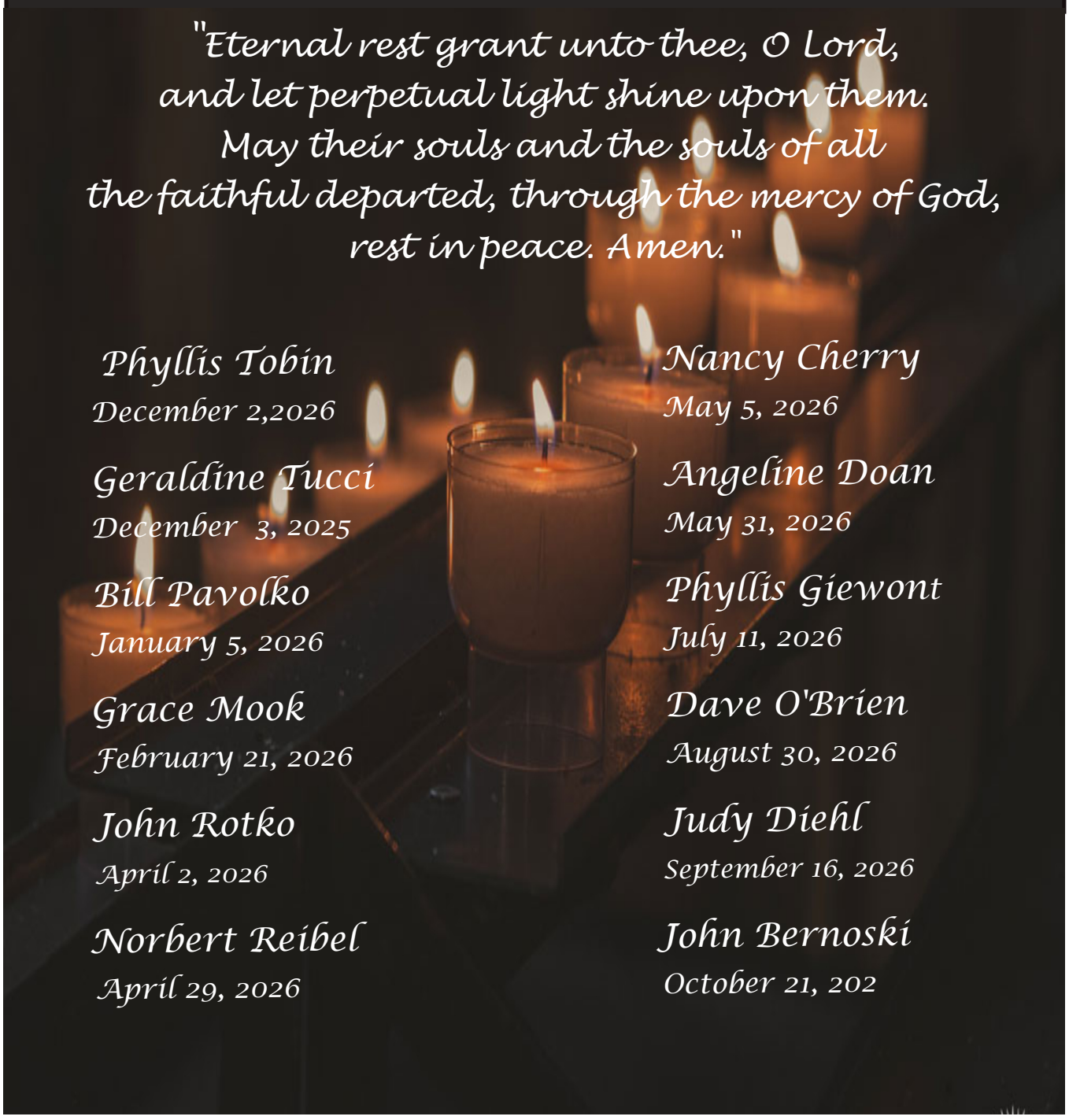
Saint Lawrence the Martyr
Saint Philip, Secondary Mission

Rev. Michael Kesicki - Pastor
Deacon Paul McCoy - Deacon Assistant

"Eternal rest grant unto thee, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May their souls and the souls of all
the faithful departed, through the mercy of God,
rest in peace. Amen."



Phyllis Tobin
December 2,2026

Geraldine Tucci
December 3, 2025

Bill Pavolko
January 5, 2026

Grace Mook
February 21, 2026

John Rotko
April 2, 2026

Norbert Reibel
April 29, 2026

Nancy Cherry
May 5, 2026

Angeline Doan
May 31, 2026

Phyllis Giewont
July 11, 2026

Dave O'Brien
August 30, 2026

Judy Diehl
September 16, 2026

John Bernoski
October 21, 202

~ Mass Intentions ~

Monday,November 9
The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

No Mass

Tuesday, November 10
Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

No Mass

Wednesday, November 11
Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop

8:00 AM - Skip Buttaccio
For Comfort and Peace
(All Of Us At St. Lawrence Church)

Thursday, November 12
Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

8:00 AM ✞ John Rotko
(Friends)

Friday, November 13
Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin

8:00 AM ✞ Nancy Cherry
(John & Nancy Borland)

Saturday, November 14
Weekday

At St. Lawrence

4:00 PM ✞ The Living and Deceased Members Of St. Lawrence and St. Philip Church

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Sunday,November 15
Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time
At St. Philip

8:00 AM ✞ Russell Worley
(Janet Worley & Family)

At St. Lawrence

10:00 AM ✞ Rev. John Fischer
(Mark & Darcy Paradise)

The Rosary of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, is prayed every Saturday at 3:30, at St. Lawrence Church

"Mary invites all her children to pray her Rosary"

~ From Fr. Michael ~



I want to express my appreciation to the families who support our Faith Formation program. It was beautiful to have our students take on the liturgical roles at Mass last Sunday, as they do once a month during the school year. I am grateful for the witness of strong family life, which is evident in the participation of our families at the weekend Masses.

Blessings on your week,
Fr. Michael

Book of Remembrance

November is the month in which we are especially mindful of our deceased family and friends because of All Souls Day and the fact that we are in the last weeks of the Church year. During this month, we will have out in both churches, The Book of Remembrance. Any time from now until the end of November, you may add to this Book, the names of your loved ones who have passed on. During the month of November, as we see the book in church, we offer our thoughts and prayers for the repose of their souls, including those who have no one to pray for them.

Cemetery Clean Up

If you have potted flowers or any other type of adornment at the St. James Cemetery, you are asked to please remove it as soon as possible.
The cemetery is being prepared for the winter, and everything must be removed as soon as possible, or it will be disposed of.
~Thank You

~ Deacon's Corner ~

Honoring our Military Chaplains
This week on November 11th, we observe Veterans Day. It's a holiday honoring men and women who have served in the U.S. armed forces. It is an appropriate time to honor our Catholic military chaplains who are servants of both Church and country.

Father Christopher Christensen offers his thoughts on being a Catholic military chaplain:
"In few other places does a Catholic priest find himself in ministry to men and women training for, going to and returning from war. The particular difficulties of military life, whether family related, job related, or battle related, place a particular strain on military personnel. The military chaplain has to bring spiritual tools to help God be welcomed by military personnel at the deepest level."

Four Catholic military chaplains have received the Medal of Honor since the Civil War:
- **Father Joseph Timothy O'Callahan (Lt. Cmdr. U.S. Navy - WWII)**
- **Father Emil J. Kapaun (Capt. U.S. Army – Korean War)**
- **Father Charles Joseph Watters (Major U.S. Army – Vietnam)**
- **Father Vincent Robert Capodanno (Lt. U.S. Navy – Vietnam)**

Three Catholic military chaplains are on the path to sainthood:
- **Father Emil J. Kapaun ("Venerable")**
- **Father Joseph Verbis Lafleur ("Servant of God")**
- **Father Vincent Robert Capodanno ("Servant of God")**

Four Catholic military chaplains have been recognized for bravery in the line of duty with U.S. Navy ships named in their honor:
- **Father Aloysius H. Schmitt – USS Schmitt (Destroyer Escort)**
- **Father Joseph T. O'Callahan – USS O'Callahan (Destroyer Escort)**
- **Father Vincent R. Capodanno – USS Capodanno (Destroyer Escort)**
- **Father John Francis Laboon, SJ – USS Laboon (Guided Missile Destroyer)**

Let us remember to say special prayers of thanks for all those who have served our country as we remember them this Veterans Day.

Deacon Paul

~ Monday Night Bingo ~
St. Lawrence Center
Doors/Concessions Open at 5:30
Games Begin at 6:30
Jackpot:
$1,150 in 55 balls or less

Come Join The Fun!!



~ Meeting ~

St. Philip Altar Rosary Society will hold their next meeting on Monday, March 9th at 2 pm, at the St. Philip Parish Center. All are welcome to attend.



Thirty-Second Sunday Of Ordinary Time

Ladies of the Rosary in Common-Unity

Ladies of the Rosary
Saint Lawrence Church

Meetings
First Thursday of the month at 6:30PM

Contact: Tammy Maskrey

All Ladies of the parish are welcome!

DeColores!

Cursillo

"Making a friend, being a friend, an introducing that friend to Christ."

Parish Coordinators: Needed

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St. Lawrence/St. Philip Faith Formation

Sunday 9:00 - 10:00 Mass
K through 11
To register contact:
Carrie Sawin - 814-440-0487
Criss Rotko - 814-449-0192



This Space Available

Sacrament of Matrimony

Parishioners are requested to contact the pastor at least six months in advance to begin preparation. Participation is required in Pre-Cana or Engagement Encounter.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment. Please call the Parish Office for more information. Pre-Baptismal instruction is required.

Sponsor Certificates

Letters of recommendation issued only to confirmed parishioners (age 16+) in good standing, who attend Mass regularly and support the parish with time, treasure or talent.

Sick Calls

Visits to the hospitals are made per patient request. Please notify the office of any hospitalization, Communion to the sick and shut-in visits. Emergencies will be addressed at any time.

St. Lawrence/St. Philip Church Membership Form

Please Check One

- ☐ New
- ☐ Returning
- ☐ Address Change
- ☐ Moving out of Parish

Prayer For A New Bishop

O Almighty God,
Pour forth the Holy Spirit upon the Holy Father
and those who assist him
in the discernment of our new bishop.
May the one chosen have the strength
to be a compassionate leader,
who models humility and joy.
Grant him the wisdom of Solomon,
the courage of the apostles,
and the tenderness of your son, the Good Shepherd.

We also pray for the Diocese of Erie
that he is called to serve.
May we welcome him with open hearts
and work with him in a spirit of synodality,
called to listen, collaborate, and build unity.

Through the intercession of the
Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church,
St. Joseph, the protector of the Church,
and St. Patrick, the patron of our diocese,
may we journey the path of life
with an unwavering focus
on the hope we have in Christ.

For he lives and reigns forever and ever.
Amen.

Diocese of Erie
ROMAN CATHOLIC

Imprimatur, October 28, 2025
The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, J.C.L
Bishop of Erie

Faith Formation
Sunday's
9:00 - 10:00
Important Dates

~ Sunday, November 8 ~
All Saint's Day Party & Class - 9am
Family Mas 10am

~ Sunday, November 15 ~
Class - 9am

Please Contact Carrie Sawin
at 814-440-0487 or
Criss Rotko at 814-449-0192,
If you have any questions or concerns



~Sacrificial Giving ~
October 24/25
Weekly Budget Goal
$ 3,750.00

Envelopes Registered - 134
Envelopes In This Week - 64

Weekly Envelopes - $ 2,751.00
Loose Cash - $ 209.00
Guests - $ 405.00

2026 CSA
Our Diocesan Assessment
$ 29,770.00

Amount Pledged
$38,670.42
Amount Collected
$36,537.42

St. Lawrence/St. Philip Christmas Craft Fair

Saturday, November 28st
9:00am – 2:00pm
St. Lawrence Parish Center
129 East Pearl Street - Albion, PA



Outstanding Crafters & Concessions

Proceeds benefit

St. Lawrence/St. Philip Parish
and the
St. Lawrence Religious Education Program

~Prayer Requests ~



To Add A Prayer Request
Please Contact
Norma Jafko at 814-756-3889
or Marie Lavor at 814-587-6094

Jim Bernoski
Marilyn Madden
Jon Reibel
Mike Sawin
Marc Kearns
Joseph Sharpe
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Casey Lawrence
Sue Mihalak
Stacey
Marilyn O'Brien
Elaine Schmidt
Dianne

Diann Hinkle
Sal Kitko
Brother Matthew
Joseph Levis, O.de.M
Alexis Mundkoswky
Rachel P.
Lory Mundkowsky
Gail
Sarah Disalvo
Jay Mackey

C.A.
Mike S.
Elsie Mundkowsky
Joyce Beery
Skip Buttaccio
Our Homebound
and Care Center
Parishioners
Intentions In Our
Prayer Box



The Sanctuary Candle Burns
the Month of November,
in Honor of
The Most Blessed Sacrament,
and in Memory of
David Diehl,
On the 7th Anniversary of his Death.
Requested by: His Family



Please Note

There will be no Daily Mass
on Monday, November 9th.
The Mass Intentions for that day
has been rescheduled.

Thank You.

~ Ministry Schedule ~

November 14/15	November 21/22	November 28/29	December 5/6
4pm Lector - Patricia T. Altar Server - *Volunteer* Gift Bearers - Chris/Peg B.	4pm Lector - Marge M. Altar Server - *Volunteer* Gift Bearers - Lance Family	4pm Lector - Carrie S. Altar Server - Nellie S. Gift Bearers - *Volunteer*	4pm Lector - Carrie S. Altar Server - *Volunteer* Gift Bearers - Sawin Family
8am Lector - Patti P. Altar Server - Branden L. Gift Bearers - Worley Family	8am Lector - ErinnW. Altar Server - Branden L. Gift Bearers - Elaine M.	8am Lector - Kimberly B. Altar Server - Branden L. Gift Bearers - Wnek Family	8am Lector - Patti P. Altar Server - Volunteer Gift Bearers - Worley Family
10am Lector - Carl P. Altar Server - Ethan P. Gift Bearers - Melquist Family	10am Lector - Criss R. Altar Server - Vivian B. Gift Bearers - Bill/Elsie M.	10am Lector - Grace S. Altar Server - Julio P. Gift Bearers - Mike/MaryBeth W.	10am Lector - Students Altar Server - Students Gift Bearers - Students