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.

EUCHARIST

Saturday Vigil Mass in Spanish: 6:00 PM Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM Thursday Mass: 7:00 PM <u>EXPOSITION:</u> First Thursday of the month following 7:00 PM Mass until 9:00 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturday: 5:00-5:30 PM,

or by appointment <u>BAPTISMS</u>: Call three weeks in advance <u>WEDDINGS</u>: Call six months in advance

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

ST. LEO THE GREAT CHURCH, Cincinnati, Ohio

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

<u>Saturday, May 9</u> – Live Stream Mass; facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati; Readings: Acts 13:44-52; John 14:7-14

<u>Sunday, May 10</u> – 10:30am Live Stream Mass; facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati; Mass Intention for the people of the parish; Readings: Acts 6:1-7; 1 Peter 2:4-9; John 14:1-12

Monday, May 11 – No Service;

Readings: Acts 14:5-18; John 14:21-26

Tuesday, May 12 – No Service; Readings: Acts 14:19-28; John 14:27-31

Wednesday, May 13 – No Service;

Readings: Acts 15:1-6; John 15:1-8

<u>Thursday, May 14</u> – 7:00pm Live Stream Mass, facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati; Readings: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; John 15:9-17

Friday, May 15 –Live Stream Service;

Readings: Acts 15:22-31; John 15:12-17

- <u>Saturday, May 16</u> Live Stream Mass; facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati; Readings: Acts 16:1-10; John 15:18-21
- Sunday, May 17 10:30am Live Stream Mass; facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati; Mass Intention for the people of the parish; Readings: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; 1 Peter 3:15-18; John 14:15-21

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

- Call 921-1044 each day to be certain the pantry is open.
- You will be expected to wait outside.
- NO CHILDREN ALLOWED IN THE PANTRY, unless they are in a carrier.

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES FREE!

Canceled until further notice.

<u>COMMUNITY PHONE NUMBERS</u> 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

<u>ANGELS' ARMS STORE</u>, 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.

<u>VISIT US!</u> <u>St. Leo's website:</u> www.saint-leo.org <u>Facebook:</u> St. Leo the Great Catholic Church <u>St. Leo's YouTube Channel</u>: StLeotheGreatParish

<u>CDC's Official Website for COVID-19 Updates:</u> https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html

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!

May 10, 2020

Thank you for generously supporting your parish!

EASY ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE:

Go to <u>http://saint-leo.org/DonateNow.aspx</u> 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.

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

My parish is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. It will be holy, if I am. Its pews will be filled if I help fill them. This we pray.

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 Grace Lutheran.

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

If you live in me and my words stay part of you, you may ask what you will and it will be done for you. Pray for an increase in vocations to priesthood and religious life.

LET US PRAY

Almighty ever-living God, you constantly accomplish the Paschal Mystery within us, that those you were pleased to make new in Holy Baptism may, under your protective care, bear much fruit and come to the joys of life eternal. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit for ever and ever.

Important Dates to Remember

All events, meetings, classes canceled until further notice.

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/

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 <u>www.DiscoverMass.com</u> 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.

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

Fifth Sunday of Easter - May 10, 2020

From Fr. Jim . . .

We start another month of quarantine and "Stay at home." Prayer continues to be our source of hope, strength and unity.

A Prayer of Pope Francis to the Blessed Virgin Mary

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, with steadfast faith. You, Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us: He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to brina us. through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. Amen.

The following is taken from Prayer of Renewal of Our Consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary. This was a prayer service on May 1, 2020 with Archbishop Gomez of Los Angeles on behalf of all dioceses in the United States, rededicating ourselves to the Blessed mother particularly in this time of crisis:

Most Holy Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church, you are the fairest fruit of God's redeeming love; you sing of the Father's mercy and accompany us with a mother's love. In this time of pandemic, we come to you, our sign of sure hope and comfort, your maternal care. Mary, Health of the Sick, sign of health, of healing, and of divine hope for the sick, we entrust to you all who are infected with the coronavirus.

Mary, Mother of Consolation, who console with a mother's love all who turn to you, we entrust to you all those who have lost loved ones in the pandemic. Mary, Help of Christians, who come to our rescue in every trial, we entrust to your loving protection all caregivers. Mary, Queen and Mother of Mercy, who embrace all those who call upon your help in their distress, we entrust to you all who are suffering in any way from the pandemic. Mary, Seat of Wisdom, who were so wonderfully filled with the light of truth, we entrust to you all who are working to find a cure to this pandemic. Mary, Mother of Good Counsel, who gave yourself wholeheartedly to God's plan for the renewing of all things in Christ, we entrust to you all leaders and policymakers. Accept with the benevolence of a Mother the act of consecration that we make today with confidence and help us to be your Son's instruments for the healing and salvation of our country and the world. Mary, Mother of the Church, you are enthroned as queen at your Son's right hand: we ask your intercession for the needs of our country, that every desire for good may be blessed and strengthened, that faith may be revived and nourished, hope sustained and enlightened, charity awakened and animated; guide us, we pray, along the path of holiness. Mary our Mother bring everyone under your protection and entrust everyone to your beloved Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

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

Due to the currant viral outbreak, please know that... the Ordination of Benson Lotiang'a Lokidiriyo on May 16th 2020 at 11:00am

> Will take place – viewed via video feed only. www.stpeterinchainscathedral.org

Join us for a surprise DRIVE-BY CELEBRATION in St. Leo's parking lot on Sat. May 16. Drive through the parking lot anytime between 1:00 and 2:00pm. Honk your horns, wave, make noise, hold up posters, have the kids hold up their drawings, get creative!

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https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=rcc%20st%20leo%20chu rch%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 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
- 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. Severe and Seve

Special considerations have been implemented at the Food Pantry. • Call 921-1044 each day to be certain the pantry is open.

• You will be expected to wait outside.

Support St. Leo Food Pantry by supporting the 2020 Hunger Walk JOIN OR DONATE TO OUR TEAM at:

fsfb.convio.net/site/TR/HungerWalk/HungerWalk2020?team_id=1 1540&pg=team&fr_id=1430

or, cincinnatihungerwalk.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. This is our "money in the bank." Due to your generosity last year, we currently have a balance in 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!

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