# 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 James R. Schutte, Pastor Reverend Rodolfo Coaquira, MCCJ, Parochial Vicar 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.

### 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:** Cancelled until further notice.

# 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

<u>Saturday, June 25</u>– 6:00 p.m. Mass; Mass Intentions For the People of the Parish; Readings: Lamentations 2:2,10-14,18-19; Luke 2:41-15

#### Sunday, June 26– 10:00 a.m. 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time Mass; Mass Intention for Mary Barlage; Readings: 1 Kings 19:16,19-21; Galatians 5:1,13-18; Luke 9:51-62

Monday, June 27-No Service; Readings: Amos 2:6-10,13-16; Matthew 8:18-22

Tuesday, June 28– No Service; Readings: Amos 3:1-8;4:11-12; Matthew 8:23-27

Wednesday, June 29-11:30 a.m. Mass; Mass Intention for Living and Deceased members of St. Mary's Ladies Society; Readings: Acts of the Apostles 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8,17-18; Matthew 16:13-19

<u>Thursday, June 30-</u>7:00 p.m. Mass; Mass Intention For Father Jim on his Retirement; Readings: Amos 7:10-17; Matthew 9:1-8

Friday, July 1-No Service; Readings: Amos 8:4-6,9-12; Matthew 9:9-13

Saturday, July 2- 6:00 p.m. Mass; Mass Intentions For the People of the Parish; Readings: Amos 9:11-15; Matthew 9:14-17

Sunday, July 3- 10:00 a.m. 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time Mass; Mass Intention for Freedom for All; Readings: Isaiah 66:10-14; Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12,17-20

#### MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JUNE 26TH

**Lectors** – Linda H., Spes **Distributors**- Larry B., Norma Reynoso, Rolando Bernardo, Anastacio Valesquez, Shirley Cade **Servers**– Paul, Finn, Caleb Ebert

#### MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS FOR JULY 3RD

**Lectors** – Diane S., Albert **Distributors**- Ivy Peppers, Berta Morales, Edilma Mendez, Shirley Cade, Hector Valesquez **Servers**– Amelia and Ember Diaz, Romeo Nolasco

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

#### FOOD PANTRY IS CLOSED JULY 1st and 4th

**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.

<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

# June 26, 2022



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

Sunday Offerings for June11<sup>th</sup> - \$717.50, and amount TBA from June 12<sup>th</sup> mass. 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 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 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 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

Do you have the courage to say "I will follow wherever you go"? Don't look back, fix your eyes on Jesus. He is the way.

#### LET US PRAY

O God, who through the grace of adoption chose us to be children of light, grant, we pray, that we may not be wrapped in the darkness of error but always be seen to stand in the bright light of truth. 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=y outu.be OR, https://www.facebook.com/RCC-St-Leo-Church-Cincinnati-103955481239196/

#### PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED JULY 4<sup>th</sup>

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

# 13th Sunday of Ordinary Time -June 26, 2022

#### From Fr. Jim. . .

Dearest parishioners of St. Boniface and St. Leo,

Friday, July 1<sup>st</sup>, it is official. I am retired. Two weeks ago, we gathered at St. Boniface on the Feast of the Holy Trinity to celebrate and thank God for bringing us together and teaching us all how to dance with the Trinity to the love and grace of God. Thank you for such a wonderful celebration and profound expression of love, faith, and trust in God and in each other. I am humbled, honored, and deeply grateful for all the ways you so generously gifted me and showered me with kindness, encouragement, support, friendship, and love, not just at the Mass and celebration but all through the years.

I thank all of you for being partners with me in ministry, serving God's people and building God's kingdom. These last couple of months, you have given me additional joy and blessing as I watched you accept delegation for tasks, service, and ministry. It is an incredible joy to see the faith being passed on through you and I thank God for you every time I see you yielding to the Spirit to guide you to the truth.

I especially thank the past and present staff in our parishes with whom I have had the privilege to share ministry. God has blessed us tremendously by bringing us together in work, ministry, and prayer. Especially in times of disagreement, I value and respect your endless passion to do what is right and just for the people of God and those entrusted to your care. Your dedication, experience, expertise, willingness to go the extra mile, putting others' needs before your own give profound witness to your love for God and neighbor. We are all partners and collaborators together with the Spirit in the ways of grace for all of God's people. Again, I am grateful for the opportunity to serve God's people with all of you. Let's continue to pray for each other to stay passionate to serve the Lord and follow his will.

In retirement, I will be assisting Fr. Rudy with weekend help for Sunday Mass. I will be the presider at the 4pm Mass at St. Boniface on Saturday, the 6pm Saturday Mass at St. Leo and the 10:30 Sunday Mass at St. Leo. When school is in session, I will continue to help with school liturgies at St. Boniface. I will also have the two weekday Masses at St. Leo 11:30am on Wednesdays and7pm on Thursdays.

July 1<sup>st</sup>, Fr. Rudy is your pastor and eventually he will have two Comboni priests to assist him. One is not expected to be available until December. He and they need and want your help. First, to keep the parishes functioning and operating and second, to collaborate and consult with them in developing a plan for when over time our five parishes in our family will function fully as one parish. Help them shape it and design it to become a functioning parish fully alive to continue the work and mission the Lord has entrusted to us.

Beacons of Light, is designed to be a collaborative and consultative effort with parish leaders, staff, parish councils, parishioners, and the Archdiocese. Our family of parishes is wonderfully diverse. With such diversity comes the unity that defines the universal church and the talents and gifts of the Spirit to build, renew, restore, heal, forgive, and love in the Lord's name.

Please welcome your new pastor and parochial vicars as well as each other and all others as you have welcomed me – with the hospitality of the Eucharist. Keep learning to pray the Eucharist well and together and being the Body of Christ who sacrifices for the common good and respects and treats everyone as brothers and sisters in the Lord. I retire with a joyful heart having been blessed by your hospitality and welcome to journey the paschal mystery together. May you continue to welcome others on the journey with you and may God's blessings abound for you as you follow his will and bring much needed renewal to parish life. Thanks for everything. Union in prayer always. In his love, Fr. Jim ୶୶**ଌ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ଌ୶ଌ୶ଌ୶ଌ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ୶ୡ**୶ୡ୶ୡ

#### Many thanks to our St. Leo Food Pantry Monthly Overhead Sponsor for June St. James White Oak

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**Golden Anniversary Mass**- Married couples celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary in 2022 are invited to attend the Golden Anniversary Mass on Sunday August 14<sup>th</sup> 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.

www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

You can read the Sunday bulletin at: www.saint-

leo.org/Publications/StLeoSundayBulletin

You can read Fr. Jim's letter at:

www.saint-leo.org/Publications/FromtheDeskofFrJim

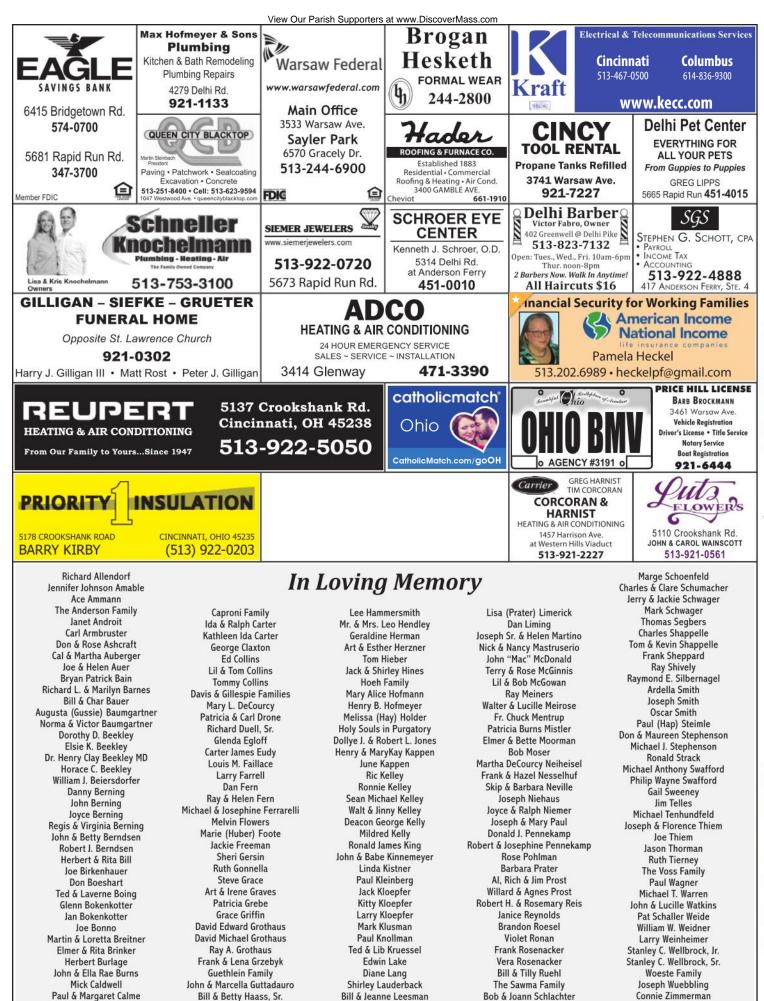
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https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1Y6S276N39W08?ref\_=wl\_ share. <u>Please call the office at 513-921-1044 if you have questions</u> or would like to donate these items.

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"On July 1, we will move on to the next major phase of Beacons of Light, implementation of the new Families of Parishes and the start of intentional pastoral planning within each of those Families. This planning will be rooted in sincere prayer and open collaboration as each Family together discerns the best and highest use of their shared resources to radiate the love of Christ and form a strong, vital community of evangelization and service centered on the Eucharist. As we move forward into an unsure and sometimes confusing future, let us stay united as the Body of Christ, *confident that the Holy Spirit is with us until the end of time.*"

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