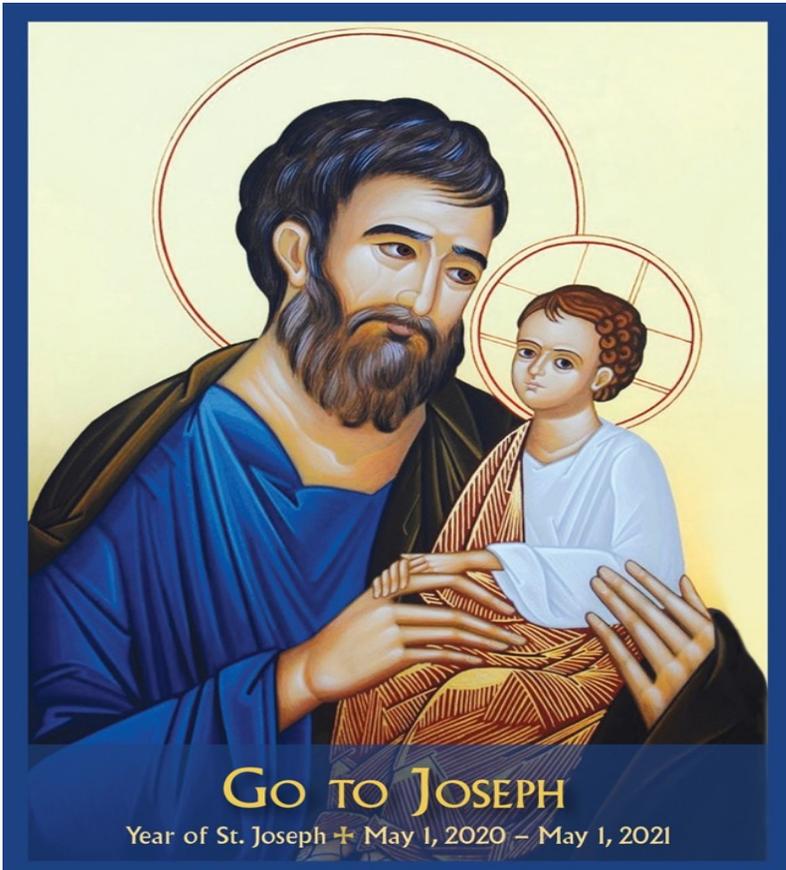


Saint Lawrence Catholic Church

September 20th, 2020

25th Sunday of Ordinary Time



This is the year of Saint Joseph!

We are starting a 33day Consecration to Saint Joseph. We will begin our weekly meetings for the Consecration on **Tuesday September 29th** and the Consecration will take place on All Saints Day, **November 1st**.

There are many spiritual benefits from participating in this Consecration! Your family life will be stronger and you will learn more about Saint Joseph than you ever knew before.

We know from Fatima that Satan will attack our families like never before and it appears we are witnessing this now! God is looking for us to join the fight. It's not a political fight it's not even about economics, this is a spiritual battle; one that will require sacrifice, commitment, and love, lots of love. Call to reserve your place and let's do this together!

Contact Dave at the office or by cell phone at 715-213-3166 for more information or to sign up!

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday
8:00-Noon

Or by appointment

To contact Dave after
hours please call
715-213-3166.

The Parish office is
located in the Saint
Lawrence school
building across the
street from the
Church.

This week Father
Janusz will be on
Vacation, please
check in with the
office for weekday

MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Monday,	Sept. 21	7:00 AM	Communion Service
Tuesday,	Sept. 22	7:00 AM	Com. Service
		6:00 PM	--Health of Courtney
Wednesday,	Sept. 23	7:00 AM	Communion Service
Thursday,	Sept. 24	7:00 AM	--+Alex Joseph
Friday,	Sept. 25	7:00 AM	--+Betty Kubisiak
Saturday,	Sept. 26	6:00 PM	--+Dave Sullivan
Sunday,	Sept. 27	10:30 AM	--+Leon Romatowski

Confessions are available before every Mass or by appointment.
Please call the office to schedule an appointment.

For health and healing for Theresa Zanetti, Marie Kaszuba, Eileen Folgert, Dawn Weaver, Karen Lorbeck Gail Narlock, and all whose names appear on the prayer list, we pray to the Lord. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Sacraments

Baptism: Baptismal classes are required for parents having their infants baptized. Contact Father Janusz at the Parish Office.

Confession: Saturday before Mass (weekday & Sunday) or by appointment.

Marriage: Please notify the Pastor/Parish Office as soon as you are engaged, but not less than nine months prior to the wedding date. A marriage preparation retreat is necessary, call St. Vincent de Paul for upcoming dates (715) 423-2111.

Anointing of the Sick: Those seriously ill or undergoing surgery should call the rectory to request an appointment with Pastor Janusz.

St. Lawrence Directory

Rectory Hours - - - Mon-Fri, 8:00am - noon
Rectory Phone - - - - - 715-421-5777
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Fr. Janusz's contact information:
Emergency cell - - - - - 715-456-1450
Email - - - - - januszek2002@yahoo.com

Parish Staff

Pastor - - - - - Rev. Janusz Kowalski
Deacon - - - - - Kevin Ray
Senior Deacon - - - - - Jim Landry
Parish Facilities Manager - - - - Corey Siegler
Evangelization/Formation - - - - Dave Ecker
Clerk/Bookkeeper - - - - - Dave Ecker

◇ Faith Formation and Sacramental Preparation

- ◇ Wednesday, Sept. 23 --Hear O Israel the Lord your God is one God! Father Son and Holy Spirit 6:00 PM
- ◇ Thursday, Sept. 24 --RCIA, The existence of God and the Blessed Trinity 6:30 PM
- ◇ Wednesday, Sept. 30 --All things in the heavens and on earth, God created 6:00 PM
- ◇ Sunday, October 4 --Confirmation Preparation orientation/what is Confirmation, anyway? 9:00 AM

+++++Other coming events+++++

A Parish town hall style meeting will be held in the basement of Church, Thursday, Sept. 24 at 7:00 PM. Social distancing and face masks will be required. ALL PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND!

Men's Group - Study on Catholicism 1st Tuesday of the Month at 7:00pm beginning September 1st. You do not need to be present for all nights. Come when you can! Held at the Welcome Center in Rudolph.



Because of your pastor's encouragement to spend time with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration, and your willingness to accept his invitation, we were able to reopen the Adoration Chapel on August 15th. With your pastor's help, and with your commitment, we were able to fill 25 of our 30 open hours. Thank you and may God bless you!

Marian Center for Peace

Liturgical Roles for 9/26 & 9/27 2020

Hospitality:	6:00 PM Susie and Lenny Budzinski
	10:30 AM Open
Lector:	6:00 PM Patrick Ruesch
	10:30 AM Jim Lorbeck
Altar Server:	6:00 PM Mya Hernandez
	10:30 AM Gabe Hauke/ Brennan Mohrbacher

Thank you all for your generous giving of your time and talents to as you serve in the ministries above. Please be sure to find a substitute for those times you cannot make your scheduled service.



On behalf of Assumption Catholic Schools, I thank you for your words and prayers of support. We opened for in person instruction on August 26 with 390 students in grades K-12 and another 25 at the St. Lawrence ECC site. School has been going well but with many changes to keep students and staff safe. Usually in September, we welcome grandparents/special persons for a lunch with their students but have delayed that until later in the year. We do think about all the grandparents and special persons do for the students and are praying for you. Royal Event has been canceled for the fall. We are also limiting visitors to the school to only essential business. Scrip is still being sold from the scrip office or can be purchased on line.

Athletics at the middle and high school levels are resuming this week but with limited attendance. Outdoor events – tennis, cross country and football have only masks and social distancing restrictions. Volleyball attendance is limited to 4 tickets per player for home games. Thanks to a generous sponsorship by Wisconsin River Orthopaedics all home volleyball and football games and select tennis and cross country events can be viewed on our livestream. Some away games may also be viewed. The website is <https://www.zaleskisports.com/live-sports> Check the Assumption athletic pages for more details. There is no cost to you to view the action. We hope you can log in to a few games and cheer on the Royals!. As always we continue to pray for your safety and peace of mind. In this year of St. Joseph, patron of the Diocese, we ask for his intercession. In Christ's Peace Daniel Minter

From the Diocese!!!

Join a Small Group This Fall to Grow in Your Relationship with Jesus Christ Here are five good reasons to join with some people from your parish for a Bible Study or Faith Study Group:

- † It builds community and the sense of belonging in your parish.
- † It develops strong friendships in Christ.
- † It provides a specific time to deepen your relationship with the Lord through greater understanding of the Faith.
- † It strengthens you as you discover others with whom you can “walk” on the journey of life.
- † It helps you to accept others and yourself as imperfect persons who are seeking God.

Consider what is being offered at your parish, or get a few friends together to meet in your home. The most important thing is to find something that interests you and then be committed. It will be well worth your



Love. Grow. Serve.

Watch for news as we are organizing a small group of individuals who want to know more about a wide variety of topics and grow closer to Jesus Christ! It's going to be fun! It's going to open our eyes! Presenters will be Father Janusz, Julianne Stoltz, Jon Anderson and Dave Ecke!



Gun Raffle...Because of Covid we are not going to have a Sportsman's Banquet this year. Instead we will raffle off the four guns and optics that remained from our first raffle. Tickets will be sold after weekend Masses at St. Philip and St. Lawrence for \$10 a ticket. Drawing will be held on Sunday, December 20, 9:30 a.m. right after the 8:30 mass at St. Philip rectory.



Weekly Donations September 7 - 13

- Envelopes - \$3938.00
- Votive Lights - \$48.00
- Plate Collection - \$350.00
- Reimbursement - \$2475.00
- Polka Mass - \$200.00

Total - \$7,011.00

Necessary weekly bills - \$5,750*
Thank you everyone for your generosity!

**This is the average cost of bills every week. But it does not include repairs, unexpected cost, etc.*



This Sunday's Gospel Reading:

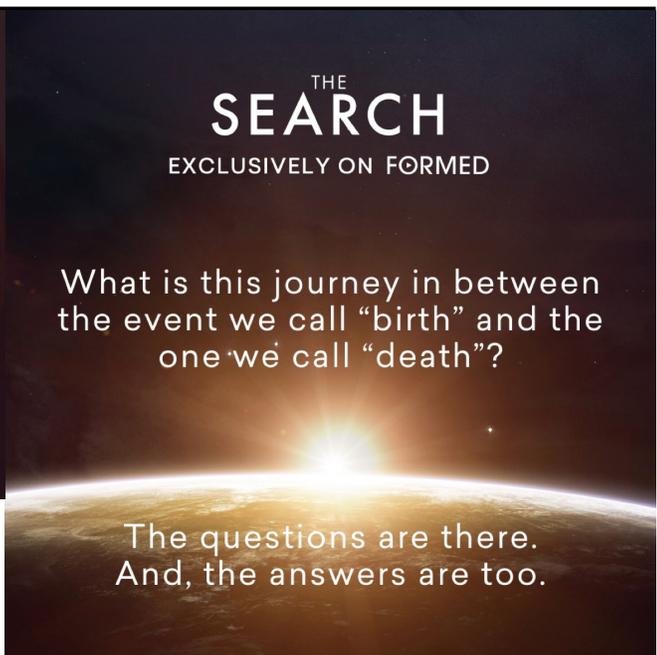
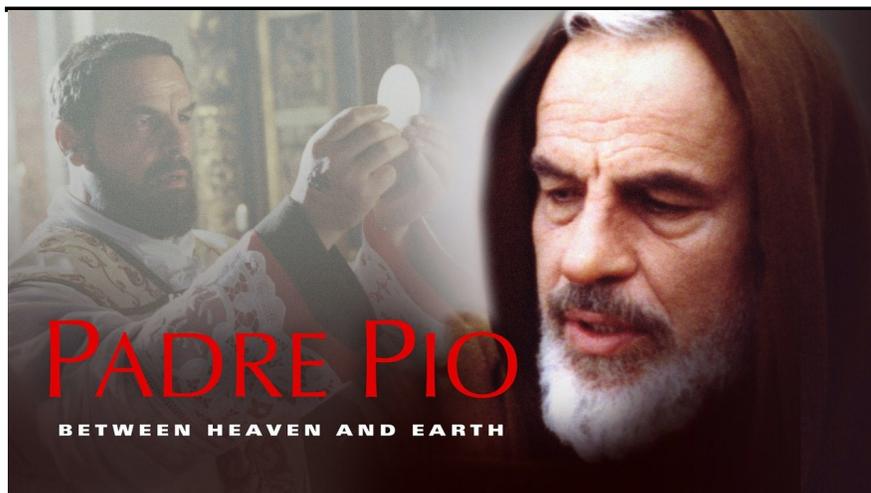
Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a land owner who went out at dawn to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with them for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. Going out about nine o'clock, the landowner saw others standing idle in the marketplace, and he said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard, and I will give you what is just.' So they went off. And he went out again around noon, and around three o'clock, and did likewise. Going out about five o'clock, the landowner found others standing around, and said to them, "Why do you stand here idle all day?' They answered, 'Because no one has hired us.' He said to them, 'You too go into my vineyard.' When it was evening the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, 'Summon the laborers and give them their pay, begin-

ning with the first.' When those who came, each received the usual grumbled against the landowner, saying, 'These last ones you have made them equal to us, and the heat.' He said to one of them in reply, 'My friend, I agree with me for the usual daily wage. So when the first they would receive more, but each usual daily wage. And on receiving it they owner, saying, 'These last ones you have made them equal to us, and the heat.' He said to one of am not cheating you. Did you not al daily wage? Take what is yours give this last one the same as as I wish with my own money? Are generous?' Thus, the last will be last."



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--Matthew 20:1-16a



What is this journey in between the event we call "birth" and the one we call "death"?

The questions are there. And, the answers are too.

Check out these two great finds on FORMED.org

The Movie about Padre Pio is remarkable! I couldn't stop watching it! The 'Search' series is extremely well done, very current and a pleasure to watch! A great reflection starter! This one is best with others, maybe the whole family! You'll be glad you took the time with your family!

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