossians 3:1-5,9-11; Luke 12:13-21

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 24TH

Lectors – Chuck K.,Spes **Distributors-** Rolando Bernardo, Clemencia Perez, Lucia Perez, Amparo Perez, Rosa Campos **Servers-** Rebeka, Patience

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 31ST

Lectors –Shirley, Albert **Distributors-** Kate M., Cecelia Perez, Lionel Guzman, Romalia Diaz, Mayber Roblero **Servers-** Leonie, Adela, Happiness

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



YOUR GIFT TO ST. LEO IS MOST APPRECIATED!

Sunday Offerings for July 19th and 20th - \$2,586.50 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.

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<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 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 St. Leo.

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

Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it will be open to you. Try it. Then listen, look, enter.

LET US PRAY

O God, protector of those who hope in you, without whom nothing has firm foundation, nothing is holy, bestow in abundance your mercy upon us and grant that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may use the good things that pass in such a way as to hold fast even now to those that ever endure. 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.

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), and photo ID. New rules for the protection and safety of the guests and workers will be enforced 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

Facebook: St. Leo the Great Catholic Church

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

Important Dates to Remember

Join Fr. Jim as he livestreams Sunday Mass at 10:30am at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ON7eJ2CwNM&feature=youtu.be> OR, <https://www.facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati-103955481239196/>

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.

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

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time – July 24, 2022

A Day of Rest: Last Sunday's Gospel reminded us that Jesus and the disciples needed to get away to a deserted place to reflect on their ministry and to rest for a while. Every minister and disciple of the Lord needs to do this.

Sunday is still considered a day of rest from our labors for Christians. This follows the creation account in the Book of Genesis when on the 7th day the Lord rested from all that he had done. In the Church's long tradition and history, the Sabbath was always considered a day of rest although the strict legalities and restrictions on what was work have lessened for some people of faith. Resting on Sunday and using it for the most part as a day of prayer, relaxation and enjoyment is still a way to "keep holy the Lord's Day." Treating Sunday in this way, prepares one for the rigors of work and ministry for the upcoming week and can help one regain focus and balance in life. It also helps to build relationships and promotes quality time with friends and family as well as with God and the church family.

This too gives good cause for taking vacations as long as they are a time for rest and relaxation. I am sure that many of us have taken vacations whereupon when we return home, we feel that we need to take a vacation from our vacation! It is so important to take time to smell the roses and to do things that we enjoy doing and to have fun with family, friends, and others. May God not only bless the work of our hands but also our time to rest, reflect and relax.

Golden Anniversary Mass- Married couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 2022 are invited to attend the Golden Anniversary Mass on Sunday August 14th at 11:00 a.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains. Please register to attend by completing the online form at:
<https://www.centerforthenewevangelization.org/marriage-family/resources/wedding-anniversary-certificate-request>.

SafeParish Update- With Summer activities in full swing, we would like to remind all parish/school employees and volunteers of the requirements of the Decree on Child Protection. All employees and volunteers are required to have completed The Archdiocese of Cincinnati SafeParish™: Protecting Children From Sexual Abuse - Arch. of Cincinnati Edition training or child protection training under the prior child protection platform (VIRTUS). Volunteers are required to complete an online background check prior to volunteering with youth. Employees and volunteers are required to stay current in completing SafeParish™ quarterly bulletins.

Tuesday July 26th - weather depending the church parking lot is scheduled to be sealed and will be unable to park on for 48 hours. Please be sure to not park in the church parking lot on Tuesday July 26th and Wednesday July 27th. The parking lot will be open at some point on Thursday. If things change we will let you know.

Many thanks to our St. Leo Food Pantry
Monthly Overhead Sponsor for July
The Newberry Family

GARDEN RENOVATION HELP- We still have a few garden beds left that need a little tender care. We are still welcoming native plants if anyone has some to divide or donate, as well as shrubs for along the back fence. We are still looking for volunteers to help plant flowers, clean, re-structure as well as maintain the area. If this is something that interest you please send an email to akleemanstleo@aol.com

You can read the **Sunday bulletin** at: www.saint-leo.org/Publications/StLeoSundayBulletin

You can read **Fr. Rudy's letter** at:
www.saint-leo.org/Publications/FromthePastor'sDesk

Please HELP, the Food Pantry is in dire need of items we hope you can help! You can see our latest request on our [Amazon](#) Wish List Link:

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1Y6S276N39W08?ref_=wl_share. **Please call the office at 513-921-1044 if you have questions or would like to donate these items.**

EMBER DAYS- The seminarians of the Archdiocese invite young men entering their sophomore year of high school through outgoing seniors to a day of fun, prayer, sports, and food. Ember Days will be 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. on Thursday July 28th at Mount St. Mary's Seminary and School of Theology in Cincinnati. To register and for more information, please go to <https://catholicaoc.org/vocations>



Mass and Healing Service- You are invited to a mass and healing service on Wednesday August 3rd at 7:30 p.m. at St. Ignatius Church located at 5222 North Bend Road. Receive Jesus in Eucharist, adore Him in Eucharistic Exposition, and experience the Lord's love through individual personal prayer ministry for healing of any concerns you may have.

Upcoming Dates to mark on your Calendar:

August 13th - Day of Hope at Roll Hill Elementary School, back packs, food boxes, books, hygiene kits, and much more.

August 14th – Back Pack Give Away- after Sunday mass at St. Leo's
August 28th – Eucharist Minister Training at 2 p.m. Archdiocese of Cincinnati will lead this in Spanish and English.

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