

Saint Lawrence the Martyr Saint Philip, Secondary Mission

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Solemnity Of The Most Holy Body and Blood Of Christ

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

Sunday, June 7, 2026

~ Mass Intentions ~

Monday, June 8
Weekday
* No Mass *

Tuesday, June 9
Weekday
* No Mass *

Wednesday, June 10
Weekday
8:00 AM - *Scarlett Seneta*
For Safe Keeping
While Serving in the US Navy
(Family)

Thursday, June 11
Weekday
* No Mass*

Friday, June 12
The Most Sacred Heart Of Jesus
* No Mass *

Saturday, June 13
Weekday
* At St. Lawrence *
4:00 PM † *The Living and Deceased*
Members Of St. Lawrence /St. Philip Church

Sunday, June 14
Eleventh Sunday In Ordinary Time
At St. Philip
8:00 AM † *George & Theresa Linz*
In Memory Of Their Wedding Anniversary
(Jim & Val Smith and Family)
At St. Lawrence
10:00 AM † *Jeanne Matson*
(Sue Brown)

~ From Fr. Michael ~

Solemnity of Corpus Christi



This Sunday we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ — Corpus Christi. We are reminded that in the Eucharist, Christ gives himself to us completely and remains with us always. It is this same presence that sustains and nourishes us on every journey of life.

Solemnity of the Sacred Heart

This coming Friday, June 12, we will observe the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus — a feast that calls us to contemplate the boundless love of Christ poured out for all humanity. In a world so much in need of mercy and healing, devotion to the Sacred Heart remains a source of profound consolation.

From Ukraine

As this bulletin goes to print, I am traveling across Poland on my way to L'viv, where I will serve as Spiritual Director for the English Summer School at Ukrainian Catholic University.

I am grateful to the priests of St. Peter Cathedral who are covering Masses at St. Lawrence in my absence, and I ask for your continued prayers for the students, the faculty, and for me.

I look forward to being home with you the weekend of June 21.

Blessings on your week.

Always be willing to
lend a helping hand to
others. You may be the only
person who cares enough
to help.



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”

The Most Holy Body and Blood Of Christ - Feast Of Corpus Christi

~ Deacon's Corner ~

The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



This Sunday, we celebrate the feast of Corpus Christi, Latin for “Body of Christ.” The feast originated in France in the 13th century and was extended to the whole Church by Pope Urban IV in 1264. This feast calls us to celebrate the Body of Christ present in the Holy Eucharist and the Church.

I always enjoy the profound and inspired words of the Saints. So, I thought it would be interesting to look at what some of the Saints thought and wrote about the Eucharist. Here are a few examples from a recent Catholic New Agency (CNA) article and Big C Catholic website.

St. Thomas Aquinas: “The Eucharist is the sacrament of love: it signifies love, it produces love. The Eucharist is the consummation of the whole spiritual life.”

St. Francis de Sales: “When the bee has gathered the dew of heaven and the earth’s sweetest nectar from the flowers, it turns it into honey, then hastens to its hive. In the same way, the priest, having taken from the altar the Son of God (who is as the dew from heaven, and true son of Mary, flower of our humanity), gives him to you as delicious food.”

St. John Chrysostom: “It is not the man who is responsible for the offerings as they become Christ’s Body and Blood; it is Christ Himself who was crucified for us. The standing figure belongs to the priest who speaks these words. The power and the grace belong to God. ‘This is My Body,’ he says. And these words transform the offerings.”

St. Francis of Assisi “O sublime humility! O humble sublimity! That the Lord of the whole universe, God and the Son of God, should humble himself like this and hide under the form of a little bread, for our salvation.”

St. John Vianney: Believed that *“If we truly understood the Eucharist, we would die of love rather than of fear.”*

St. Maximilian Kolbe: “If angels could be jealous of men, they would be so for one reason: Holy Communion.”

St. Pio of Pietrelcina: “A thousand years of enjoying human glory is not worth even an hour spent sweetly communing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.”

St. Alphonsus Ligouri: “My Jesus! What a lovable contrivance this holy Sacrament was - that You would hide under the appearance of bread to make Yourself loved and to be available for a visit by anyone who desires You!”

St. Pius X: “The devotion to the Eucharist is the most noble because it has God as its object; it is the most profitable for salvation, because It gives us the Author of Grace; it is the sweetest, because the Lord is Sweetness Itself.”

St. Teresa of Calcutta: “Put your sins in the chalice for the precious blood to wash away. One drop is capable of washing away the sins of the world. “The Eucharist is connected with the Passion. If Jesus had not established the Eucharist we would have forgotten the crucifixion. It would have faded into the past and we would have forgotten that Jesus loved us. There is a saying that to be far away from the eyes is to be far away from the heart. To make sure that we do not forget, Jesus gave us the Eucharist as a memorial of his love.

Here is a prayer:

Lord Jesus Christ, in the Most Holy Eucharist, you give yourself to us completely. May we receive your Body and Blood with faith and humility, and carry your peace into the world with compassion. Strengthen our unity, and let your sacrifice continually nourish our souls.

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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 ~St. Augustine

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


 **Irene's
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 Alterations
 Irene Petruska
 12450 Rt. 98
 Edinboro, Pa. 16412
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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

St. Lawrence/St. Philip Church Membership Form



Name _____
Address _____

Phone _____
E-Mail _____

Please Check One
 New
 Returning
 Address Change
 Moving out of Parish

~Prayer Requests ~



**To Add A Prayer Request
To Our List, Please Contact
Norma Jafko at 814-756-3889
or Marie Lavour at 814-587-6094**

Judy Diehl
Jim Bernoski
Marilyn Madden
Jon Reibel
Mike Sawin
Andrew Segal
Philip Kleckner
Marc Kearns
Joseph Sharpe
Norella Consedine

Tim Smock
John & Sharon Shultz
Bob Cochran
Rob Leninsky
Carl Pry
Conrad Woods
Donald DiFiori
Stacey B.
Mary Tad
BJ Leicht

Brother Matthew
Joseph Lewis, O.de.M
Karen
Alexis Mundkosuky
Irasema Rimel
Casey Lawrence
Kristin Bucci
Sue Wadsworth
Phyllis Giewont
Wanda Manculich

Sue Mihalak
Dave & Marilyn O'Brien
Elaine Schmidt
Kevin Hall
Diann Hinkle
Sal Kitko
Our Homebound &
Care Center Parishioners
Intentions In Our
Prayer Box

Upcoming Daily Mass Schedule

**Week of June 8 - Daily Mass on Wednesday Only
Week of June 15 - Daily Mass on Wednesday Only**

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.**



**Please remember in your prayers,
Angeline Doan,
who passed away Sunday, May 31st.**

**We ask that God give her family
and friends, comfort and peace,
and may her soul, and the souls
of all the faithful departed,
rest in eternal peace.**



~ Offertory~

**~Sacrificial Giving ~
May 30/31
Weekly Budget Goal
\$ 3,660.00**

**Envelopes Registered - 136
Envelopes In This Week - 66
Weekly Envelopes - \$ 2,682.00
Loose Cash - \$ 287.00
Guests - \$ 345.00**

***2026 CSA*
Our Diocesan Assessment
\$ 29,770.00
Amount Pledged
\$36,170.42
Amount Collected
\$27,207.42**

~ Ministry Schedule ~

	June 13 - 4pm	June 14 - 8am	June 14 - 10am
Lector	Marge M.	Robert W.	Criss R.
Altar Server	Nellie S.	Brandon L.	Vivian B.
Gift Bearers	Chris/Peg B.	Valerie S.	Melquist Family
	June 20 - 4pm	June 21 - 8am	June 21 - 10am
Lector	Patricia T.	Kimberly B	Grace S.
Altar Server	Nellie S.	Brandon L.	Brooke W.
Gift Bearers	Marge M./Rose M.	Larry/DuAnn P.	Bill/Elsie M.
	June 27 - 4pm	June 28 - 8am	June 28 - 10am
Lector	Carrie S.	Patti P.	Carl P.
Altar Server	Nellie S.	Brandon 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.	Brandon L.	Vivian B.
Gift Bearers	Norma J./Rose P.	Elaine M.	Melquist Family

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.

~ Bingo ~

~ Monday Night Bingo ~
 St. Lawrence Center
 Doors/Concessions Open at 5:30
 Games Begin at 6:30
 Jackpot:
 \$1,100 in 54 balls or less
 Come Join The Fun!!



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.*

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 The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, J.C.L.
 Bishop of Erie



Diocese of Erie
 ROMAN CATHOLIC

Baby Bottle Fundraiser

Please remember to turn in all
 baby bottles and envelopes by
 the weekend of June 20 and 21.

Thank You,
 Knights Of Columbus

