

*Saint Lawrence the Martyr
Saint Philip, Secondary Mission*

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



**Welcome Home
From
L'viv - Ukraine
Father Michael!**



Sunday, June 21, 2026

~ Parish Staff ~

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Greg Petrus

~ From Fr. Michael ~



Glad to be Back — and Happy Fathers' Day!

It is good to be home! If travels went well, I will have returned from L'viv late Saturday evening, and I am grateful beyond words for your prayers during my time at Ukrainian Catholic University. They were felt. Thank you.

This Sunday we also celebrate Fathers' Day. I invite you to keep all fathers in your prayers today — those present with us, those who have gone before us, and those for whom fatherhood has been marked by struggle or loss. May the Lord bless and strengthen them.

This week many of our priests and deacons will be attending the Emmaus Convocation. I will be there for part of it, myself. Please keep your Bishop, priests and deacons in your prayers.

Blessings on your week,

Fr. Michael

Weekend Masses

Saturday - 4:00 pm
at St. Lawrence
Sunday - 8:00 am
at St. Philip
Sunday - 10:00 am
at St. Lawrence

Weekday Masses

All at St. Lawrence
8:00am
Monday, Wednesday,
Thursday, and Friday
No Mass on Tuesday

First Friday

Holy Hour
4:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Mass - 5:00 pm
at St. Lawrence

Reconciliation

Saturday at St. Lawrence
3:15pm to 3:45pm
Sunday at St. Philip
7:30am

Twelfth Sunday In Ordinary Time

~ Mass Intentions ~

Monday, June 22
Weekday

8:00 AM † *Hubert & Emily McCommons*
(James McCommons Family)

Tuesday, June 23
Weekday

* No Mass *

Wednesday, June 24

The Nativity Of Saint John The Baptist

8:00 AM - *Tom King (Living)*
For Health & Well-Being
(Paul & Judy King)

Thursday, June 25
Weekday

* No Mass*

Friday, June 26
Weekday

8:00 AM - *Mary Ellen Ferrick (Living)*
(Norella Consedine)

Saturday, June 27
Weekday

* At St. Lawrence *

4:00 PM † *Bill Porter*
(Sawin Family)

Sunday, June 28

Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

At St. Philip

8:00 AM † *My Deceased Siblings*
(Steve Erdman)

At St. Lawrence

10:00 AM † *The Living and Deceased*
Members Of St. Lawrence /St. Philip Church

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”

~ Deacon's Corner ~



This week we officially start the summer season. The cool, rainy weather of the spring is finally behind us. As a result, those in school are off for the summer with less structured days. Also, the days are longer, with sunshine well past 8:00 pm, which should provide more time to get outdoors after work.

The summer provides the opportunity to engage in a lot more outdoor activities like biking, camping, fishing, canoeing, boating, picnics, and evening walks with the dog. There are so many more reasons to get outside and be more active after spending the winter and early spring indoors. Also, getting outdoors is a great way to unplug from the computer, Internet, TV, or video games. So hopefully, you will find time to get away on a family vacation and spend some time away from your regular routine.

Going outdoors has always helped me reflect more on God's amazing creations outside the door. In addition, it allows us to focus on the simple things that often go unnoticed. I fondly remember a summer canoe trip on the Allegheny River where the morning brought a light mist on the water with only the rippling water and a chorus of bird songs.

If you work outside in farming or construction, your workday may be busier than in the fall, winter, or spring. But you can still enjoy the wonders of life created by God.

Here is a prayer from Xavier University that captures the joys of summer:

*Father, Creator of all, thank You for summer!
Thank you for the warmth of the sun
and the increased daylight.
Thank You for the beauty I see all around me
and for the opportunity to be outside and enjoy Your crea-
tion.
Thank You for the increased time I have to be with my
friends and family,
and for the more casual pace of the summer season.
Draw me closer to You this summer.
Teach me how I can pray
no matter where I am or what I am doing.
Warm my soul with the awareness of Your presence
and light my path with Your Word and Counsel.
As I enjoy Your creation, create in me
a pure heart and a hunger and a thirst for You.
Amen.*

Deacon Paul

Ladies of the Rosary



Meetings
First Thursday of the
month at 6:30PM

Contact: Tammy Maskrey

All Ladies of the parish are welcome!

 **Cursillo**
 "Making a friend, being a friend,
 and
 introducing that friend to Christ."
 Parish Coordinators:
 Needed

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 Sundays 9:00 - 10:00 Mass
 K through 11
 To register contact:
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 Irene Petruska
 12450 Rt. 98
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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

St. Lawrence/St. Philip Church Membership Form



Name _____
Address _____

Phone _____
E-Mail _____

Please Check One

New
 Returning
 Address Change
 Moving out of Parish

<p align="center">~Prayer Requests ~</p>  <p align="center">To Add A Prayer Request To Our List, Please Contact Norma Jafko at 814-756-3889 or Marie Lavor at 814-587-6094</p>	<p>Judy Diehl Jim Bernoski Marilyn Madden Jon Reibel Mike Sawin Andrew Segal Philip Kleckner Marc Kearns Joseph Sharpe Norella Consedine Tim Smock</p>	<p>John & Sharon Shultz Bob Cochran Rob Leninsky Conrad Woods Donald DiFiori Stacey B. BJ Leicht Karen Brother Matthew Joseph Lewis, O.de.M Alexis Mundkosuky</p>	<p>Irasema Rimel Casey Lawrence Kristin Bucci Sue Wadsworth Phyllis Giewont Wanda Manculich Sue Mihalak Dave & Marilyn O'Brien Elaine Schmidt Keith Johnson Kevin Hall</p>	<p>Diann Hinkle Sal Kitko Dorothy Rachel P.</p> <p>Our Homebound & Care Center Parishioners</p> <p>Intentions In Our Prayer Box</p>
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It's Picnic Season!!

**We are in need of an individual
or a group of people
to schedule and organize
our Parish Picnic this year.
The picnic may be at either St. Philip
or St. Lawrence Church.**

**Please call the Parish Office at 756-3623
if you are Interested in volunteering.**



Mass Intentions.

**The 2026 book for Mass Intentions
is almost filled.**

**There are just a couple of
weekday dates available in December.
Please understand that we may have to
schedule your intention for 2027.**

Please remember that all Contributions, Donations, CSA Payments, Mass Stipends, and Gifts, are deposited into bank accounts under "St. Lawrence the Martyr Church".

Thank you for remembering to make all checks out only to "St. Lawrence Church".

**Thank You for your
continued support.**

~ Offertory~	
<p align="center">~Sacrificial Giving ~ June 13/14 Weekly Budget Goal \$ 3,660.00</p> <p>Envelopes Registered - 136 Envelopes In This Week - 65</p> <p>Weekly Envelopes - \$ 2,937.00 Loose Cash - \$ 182.00 Guests - \$ 45.00</p>	<p align="center">*2026 CSA* Our Diocesan Assessment \$ 29,770.00</p> <p>Amount Pledged \$36,170.42 Amount Collected \$27,207.42</p>

~ Ministry Schedule ~

	June 27 - 4pm	June 28 - 8am	June 28 - 10am
Lector	Carrie S.	Patti P.	Carl P.
Altar Server	Nellie S.	Branden L.	Ethan P.
Gift Bearers	Sawin Family	Steve E.	Debi/Grace S.
	July 4 - 4pm	July 5 - 8am	July 5 - 10am
Lector	Marge M.	Erinn W.	Criss R.
Altar Server	Nellie S.	Branden L.	Vivian B.
Gift Bearers	Norma J./Rose P.	Elaine M.	Melquist Family
	July 11 - 4pm	July 12 - 8am	July 12 - 8am
Lector	Patricia T.	Robert W.	Grace S.
Altar Server	Nellie S.	Branden L.	Brooke W.
Gift Bearers	Al/Miriam Y.	Dennis/Patti P.	Bill/Elsie M.
	July 18 - 4pm	July 19 - 8am	July 19 - 10am
Lector	Carrie S.	Kimberly B.	Carl P.
Altar Server	Nellie S.	Branden L.	Ethan P.
Gift Bearers	Chris/Peg B.	Wnek Family	Debi/Grace S.

If you are unable to serve on your scheduled day, please find someone to fill in for you.

If you would like to be added to our Offertory Gift Bearers List at St. Lawrence, please email Patricia @trt51@roadrunner.com

Thank you for your continued dedication.

52-200 Club Weekly Winners

~ June 2026 ~

- Week 1 - June 7 #200 - Conneaut Valley Food Pantry
- Week 2 - June 14 #142 - Allen Duda
- Week 3 - June 21 #183 - Juanita Kleckner
- Week 4 - June 28 #8 - Tammy Melquist

**Congratulations
To Our Winners!**

Don't forget to send your ticket stub & payment back asap. If you do not wish to participate this year, please return the whole ticket. - Thank you.

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.*

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



Diocese of Erie
ROMAN CATHOLIC

~ Bingo ~

~ Monday Night Bingo ~
St. Lawrence Center
Doors/Concessions Open at 5:30
Games Begin at 6:30
Jackpot - \$1,150
In 56 balls or less
Come Join The Fun!!

