

St. Leo The Great Parish

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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.

EUCCHARIST

Saturday Vigil Mass in Spanish: 6:00 PM

Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM

Thursday Mass: 7:00 PM

Adoration/Exposition: 9:00 AM-Noon, 8:00-9:00 PM

Friday Adoration Only: 4:00 PM-6:00 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

This Week's Schedule

Saturday, July 11 - Mass Intention for the People of the Parish at **4:00pm**.

Readings: Genesis 49:29-32,50:15-26; Matthew 10:24-33

Sunday, July 12 - Mass Intention for Antonio Mateo Lopez at **10:30am**.

Readings: Amos 7:12-15; Ephesians 1:3-14; Mark 6:7-13

Monday, July 13 - No Service.

Readings: Exodus 1:8-14,22; Matthew 10:34-11:1

Tuesday, July 14 - No Service.

Readings: Exodus 2:1-15; Matthew 11:20-24

Wednesday, July 15 - No Service.

Readings: Exodus 3:1-6,9-12; Matthew 11:25-27

Thursday, July 16 - Mass in loving memory of Frederick Henry Macke at **7:00pm**.

Adoration 9am-noon, 8-9pm.

Readings: Exodus 3:13-20; Matthew 11:28-30

Friday, July 17 - No Service.

Readings: Exodus 11:10-12:14; Matthew 12:1-8

Saturday, July 18 - No Service.

Readings: Exodus 12:37-42; Matthew 12:14-21

Sunday, July 19 - Mass Intention: For our Benefactors and Volunteers at **10:30am**.

Readings: Jeremiah 23:1-6; Ephesians 2:13-18; Mark 6:30-34

Next Week's Ministry Assignments

Lectors - Shirley (English), Albert (Kirundi)

Distributors - Mark, Pierre

Servers - Sandrine, Davon, Davonte

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES are held every Saturday at St. Leo, 10am-noon.

We teach English to Spanish- and Burundi-speaking students but welcome all interested in learning English. We can always use English speakers to help students practice. Free! Call for info.

VISIT US!

St. Leo's website: www.Saint-Leo.org

Facebook: St. Leo the Great Catholic Church

St. Leo's YouTube Channel go to:

StLeotheGreatParish

To visit often, save any of the sites in your "favorites" list. Send corrections, updates, news and/or important information to Casey Betz, Development Director, cbetzstleo@aol.com



To receive the parish weekly bulletin by e-mail, go to www.catholicweb.com & click on Find A Church to find St. Leo.

Each person has to subscribe & it's free. Put user name, password, e-mail address. Once subscribed, the bulletin will be automatically sent to you each week by e-mail.



YOUR GIFT TO ST. LEO IS APPRECIATED!

Collection July 5th: \$1,658.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

Please consider remembering St. Leo the Great Church in your Will. For more information contact Casey Betz at 921-1044.

EASY ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE:

<https://www.myowngiving.com/Default.aspx?cid=995>

MATCHING GIFT PROGRAMS:

See our website at www.Saint-Leo.org/DonateNow.aspx

PRAYER PARTNER FOR THE WEEK:

To be one in Christ, the churches in Western Hills are asked to pray for The Women's Connection.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

Please keep in your prayers all those listed in our Parish Petition/Special Prayer Books and Prayer List. Please call the Parish Office if you are hospitalized and wish to be visited. Hospitals no longer share that information.

VOCATION VIEW

God will provide for you on your journey. Trust that you will receive the grace to carry out the mission.

Important Dates to Remember

July 26th - Name Tag Sunday

August 2nd - Parish Council following 10:30am Mass
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 Stephanie at 921-1044x20 or email info to stleocinti@aol.com.

PRESENTATION MINISTRIES' BIBLE INSTITUTE

will be held at Xavier University on July 24th-August 1st.

Both daytime and evening seminars of various lengths.

Attend one day, a few days or all. Cost is a free will donation. Visit www.presentationministries.com or call 922-0923 for more information and/or to register.



WORD OF THE WEEK

ENGLISH ~ KIRUNDI ~ SPANISH

Exit ~ Sohoka ~ Salida

From Father Jim...



I want to extend a very special welcome to all of our guests and visitors who are here with us to celebrate mass and then to continue our praise and worship in our parking lot at the Latino Fest, Saturday, July 11. We are delighted that you would take time to pray

with us and to celebrate our diversity. All of us at St. Leo are very grateful that God has brought us together and is teaching us how to be Church. We consider our diversity to be a tremendous blessing and we are so grateful for your interest in us, support and encouragement and for all the ways that you share the Lord's mission and ministry with us. The Latino Fest is another way to bring us all together to praise God for the great work that God is doing with all of us and to do it through prayer, praise, song, fun and food – lots of great food.

Our Guatemalan parishioners who sponsor this Latino Fest each year really want to show their appreciation to St. Leo's for the opportunity that they have been given to be members of St. Leo Parish. They do not want to be their own parish within our parish but we want to be one parish together. This year, this concept will be emphasized at mass with bi-lingual and multi-cultural participation and also with American groups such as our own 10:30 am mass and singers and our Burundian choir as song and worship will continue on stage in the parking lot after mass. There has even been a request for hot dogs and hamburgers this year in addition to tamales and tacos and fruit and corn.

I believe people from St. Clement School in St. Bernard will be here again. If you are Latino and are looking for a Catholic School, primary grades, for your children, please stop by their booth. They would love to talk with you and share wonderful information about their school. Many children who attend their school are Latino. They have a good system and again if you are looking for a school, I recommend that you look into St. Clement.

Unfortunately, I am not here this weekend. I am officiating a wedding in Charleston, South Carolina. It is the same time that mass begins to start the Latino Fest. I will be praying with you all from Charleston. I am grateful to Father Louis Gasparini, Director of Hispanic Ministry for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, for his great work with the Latino Community throughout the Archdiocese and for being the presider celebrant of our mass at 4pm. Fr. Louis is a great priest and friend of St. Leo and we are blessed by his presence and participation with us in the Latino Fest.

We also welcome back Fr. Jim Shapelle. Fr. Jim is so kind to sub for me again and so soon and is the presider celebrant at our 10:30am liturgy on July 12th. My plane arrives in the afternoon on the 12th. Monday is my off day so I will be back in the office on Tuesday, July 14. Praise God, Pray well and have fun! Peace to all.



REST IN PEACE - Our sympathy to those close to **ELEANOR DIESEL** who went to her eternal rest this past week. The funeral mass was celebrated on Wednesday, July 8th. Please remember Marcie Nastold, Eleanor's sister-in-law and long-time friend, and all of Eleanor's friends and family in your prayers.



SECOND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH means the Food Pantry will be available to our Guatemalan Parishioners following the 10:30am Mass today.



ALL STAR PARTY AT ST. IGNATIUS

Did you know that Cincinnati is hosting the All*Star game for the first time in 27 years? St. Ignatius has been chosen to have an All*Star Party here on July 14 from 5-10pm. Come and be part of all the All*Star activities like a Home Run Derby, relay races, fast pitch, and a Baseball Walk with souvenir prizes, and much more! You will be able to watch the game, *and we will also have a special guest appearance from Livvy Stubenrauch who was the voice of "young" Anna in Frozen!* It is going to be a great way for St. Ignatius to be part of our city's All*Star summer!



There is great need, and growing support, for the introduction of new values in our society – where bigger is not necessarily better – where slower can be faster – and where less can be more. - *Gaylord Nelson*



Most humans are never fully present in the now, because unconsciously they believe that the next moment must be more important than this one. But then you miss your whole life, which is never not now. - *Eckhart Tolle*



All any of us can do is make the best of what we have got and live with generosity and kindness. - *Helen Mirren*



Pearls don't lie on the seashore. If you want one, you must dive for it. - *Chinese Proverb*



We all live with the objective of being happy; our lives are all different and yet the same. - *Anne Frank*