

# 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

January 24, 2021

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

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

**Saturday, January 23- 6:00 p.m. Mass;** Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Hebrews 9:2-3, 11-14; Mark 3:20-21

**Sunday, January 24- 10:30 a.m. Mass;** Mass Intention for Diane Steele; Readings: Jonah 3:1-5, 10; 1 Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20

**Monday, January 25- No Service;** Readings: Acts of the Apostles 22:3-16; Mark 16:15-18

**Tuesday, January 26- No Service;** Readings: 2 Timothy 1:1-8; Mark 3:31-35

**Wednesday, January 27- 11:30 a.m. Mass;** Mass Intentions for Mary Ann Capano; Readings: Hebrews 10: 11-18; Mark 4: 1-20

**Thursday, January 28 -7:00 p.m. Mass;** Mass Intentions for Monica Milazzo; Readings: Hebrews 10: 19-25; Mark 4: 21-25

**Friday, January 29- No Service;** Readings: Hebrews 10: 32-39; Mark 4: 21-25

**Saturday, January 30- 6:00 p.m. Mass;** Mass Intention for the People of the Parish; Readings: Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-19; Mark 4: 35-41

**Sunday, January 31- 10:30 a.m. Mass;** Mass Intention for Anna, Angie, and Bill Hartmann; Readings: Deuteronomy 18: 15-20, 1 Corinthians 7: 32-35; Mark 1: 21-28



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

Sunday Offerings for January 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> - \$1,977.50 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>

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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 Amy Kleeman 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](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

## 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.

## 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

*Come after Me.* Jesus called Andrew and Peter and James and John. He calls still in our day. Are you willing to drop your nets and follow?

## LET US PRAY

Almighty ever-living God, direct our actions according to your good pleasure, that in the name of your beloved Son we may abound in good works. 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.

## 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

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**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/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 Women's Connection.

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/>

February 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> – Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA) commitment weekend

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 921-1044X30 or email to

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)

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>

# Third Sunday of Ordinary Time – January 24, 2021

From Fr. Jim . . .



**Prayer for Vocations:** Last week’s Gospel speaks about John the Baptist seeing Jesus coming toward him and John calls Jesus “The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.” Both vocations of John and Jesus are alluded to in this passage. In this week’s Gospel, Jesus is walking along the shore and he sees Simon and Andrew and James and John casting their nets. Jesus invites them to follow him. The Scriptures give us all cause to be thankful

for how we have answered the Lord’s call and to continue discerning how to answer the Lord’s call in our lives today. The Lord told the disciples that they would be catching people. How are we caught? How does the Lord catch others with us? Prayer is one good way. The following is Archbishop Schnurr’s prayer for vocations. He asks us to pray this often:

Almighty Father, you have created us for some definite purpose. Grant us the grace to know the path you have planned for us in this life and to respond with a generous “Yes.” Make our Archdiocese, parishes, homes, and hearts fruitful ground for your gift of vocations. May our young people respond to your call with courage and zeal. Stir among our men a desire and the strength to be good and holy priests. Bless us with consecrated religious and those called to a chaste single life, permanent deacons, and faithful husbands and wives, who are a sign of Christ’s love for his church. We commend our prayer for vocations to you, Father, through the intercession of Mary our Mother, in the Holy Spirit, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**WELCOME GUESTS!** If you are visiting with us today, we want you to know how welcome you are, whether you have come from another parish here in the Archdiocese, from across the river, or from further reaches. Thank you for praying with us. Feel free to join us as often as you can! REGISTER PLEASE! If you are attending St. Leo regularly and consider us “your parish,” please register yourself and your family. Call the office at 513-921-1044 to register.

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.

We are always on a journey in life. Let us choose the path of God! We will discover that there are no unexpected events, no uphill path, and no night that cannot be faced with Jesus.” ~Pope Francis

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

**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:  
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You can read the Sunday bulletin at:  
[www.saintleo.org/Publications/StLeoSundayBulletin](http://www.saintleo.org/Publications/StLeoSundayBulletin)  
You can read Fr. Jim’s letter at:  
[www.saint-leo.org/Publications/FromtheDeskofFrJim](http://www.saint-leo.org/Publications/FromtheDeskofFrJim)

**St. Leo’s is in need of toddler size (1 year, 2T, and 3T) bibs for the Sacrament of Baptism.** We are also in need of Amazon Gift Cards for our wish list items and office needs. Please call the office at 513-921-1044 if you have questions or would like to donate these items.

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.

Families will be receiving a **2021 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)** mailing from Archbishop Schnurr in the coming week or so. Please prayerfully complete your pledge card and return it in the envelope provided, or bring your completed pledge card and envelope to Mass. For more information or to donate online, please visit [www.AOCstewardship.org](http://www.AOCstewardship.org). Thank You!

Commitment weekend for the **2021 Catholic Ministries Appeal** throughout the archdiocese is February 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>. Please look for continued information

### Snow NEWS!

Check out the following stations for St. Leo cancellations:  
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